

Announcements

Celebrate our 2nd anniversary as a Reconciling Congregation Stop at Café Central after the 8:30 service or in the lounge after the 11:00 service for cake. And don't forget to drop your change into the rainbow buckets!

Monday Book Study with Pastor Michelle at Jonathans Restaurant is reading the book, *Jesus Before the Gospels* by Bart Ehrman.

Adult Sunday School Pastor Michelle will lead the adult study in May with the second part of the Challenge of Paul.

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

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! Space is limited so please sign-up early.

UE Teachers Breakfast for Senior Citizens will be held at Central on Saturday, May 12 from 8 to 11am. Breakfast is free for all Senior Citizens and blood drive donors.

Blood Drive is Saturday, May 12 from 8am to 1pm in the Youth Center. Call 1-800-RedCros or www.redcrossblood.org to sign-up. Free pancake breakfast for donors!

Rummage Sale is May 18 & 19 from 9am-1pm. You can bring donated items in May but no CRT TV's. The items should be placed in the room across from the nursery. Please wait to bring larger items the week before the sale. We will also need help for set up and for the day of the sale.

Art's Famous Pulled Pork Sandwiches will be available on Saturday, May 19 from 11am-1pm. Advanced tickets can be purchased in the Welcome Center after the service or in the office during the week. Cost: \$6 for sandwich, chips, dill pickle & cookie. Eat in dining room or take-out.

Create Your Own Planter is Friday, May 25. Meet at the church parking lot at 11:30am or M&Z gardens at noon. Bring a bag lunch; dessert & drinks will be provided. You can bring your own pots or buy a pot at M&Z.

In Our Prayers

Prayer Program: *Specific Families receiving prayer this week:* James Balles, Cheryl Carnevale, Kelly Devine, Jane Hajny, Barbara & Alan Jones, Jackie Martiny, Carolyn Stella, Gregg & Carla Wood, Armand & Barbara Olevano

Church Family and Friends:

Margaret Davis, Jimmy, Ray Frederick, Dane, Joseph Carmine, our homebound members, our confirmation class as we near confirmation on May 20, college students studying for finals

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

Altar Flowers

Given in the name of our Lord for school teachers who give daily of themselves for the betterment of our future

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Greeters..... Jackie & Jere Hotchkiss/Carl Northrup
Café Central..... Maggie & Tyler Wolford, Barb Melby
Van Lee Shelp

Previous Services are available on Youtube or Central's website

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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.