



THE STEP I WILL TAKE TODAY IS...

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I wish to speak to a staff member about a personal issue (include contact information on reverse side).

MY DECISION

- Today, for the first time, I place my trust in Christ for salvation.
I choose to recommit my life to Christ.
I would like to talk to someone about:
becoming a Christian being baptized

PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES

Check here if confidential
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CONNECT

- I would like to join an Adult LifeGroup.
I may be interested in volunteering in the areas I have checked below:
Children's Ministries Student Ministries
College/Young Adult Prayer Ministries
Central Downtown
Worship Arts (circle area of interest)
Vocal, Instrumental, Drama, Tech
Other
First Impressions Team (circle area of interest)
Usher, Welcome Center, Valet Parking, Central Perk Cafe, Greeter, Hospitality
Care Ministries (circle area of interest) Homebound/Hospital Visitation, Communion
Facilities (circle area of interest)
Mowing, Painting, Carpentry, Set-up, General

SATURDAY, MARCH 24 - SUNDAY, MARCH 25, 2018

Welcome to Central Church

Lead Pastor : Jeff Wheeler
Guest Worship Artist: Remedy Drive

Unashamed
Part 3: Intentional Evangelism - Luke 13:1-9

God puts \_\_\_\_\_ in our life who could \_\_\_\_\_ without us!

And He began telling this parable: A man had a fig tree which had been planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and did not find any. And he said to the vineyard-keeper, "Behold, for three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree without finding any. Cut it down! Why does it even use up the ground?" And he answered and said to him, "Let it alone, sir, for this year too, until I dig around it and put in fertilizer; and if it bears fruit next year, fine; but if not, cut it down." (Luke 13:6-9 NASB)

The gardener committed to three things to give the tree life:

1. The gardener committed to \_\_\_\_\_.
And he answered and said to him, "Let it alone, sir, for this year too..." (Luke 13:8 NASB)

2. The gardener committed to \_\_\_\_\_.
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Satan, who is the god of this world, has blinded the minds of those who don't believe. They are unable to see the glorious light of the Good News. They don't understand this message about the glory of Christ, who is the exact likeness of God. (II Corinthians 4:4 NLT)

3. The gardener committed to \_\_\_\_\_.

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Additional notes:

**FATHER/SON MANATHON** - The Father/Son Manathon is coming up on Saturday, April 7, so if you haven't registered yet, now is the time! To sign up, visit [bit.ly/SCManathon](http://bit.ly/SCManathon) and enjoy a manly night of laser tag, dodgeball, meat consumption, and more!

**EASTER WEEKEND** - Next weekend is EASTER SUNDAY! This year we're offering THREE Sunday morning services—8:00, 9:30, and 11:00. As a reminder, there will be NO Saturday evening service for Easter. For the full details, including our Good Friday service, our KidCentral options, and our Downtown Campus service times, visit [centralsf.org/easter](http://centralsf.org/easter).

**NEW WEBSITE COMING SOON** - In the very near future, Central will be launching a brand new website. The new site will offer some helpful updates that will be useful for both Central attendees and first-time guests, so be on the lookout for our upgraded website coming soon.

**SPRING BAPTISM RECAP** - This past Sunday, we saw more than 50 men, women, and children get baptized as part of our Spring Baptism Celebration. Thanks to everyone who came to celebrate with us and all of the volunteers who helped. It is a blessing to have so many members of our Central family show up for support!

**GRIEFSHARE GROUP** - GriefShare Support Group is for anyone who has lost a loved one by death and needs spiritual and emotional support. The group meets on Monday nights from 6:30 to 8:00pm in the Prayer Chapel. For more details, visit [www.griefshare.org](http://www.griefshare.org) or contact Mari Rogers at [harpsong50@gmail.com](mailto:harpsong50@gmail.com) / (605) 201-0554.

**AN EVENING FOR ETHIOPIA** - Adams Thermal Foundation, a Central ministry partner, is hosting "An Evening for Ethiopia" THIS Sunday evening at 5:30pm at the Sioux Falls Convention Center. The evening will include a sampling of Ethiopian dishes, a plated dinner, an update on the schools Adams Thermal supports, and more. For tickets and details, visit [bit.ly/ethiopiaevening](http://bit.ly/ethiopiaevening).

**MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS NEEDED** - We're looking for physicians, nurses, physician's assistants, nurse practitioners or trained EMT's who would like to serve as a resource during our weekend services. If you could be available once every few weeks to help serve our church in case of a medical emergency, please contact Shirlene Wheeler at [shirlene.wheeler@centralsf.org](mailto:shirlene.wheeler@centralsf.org).

**CONDOLENCES**

▪ Fred & Debbie Meyer on the passing of Fred's brother John Meyer on Mar. 17.



**centralCHURCH**

**COMMUNICATION CARD**

Saturday, March 24 - Sunday, March 25, 2018

- First or second time guest
- Regular Attendee
- Update my contact information
- Sign me up for Central email updates

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

HIS EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

HER EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

HIS CELL \_\_\_\_\_

HER CELL \_\_\_\_\_

MY AGE GROUP:

- College  18-24  25-29  30-39
- 40-49  50-59  60+

NAME AND GRADE/AGE OF CHILDREN AT HOME:

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**ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP**

**Weekend Attendance for**

3/17 - 3/18/18	
Saturday Service @ 5:00 pm	212
Sunday Service @ 9:00 am	476
Sunday Service @ 10:30 am	892
Sunday Downtown @ 11:00am	111
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,691</b>

**Ministry & Missions**

WEEKLY INCOME GOAL	\$67,308
ACTUAL INCOME	\$63,736
YTD BUDGET INCOME	\$2,221,154
YTD ACTUAL INCOME	\$2,847,023
YTD INCOME VS EXPENSE 2/28/18	\$757,020