

8.30am – Early Church

Please (legibly) complete the friendship pad forms with all requested information, and leave the sheet on top of the pad in the pew. Please mask to your comfort level.

Altar Flowers

Given to the glory of God to honor Amy Klock and the Clothing Center Volunteers for their dedication to this ministry and to honor Amy's January 27th birthday. By her mother and brother.

Preparing for Worship with Music

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Holy One, we gather today acknowledging your presence and the authority of your boundless love. We admit the ways we falter, swayed by doubts and fears, and ask for guidance back to lives fully devoted to you. Cast out all that hinders our connection with you and with each other, and fill us with your transformative spirit, that we may be bearers of your light in a world groping for love and grace. Open our hearts and minds to your Spirit today, that we may learn, grow, and embody your divine love. We ask it in Jesus' name.
Amen.

UMH # 187 (red) *Rise, Shine, You People*

Exchanging the Peace of Christ

Scripture *Mark 1:21-28*
Reflection on Scripture

Congregational Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Offering our Gifts to God's Purposes

Announcements

WS # 3072 (green) *Cast Out, O Christ*

Departing with Music

11.00am – Onsite and Online

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*Morning Star arr. Leatherman. Oracion (Prayer) by Hamilton
Prelude on Picardy by Wagner*

Welcome

Opening Prayer (see 8.30)

UMH # 187 (red) *Rise, Shine, You People*

Exchanging the Peace of Christ

Special Music

A Miracle Man by Raney

Scripture *Mark 1:14-20*
Reflection on Scripture

Introduction to Prayer

Special Music *Here I am Lord by Schutte*
Congregational Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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Hymn To Joy by Beethoven

*Worship Leaders: Pastor Michelle Bogue-Trost, Knud Hansen
Music: Sean Stafford, Chancel Choir, Keith Weston
Many thanks to the Ushers and Tech Team for today*

Connect and Serve this Week

Sunday, January 28

8:00 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)
8:30 WORSHIP (In person only)
9:30 Adult Faith Formation (Lounge and ZOOM)
11:00 WORSHIP (Onsite and Online)

Monday, January 29 Fantasticks ticket deadline

5:30 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)
5:45 Girl Scout Troop 30224 (Youth Lounge)
7:30 Book Discussion (ZOOM)

Tuesday, January 30

noon Clothing Center

Wednesday, January 31

10:00 Soul Care (ZOOM)
noon Clothing Center
7:30 AA

Thursday, February 1

4:30 Shepherd's Supper
6:30 Cappella Ringers Rehearsal (Bell Room)
6:30 Central Crafters (Lounge)
7:30 Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Friday, February 2

5:30 Girl Scout Troop 60195 (Dining Room)
7:30 AA

Saturday, February 3

12:00 Central Crafters (Lounge)

Sunday, February 4

8:00 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)
8:30 WORSHIP (In person only)
9:30 Adult Faith Formation (Lounge and ZOOM)
11:00 WORSHIP (Onsite and Online)

**PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE
FOR ZOOM INFORMATION (607) 754-6060**

Looking Ahead –

Central UMC in Action / Upcoming Weeks

If you don't receive the weekly email, the office has ZOOM info.

Monday Book Discussion - 7.30pm each week

A is for Alabaster by Anna Carter Florence “V”-”Z”

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88466303555>

Meeting ID: 884 6630 3555

Passcode: 051760

Neighborhood Mission Hub- supplies will be delivered Tuesday morning and we need lots of help moving to the Mission Room!!

Central Outing: Tri-Cities Opera musical production of **The Fantasticks**. Sunday, February 11, 3:00PM, \$30. Call the Central Office by January 29 to reserve your tickets. See tomorrow's weekly sentry for more details.

Calling all Central Crafters– Thursday evenings (6:30 until 8PM) or Saturday afternoons (noon until 1:30PM) and get some crafting done! Invite your friends to join us!

Central is clearing its **Library**– For the next few weeks, you are free to take any book or magazine you like from the shelves on the right / ramp entrance / community room side of the room. Signs will be posted. Help yourself!

Please consider donating your extra **reusable grocery bags** to **Central's Clothing Center**.

“Souper-Bowl Sunday” Donations of hearty soups (and/or cash) for Shepherd's Supper and CHOW and also a pre-pre-pre-game tailgate party after worship. February 11...get ready!!

Human Relations Day supports social justice and outreach ministries that empower all God's children to realize their full potential as human beings in relationship with one another. We will have a **special offering on February 4**.

If you wish to donate to international relief, consider UMCOR. Because of connectional giving, 100% of monies donated in a crisis go to relief and rebuilding efforts. Give online at umcmisson.org or by check to Central with UMCOR in the memo

In Our Prayers This Week

In Hospitals or Recovering at home:

Karen Frega, Jean Rodzinka, Nancy Jones, Bill Finch

Prayer Program: Specific Central families in our prayers:

If you know someone on this list who is absent today, why not get in touch this week and let them know we miss them!

Jane Allen, Karen & Chris Brinser, Karen Danoski, Linda Fleming, Lynn Heckathorn, Marie & Horace King, Eugene Riley, Mary & Duncan Sze-Tu, Eileen & David Wright

Family and Friends with prayer needs this week:

Cyndi Tedeschi, Richard Frederick, Frank Stevan Childs, Tony Luparello, John Carmine, Moi Zaylaya, Pearl Webb, Eric Hausamann, Stephen John Schulz, Ashley, Jim Saunders

World Concerns

The victims and survivors of wars in Russia/Ukraine, Israel/Palestine, and Myanmar

To add prayer concerns (with that person's permission), contact **Andy Tewksbury (607.785.5861)** or the office (607.754.6060)

Central United Methodist Church

A Reconciling Congregation since 2016

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Previous Services are available on Central's YouTube channel @CentralChurchEndicottNY

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**Celebrating 185+ years of Serving God,
Serving others, and Loving All**



Welcome to Worship!

January 28, 2024

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

We welcome all persons to this time of worship, and we pray that this time will be a blessing to you. If you wish to learn more about Central and its ministries, Welcome folders are available at each entrance/exit to the Sanctuary, and in our Welcome Center.

Assistive Hearing Devices which operate through the building, and **large-print bulletins, hymnals and bibles** are available by the Tech Booth in the sanctuary.

Our celebration of **Holy Communion** on the first Sunday of each month is observed with gluten-free bread and grape juice.