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WORSHIP | SUNDAYS | 10 AM

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Sabbatical Month at Central

August 2026

Sunday School, Wednesday Prayers & Bible Study, and Most Ministries on Break

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DIAL-IN: 312-626-6799



CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

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YOUTH CONFERENCE

8.28.26-8.30.26 | AGES 12-18

SCAN TO REGISTER



@CBCSTLYOUTHMINISTRY

Sunday, August 30th

8:30 a.m. | MasterClass
"Missions: Biblical Call & Global Impact"

10:00 a.m. | Morning Worship

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MasterClass Registration

Guest Preacher | President, Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention

REV. DR. JESSE WILLIAMS, JR.

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Sick & Shut-In Pick-Up

WAYS TO GIVE MONTHLY REQUEST

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MORTGAGE \$10

SCHOLARSHIPS \$5

BENEVOLENCE \$5

MISSIONS \$5

GO>>OUT Luke 14:23-24

10 AM WORSHIP EXPERIENCE
12-3 PM CHURCH COOKOUT
AT CAMPBELL PAVILLION

Worship Experience & Cookout!

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH
LIONS AMPHITHEATER AT KIRKWOOD PARK
574 WEST ADAMS AVENUE, 63122

YOU + 2
(BRING AT LEAST 2 PEOPLE WITH YOU)
OPTIONAL VALET PARKING (CASH TIPS)

PRE-ORDER MEAL BY 5 PM WED 9/2/26 \$10
MEAL AFTER 5 P.M. WED 9/2/26 \$15

MENU
FRIED & BBQ CHICKEN, HOT DOGS, CORN ON THE COB, BAKED BEANS & STRING BEANS WITH OR WITHOUT TURKEY, SOFT DRINKS

OPTIONAL: BRING HOMEMADE CAKES FOR THE CAKE WALK GAME
OPTIONAL AQUATIC CENTER \$17

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WATCHMAN TEAM
CALLED TO WATCH. READY TO SERVE.

The Watchman Team helps provide a safe, secure, and welcoming environment for our church family and guests during worship services and special events.

WE ARE SEEKING DISCIPLES WHO ARE:

- Be willing to make a 1 year commitment
- Available to serve at least 2 Sundays per month
- Able to stand for a minimum of 30 minutes
- Sufficiency in technology (phones, radios, apps, systems)
- Willing to complete Safety & Emergency Response Training
- Prepared to assist in the event of an emergency

ALL APPLICANTS MUST GO THROUGH AND PASS A VETTING PROCESS.

SIGN UP TODAY TO SERVE
Be a part of something that makes a difference.

For more information, contact the Church Office.

SCAN HERE TO SIGN UP

SERVE PROTECT SUPPORT

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GO>>OUT Luke 14:7-24

Doing Life Where People Do Life

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CHASE

Chase Bank Sponsors 4 Financial Workshops for Central!

Tuesday, August 18th | 6-7:30pm
Budgeting & Saving, Part 1 (Central Annex Rm 2)
Registration: events.chase.com/300091300

Tuesday, September 15th | 6-7:30pm
Budgeting & Saving, Part 2 (Central Annex Rm 2)

Tuesday, October 20th - 6-7:30pm | zoom
Understanding & Building Credit

Tuesday, November 17th - 6-7:30pm | zoom
Improving Credit & Managing Debt

Sept, Oct & Nov: Registration: TBA

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. DR. ANTHONY L. RILEY

LIVING ON PURPOSE

(A SERIES ON MARK)

July-Oct 2026

Ministry on the move,
in the face of Caesar.

SUNDAYS @ 10 AM

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

CENTRAL

MATURE ADULT Ministry
Ages 56 and Up

First Wednesday of the Month | 1:30-2:30pm

In-Person and 973 888 8057 Password 222626

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Pulse of Central

Mental Health Ministry

EDUCATION, RESOURCES & SUPPORT FOR VARIOUS MENTAL HEALTH CHALLENGES & STRUGGLES

- Handling Politics | Self-Care | Grief
- Suicide Awareness | and more

Everyone welcome!

