

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

* indicates to stand as you are able;
if sitting is better for you, feel free to do so!

Prelude Come Unto Me, Ye Weary arr. Lani Smith

Greeting Pastor Michelle
Announcements Jim Scott
There are pads in the seats to help us connect with you—please take some time during the service to fill it out and pass it along. Feel free to check in on Facebook as well.

We are Called to Worship

One: God who hears us, holds us and helps us:

All: You are our eternal source of blessing.

One: You are our endless source of provision.

All: In your compassion you see our deepest need.

One: You heal our sickness and satisfy our hunger,

All: You are everything to us and more.

One: Let us pray together:

Holy God of Compassion, you have touched us and transformed us to reach out to all who need what only you can give. Forgive us when we have turned away those hungry for your help instead of trusting you and feeding them from your limitless supply of blessings. Keep our feet in your paths and bless us to multiply blessings to others, through Jesus Christ, who is always more than enough for us. Amen.

***Song #156 (red) I Love to Tell the Story**

*We Exchange Signs of Peace and Blessing
Please greet your neighbors, especially those you don't yet know

A Time for the Child in All of Us

Special Music Festival March by Samuel Applebaum
Emma Zelanyak & Hope Savercool, violin duet

Scripture Psalm 17:1-7, 15 John Obusek

We Offer Ourselves and Our Gifts to God's Purposes

Morning Has Broken ~ arr. Mark Hayes Sean Stafford

Response: All things come from you, O God.

All: And of your own have we given you.

***Song of Dedication #94 Doxology**

*Prayer of Dedication

***Song #405 (red)**

Seek Ye First

We Hear Joys and Concerns and Pray for Each Other

Following the pastor's prayer, we will speak the names of others not already named who need special prayers today.

*This ends with the words: "Lord, in Your Love,"
the people respond: "Hear our prayers."*

The Lord's Prayer #895 (red)

Scripture Matthew 14:13-21 Donna Spearman

The Sermon Pastor Michelle

Celebrating Holy Communion #2257 b,c,d

***Song #373 (red) Nothing Between**

*Blessing

Postlude Triumphal March by Paul Thurmond

*Music can be a wonderful preparation for the week ahead;
why not spend some time in prayer before departing...*

Altar Flowers

Given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of
Barbara Northrup on her 88th birthday by Carl and family

Our Mission Statement

*Central UMC is a fully inclusive church that seeks, embraces,
educates, worships, and serves, all in God's love.*

This Week

Sunday, August 6

8:00 Worship Broadcast (Ch. 4)
8:30 Café Central – dining room
9:30 WORSHIP – Usher Team #2
10:30 Fellowship Time – Lounge

Monday, August 7

5:30 Worship Broadcast (Ch. 4)
7:30 Book Study at Jonathan's

Tuesday, August 8

8:00 Men's Breakfast – Friendly's
10-12 Clothing Center

Wednesday, August 9

8-4 Sanctuary is open for prayer
11-1 Clothing Center

Thursday, August 10

8:30 Wesley Class Breakfast – Blue Dolphin
5:00 Shepherd Supper
5:30-7 Clothing Center
6:00 Pick-up Games – Lower Highland Park

Friday, August 11

Office Closed
7:30 A.A.

Saturday, August 12

Sunday, August 13

8:00 Worship Broadcast (Ch. 4)
8:30 Café Central – dining room
9:30 WORSHIP – Usher Team #3
10:30 Fellowship Time – Lounge



Announcements

Monday Book Study with Pastor Michelle at Jonathans Restaurant is starting the book, *Godric*, by Frederick Buechner on Monday. Any one is welcome to come!

Wesley Class Breakfast at the Blue Dolphin restaurant is Thursday, August 10 at 8:30am. Please call Carole James (757-2629) for reservations by Tuesday.

Ice Cream Social is Tuesday, August 15 at 6:30pm in the dining room. Bring your favorite card game or board game. All ages invited for a fun night of ice cream & games.

Calling All Men! If you like to sing, come join us for a one-day-only Men's Choir on Aug. 27th. Just one advance rehearsal - Aug. 20, at 9:00 AM in the choir room, and then just before the service on the 27th. Call or text Connie Lamando at 607-206-0236.

Opportunities to Serve at Central Sign-up sheets are in the Welcome Center for Summer Café Lite (8:30-9:30), Summer Greeters (9-9:30) and Fellowship Time (10:30-11).

“Pick-Up” Tennis / Pickleball / (Beach) Volleyball every Thursday night starting at 6pm at the Lower Highland Park Tennis Courts in Endwell. No reservation needed...just show up--all ages and skill levels welcome / wanted! Bring your own equipment.

Carnival Needs Lots of help is needed on the day of the carnival. If you can help for an hour or so please sign-up in front of the office. More bananas have been put on the tree for items needed. Non-perishables may be put in the education office. Perishables items please wait to bring in the week before the carnival.

School Supplies More items have been placed in front of the church library for the various school supplies that will be needed for the backpacks to be given out later in August. Items can be dropped off in the church office.

Sky Lake Retreat The Challenge of Jesus, A DVD-based study led by Rev Mark Marino will be Oct 13-15. For more information, contact Jack & Judy Davis, 607-727-8950, or jackd18818@yahoo.com.

In Our Prayers

Hospitals & Recovering:

Marian Russell – Lourdes
Jim Taylor – Ideal (rm. 240a)

Prayer Program: *Specific Families receiving prayer this week:*

Julie Bill, Charlotte Connis, Amy Donahue,
Jane Hajny, Tara Mancinelli, Charles & Norma Peters,
Yvonne Sisolak, Jill Weston

Church Family and Friends:

Dave Darrow at Mercy House, Sylvia Gutowski,
Janine, Earl, our homebound members,

To add prayer concerns (with person's permission),
contact Andy Tewksbury (785-5861) or the office (754-6060)

Central United Methodist Church

A Reconciling Congregation

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Previous Services are available on Youtube or Central's website

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August 6, 2017



Welcome!

We welcome guests and visitors today, and we pray that the service will be a blessing to you. If you wish to learn more about Central and our ministries, there are Welcome folders available at each entrance/exit to the Sanctuary, and in our Welcome Center.

Café Central is our fellowship time with refreshments before the service—all are welcome downstairs in the Dining Room, and in the Lounge after the service is another Fellowship Time.

Assisted Hearing Devices, which operate throughout the building, and **large-print bulletins, hymnals & bibles** are available at the rear of the sanctuary. Please speak to an usher.

Child Care during worship is provided in the Nursery (Room 114) for infants and children up to age four. An usher will be happy to accompany you.

Children's Activity Packets are available at the rear of the sanctuary for children's use during the service.

Central Church is sensitive to those with allergies. Snacks in Café Central are nut-free. Central's communion elements are grape juice and gluten free bread.