

CUMC DaySchool



The Day School's **12th annual Dinner and Auction** will be held on Friday, March 27 at 6pm in the Family Life Center. The money raised at the Dinner and Auction supplements the Day School budget for our entire school year, and helped us purchase new furniture for almost every classroom last year. If you have any items/gift certificates/tickets/etc. that you would like to donate, you may drop them off either at the church office or the Day School office. All donations are tax deductible. We thank you in advance for your help in making this year's Dinner and Auction a HUGE success!!

Children & Family Ministries

Join us **TODAY** in Children's Church
Kindergarten thru 5th grade are invited to join us
during the sermon at BOTH services
Questions?
Deya Ramos at 336-521-1529 / dtr423@gmail.com

Hope you will join us for
Wednesday Night Kid's Night from 6:30 to 8:00P.

Children Kindergarten thru 5th grade are invited and FRIENDS are always WELCOME!

Baby Bottle Campaign – collect checks, cash & coins in baby bottles. All proceeds benefit services/programs of Your Choice Randolph!



Collection Date – Feb. 16th - March 8th

CONFIRMATION CLASS 2020: Do you have a student in the 6th grade, 7th grade or older teenager that would be interested in this year's Confirmation Class? Please contact the church office at 336-629-1425 and leave your student's name, age and grade as soon as possible.

2020 Vision for Health

February 24th at noon or 6:30pm

*Healthy Lifestyle *Power of Plants *Simple Changes

*Traffic Light Eating

Healthy Snacks Provided

Please call the church office to register. 336-629-1425

**Ash Wednesday Service February 26
7:00 PM**

***Transformation Journey Town Hall #2**

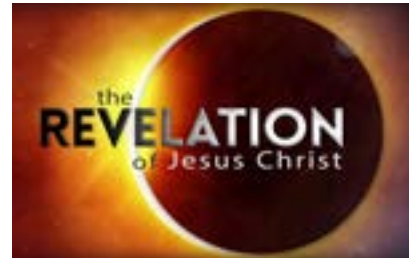
Sunday, February 16 10:00 am
Family Life Center

***Transformation Journey
Church Conference**

Sunday, March 29th 5:00pm

***Spiritual Renewal Weekend**

with Alex McFarland
March 19-22



**Wednesday Night
Bible Study**

"The Revelation of Jesus Christ"

**February 19th
6:30 PM
In the Chapel**

2020 Budget \$780,537.00
YTD Revenue \$70,001.16 YTD Expenses \$75,296.92
Deficit (\$5295.76)

Visit CentralUnitedMethodist.org/giving to give online, or
giving.ncsservices.org/ChristisCentral, or text an amount to 336-891-3722

MICHAEL W. SMITH IN CONCERT: We're looking to take a group of Adults from Central to see Michael W. Smith at the Carolina Theater in Greensboro on Wednesday, April 15th. Tickets are still available, however they are going fast! If you'd like to go – pre-order your ticket TODAY by calling the church office at (336) 629-1425! Tickets are \$64.00! (Checks should be made out to: Central UMC)

STEPHEN MINISTRY: We all experience challenges in life – times when we could benefit from added care and support. A Stephen Minister is one who can provide the emotional and spiritual care one needs when faced with a crisis or difficulty such as... Loss of a loved one. Hospitalization. Divorce or separation. Loneliness or discouragement. Spiritual crisis. A terminal illness, and many other "life challenges". We have several gifted laypeople that have received specialized training to support and extend care to our congregation and church family in a one-on-one caring relationship. If you think you might benefit by having a Christian friend come along side you on a weekly basis who listens, cares, prays, supports and encourages you – please contact Fred at (336) 629-1425.

Last Supper Drama:

In preparation for our Last Supper Drama & Worship Service on Thursday, April 9th, if you'd like to be a part of this non speaking drama, please contact Fred as soon as possible (336-302-0624). There are lots of opportunities to be involved: Disciples, Table Servants, Spotlight, Sound and more...

