

Children & Family Ministries

VBS – ‘SHIPWRECKED, RESCUED BY JESUS’

Have you ever been in need of a rescue? I sure have been a time or two! Unfortunately our children have to deal with the same emotions and hardships we often face. During VBS, we are going to venture onto an uncharted island where the kids survive and thrive. We plan to anchor the kids in the truth that Jesus carries them through life's storms. Do you want to be part of this fun adventure? Just let me know...

VBS Training

We will have a VBS training this Thursday, July 12th, 6:30-7:30 in the FLC conference room. Please plan to attend if you are a VBS volunteer this year. This is a simple way to learn specifics about the curriculum this year, as well as your role/responsibilities throughout the week. Even if you have helped in years past, it is still important that you attend. If you cannot attend, please let me know. Thanks!!

•Building for the Future – We will meet this Wednesday, July 11th 6:30-8:00. Our playhouse now has a solid foundation, a door with an overhang, and walls. This week we will be adding the windows!

•Kids Ahoy – On Tuesday, July 10th, we are headed to Lazy 5 Ranch and Patterson Farms for a day of fun outdoors! The children will need to arrive by 8:15am (youth leaders by 8:00am), and pick up will be at 5:15pm (youth leaders 5:30pm). You will need to bring a picnic lunch. If your lunch needs to be kept cold, please bring your own cooler pack. The children will be responsible for keeping up with their own lunch. Don't forget to wear your purple Kids Ahoy t-shirt! Church family, please pray for good weather!

YOUTH NEWS

WEEK OF HOPE! Please remember our Week of Hope Team in your prayers! We will depart this Saturday afternoon, July 7th, and will return next Saturday evening, July 14th. Our mission focus this year is "spiritual grit". What that looks like, and how we can each apply that in our own lives as we minister to those at our work sites and all we are privileged to share in the week with.

MYF (Summer Schedule): Join us tonight from 6:00 till 7:15! We'll enjoy some fellowship, games, worship and more!

VBS LEADER TRAINING: All those helping and serving with this year's Vacation Bible School are asked to be at the Training Event this Thursday, July 12th, from 6:30 till 7:30 pm. See Heather!

VICTORY JUNCTION SERVICE OP: Come make a difference! Friday morning you're invited to meet Jennifer Smith & Co. in the church parking lot BY 8:30 am to go and make beds for the next group of campers!

RCC SCHOLARSHIP: Students attending RCC are invited to apply for scholarship assistance.



Keep It Cool In the Summer Outreach Initiative

The Keep It Cool In the Summer Outreach Initiative between Central & Asheboro Police Department is off to a great start!!! We delivered 23 cases of water to the APD last week. The APD patrol officers will be distributing to those in need in the community. Let's keep this momentum rolling with more cases of water as they are needed and appreciated.

Budget

Needed to Date \$348,479.26 Received to Date \$317,781.98

Endowment Fund

Total Cash Received: **\$276,581.79**

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



Volunteer help needed for the Victory Junction Camp

Central members will once again travel to Victory Junction every Friday morning this summer until August 10 to make beds for incoming campers in 16 cabins. We will meet at the church at 8:30am and travel together to the camp, arriving back at 11:00am. We need approximately 20 volunteers each week. Please sign up in the narthex for the weeks you are available to help.

Worship Safety

As part of our initiative to keep the congregation safe, we are in need of 2 volunteers each Sunday morning, to stand and greet near the Day School entrance and in the education wing (by the double doors leading to the church office) between 9:30-10:00 am. The purpose is to extend hospitality to those arriving and to be aware of who is entering. We have several ushers who have agreed to take a turn, but we would like to involve the congregation. If you are willing to take a turn, possibly once a quarter or maybe even twice a year (depending on the number of volunteers) please reach out to Bill Croom or Heather Cagle. When we all get involved, it puts less responsibility on a core group of people; please consider playing a part in keeping our folks safe!