Meeting ID: 831 3626 9002 Passcode: mhealth
mentalhealth@cbestl.org

2nd Saturdays 9-10 AM

April - Dec, 2026
Except June with the Men of Central

Join Pastor Riley for a

9-DAY JOURNEY OF PAUL IN GREECE




BREAK THE SILENCE, END THE STIGMA

MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline
988 | 800-273-TALK | 988lifeline.org

National Domestic Violence Hotline
800-799-SAFE | Text START to 88788 | thehotline.org

National Sexual Assault Hotline | 800-656-HOPE | rainn.org
CrisisTextLine.org | Text HOME to 741741

ChildHelp.org National Child Abuse Hotline | 800-4-A-CHILD

National Human Trafficking Hotline
888-3737-888 | Text 233733 (BeFree) | humantraffickinghotline.org

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HEALTH & CANCER SUPPORT MINISTRIES

FOR ACTIVE & RETIRED HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS (MD, RN, LPN, EMT, N.A., RT, OTHERS)

FOR THOSE DESIRING CANCER SUPPORT AS PATIENT OR CAREGIVER

FOR NON-PROFESSIONALS WHO WANT TO SERVE OTHERS

3RD SATURDAYS 11 AM | IN-PERSON

LET'S COME TOGETHER FOR LIFE!



Central Night: Only Fri, Dec 11

Orchestra 1 (floor) group seats: \$250-\$350, 40-50
Lower Balcony 1 group seats: \$64
Mezzanine Box group seats: \$109.50
Optional Pre-Paid Parking \$20
Funds due Sunday, Nov 8th
Reserve with Milton Kendrick III today!
314-761-6199 | mkendrick@cbestl.org

IN UNISON CHRISTMAS

with Jenifer Lewis

Dec 10-11

Kevin McBeth, conductor
St. Louis Symphony
IN UNISON Chorus
Jenifer Lewis, vocals

Feel the spirit of the season as award-winning actor and singer Jenifer Lewis brings her one-of-a-kind Christmas and the exuberance of Broadway to this festive concert.

ST. LOUIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Supported by Bayer Fund



Orchestra 1 (floor) group seats: \$58.25
Lower Balcony 1 group seats: \$64
Mezzanine Box group seats: \$109.50
Optional Pre-Paid Parking \$20
Funds due Sunday, Jan 10th

Reserve with Milton Kendrick III today!
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mkendrick@cbestl.org

LIFT EVERY VOICE

Black History Month Celebration

Feb 19

Kevin McBeth, conductor
St. Louis Symphony
IN UNISON Chorus
Issac Gates, vocals

Join the St. Louis and IN UNISON Chorus for a poignant celebration of the rich and diverse legacy of Black musical expression.

ST. LOUIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

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SUNDAY SCHOOL

2 Adult Classes Weekly 8:30 AM

ECHOES ADULT STUDENT GUIDE

AIMED AT MATURE ADULTS: "Echoes"

AIMED AT YOUNG ADULTS & MIDDLE ADULTS: "Experiencing God"

In-Person Only: Reverend T.E. Huntley Chapel

zoom 279 619 4208 Only

PRaise WORSHIP PRAYER SCRIPTURE WORD FUN!

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Sundays 10 AM Educational Center Gym

SNACKS SERVED

GRADES K-5

Bible Study

Wednesdays 7 PM

12 PM | In-Person

7 PM

zoom ID 964 4322 7626 Phone Option 312-626-6799

Dance Ministry!

REHEARSALS FOR AGES 6-106

ABLE-BODIED MALES & FEMALES WITH THE HEART TO MINISTER

TUESDAYS 6:30 PM

REVEREND T.E. HUNTLEY CHAPEL

Worship the Lord with mind, body & soul!

