

Central Baptist Church

Sunday May 4, 2025



Welcome/Announcements

***Hymn**

O How He Loves You and Me

No.513

Call to Worship

Leader: You'd think, by now, we would get used to him showing up like this

Left Side: *inviting us to cast the net deeper and wider*

Right Side: *showing us the way to abundance is leaning into new possibilities*

Leader: We are starting to open ourselves to these hauntings,

Left Side: *encouraging us to share what we have and watch it multiply*

Right Side: *showing us the way to flourishing is together*

Leader: We are learning to recognize this ghost asking about love

Left Side: *calling us to tend and nourish each other*

Right Side: *showing us the way to new life is new solidarities*

Leader: You'd think, by now we would get used to Jesus in our midst

Left Side: *welcoming us to the worship that is love in action*

Right Side: *showing us the way to transformation is mutual belovedness*

All: *Let us worship God, because we know in our bones, everywhere we turn, it is the Lord!*

Unison Prayer of Invocation

Is it you, Jesus? Are you really here?

Is the message you gave us really true?

Did the story turn out like you said?

Can we trust it is you in the distance when the night is long and our nets empty?

Will there be more if we share?

Can we find you when we eat together?

Do we love you when we feed each other?

Amen.

***Gloria Patri**

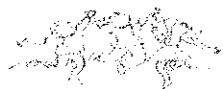
No. 623

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

Anthem

Holy Communion

Children's Message



Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering & Offertory

*Doxology

No. 625

Scripture

John 21:1-19 New Revised Standard Version Updated Edition

21 After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias, and he showed himself in this way. 2 Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin,[a] Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. 3 Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

4 Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach, but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. 5 Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." 6 He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some."

So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. 7 That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on his outer garment, for he had taken it off, and jumped into the sea. 8 But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off.

9 When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. 10 Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." 11 So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them, and though there were so many, the net was not torn. 12 Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. 13 Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them and did the same with the fish. 14 This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

15 When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." 16 A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." 17 He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. 18 Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go." 19 (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, "Follow me."

Sermon

"Do you love me?"

Pastor Bob

***Hymn**

More Love to Thee, O Christ

No. 363

Benediction

Postlude

*Please stand if you are able

WELCOME TO CBC

Welcome to Central Baptist Church. Please join us following the service for coffee hour in Clarke Hall.

If you have questions about our congregation, please speak with our deacons.

Children may leave for Sunday school after the service's children's time.

We now have a nursery! Please sign up to take a turn. The sign-up sheet is in the parlor.

We now will have 5 handicap parking spots on the church side next to the walkway.

CBC Annual Meeting

Our annual meeting is scheduled to begin today at 11:00 a.m. Join us to hear reports about our congregation's work during the past year, elect leaders for the New Year, and consider our annual church budget.

The Jamestown Community Food Pantry is a nonprofit organization dedicated to assisting food insecure Jamestown residents. Central Baptist Church supports the mission of the JCFP by providing the space for the food pantry's operations. Additionally, CBC has an ongoing nonperishable food collection that is donated to the JCFP on a monthly basis.

During May the food pantry is in need of **rice, boxed rice side dishes, instant mashed potatoes, canned fruit, and bottles of apple or cranberry juice (half gallons or smaller bottles)**. Donations can be placed in the basket in the church parlor.

THIS WEEK AT CBC

Exercise with us!

Fun group meets on Tuesdays & Thursdays at 8:30 to 9:30 at Clarke Hall. We use various exercise videos appropriate for all levels. We start with a gentle warm-up, walk about two miles, then cool down, followed by gentle stretches. Sometimes we use light weights and floor mats (provided). Questions? Contact Ellen Greene at 932-8288.

Community Chair Yoga (free)

Classes are In Person Mondays | 1:00 - 2:00 pm with Susan.

** Free for all Jamestown Pantry Participants and to the CBC congregation

** open to all Jamestown residents for free too

** Pre-registration appreciated at shriyoga.org

Accidental Sisters Concert

The Accidental Sisters concert will be held on Friday May 9th at 7:00 p.m. at CBC.

CBC CALENDAR AT A GLANCE

Sunday, May 4

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour

11:00 a.m. Annual Meeting

Monday, May 5

1:00 p.m. Chair Yoga

Tuesday, May 6

8:30 a.m. Exercise with us!

Thursday, May 8

8:30 a.m. Exercise with us!

7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service

Sunday, May 11

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour

May Birthdays

Deb Nordstrom	May 2
Lucy Posey	May 4
Joanne Hulme	May 23

May Anniversaries

Judy & Matt Bolles	May 27
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If you would like your birthday or anniversary recognized, Please contact Ellen Green by phone 401-932-8288 or email en707@cox.net

CBC Prayers

Mary Lou Taylor prayers of joy re Pastor Bob being here. Also thank you to our search committee for the long journey.

Jill, continued prayers for Butch, Cheryl & Teddy.

Please pray for Karen & Butch Lemke. He fell and broke his femur. The fall made his latest hip surgery unstable and he might need more surgery. He is home.

Ron, thank you for all the prayers for his grandson's wife Sarah. She has gained 34 pounds & is doing very well. Also prayers for his brother Lenny who is in a nursing home. Someone was taking Lenny to the High Point Church today & Ron was joining them there.

Paul, prayers for Lindis. She is the mother of his brother-in-law.

Pastor Bob asked for prayers for those being taken away from their home without due process. Also for all those who are having a tough time. Prayers too for his youngest daughter who is expecting a baby at the end of May. She lives in Arizona.

CHURCH OFFICE

Our church office is open **Monday through Thursday** from 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

You may reach Tanya Crowley, administrative assistant, by calling the office at 423-1651

Or by email tanya@cbcjamestown.com and/or cbctanya1@gmail.com

Bob Nolan, our pastor, is in the office on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 10 a.m. - 2p.m. and

You also may reach him at nolan062400@gmail.com.

For emergencies or pastoral needs please call the church office.

Joys & Concerns

If you have a need or a celebration you would like to share, please speak with one of our deacons or forward the information to the church office.

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