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# Sunday Service October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025 @ 10am

### **Announcements**

**Opening:** Blessed be your name

Endless praise

**Prayer:** Love of God

Message: Rev. Dr. Aubrey Botha

Series: The Seven

**Sermon:** Crushed-Smyrna: The persecuted church (2)

Scripture: Colossians 1:24-29 (NIV)

Offering

Closing: Made for more

**Postlude:** Praise

**Greeters:** Horst & Sharon Wohlgemut

Shirley Wells

We are so glad you are here.
We are a Jesus church, where everyone is welcome,
where no-one is perfect, and everyone is loved.

Please join us for fellowship & refreshments in the hall following the service.

This Week at Central		
Tuesday	11:00am	Restoration Fundraising Team
j	2.30pm	Prayer Group
	7:00pm	Praise Team
	7:30pm	Revelation A-Z Bible Study
Thursday	6:15pm	Alpha
-	7:00pm	Choir
Friday	7:00pm	Grand Ole Opry Concert
Saturday	10:00am	Children & Family Ministry Brantwood
		Farm Trip
Sunday	10:00am	Sunday Service & Kids Zone
	11.00am	Children & Family Ministry Lunch
Upcoming Events @ Central		
Nov. 01	8.00am	Men's Breakfast
	7.00pm	Cambridge Symphony
Nov 3	7:00pm	Session management
Nov 5	7.30pm	Session
Nov 8	10:00am	Ladies Brunch
Nov 12	2:00pm	Hymn Sing Cafe
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## **COUNTRY MUSIC CONCERT**

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24 AT 7PM

Come out and enjoy an evening of country music in a tribute to the 100th Anniversary of the Grand Ole Opry, featuring the music of such favourite artists as Dolly Parton, Shania Twain, Garth Brooks, Reba McIntyre and many more. Invite your family and friends to join us as we have a great evening in support of the Restoration project. Tickets are \$25 (children free) available after church on Sundays, from the office, online at Eventbrite and at the door.

## Vintage Raffle

Our concert theme is the 100th Anniversary of the Grand Ole Opry and we have three "vintage" prizes on display:

- Lithograph of Central Church rematted and restored
- Vintage quilt handmade by past member Dorothy Nelles
  - Original 1880 Slate charcuterie board.

Tickets are \$5 each or 3/\$10. The draw will take place at the concert.

Proceeds in aid of the Restore Central Project

#### YOU ARE INVITED!

Join us on **Sunday**, **November 30th at 6 PM** for our **Annual Christmas Potluck Dinner** a joyful evening of food, fellowship, and celebration!

We'll have sign-up sheets available so you can let us know what dish you'll be bringing, or email Samantha <a href="mailto:Samv17@hotmail.com">Samv17@hotmail.com</a>.

Please indicate whether you'll contribute a **main dish**, **salad**, **side dish**, **or dessert**. We'd love a balanced spread, after all, we don't want to end up shaped like ol' Saint Nick with only sweets on the table! We are also asking for volunteers to help with the set up and as importantly, the clean up afterwards. This special evening brings us together in the spirit of community as we prepare our hearts for the beautiful celebration of the birth of our Lord and Savior, **Jesus Christ**.

We look forward to sharing this festive time with you and your families.

#### **LADIES BRUNCH**

Saturday November 8th Fifty's diner 10:00 a.m.

Please contact Terry Carney (<a href="mailto:terry@cpcmail.com">terry@cpcmail.com</a>) or Kim Dejong <a href="mailto:kim.dejong18@gmail.com">kim.dejong18@gmail.com</a> for more details or to RSVP

#### **GOING THE EXTRA MILE—IN AID OF RACHELS HOME, LESOTHO**

Sponsor sheets are available for pick up after service today. For those who cannot participate or find someone to sponsor, but still wish to support; the missions team have donation envelopes available in the sanctuary.

## **CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- 1. This morning after church we have our Children's Ministry Volunteer Lunch in the hall. We are looking forward to spending time together.
- 2. Saturday October 24, 2025: Family event at Brantwood Farm. We will meet at 10am at the entrance. See you at Brantwood Farm.
- 3. Sunday October 25, 2025: Family Lunch after church in the hall. Please remember to rsvp in time.

Do you love children? Do you enjoy helping children learn about God's love for them? Do you have time on a Sunday morning to help out with our Kids Zone or our church nursery? We are looking for volunteers! Please contact Elsie Botha or Elrey Botha <a href="mailto:childrensministry@cpcmail.ca">childrensministry@cpcmail.ca</a>

#### Classes:

JK and SK - room next to nursery,
Gr 1 - 3 - room across from the minister's office and
Gr 4 - 6 - parlour.



#### Item of the Month for the Food Bank

The item of the month for October is Canned Vegetables

Our collection baskets are located at the back of the sanctuary.

#### **OUR TEAM**

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Submissions for the bulletin to be received by the office before 10 am Wednesdays.

#### **ONLINE SERVICES**

https://www.centralchurchcambridge.ca https://www.youtube.com/c/CentralchurchcambridgeCa https://www.facebook.com/centralchurch

> Public Office Hours Tuesdays & Thursdays 9.30-12.30pm

#### **ONLINE BULLETIN**

Our Weekly Bulletin is available online in mobile friendly format.

Our online bulletin includes:

- Order of service
- What's happening this week
- Announcements
- Other Links

