



Item of the Month:
Clorox Wipes

Central United Methodist Day School's 10th annual **DINNER AND AUCTION** will be held **Friday, April 20th, 2018** in the Family Life Center. Please mark your calendars for this exciting event! A sign-up sheet for donations is available in the narthex

Children & Family Ministries

Eat, Pray, Serve – On Wednesday, March 21st, we are going bowling! The children have really been working hard, giving of themselves and their time. I decided it's time for a treat! Parents, please remember to have your children here promptly at 6:30, and our pick up time will be pushed to 8:15.

Camp Weaver – On Saturday, April 21st, we are headed to Camp Weaver in Greensboro, NC for a day of camp fun. We will engage in lots of fun activities... archery, arts & craft, the climbing tower, the nature center, etc. The cost for the day is \$25.00 and your child will need to pack a lunch; scholarship assistance is available if needed. Please let me know if your child is interested in attending this event. The deadline for registration is April 11th.

Easter Fun – Our day of fun will be Saturday, March 31st, 10am-12pm. We will have a devotion, a magic show with Fish the Magish, an egg hunt and a free hotdog meal! Are you willing to donate some candy? If so, you can drop the candy by the church office, or in the plastic tote in the Narthex. Candy will need to be small enough to fit inside of an egg; please avoid, small hard candy that may be unsafe for young children. Please prayerfully consider being part of this event as we reach outside of our walls to show the love of Jesus to our community!

WISH LIST: candy, candy filled Easter eggs, volunteers to help the morning of our Easter event

YOUTH NEWS

TEEN X-TREME '18 (LOCK-OUT!): We will meet at the church at 8:00 PM Friday, March 16th, for this ALL-NIGHT OF NON-STOP FUN! It begins at Proehlfic Park in Greensboro. The cost is ONLY \$10.00! You can be picked up at the church Saturday morning, March 17th, at 6:00 AM!

MYF MOVIE RUN: Join us this Sunday at 5:30 pm for dinner! Then at 5:50 pm we will load up in the vans and head to Greensboro to catch the new release of "I Can Only Imagine". Your ticket cost is ONLY \$5.00! Our Youth Ministry is covering the rest. Dinner will be provided, so come hungry!

BREAK THRU: This Wednesday! 5:30 pm! Join us for dinner, games, fellowship and more. We will wrap things up around 7:35 pm

CENTRAL BREAKFAST CLUB: Come hang out with us at Chick-fil-A Thursday morning at 6:45 AM! We'll enjoy a warm meal, and an encouraging word! Bring \$3.25 to cover your breakfast!

CENTRAL UMC INK PEN'S:



This pen has a stylus for your phone and/or notepad, twist open blue ink, and a flashlight on the head that you simply depress after taking off the yellow protector. It even has our church's web address on it!! If you'd like one for a friend, family member, or to simply share with a neighbor – we're asking \$3.00 per pen, or you can get 2 of these awesome pens for just \$5.00! All proceeds go to support our Youth Missions!

CUMC Wish List



1) Do you love the outdoors? Do you enjoy blessing children? Do you have fond memories as a child of camp? Mt. Shepherd Retreat Center is looking for a person (or a team of people) who would mow the camp grass during the summer camp season. If this sounds like a ministry you would enjoy, contact the church office for more information.

2) Does your group want to host a Wednesday meal? All proceeds go directly to your group to advance your ministry and mission! We have dates available Wednesday evenings through April 25th. If your group is interested in participating, call Shirley McAnulty at 336-625-4577 for details and availability.

Budget

Needed to Date \$134,415.10 Received to Date \$121,350.82

Endowment Fund

Total Cash Received: \$275,376.79

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



The Endowment Fund Committee is seeking proposals from investment firms to serve as the Endowment Fund's Investment Advisor. Interested parties should contact Jill Akins in the CUMC office before **Wednesday, March 21, 2018** at noon. Formal Request For Proposals will be delivered to qualified firms or representatives by **Friday, March 23.**



What a Blessing to have such a wonderful Church family! A special thanks to Martha Group for all hospital gowns they worked so hard on for a whole year. Thanks so much to all who brought baggies and chips including folks in Networks program. DR Mission, Tammie Walker



LAST SUPPER DRAMA CAST & CREW:

We have our next Drama Practice this Monday, March 19th, at 6:00 pm. Interested in being a part of our Tech Crew? Please contact Fred @ 302-0624!

