

CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Worship Celebration – 9:30 am

9th Sunday after Pentecost

August 11, 2019

GATHERING

Large print hymnals and bulletins are available. Please ask an usher.

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign, pass, and return red friendship pads in each pew at this time.

Also prepare Prayer Request Sheets during this time.

*INTROIT “Grace Alone” TFWS 2162

*CALL TO WORSHIP (*Psalm 100:1-5*)

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!

Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us,

And we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him; bless his name!

For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his

faithfulness to all generations.

*OPENING HYMN “O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing” vs 1-3 Hymnal 57
Ushers will collect Prayer Request Sheets

INVOCATION PRAYER (Unison) (be seated)

Gracious God, you created the world in beauty . . .

you created us in your image and yet more wonderfully restored us

in Christ. Lord, reveal yourself to us in Christ here at Central Church.

Allow us to glimpse your glory in the face of Christ . . . teach us, comfort us,

and challenge us by your Word . . . protect your Church in power and love.

Lead us faithfully with the promise of your presence. Amen.

SUMMER HYMN SINGING

Name your favorite hymn (4) and we’ll sing first and last verses of the hymn. We’ll conclude this moment with:

“This is my Father’s World” vs 1,3 Hymnal 144

(No Sharing of Peace or Children’s Moment today)

INVITATION FOR OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY “Gentle Shepard” Ray Wildman

DOXOLOGY “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” Hymnal 95

UNISON PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Gracious God, transfigure us, change us, shape us to be Your

“tabernacles” of glowing testimonies to Your Grace in Christ.

Use even this act of offering as a blessed step in drawing us closer

to Your blessed kingdom. In Jesus’ name we pray, Amen.

PRAISES, PRAYER CONCERNS, PASTORAL PRAYER, LORD’S PRAYER

*SCRIPTURE Luke 16:19-31 Pew Bible (NT) pg 75

Leader: The Word of God to the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON Angels -Mysterious Messengers of God: Rev. Dominic Tommy
“Angels—Escort of the Saints to Eternal Home”

*CLOSING HYMN “When the Roll is Called up Yonder” *(see back page)*

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE:

***God be with you till we meet again,
By His counsels guide, uphold you,
With His sheep securely fold you,
God be with you till we meet again.***

***Till we meet, till we meet,
Till we meet at Jesus’ feet;
Till we meet, till we meet,
God be with you till we meet again.***

POSTLUDE

**Please stand as you are able*

Our Sunday School classes are going to be traveling to Binder Park Zoo on Friday, August 16th. We will be leaving from the church at 8:30 a.m. and returning to the church around 2:30 p.m. If you plan to attend, please pack a sack lunch. If you are not traveling with a parent or grandparent, you will need to fill out a permission slip. Please see Jane Kostanko or call her at 269.367.4293. Cost for adults is \$14.25. (We hope to be able to offset some of the cost with our fundraisers.) Kids will be free. If you'd like to join in with a child or grandchild, please let Jane Kostanko know by Monday, August 12th.



Sign-up sheets for the rest of the calendar year are posted on the bulletin board with MANY openings for coffee hour, altar flowers, and greeters. Now is the time to find your important dates and reserve them. *Committee Chairs are encouraged to fill in those dates that events are planned to avoid conflicts.*

Counters for Sunday morning are also needed!

SCHEDULE OF PREACHING	MESSAGE & TEXT
August 18 "Choir Call Down" 10 th Sunday after Pentecost	"The Ministries of Angels to Jesus" Text: (I Peter 1:10-12; I Timothy 3:16)
August 25 11 th Sunday after Pentecost	"Angels—Rejoice in Our Salvation" Text: (Luke 15:10; I Peter 1:12)



- ❖ UMW Salad Luncheon – Monday, August 12
- ❖ Blood Drive – Monday, August 19
- ❖ Staff-Parish & D.S. Meeting – Monday, September 16
- ❖ UMW Sunday, September 22
- ❖ Lakewood Area Women's Conference – September 28
- ❖ Rummage and Bake Sale – Thursday thru Saturday, October 3, 4 & 5
- ❖ Annual Church Conference – Tuesday, November 5

MINISTER: Every Member of This Church
 PASTOR: Rev. Dominic Tommy
 SECRETARY: Kim Stoepker
 ORGANIST: Marilyn Noffke
 CUSTODIANS: Mike McCartney, Michael Helmic
 TODAY'S SERVICE:

Worship Leader
 Von Goodemoot

Audio/Visual

Today: Dick Nelson / Shelly Reiser
 Next Sunday: Jackie Spagnuolo / Shelly Reiser

Coffee Fellowship

Today: Sunday School Bake Sale fundraiser
 Next Sunday: Pat Wilson

Nursery

Today: Char Kendregan / Betty Shetterly
 Next Sunday: Mary Dykhouse / Shelly Reiser

Greeters

Today: Helen Good / Jane Everett
 Next Sunday: Same

Ushers

Today: John & Terri Catt
 Next Sunday: Same

*Altar flowers this morning are presented by
 Dick and Vergie Winkler
 in celebration of Vergie's 80th Birthday.*

