

Welcome to Central Presbyterian Church, where we come together to **celebrate God's love, nurture growth, share our faith and serve the needs of others.** This congregation opens wide its doors and hearts and welcomes all in the name of Jesus Christ.

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### Session

**Class of 2019** **Class of 2020**

Zac Cosner	Laura Cosner
George Mosley	Suzy VonTungeln
Brad VonTungeln	Denise Mosley
Logan Mosley	Jemmie Moseley

### **Standing Committee Moderators:**

Zac Cosner	Budget & Finance
Suzy VonTungeln	Fellowship & Nurture
Jemmie Moseley	Missions & Outreach
George Mosley	Building & Grounds
Denise Mosley	Education
Laura Cosner	Worship & Music

## Announcements

The Souper Bowl of Caring will take place today. We'll be accepting donations of canned goods and monetary donations. Donations collected will be used to support the work of Neighbor to Neighbor of Pine Bluff.

Our Annual Valentine Banquet will take place on Feb. 17th. Donations will be accepted and will go towards repair projects around the building.

If you see something that needs to be addressed around the building please add it to the CPC Men's Job Jar on the bulletin board in McElyea Hall.

The Worship and Music Committee is looking for Volunteers to be Lay Leaders and Ushers for 2019. Please sign up on the Bulletin Board in McElyea Hall.

If you have a favorite hymn that you would like to see included in the Worship Service, please tell Laura Cosner.

Sunday School 9:45 am

Young Adults Sunday School 9:45 am



**CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
6300 Trinity Drive, Pine Bluff, Arkansas  
(870) 879-9074  
Sunday, February 3, 2019



GREET THOSE AROUND YOU IN THE NAME OF CHRIST

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Laura: In You, O God, I take refuge; let me never be put to shame.

People: In Your righteousness deliver me and rescue me; incline Your ear to me and save me.

Laura: Be to me a strong fortress, to save me, for You are my rock and my refuge.

People: For You, O God, are my hope, my trust. My praise is continually of You

All: Let us worship God!

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN # 269 Lead On, O King Eternal!

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

If love is patient, why are we irritable? If love is kind, why are we hostile? If love is not jealous or boastful, why do we flaunt our achievements in the presence of others? O God, in Jesus You have shown love which forgives imperfection; only in Him can we forsake childish ways. Forgive our lack of love, and have mercy upon us. (Silent Prayer) Amen.

KYRIE ELEISON "Lord, Have Mercy"

*Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.*

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Laura: Remember that God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do.

**People: God sent Christ in order to fulfill the law.**

Laura: Now we walk according to the Spirit, who bears witness with our spirit that we are God's children.

**People: Friends, let us claim our legacy;**

**All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

**\*GLORIA PATRI** ("Glory be to the Father") *Hymnal #581*

## PROCLAIMING THE WORD

### ANTHEM

"As The Deer"

### TIME WITH OUR YOUNG ONES

*Preschool-aged children may go to the nursery after the children's message. Children of kindergarten age and above may remain in worship.*

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**      **Jeremiah 1:4-10**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING**      **1 Corinthians 13:1-13**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING**      **Luke 4:21-30**

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

### SERMON

*Up to the Task*

**Rev. Timothy Reeves**

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed

see insert

**\*HYMN # 1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!**

### OFFERTORY

**\*DOXOLOGY** ("Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow") *Hymnal #606*

### \*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

### SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

(You each are encouraged to give voice to your concerns or to name those for whom you love and pray.)

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

(We use debts and debtors)

## FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

**\*RECESSIONAL HYMN # 465 What a Friend We Have in Jesus**

### \*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

### \*\*POSTLUDE

### EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES

*Go forth into the world rejoicing. Love and serve the Lord.*

**Those who are able, please stand.**

**\*\* Please be seated and remain for the postlude if you can.**

**Usher: Linda Vick**

**Lay Reader: Laura Cosner**

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

*MEMBERS*

<i>Donna McCaleb</i>	<i>Mildred Gaunt</i>
<i>Bernice Lackey</i>	<i>Hester Insley</i>
<i>Raymond Turner</i>	<i>Mary Kientz</i>
<i>Carol Brown</i>	<i>Bea Magee</i>
<i>Karen Perdue</i>	<i>Lurline Elam</i>
<i>David Perdue</i>	<i>Suzy Von Tungeln</i>
<i>Betty Coles</i>	<i>Mary Light</i>