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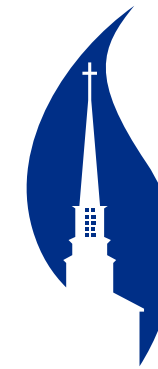
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We are about making connections — connecting people to God and to each other.



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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday March 18 th 2018	Fifth Sunday in Lent	8:45AM
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Heather Cagle		
WORSHIP SONGS "Sing to the King" "Lord Reign in Me" Praise Team		
TIME OF GREETING Heather Cagle		
TIME OF THANKSGIVING Fred Huffstetler		
PRAYER FOR OTHERS		
STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Psalm 50:14-15 Pastor J. F.		
¹⁴ Offer to God thanksgiving, and pay your vows to the Most High. ¹⁵ Call upon Me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify Me."		
GIVING OF GIFTS		
OFFERTORY SPECIAL "Were You There?" Praise Team		
SCRIPTURE John 19:17-22; Matthew 27:36; Mark 15:25-26; Luke 23:38 (See insert)		
MESSAGE Who's The King? Pastor J.F.		
SERIES: Stepping Stone or Stumbling Block		
CLOSING SONG "Lord I Need You" Praise Team		
AN INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP <i>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.</i>		
DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING Fred Huffstetler		
Special "thank you" to Mike Lee for his talents and gifts he provides for our early service ministry.		

USHERS 8:45 AM
Tammie Walker, Tim Dunn,
Rick Flickinger

GREETERS 8:45 AM -
Randy & Cynthia Allen

USHERS 11:00 AM
CHAIRMAN - Dee Bulla
Captain - Hal Powell, Jerry Little,
Ray Hargett, Bill McAnulty, Dean Lail,
Tony Pugh, Boyd Thomas, Tom Allred

GREETERS 11:00 AM - Don Barrett, Vicki Jarrell, Nancy Hardin,
Amy & Alan Pugh, Norma Connell

CUMC Attendance
March 11th
Contemporary Worship 102
Traditional Worship 107
Total Worship 209
Sunday School 128
Children's Church 5

Uwharrie District Lay Servant Ministries Classes Central UMC, Asheboro April 7, 2018



"Introduction to Lay Ministry" (Basic Course)
Teacher: Rev. Leslee Wray, New Mount Tabor UMC
"Preaching" Teacher: Rev. J.F. Howard, Central Asheboro UMC
"United Methodist Heritage" Teacher Mrs. Vicki Moss, Lay Leader, CUMC
"Prayer" Teacher: Rev. Jacob Kyker, Gray's Chapel UMC
8:00 - 8:30 A.M. Welcome, Registration, Coffee
8:30 A.M. - 12:00 Class
12:00 - 12:30 Lunch
12:30 - 4:00 P.M. Class
4:00 - 4:30 P.M. Closing Worship

The cost of the training event is \$30 per student to cover mailings, books, handouts, and meal.
Call the office for Registration Forms.