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER CONCERNS

Family of Neil Katsul
Victims of mass shootings

Lloyd Corston
Joanne & Ray

Ron & Mae
Merlin Brooke

CONTINUED IN PRAYER

PFC Cole Jackson
Sgt. Branden Curtis
Sgt. Lloyd C. Corston
1SG Nicholas Ludema
PFC Jason Hilley
Sgt. Nathan Sparrow
PFC Steven Wakley, Jr
MSgt Kevin Durkee
Alan Goodmoot
Randy Ames
Jackie

Karl Klynstra
Phylis Armstrong
Dale Patterson
Travis Tucker and family
Pam Coleman
Armrose LaBine
Brian Harper
Judi Brandon
Marti Lind
Sue Calkins
Lloyd Corston

Mary Shoemaker
Susan Steele
Hank Minenna
Kim Seese
George Speas
Brian Rayner
Arlene Lee
Barbara Wareing
Dale Brock
Judy Burruel

Our Special Friends

Margot Bailey
Peg Faulkner
Ed Reiser
Lloyd Corston

Virginia Decker
Bette Makley
Fran Morris
Alan Goodmoot

Ada Dennie
Joanne McDaniels
Dale Mossburg

Our Partners In Ministry

Missionary Delbert Groves - Kitwe, Zambia
Potterville Campus UMC, Potterville
St. Edward's Catholic Church, Lake Odessa

CELEBRATIONS

Birthdays

8/13 Jameson Goodmoot
8/14 Vergie Winkler

Anniversaries

8/11 – Mike & Myra McCartney -3 years

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please visit the Bake Sale after worship in Fellowship Hall to help raise funds for the outing to Boulder Ridge Zoo. Sponsored by the Education Committee.

If anyone is willing and able to help take down some tables in Fellowship Hall today after coffee hour, the UMW would be very grateful.

EVENTS

- Mon 8/12 **UMW Salad Luncheon – Fellowship Hall** **12 pm**
Education Committee – Lounge **7 pm**
AA Open Meeting – Sr. High Classroom 7 pm
- Tues 8/13 **Staff-Parish Relations – Lounge** **7 pm**
- Thur 8/15 **Respite Group – Fellowship Hall** **1-4 pm**
- Fri 8/16 **Student/Teacher Outing to Boulder Ridge Zoo**
Office closed – For an emergency, Pastor can be reached at 269-941-3787
- Sun 8/18 Sunday Worship Service – Sanctuary 9:30 am
- Mon 8/19 **Missions Committee – Front Room** **9 am**
Red Cross Blood Drive – Fellowship Hall **12-5:45 pm**
Finance Committee – Front Room **6 pm**
AA Open Meeting – Sr. High Classroom 7 pm
- Tues 8/20 **Staff-Parish Relations – Lounge** **7 pm**
- Fri 8/23 **Friendship Group – Fellowship Hall** **12-3 pm**
Office closed – For an emergency, Pastor can be reached at 269-941-3787
- Sun 8/25 Sunday Worship Service – Noisy Offering **9:30 am**
- Mon 8/26 AA Open Meeting – Sr. High Classroom 7 pm
- Thur 8/29 **Respite Group – Fellowship Hall** **1-4 pm**
- Fri 8/30 **Office closed – For an emergency, Pastor can be reached at 269-941-3787**

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Lakewood United Methodist Church will be hosting a community-wide presentation for **'Protect Young Eyes'** -- defending kids from online danger. This presentation gives parents the information and tools needed to use technology in a positive way. The event will be held on Wednesday, August 21, at 6:30 pm. Please help get the word out to parents regarding this timely topic. See the flyer posted on the bulletin board.

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When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder

For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven... with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up... to meet the Lord in the air. 1 Th. 4:16-17; Rev. 20:12

1. When the trum - pet of the Lord shall sound, and time shall be no more, And the
 2. On that bright and *cloud - less morn - ing when the dead in Christ shall rise, And the
 3. Let us la - bor for the Mas - ter from the dawn till set - ting sun, Let us
 [*sab - bath]

morn - ing breaks, e - ter - nal, bright and fair; When the saved of earth shall gath - er o - ver
 glo - ry of His res - sur - rec - tion share; When His cho - sen ones shall gath - er to their
 talk of all His won - drous love and care; Then when all of life is o - ver, and our

on the oth - er shore, And the roll is called up yon - der, I'll be there.
 home be - yond the skies, And the roll is called up yon - der, I'll be there.
 work on earth is done, And the roll is called up yon - der, I'll be there.

Refrain

When the roll _____ is called up yon - der, When the roll _____ is called up yon - der,
 When the roll is called up yon - der, I'll be there, When the roll is called up yon - der, I'll be there,

When the roll _____ is called up yon - der, When the roll is called up yon - der, I'll be there.
 When the roll _____

WORDS and MUSIC: "Roll Call"; James M. Black, 1893. Public Domain.

*Alternate text

Welcome to



Central Church

Our Mission

Central United Methodist Church Glorifies God through the Work of Ministry and the Making of Disciples of Jesus Christ.

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