FOR MORE INFO: SEE DISCIPLES DEVON COLLINS OR JENNIFER L. KELLEY

EVERY SUNDAY @ 10 AM

THE REUNION

ONLINE & IN-PERSON

HYBRID YOUTH WORSHIP

E-MAIL: CBCYOUTHMIN@GMAIL.COM FOR ZOOM INFO

Central Baptist Church Youth Ministry St. Louis

Every Sunday 9-10 AM & After Worship

Tea, Coffee or Hot Chocolate \$3
Trail Mix or BelVita Snacks \$2
Bag of Coffee or Loose-Leaf Tea \$15

Benefiting the Central Youth Ministry & School Supplies for Developing Countries

Disciple Noah Temple, Founder & CEO Youth Entrepreneur & Visionary

Please No Food or Drinks in the Sanctuary

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Prayer Call!

Mondays 6:30AM



 ID: 964 4322 7626
Dial-in: 312-626-6799

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Get Connected Today!

Why Should I Connect?



- Update your personal info
- Give via Realm & Central is not charged a fee
- Manage your giving
- Communicate with Central ministries & teams
- Connect with other Central disciples
- Join Central events
- Keep up with Central news

How Do I Connect?

- Search for Feb 2024 email "Central Baptist Church: Join our online community!"
- Don't see it? Request a new Realm email from Leah Nolden: lnolden@cbestl.org | 314-533-0747
- Click the email link and create a password.
- Update your profile and privacy settings to what you would like visible to others.
- Download the Realm Connect app and/or just visit online and explore!

QR Codes for Mobile Apps

 

 

CONNECT WITH CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

I'm New
Let Us Know You Are Here



Who We Are
About Central



Give
Online



Join
Become a Disciple



Receive Care
Receive Congregational Care



Central Shop
Our Brand






QR CODE CARD

Use your cell phone & take a picture of the QR code you want to use!



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Senior Pastor

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Receive Care
Receive Congregational Care



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Become a Disciple



Give
Online



CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

FREE COMMUNITY MEAL

TUESDAYS 11:45 AM

VOLUNTEER WORKERS:
11:30 AM

DEVOTION & MEAL

2845 Washington Blvd | Midtown St Louis, MO

JOURNALS, SHIRTS & MORE...

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<https://shop.cbestl.org/collections/all>

Making Disciples...Transforming Lives

Some of Our Ministries | All Are Invited!

Mature Adult Ministry (56+) | 1st Wed 1:30 PM
Hybrid: 2842 Washington Blvd | Midtown St. Louis, MO
or  973 1888 8057 Password 222626

Sewing & Quilting | Thu 12 PM
2845 Washington Blvd | Midtown St. Louis, MO

Comfort Keepers Group Grief Support | 2nd Sat 10 AM
 943 7504 8782

Women of Central Fellowship & Bible Study | 3rd Sat 10 AM
Hybrid: 2842 Washington Blvd | Midtown St. Louis, MO
or  971 5355 3073

Men of Central | 3rd Sat 10 AM
2845 Washington Blvd | Midtown St. Louis, MO

Health & Cancer Support Ministries | 3rd Sat 11 AM
2845 Washington Blvd | Midtown St. Louis, MO

SALVE Singles Ministry | 4th Fri 7 PM (3rd Fri Nov-Dec)
 965 4663 4722 Password 225587



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In-Person

Prayer Ministry

Wednesdays | 11AM in the Sanctuary

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Intercessory Prayer

Wednesdays 6:30 PM

 ID: 964 4322 7626
Dial-in: 312-626-6799

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MIDDLE ADULT CONNECTION (MAC)

THE FELLOWSHIP MINISTRY
ACHIEVING GOD'S WILL
FOR AGES 36-55!

BI-MONTHLY GET-TOGETHERS
SOME FOR MIDDLE ADULTS
SOME WITH OUR CHILDREN

TO GET CONNECTED
BY  EMAIL
&  GROUPME,
REACH OUT TO
DISCIPLE CHRIS BARTLEY



CBFLY30@GMAIL.COM | 314-346-1476

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Worship-Related Volunteers Needed!

