

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH *Christmas*

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we approach the end of this year, my heart overflows with gratitude for God's enduring faithfulness. This year has truly been a blessing, marked by spiritual growth and ministry expansion, both inside and outside our church. We pray that you've been personally impacted as we've grown together as a body in Christ.



As we reflect on these blessings, we are reminded of our calling to be faithful stewards of the resources He has entrusted to us. Our mission remains to love God more deeply, love one another, seek His kingdom, and make disciples. Paul reminds us in 2 Corinthians 9:6-8, *"Whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver."*



As the year comes to a close, I encourage you to prayerfully consider how you can sow into this ministry as we co-labor together. Your financial gifts enable us to serve our community, support missions, and share the gospel with those in need. Through your generosity, we continue to be the hands and feet of Jesus, offering hope and light to those struggling in these times.



Because of the many opportunities for ministry this year, we need to meet a goal of \$1.2 million in December to sustain this work. While this may seem large, a significant portion of our annual budget typically comes through year-end giving. For over 150 years, the Lord has faithfully provided through His people, allowing us to serve and grow through Central Christian Church's rich history. Anything above and beyond this will go towards our Faithful Stewards Campaign.



We trust that God will continue to meet all our needs. Philippians 4:19 assures us, "And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of His glory in Christ Jesus." Let us give generously, knowing that our God is abundant and faithful.

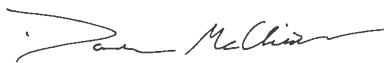
Thank you for your prayers, support, and partnership in the work of the gospel. As we enter the new year, may we continue with hearts full of gratitude, faith, and a commitment to generosity.

If you feel led, here are some ways you can give:

- Give by Cash or Check:
 - Sunday mornings: drop off in the offering plates during communion or in the giving boxes located at each entry to the Worship Center.
 - During the week: There is a lockbox in the church administrative lobby (Door #1) that is accessible during weekly office hours.
- Give online (bank account or credit card) at www.ccc.org/give
- Give via text: (316) 448-8555

Please reach out to our Administrative Director, Neil Hague, if you have any questions. He can be contacted through the Church office, 316-688-4400, or via email haguen@ccc.org.

God bless and have a Merry Christmas!



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