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PRELUDE Joy Menius		
THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR		
CALL TO WORSHIP "Pretty Amazing Grace" Neil Diamond Tom Osteen, J.F. Howard		
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Fred Huffstetler		
*HYMN OF PRAISE "Lift High the Cross" #159(UMH)		
*MISSION STATEMENT (In Unison) <i>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.</i>		
THE APOSTLES' CREED (In Unison) #881(UMH) <i>I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen</i> *(Universal Church)		
*THE GLORIA PATRI #70(UMH)		
*A TIME OF GREETING Fred Huffstetler		
STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Psalm 50:14-15 Pastor J. F.		
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* OFFERTORY		
DOXOLOGY #95(UMH)		
TIME OF THANKSGIVING Heather Cagle		
PRAYER FOR OTHERS		
THE LORD'S PRAYER (IN UNISON) #895(UMH) <i>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 that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom the power and the glory forever. Amen.</i>		
ANTHEM Hope of the World Lloyd Larson Hope of the world, help to the helpless; a humble Servant, Savior, Friend; God's only Son, sent to redeem us; hosannas ring praise without end. Amazing love! How great a Savior! Christ comes to set the captive free. A love beyond all comprehension, the grace of God for all to see. Amazing love for you and me. Jesus walked this lonesome valley, He had to walk it by himself; O, nobody else could walk it for Him; He had to walk it by Himself. Jesus walked this lonesome valley, despised, rejected and alone. He carried our sorrows, griefs and burdens. He had to bear them all alone. Jesus bore them all alone *Children leave for Children's Church		
SCRIPTURE John 19:17-22; Matthew 27:36; Mark 15:25-26; Luke 23:38(See insert)		
MESSAGE Who's The King? Pastor J.F.		
SERIES: Stepping Stone or Stumbling Block		

*HYMN OF RESPONSE "Breathe On Me, Breath of God" #420 (UMH)
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*CLOSING PRAYER
*POSTLUDE
**Congregation please stand if you are able*



HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

CUMC Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY, MARCH 18th
8:45 AM - Contemporary Worship
9:45 AM - Sunday School
11:00 AM - Traditional Worship
6:00 PM - MYF
MONDAY, MARCH 19th
1:00 PM - Chair Chicks
4:00 PM - RhinoLeap Productions / Conf.
5:00 PM - Volleyball
TUESDAY, MARCH 20th
9:00 AM - Martha Group
5:45 PM - Pilates
6:00 PM - NETWORX
7:00 PM - Open Gym
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21st
10:00 AM - Wednesday Morning Prayer
1:00 PM - Chair Chicks
4:00 PM - RhinoLeap Productions / Class
5:30 PM - Welcome Table / Bible Study
6:30 PM - Hand Bells
7:30 PM - Chancel Choir / Sanctuary
THURSDAY, MARCH 22nd
4:00 PM - RhinoLeap Productions / Conf.
5:30 PM - Finance Committee
6:30 PM - Stephen Ministry
7:00 PM - Open Gym
FRIDAY, MARCH 23rd
4:00 PM - RhinoLeap Productions / FLC
SATURDAY, MARCH 24th
7:30 AM - Men's Coffee Break @ The Table
4:00 PM - RhinoLeap Productions / FLC

March

18 Janice Grantham
Janice Simpson
Robbie Jarrell
Cam Thomas
Hunter Morgan
19 Bill Schoenberger
Jessica Croom Watson
Donna Kirkman
Nicole Pharr
20 Jenna Richardson
Jim Tatum
Billy Jarrett
21 Charles Crawford
Jim Finison
Stephen Barden
23 Liam Richau
24 Lisa Garrison
Beth Allred Oyarzun



Welcome Table and Bible Study
Wednesday, March 21st at 5:30pm
Menu: BBQ, Slaw, Tater Tots, Baked Beans
Desserts & Beverage
Pick up a card in the Narthex

The Martha Group will meet at **9:00 am on March 20th** in the FLC Conference room to work on hospital gowns and reading blankets for the "Books for Babies" at Randolph Health



Get your flower beds and landscaping ready with good quality, long leaf pine needles! **Boy Scout Troop 527** is selling, delivering, and spreading pine needle bales starting February 1 through the month of April. Pick up your own bales for \$5.00/bale; have the scouts deliver your bales for \$6.00/bale (within 5 mile radius); or have the scouts deliver and spread the bales for \$7./ bale (10 bale minimum for delivery and/or installation). Orders can be placed with any Troop 527 Scout, or contact Pauline McKee at 336-328-5507. All of the proceeds help support future camping adventures, trips and equipment for Troop 527 Scouts. All orders need to be prepaid. Deliveries and spreading will be scheduled for Saturday March 24, and April 14. On-site pick-up dates are Saturday, March 24 and April 14 at the Bossong Hosiery Mills parking lot