YOUR CENTRAL CHURCH STAFF

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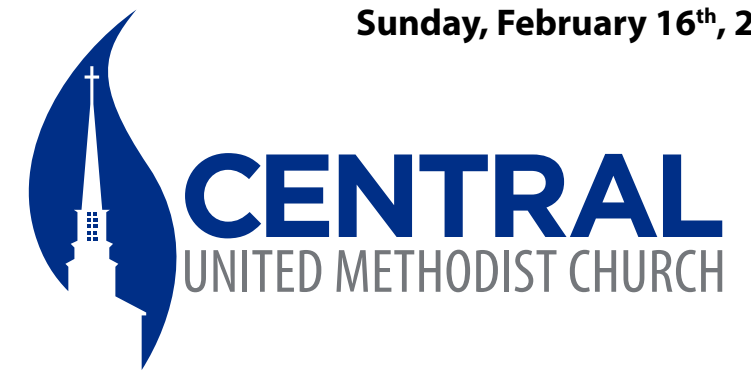
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Our Mission is to follow Jesus, make disciples and transform the world.
We are about making connections — connecting people to God and to each other.



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THE ORDER OF SERVICE FOR THE PRAISE & WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, February 16th 2020 FLC 8:45AM

CALL TO WORSHIP "The Way" Praise Team

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER Randy Lee

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Matthew 13:44-46 Pastor J.F.

44"The Kingdom of Heaven is like a treasure that a man discovered hidden in a field. In his excitement, he hid it again and sold everything he owned to get enough money to buy the field.45 "Again, the Kingdom of Heaven is like a merchant on the lookout for choice pearls. 46 When he discovered a pearl of great value, he sold everything he owned and bought it!

GIVING OF GIFTS

WORSHIP "Holy Water" Praise Team ~Children Leave for Children's Church~

SCRIPTURE: Galatians 5:1-6

MESSAGE: "What is important..." Pastor J.F.

SERIES: "THIS IS US"

*CLOSING SONG "Because of Who You Are" Praise Team "Way Maker"

AN INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

(The kneeling rail in the United Methodist Churches has traditionally been a place of prayer. If you have made a decision today that you would like to express publicly; if you would like to join this church on a profession of faith or by transferring your membership, or if you have a need for prayer, you are invited to come forward at this time. Decisions that could change your life are made at the altar.)

*CLOSING PRAYER & BENEDICTION Fred Huffstetler

USHERS 8:45 AM
Tammie Walker, Tim Dunn,
Kellie Garcia, Jerry Raines,
Ross & Debbie Reaves

CUMC Attendance
February 9th
Early Service 108
Traditional Service 123
Sunday School 126
Children's Church 5

GREETERS 8:45 AM -
Karen Raines & Kathy Norris

USHERS 11:00 AM
Chairman - David Allen
Captain - Roy Kirkman, Mike Chewning, Worth Winslow, Eddie Pugh,
Bill Croom, Dr. Kelly Harris

GREETERS 11:00 AM - Jerry Tugwell, Peter Brisley, Mary Lynn Brisley,
Robin Croom, Bonnie York

LET'S GO TO THE MOVIES!

Come go with us to see the new release of "I Still Believe" with your family & friends from Central on Sunday, March 15th, at 6:15 pm at the Randolph Mall. Opening weekend is so important in the film industry, and with a great Christian film it's even more important to come out and support! We're looking to rent out the entire show for our Central Church Family!! (Your ticket cost is only \$5.00 if you pre-order in advance. We'll cover the rest!!)

*Reserve your seat TODAY!!

Look for the Ticket Reservation List OR call the church office @ 629-1425. Make sure to leave your name and cell phone number so we can confirm.



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Sunday, February 16th 2020 Sanctuary 11:00 AM

PRELUDE Joy Menius

THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Fred Huffstetler

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN OF PRAISE "Blessed Assurance" #369 (UMH)

*MISSION STATEMENT (IN UNISON)

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* TIME OF GREETING Fred Huffstetler

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OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY #94(UMH)

PRAYER FOR OTHERS

The Lord's Prayer (In Unison) #895(UMH)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

ANTHEM "Calvary Medley" soloists, Tom Osteen Sharon Morgan

Years I spent in vanity and pride, caring not my Lord was crucified,

knowing not it was for me He died on Calvary.

Mercy there was great, and grace was free.

Pardon there was multiplied to me.

There my burdened soul found liberty at Calvary.

Now I've giv'n to Jesus everything. Now I gladly own Him as my King.

Now my raptured soul can only sing of Calvary.

Oh, the love that drew salvation's plan!

Oh, the grace that brought it down to man!