MEDIA MINISTRY
Stagepeople
IMAG (Image Magnification)
Computer Operators
Remote Camera Operators

PUBLIC RELATIONS MINISTRY
CBCSTLnews Writers Facebook, Instagram
or Twitter Posters or Specialists

For training, see or contact
Milton Kendrick III: mkendrick@cbestl.org



SICK & SHUT-IN

Names in **bold** are most recent added or updated info.

*"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing."
— 1 Thessalonians 5:11*

SEND A CARD, NOTE OR LETTER OF ENCOURAGEMENT WITH POSTAGE TO:

Disciple's Name | c/o Central Baptist Church | 2845 Washington Blvd
St Louis, MO 63103 • We will forward them each week.
Updates or Questions: 314-533-0747 | AskCentral@cbestl.org

In Hospitals &

Nursing Homes

Disciple Charles Adams
Disciple Gary Cole
Disciple Willie Mae Glenn, 101 Years
Disciple Carolyn Hoyle
Disciple Aurfree (Arthur) Jacobs
Disciple Yvonne Kellum
Disciple Charles Maston
Disciple Barbara Porter-Walker
Disciple Jean Shanks
Disciple Randle Smith

Disciple Sylvester Dunn, Jr.

Disciple Karin Fowler
Disciple Valerie French
Disciple John Gordon
Disciple Andrea Howard
Disciple Johnnie Hubbard
Disciple Martha Hurley
Disciple Bianca Jackson
Disciple Linda Oshuporu
Disciple Geneva Palmer-Hamilton
Disciple Brenda Rodgers
Disciple Donna Sims
Disciple Morris Smith
Disciple Dr. Wanda Terrell
Disciple Paula Washington
Disciple Patricia Wells
Disciple Clara Wilder
Disciple James Winger
Disciple Terrell Woodson
Disciple Elaine Young
Disciple Mary Young

At Home

Deacon Dr. Katherine Bailey
Disciple Pearl Blue
Reverend Gwendolyn Bronner
Disciple Paula Bush
Disciple Temekka Cannon
Disciple Joshua Carrawell
Disciple Mary Davis

BEREAVEMENT

Please keep all disciples and their families in your thoughts and prayers during bereavement!

- Disciples Carmen Hairston (daughter), Princena Davis (sister) and family in the passing of their loved one, Disciple Andrea Hairston.
- Disciple Angenette "Angie" Humphrey in the passing of her nephew, Khaamil Shakir.
- Disciples Bernice Fair (mother) and Treva (Patrick Patton) Downing-Patton (sister) in the passing of their loved one, Sharon Denise Terrell.



SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS

Please continue to pray for:

- Reverend Dr. Anthony L. Riley, Pastor
- Victims of the May 16, 2025, and Other Tornadoes, Hurricanes, Earthquakes, Wildfires, Mass Shootings and War
- Racial healing
- Disciple Medoria Austin and the Fuller and Lewis Families
- Demeliah Cleveland, granddaughter of Deacon Debra Cleveland
- Denise Carter (cousin of Disciple Leonora Nunley)
- Disciple Cynthia Cross and Family
- Disciple Arthur Culbert
- Delilah Davis, great-granddaughter of Disciple Leanita Morant
- Mrs. Lou Ella Foster, aunt of Disciple LeRoy Grant
- Sister Gina G (friend of Deacon Bryant Kirby)
- Deacon Gloria Givens
- Ms. Bonnie Gregory, sister of Disciple Cynthia Cross
- Brother John Howard (son of Disciple Andrea Howard)
- Ms. Kathryn Johnson (sister of Disciple Betty Winger)
- Ricky Johnson (son of Disciple Michelle Coleman)

