

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

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

Preparing for Worship His Eye Is On The Sparrow
arr. Jay Rouse

Greeting
Announcements *Jim Scott*
Sky Lake Stories

*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: O God, we come before you empty.

**All: Fill us with the simple faith of a child, the vital
faith of a disciple.**

One: Fill us with hope—a hope that never fails because it
is rooted in your constancy.

**All: Fill us with love—love for you whom we cannot
see, love for loved ones and friends we don't see
enough, love for the unlovely whom we pretend
not to see.**

One: Bountiful God, fill us up with faith, hope, and love.

**All: Re-create us into the shape of the one who
saves us and names us as yours.**

One: Let us pray together:

**Awesome and disturbing God, you breathed life into us
and each day you fill us with the power of your Spirit.
You give us the broad sky and the wide fields to remind
us of your greatness. You give us the sound of water
and the shine of the sun to remind us that you are life-
giving and soul-nourishing. Help us never to take these
gifts for granted; help us to treasure those times you
call us away from our busyness into time and space
with your spirit. Let your forgiving love cleanse and re-
create us. Set us on your path with your wind at our
backs. Amen.**

***Song #344 Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore**

*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 (11 am)

Special Music (11am) Trust and Obey *Festivo Ringers*

Scripture Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 *Dottie Dauber*

We Offer Ourselves and Our Gifts to God's Purposes

All Creatures Of Our God And King arr. Mark Hayes

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 #2145 (black) I've Got Peace Like a River**

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 John 21:1-17 *Erik Dauber*

The Sermon *Pastor Michelle*

***Song #572 (red) Pass It On**

*Blessing

Preparing for the Week Postlude in D by Austin North
*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 memory of
Scott Cristelli by Kevin

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, April 15 – Camping Sunday

8:00 Worship Broadcast (Ch. 1301)

8:30 WORSHIP – Usher Team 2

9:00 Café Central – dining room

9:30 Sunday School

11:00 WORSHIP

7:00 Contemporary Worship

Monday, April 16

8-4 WIC

5:30 Worship Broadcast (Ch. 1301)

7:30 Book Study at Jonathan's

Tuesday, April 17

10-12 Clothing Center

12:00 Sarah Circle

7:00 Deborah Circle

7:00 Staff Parish

7:30 Sierra Club

Wednesday, April 18

8-4 Sanctuary is open for prayer

11-1 Clothing Center

11:30 Staff meeting

1:00 Grace Circle

6:30 Gourd Birdhouse Workshop

Thursday, April 19

5:00 Shepherd Supper

5:30-7 Clothing Center

6:30 Cappella Ringers

7:30 Chancel Choir

Friday, April 20

6:00 Elizabeth Circle

6:00 Men's Group

7:30 A.A.

Saturday, April 21

Sunday, April 22

8:00 Worship Broadcast (Ch. 1301)

8:30 WORSHIP – Usher Team 3

9:00 Café Central – dining room

9:30 Sunday School

11:00 WORSHIP

12:30 Radio Show



Announcements

Monday Book Study with Pastor Michelle at Jonathans Restaurant is reading the book, *An Altar in the World* by Barbara Brown Taylor.

Contemporary Worship is tonight at 7pm in Fellowship Hall. Join us for a fun evening of worship and praise.

Adult Sunday School led by Mark Marino is meeting in the church lounge. "Picturing God" is a 4-week study that will look at different ways to "see" God, describe our experiences of God, and witness to how God works.

Sarah Circle meets Tuesday, April 17 at noon in the dining room. Bring a bag lunch.

Deborah Circle meets Tuesday, April 17 at 7pm at Pat Breneman's home (1200 Domenica Dr, Endicott)

Grace Circle meets Wed, April 18 at 1pm at Jill Weston's home (725 Lee Circle, Apt N62, Johnson City)

Elizabeth Circle meets Fri, April 20 at 6pm in the lounge.

Men's Group meets Friday, April 20 at 6pm with a meal and a program led by Eric Yetter from Achieve on community mental health issues and special needs adults. Please sign-up in the Welcome Center. All men are invited.

Radio Show & Potluck is Sunday, April 22 at 12:30pm in the dining room. Please bring a dish to pass. Drinks and dessert will be provided. The CUMC players will regale you with radio personalities from the past like Blondie & Dagwood and Ellery Queen.

Ladies Retreat will be Wed, May 23 at Sky Lake led by Rev. Barbara Green. Please return a registration slip (located in Welcome Center) and \$20 to the office. Invite your friends!

Gourd Birdhouse Workshop is Wed, 4/18 at 6:30pm in the dining room to paint gourds to sell at the Garden Walk's Boutique sale. Any level of skill can be used.

Denim Painting Workshop is Mon, 4/30 at 6:30pm in the dining room to paint anything denim to rejuvenate it for the boutique sale. To sign-up for either workshop call the office (754-6060) or Sharon Carmine (239-4454).

In Our Prayers

Prayer Program: *Specific Families receiving prayer this week:*
Nancy & Carl Ayers, Barbara Cantone,
Nicole & Greg Derick, Joyce Gregor, Dan & Tina Johnson,
Mark & Suzette Marino, John Petrush, Emily Riley,
Pat & Carolyn Stanford, Alfred & Elizabeth Winter

Church Family and Friends:

Dorothy Arrington, Rawn Spearman, Norene Byer,
Sue Fitzgerald, Bob Merrill, Angela, Joseph Carmine,
our homebound members

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

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Café Central..... Shelley Lobevero, Dee Stiles, Pat McVannan
Van Chuck Whitney

Previous Services are available on Youtube or Central's website

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April 15, 2018



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 between the services—all are welcome downstairs in the Dining Room,

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.