Oh, the mighty gulf that God did span at Calvary.

The love of God is greater far than tongue or pen can ever tell.

It goes beyond the highest star and reaches to the lowest hell.

The guilty pair, bowed down with care, God gave His Son, to win.

His erring child He reconciled and pardoned from his sin.

O love of God how rich and pure! How measureless and strong!

It shall forevermore endure the saints' and angels' song.

Could we with ink the ocean fill and were the skies of parchment made,

were every stalk on earth a quill and every man a scribe by trade, God

to write the love of God above would drain the ocean dry.

Nor could the scroll contain the whole though stretched from sky to sky.

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It shall forevermore endure the saints' and angels' song.

~Children leave for Children's Church~

SCRIPTURE Galatians 5:1-6

MESSAGE "What is important..." Pastor J.F.

SERIES: "THIS IS US"

HYMN OF RESPONSE "Because He Lives" #364 (UMH)

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Sincere Sympathy from the Staff & Congregation to the family of Judy Phillips at the passing of her sister, Virginia Blumke on Monday, February 3, 2020.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

CUMC Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY, February 16th

8:45 AM – Early Worship

9:45 AM – Sunday School

10:00 AM – Transformation

Journey Town Hall#2

11:00 AM –Traditional Worship

6:00 PM – MYF

MONDAY, February 17th

2:00 PM – Garden club

5:30 PM – Volleyball

TUESDAY, February 18th

6:30 AM – Walk & Worship

9:00 AM – Martha Group

6:00 PM – NetworX

6:30 PM – The Next 56 Days

7:00 PM – Open Gym

WEDNESDAY, February 19th

10:00 AM – Ladies Prayer Group

1:00 PM – Chair Chicks

6:30 PM – Revelation Study

6:30 PM – Kids Night

6:30 PM – Hand Bells

7:30 PM – Chancel Choir

THURSDAY, February 20th

6:30AM – Walk & Worship

7:00 PM – Open Gym

FRIDAY, February 21st



The Martha Group will meet in the FLC Conference Room on Tuesday, February 18 at 9:00 am



Did you know that Central has had a Prayer Shawl ministry since 2014? In the six years we have made over 150 knitted and crocheted shawls that have blessed family and friends far and wide. The farthest being the trip by the "Dirty Dozen" to the Navajo reservation. As our number of knitters/crocheters has dwindled, we're looking for new members to help keep this ministry going. We don't meet, but work at home. If you are interested, please contact Ann Hamlet at 336-672-0278.

Memorials & Gifts

BUDGET FUND

In Memory of Talmadge Baker

By Richard & Susan Garkalns

In Memory of Sidney Craven

By Ron & Doris Lucas

By Ed & Susan White

By Celia Moody

By Jon & Megan Brubaker & Family

By Jim & Wendy Kinlaw

By Sara Baker

By Boyce & Betty Asbill

In Memory of Peggy Cox

By Sara Baker

BUILDING FUND

In Memory of Sidney Craven

By Boyd & Linda Thomas

By Tammie Walker

By David & Wanda Hunt

By Johnny & Cindy Parker

By Ben & Lori Ann Owen

By Bill & Freda Beaver

In Memory of Peggy Cox

By Boyd & Linda Thomas

By Norma Connell

By Tammie Walker

MISSIONS FUND

In Honor of Gary & Marcia Parks

By Pat Moore

PASTOR'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In Honor of Fred Huffstetler

By Tony & Becky Pugh

In Memory of Peggy Cox

By Jerry & Donna Tugwell

ENDOWMENT FUND

In Memory of Sidney Craven

By Jerry & Wanda Bowman

February 16

Barbara Coltrane

Fred Huffstetler

February 17

Marcie Cooper

Donna Hobson

Michael Smith

Joseph Grantham

Megan Brewer

February 19

Judy Phillips

Zhifen Lane

Lori Anne Strickland

February 20

Kay Forester

Rebecca Briles



February 21

Dr. George Fleetwood

Angi Morton

Aaron Pugh

February 22

Braydon Jurgensen

February 23

Betty Pugh

Thank you so much for all the ways that you supported our family throughout Sidney's illness and his passing. Your prayers, cards, visits, flowers, gifts of food and expressions of love have been very much appreciated and will always be remembered. Love Kay Craven & Family