- Deaconess Ernestine Jones-Gordon
- Sister Yvonne Kirby (mother of Deacon Bryant Kirby)
- Sandra Lewis, Smith & Nesbit family
- Disciple Leonora Nunley
- Disciple Folasade Oshuporu
- Baby Autumn (Disciple Viokey Pettiford)
- Disciple Cecelia Polford
- Disciple Terry Rodgers (no calls at this time)
- Chris Ruffin, nephew of Disciple LeRoy Grant
- Shirley Simon, mother of Disciple Courtney Munir
- Deacon Alfred Steward
- Disciple Rosalind Sykes
- Disciple Anthony Thomas
- Rosalyn Warren, sister of Disciple LeRoy Grant
- Ms. Cheryl Winston, friend of Disciple Cynthia Cross
- Disciple Artavious Williams (great-nephew of Disciple Cecelia Polford)
- Disciple Keith Williams
- Disciple Christine Winfield
- Bryan Young (Brother of Disciple Elaine Young & Disciple Sylvia Weaver)

CENTRAL STAFF

PASTORAL OFFICE



**Rev. Anthony L. Riley, M.Div., D. Min.
Pastor**
Pastor@cbcstl.org



Executive Assistant to the Pastor
Ms. Jade Woodard
executiveassistant@cbcstl.org
Responsibilities: Disciple Meetings
with the Pastor, Pastoral
Appointments

CORE TEAM



Operations Manager
Mrs. Stephanie Royal
operations@cbcstl.org
314.533.0747
Responsibilities: Day-to-Day
Operations, Office Management,
Facility Operations, Maintenance
and Human Resources



Minister of Discipleship
Rev. Natasha Nedrick Adzudor
discipleship@cbcstl.org
314.710.0003
Responsibilities: Classes/Sunday
School, Ministries, New Members,
Student Ministries, Volunteers



Director of Worship
Mrs. Jennifer L. Kelley
worship@cbcstl.org
314.710.1220
Responsibilities: Choirs, Band,
Creative Arts, Experience Team,
Creativity

OPERATIONS TEAM



Administrative Assistant
Ms. Leah Nolden
lnolden@cbcstl.org
Responsibilities: Accounts Payable,
Contribution Statements, Contact Info
Update for Text Messages, Emails and
Voice Messaging



Custodian
Mr. Anthony Burns
Responsibilities: Facilities and Ground
Maintenance, Event Management,
Warehouse Management

STUDENT MINISTRIES TEAM



Minister of Youth
Rev. Tracy Watkins
cbcyouthmin@cbcstl.org



Children's Ministry Coordinator
Ms. Marjorie Patton
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Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 8:00am-5:00pm. | Church Office 314.533.0747



At-Home Communion | Baptism | Bereavement | Hospitalization | Prayer | You never walk alone.

Central Cares!

Acts 6:1-7

NORTH/NORTH COUNTY

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 Emma Daniels | 314-650-7127 | emmapsalms34@gmail.com
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HOSPITALS:

Christian | SSM Health DePaul | Northwest HealthCare

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HOSPITALS:

St. Louis - St. Anthony's | Mercy | St. Luke's Des Peres Hospital

WEST/WEST COUNTY

Tracie Chisom | 314-413-4958 | traciehope@outlook.com
 James Clark | 314-550-7897 | jeclarkcbcstl@gmail.com
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 Sylvester Dunn | 314-800-7154 | sylvesterdunn776@yahoo.com
 Gloria Givens | 314-229-1110 | gggivens@swbell.net
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HOSPITALS:

SSM Health-St. Mary's | Barnes-Jewish West County
 and Pediatrics

Mercy St. Louis | Missouri Baptist Medical Center (MoBap)
 St. Luke's | Mercy, Mercy Rehabilitation and Mercy Children's

ILLINOIS

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HOSPITALS:

Southern IL Healthcare Foundation | Touchette Regional
 Alton Memorial | St. Clare's | OSF Saint Anthony's Health Center

HSBS St. Elizabeth's

Memorial East and Memorial Belleville

ST. LOUIS CITY

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HOSPITALS:

Barnes-Jewish | St. Louis Children's
 VA St. Louis Health Care System and John Cochran Division

SSM Health Saint Louis University
 SSM Health Cardinal Glennon Children's

Kindred | Shriners Hospitals for Children | St. Alexius

Church Office: 314.533.0747



SCAN FOR CARE REQUEST FORM

OR VISIT: form.jotform.com/220795283753161