Easter Resurrection Service

April 20, 2025 ~ 11:00 AM ~ Onsite and Online

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Gathering at the Tomb

Prelude Lift High the Cross arr. Mark Hayes & Marvin Gaspard

Welcome

Processional Crown Him with Many Crowns arr Elvey/McKechnie

Introit

Invitation to Singing

Opening Hymn UMH #302 Christ the Lord is Risen Today v.1-4

Call to Worship

The Passing of the Peace

Proclaiming Resurrection

Sung Alleluia TFWS #2026 Halle, Halle

New Life Happens - Time with the Children of God

Special Music The Holy City, by Stephen Adams, arr. by Noble Cain

Scripture Reading John 20:1-18 (NRSVUE)

Testimony to Resurrection

Responding to Resurrection

Special Music Holy is the Lamb by Oleta Adams

Prayers of the People The Lord's Prayer

Special Music Joy in the Morning arr ML Thompson

The Sacrament of Holy Communion: An Opportunity to Live Resurrected

Invitation to the Table The Great Thanksgiving Sharing the Bread and the Cup Prayer after Communion

UMH #310 He Lives

The Good Word

Postlude Festive Trumpet Tune by David German

Worship Leaders: Pastor Teressa and Pastor Paul Scripture Reader: Roger Richards Music: Sean Stafford, Roger Richards, Chad Louden, Emma Brunson, Chancel Choir, Cappella Ringers Many thanks to the Ushers and Tech Team for today.

Mission Headlines

193 meals served through Shepherd's Supper

8 guests visited Central's Clothing Center

Lots of bread and other baked goods handed out at Shepherds' Supper through our partnership with Good Neighbors Food Recovery

140 Health kits were delivered from Ogden-Hillcrest UMC for our Mission Hub

Connect and Serve this Week

Opportunities to Grow in Faith and Serve God

Sunday, April 20 Easter Sunday

- 6:00 Sunrise Service (Highland Park Upper)
- 8:00 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)
- 8:30 WORSHIP (In person only)
- 9:00 Brunch (Fellowship Hall)
- 11:00 WORSHIP (Onsite and Online)

Monday, April 21 - Office Closed

- 5:30 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)
- 5:45 Girl Scout Troop 30224 (Youth Lounge)

Tuesday, April 22 12:00 Clothing Center

Wednesday, April 23

10:00 Soul Care (zoom) 12:00 Clothing Center 6:00 Lion's Club (Library) 7:30 AA

<u>Thursday, April 24</u>

- 4:30 Shepherd's Supper (Take-Out)
- 6:30 Cappella Ringers
- 7:30 Chancel Choir

Friday, April 25

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

Saturday, April 26

- Sunday, April 27 Camping Sunday
- 8:00 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)
- 8:30 WORSHIP (In person only)
- 9:30 Adult Faith Formation (Lounge)
- 11:00 WORSHIP (Onsite and Online

Looking Ahead – Central UMC in Action / Upcoming Weeks

If you don't receive the weekly "Sentry", please contact the office.

April Mini-Mission Project: We are collecting hand operated can openers to be given away at Clothing Center and other places across our area.

Easter Season book discussion on Zoom Monday nights at 6:30pm beginning 4/28. Our book will be Brene Brown's Rising Strong: How the Ability to Reset Transforms the Way We Live, Love, Parent, and Lead. Let Pastor Teressa know if you would like to join and she will send you the Zoom link.

Church Women United Friendship Day is Saturday, 5/3 from 11am-1pm at The Relief Pitcher. Join your friends for lunch. The cost is \$22 per person and is payable in advance. Registration forms are in the church office and in the Welcome Center. The registration deadline is <u>April 24th</u>.

UWF Women's Retreat at Sky Lake is Tuesday, 5/13 from 9am-3pm. The \$25 registration fee includes a continental breakfast, coffee, tea and lunch. Register by <u>April 30th</u>.

We're building raised garden beds to grow produce for our Shepherd's Supper and Clothing Center. Join us on Tuesday, 4/22 at 12:30pm on the parsonage side lawn area to help construct the beds. See the Weekly Sentry for more details.

Egg cartons are being collected by the Clothing Center for CHOW. Cartons may be placed in the Nanticoke entrance.

Van Ministry is looking for one more driver to complete the rotating schedule of drivers. Please contact Jere Hotchkiss.

Central's Clothing Center greatly appreciates donations of clean, reusable shopping bags. Thank you1

Come and Sing! Come and Ring-Join in and make some music! No experience necessary!

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 umcmission.org or by check to Central with UMCOR in the memo

In Our Prayers This Week

In Hospitals or Recovering at home:

Karen Frega, Norma Livingston, Kevin Cristelli, Judy Davis, Chris Brinser

Prayer Program:

Shirley Arthur, Shannon Decker, David Garrison, Shirley Holmes, Sharon & David Kresge, Barbara Olevano, Helen & Steve Schatz, Sandy & Bob Watts

Family and Friends with prayer needs this week:

Richard Frederick, Frank Stevan Childs, John Carmine, Moi Zaylaya, Eric Hausamann, Stephen John Schulz, Norma Poyneer, Cyndi Tedeschi, Shelia Holleran, George Moore (uncle of Eulaha Long), Keith and family, Tom Johnson and Charles Brinser Jr.

Condolences to Bernie and Keith Wilcox and family on the passing of Bob Wilcox on April 7.

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

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



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Welcome to Worship! Resurrection Sunday April 20, 2025

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.