***FRIENDS AND RELATIVES***

<i><u>Name</u></i>	<i><u>Related to or Friend of</u></i>	<i><u>Name</u></i>	<i><u>Related to or Friend of</u></i>
<i>Dr. Laura Festa</i>	<i>wife of former pastor, Dr. Dan Festa</i>	<i>Mary McBee</i>	<i>friend of Karen &amp; David Perdue</i>
<i>Scott McGeorge</i>	<i>friend of Lawrence Fikes</i>	<i>Kelsey Hicks</i>	<i>friend of Logan Mosley</i>
<i>Rebecca and Earl Phillips</i>	<i>friends of Karen and David Perdue</i>	<i>Franklin Ward</i>	<i>uncle of Dana Neal</i>
<i>Lois Tucker</i>	<i>neighbor of the Mosley Family</i>	<i>Ryker Cheek</i>	<i>nephew of Bubba VonTungeln</i>
<i>Max Zeng</i>	<i>Mike and Lan Kelly's son</i>	<i>Mildred Patterson</i>	<i>former member</i>
<i>Paul Finley</i>	<i>friend of the Mosley Family</i>	<i>Bob Henderson</i>	<i>friend of Dana Neal &amp; Zac Cosner</i>
<i>Cathy Risinger</i>	<i>sister of Kay Cromwell</i>	<i>Clara Hammonds</i>	<i>Step-Grandmother of Bubba Vontungeln</i>
<i>John Salvadore</i>	<i>uncle of Zac Cosner</i>	<i>Dianne Aud</i>	<i>friend of Denise Mosley</i>
<i>Pat Mosley</i>	<i>mother of George Mosley</i>	<i>Elaine Porter</i>	<i>friend of Dana Neal</i>
<i>Jennifer Place</i>	<i>friend of Laura Cosner</i>	<i>Dale Hale</i>	<i>friend of Laura Cosner</i>
<i>Cathy Cosner</i>	<i>Zac Cosner's Mother</i>	<i>Lydia Wright</i>	<i>Rev. Timothy Reeves &amp; Jane Reeves' Granddaughter</i>
<i>Jorga Walker</i>	<i>wife of Donald Walker</i>		

***PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FELLOW PRESBYTERIANS:***

*First, McGehee* ***Inquirers and Candidates for Ministry***

***OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD***

***Help us keep our prayer list up to date. If you have family or friends who need to be added or removed from the prayer concerns list, please let the Office know.***

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed (Traditional)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;

who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,

born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead, and buried;

he descended into hell

the third day he rose again from the dead;

he ascended into heaven,

and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost,

the holy catholic church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

## Scripture

### OLD TESTAMENT READING    Jeremiah 1:4-10

<sup>4</sup> Now the word of the LORD came to me saying,  
<sup>5</sup> “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,  
and before you were born I consecrated you;  
I appointed you a prophet to the nations.”

<sup>6</sup> Then I said, “Ah, Lord God! Behold, I do not know how to speak, for I am only a youth.” <sup>7</sup> But the LORD said to me,  
“Do not say, ‘I am only a youth’;  
for to all to whom I send you you shall go,  
and whatever I command you you shall speak.  
<sup>8</sup> Be not afraid of them,  
for I am with you to deliver you,  
says the LORD.”

<sup>9</sup> Then the LORD put forth his hand and touched my mouth; and the LORD said to me,  
“Behold, I have put my words in your mouth.

<sup>10</sup> See, I have set you this day over nations and over kingdoms,  
to pluck up and to break down,  
to destroy and to overthrow,  
to build and to plant.”

### NEW TESTAMENT READING    1 Corinthians 13:1-13

If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. <sup>2</sup> And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. <sup>3</sup> If I give away all I have, and if I deliver my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing.

<sup>4</sup> Love is patient and kind; love is not jealous or boastful; <sup>5</sup> it is not arrogant or rude. Love does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; <sup>6</sup> it does not rejoice at wrong, but rejoices in the right. <sup>7</sup> Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

<sup>8</sup> Love never ends; as for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. <sup>9</sup> For our knowledge is imperfect and our prophecy is imperfect; <sup>10</sup> but when the perfect comes, the imperfect will pass away. <sup>11</sup> When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became a man, I gave up childish ways. <sup>12</sup> For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall understand fully, even as I have been fully understood. <sup>13</sup> So faith, hope, love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

### NEW TESTAMENT READING    Luke 4:21-30

<sup>21</sup> And he began to say to them, “Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.” <sup>22</sup> And all spoke well of him, and wondered at the gracious words which proceeded out of his mouth; and they said, “Is not this Joseph’s son?” <sup>23</sup> And he said to them, “Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, ‘Physician, heal yourself; what we have heard you did at Capernaum, do here also in your own country.’” <sup>24</sup> And he said, “Truly, I say to you, no prophet is acceptable in his own country. <sup>25</sup> But in truth, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, when there came a great famine over all the land; <sup>26</sup> and Elijah was sent to none of them but only to Zar’ephath, in the land of Sidon, to a woman who was a widow. <sup>27</sup> And there were many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Eli’sha; and none of them was cleansed, but only Na’aman the Syrian.” <sup>28</sup> When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with wrath. <sup>29</sup> And they rose up and put him out of the city, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their city was built, that they might throw him down headlong. <sup>30</sup> But passing through the midst of them he went away.

## Anthem

### As The Deer

1- As the deer panteth for the water  
So my soul longeth after You  
You alone are my heart's desire  
And I long to worship You

#### Refrain

You alone are my strength, my shield  
To You alone may my spirit yield  
You alone are my heart’s desire  
And I long to worship You

2 You're my friend and You are my brother  
Even though You are a King  
I love You more than any other  
So much more than anything

#### Refrain

You alone are my strength, my shield  
To You alone may my spirit yield  
You alone are my heart’s desire  
And I long to worship You