UPCOMING EVENTS

CBC CARES

CBC Cares offers free biblical guidance to support you in every season of life. Whether you're facing a crisis or pursuing emotional and spiritual health, our team is here to walk with you through prayer, lay counseling, resources, and practical next steps. This support is available at every CBC campus during weekend services, and Monday–Thursday at our Central campus. You don't have to navigate life alone, CBC Cares is here for you.

FIRST WEDNESDAY

DECEMBER 3 AT 6:30 PM
CENTRAL & SOUTHSIDE CAMPUSES

Join us this Wednesday for a powerful night of worship, teaching, and prayer. CBC Kids will be available for birth - 5th grade.

COMMON GROUND TUESDAYS AT 7 PM CENTRAL CAMPUS

This Tuesday, December 2, our college and young adults, ages 18 to 25, will gather for a high-energy night of worship, community, and an inspiring message followed by **Late Night in the Park** with games, food trucks, and Christmas cheer. If you're 18–25, mark your calendar and bring a friend!

MDWK - STUDENTS WEDNESDAYS AT 6 PM ALL CAMPUSES

Middle and high school students join us Wednesdays at 6 pm for an incredible night of worship, games, and community. Central and Southside will meet at their campuses, and Northside will gather at Bulverde Activity Center, 30280 Cougar Bend.

CBC East and CBC West Student will begin on Wednesday, January 7th!

EQUIP

ALL CAMPUSES

Join us next weekend for Step 1 in the 3-step Equip journey, where you get to know the heart of CBC, what we believe, what we value, and how you can be a part of this amazing family. We host Equip three weeks in each month, so you can feel free to jump in at any time! Equip is your next step to connect, serve, and live out the purpose God has for you. If you're ready to start your Equip Journey, be sure to head to *communitybible.com/equip* for all of the details and to register.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE TIMES DECEMBER 24TH

Join us this Christmas Eve as we gather for a beautiful time of worship, an encouraging message, communion, and the joyful celebration of Jesus' birth.

Central - 12pm, 2pm, 4pm, 6pm

Southside - 2pm, 4pm, 6pm

Northside - 4pm, 6pm

East - 4pm, 6pm

Childcare available for ages 2 and under

FLOURISH WOMENS CONFERENCE

FEBRUARY 6-7, 2026

The Flourish Women's Conference sold out in record time, but we're thrilled to share that you still have a chance to be part of all the fun! We're expanding the experience to our Southside and West campuses, where you'll enjoy the same incredible moments of worship, giveaways, fellowship, a dessert party, and more. Our speaker, Annie F. Downs, will be streamed live to both campuses, ensuring you don't miss a thing. Tickets are limited, so grab yours soon, once they're gone, they're gone! *communitybible.com/womensconference*

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(soul care)

Community Bible Church + Sermon by Dr. Ed Newton

Title: Hope

Text: Lamentations 3:21-25

Target: Hope is not lost, because my story isn't over.

- 1. Anchors You: "But this I call to mind, and therefore I have hope." (Vs. 21)
 - a. Preach to yourself: "call to mind"
 - b. Hope is a Choice: "I have hope"
- **2.** Pursues You: "The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;" (Vs. 22)
 - a. Doesn't Run Out: "Steadfast"
 - b. Love Doesn't Let Go: "Never Ceases"
- 3. Carries You: "his mercies never come to an end;" (Vs. 22b)
 - a. Definition of Mercy: "mercies"
 - b. Demonstration of Mercy: "never come to an end"
 - i. Mercy rescues you from the punishment you deserved.
 - ii. Mercy removes the shame we carry.
 - iii. Mercy repairs what sin has broken.
 - iv. Mercy renews your strength when it is lost.
 - v. Mercy rerouted your life toward purpose.
 - vi. Mercy redefines your identity.
 - vii. Mercy reassures you that God will never give up on you.
- 4. Restores You: "they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness." (Vs. 23)
 - a. Keeps Showing Up: "new every morning"
 - b. Stays Steady No Matter What: "great is your faithfulness"
- **5.** Sustains You: "The Lord is my portion," says my soul, "therefore I will hope in him." (Vs. 24)
 - a. Provides what Life Can't Give: "portion"
 - b. Provides what I Can't Lose: "hope"
- **6.** Never Fails You: "The Lord is good to those who wait for him, to the soul who seeks him." (Vs. 25)
 - a. Give Room for God to Work: "The Lord is good"
 - b. His Timing is always Perfect: "Wait for Him"

Takeaway: I have Hope because Hope has me.