

8.30am – Early Church

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Altar Flowers

Given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Ray Cosimano by Bev Cosimano

Preparing for Worship with Music

Welcome

Announcements

Introduction to Worship

W & S (green) #3122 *Christ Has Broken Down the Walls* (verse 1)

Invocation and Centering

Christ Has Broken Down the Walls (verses 2 and 3)

Exchanging the Peace of Christ

UMH #560 *Help Us Accept Each Other*

Scripture *Isaiah 11:6-8*

Reflection on Scripture

Introduction to Prayer

Prayer of the People - Guided Meditation

The Lord's Prayer

Offering our Gifts to God's Purposes

Congregation Response

UMH#94 "Praise God..."

Prayer of Dedication

UMH (red) #557 *Blest Be the Tie That Binds*

Blessing

Christ Has Broken Down the Walls (final verse)

Departing with Music

11.00am – Onsite and Online

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My Tribute by Andrae Crouch

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Special Music *A Time for All Things* by Douglas E. Wasner

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Special Music *Give Thanks* by Henry Smith

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Old Rugged Cross by George Bernard (1913)

Worship Leaders: Pastor Teressa and Diana Gildea

Scripture Reader: Alicia Howard

Music: Guest Pianist Thomas Hall and Chancel Choir

directed by Lisa Tagliaferri

Many thanks to the Ushers and Tech Team for today

Connect and Serve this Week

Opportunities to Grow in Faith and Serve God

Sunday, September 15 - We Care Sunday

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, September 16 - Newsletter Deadline

8:00 WIC (Community Room & Library)

5:30 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)

5:45 Girl Scout Troop 30224 (Youth Lounge)

7:30 Book Discussion (ZOOM)

Tuesday, September 17

noon Clothing Center

noon Sarah Circle (Community Room)

7:00 Deborah Circle (HYBRID/Library)

Wednesday, September 18

10:00 Soul Care (ZOOM)

noon Clothing Center

noon Grace Circle (Library)

7:30 AA

Thursday, September 19

4:00 VINES share pick up

4:30 Shepherd's Supper (Take-Out)

6:30 Cappella Ringers Rehearsal (Bell Room)

7:30 Chancel Choir

Friday, September 20 - Newsletter Layout

5:30 Girl Scout Troop 60195 (Dining Room)

7:30 AA

Saturday, September 21 - International Day of Peace

Sunday, September 22

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)

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

Love Your Enemies by Arthur C. Brooks **5 weeks**

Introduction – Ch. 1 (up through page 43)

Meeting ID: 848 9077 2278

Today is We Care Sunday - please take a label and a card and write a short note to one of our homebound members. This simple act means a lot to them.

Central's rear parking lot will be closed from 6pm Sunday 9/15 - 12 noon Friday, 9/20 for top coat paving and striping. Use street parking or the overflow lot on Nanticoke near the Cider Mill.

September mini-mission project: Undie Sunday is back! We are collecting new packages of underwear for the children at our local elementary schools and the Clothing Center. Donations can be placed in the clothes basket in the Nanticoke street entrance.

Sky Lake Retreat: We are trying to plan a day at Sky Lake (possibly early October). Some structured time and then also some free time to explore. If you are interested, please let Pastor Paul know. We may take the van if enough people would like that option.

Central is creating a new ministry: Please contact the church office if you'd consider helping with a ministry by using your truck or large vehicle to transport needed items such as furniture or materials for home improvement projects from time to time.

Upcoming – UWF Fall Take-Out Luncheon: Saturday 10/12/24 from 11am – 1pm. Pre-Order your food before 10/6/24 so you are guaranteed to receive your first choice. See the newsletter for more information.

Reusable shopping bags are needed by the Clothing Center.

Come and Sing! Come and Ring-Join in and make some music! **Bell Rehearsal** every Thursday at 6:30pm, and **Choir Rehearsal** at 7:30pm. 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 umcmmission.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, Randy Foote, Jan Layer, Teri Mahonski, Kevin Cristelli, Martina DiRose, Sharon Carmine

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!

Jean Bixby, Sandra Cooper, Sue & Ed Driver, Gina Marsh, Jeanne Guley, Lora & Allan Johnson, Martha & Alan Petrush, Bonnie & Zane Smith, Bernie & Bob Wilcox

Family and Friends with prayer needs this week:

Richard Frederick, Frank Stevan Childs, John Carmine, Moi Zaylaya, Eric Hausamann, Rhonda Hartley, Stephen John Schulz, Bernie Wilcox, Jovelle Horry-Turmon and baby daughter

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](https://www.youtube.com/@CentralChurchEndicottNY)

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United Methodist Church

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



Welcome to Worship!

September 15, 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.