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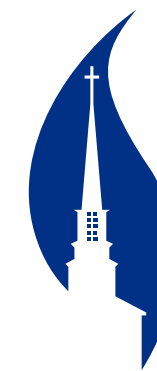
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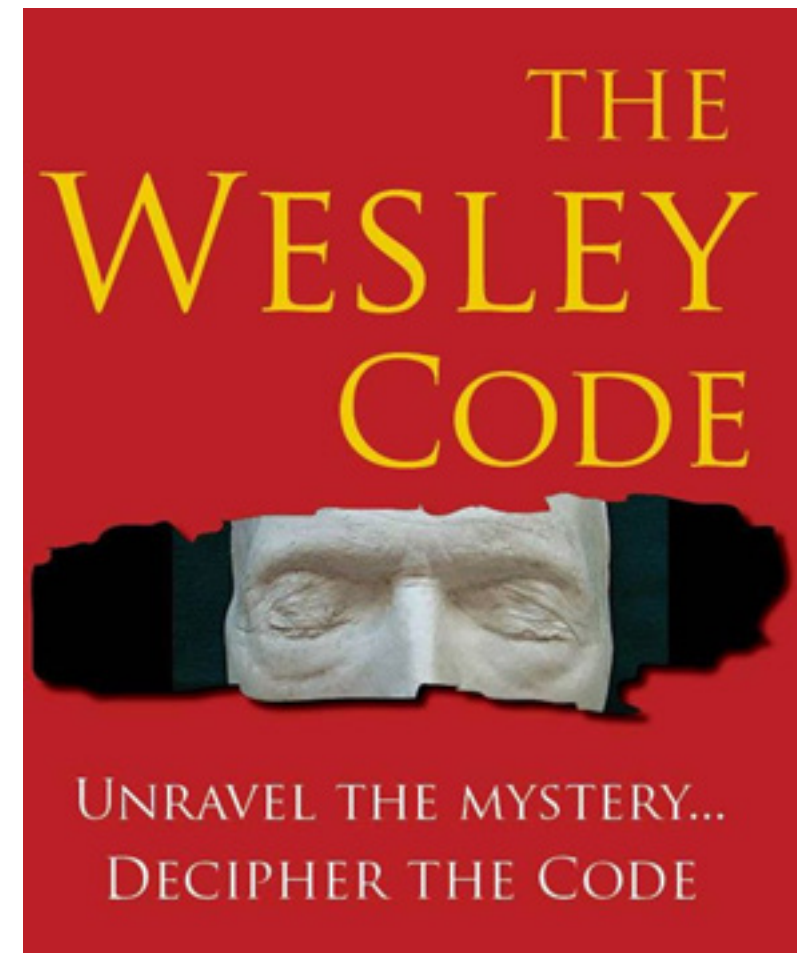
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We are about making connections — connecting people to God and to each other.



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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday July 8th 2018 / FLC Seventh Sunday in Kingdomtide 8:45AM

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP SONGS "How He Loves" (Set a Fire)
"Break Every Chain"
Church of the Nazarene Youth Music Group

TIME OF GREETING

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Luke 16:10-12 Pastor J.F.

¹⁰ "If you are faithful in little things, you will be faithful in large ones. But if you are dishonest in little things, you won't be honest with greater responsibilities. ¹¹ And if you are untrustworthy about worldly wealth, who will trust you with the true riches of heaven? ¹² And if you are not faithful with other people's things, why should you be trusted with things of your own?"

GIVING OF GIFTS

OFFERTORY SPECIAL "Sanctuary"
Church of the Nazarene Youth Music Group

PRAYER FOR OTHERS

SCRIPTURE 2 Corinthians 12:6-10 (See Insert)
MESSAGE Grace: The Advantage Of The Disadvantaged
SERIES: The Wesley Code
CLOSING SONG "Good, Good Father"
Church of the Nazarene Youth Music Group

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.

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

USHERS 8:45 AM

Tammie Walker, Tim Dunn,
Rick Flickinger

GREETERS 8:45 AM -

Trenten & Cindy Lowe

USHERS 11:00 AM

CHAIRMAN – Dee Bulla

Captain – Bill Mcanulty, Jerry Little, Ray

Hargett, Dean Lail, Tony Pugh, Boyd Thomas, Tom Allred

GREETERS 11:00 AM - Jerry Tugwell, Wanda Tatum, Gary Strider

Peter & Mary Lynn Brisley



Show your Central UMC Spirit! Central Church Car Stickers are here! Put one on your car and let folks know where you go to church. Stickers are available after the service today for \$1.00 each. Get yours today!

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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PRELUDE

Joy Menius

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN OF PRAISE "Christ For the World We Sing" #568 (UMH)

*MISSION STATEMENT (In Unison)

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.

*THE APOSTLES' CREED (In Unison) #881(UMH)

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 *(Universal Church)*

*THE GLORIA PATRI #70(UMH)

*A TIME OF GREETING

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* OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY #95(UMH)

TIME OF THANKSGIVING

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 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.

ANTHEM "God Will Make A Way" arr. Elaine Schram

God will make a way where there seems to be no way.
He works in ways we cannot see. He will make a way for me.
He will be my guide, hold me closely to His side.
With love and strength for each new day. He will make a way.
He leadeth me, O blessed thought, O words with heavenly comfort fraught!
What e'er I do where'er I be, still tis God's hand that leadeth me.
He leadeth me, He leadeth me, by His own hand He leadeth me.
His faithful follower I would be for by His hand He leadeth me.
He will make a way.

**Children leave for Children's Church*

SCRIPTURE 2 Corinthians 12:6-10 (See Insert)

MESSAGE Grace: The Advantage Of The Disadvantaged

SERIES: The Wesley Code

*HYMN OF RESPONSE "Lead Me Lord" #473 (UMH)

AN INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

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*CLOSING PRAYER

*POSTLUDE

**Congregation please stand if you are able.*



Sincere Sympathy from the Staff & Congregation to the family of Bill Schoenberger who passed away on Saturday, June 30th, 2018.

Sincere Sympathy from the Staff & Congregation to the family of Nick Fields who passed away on Saturday, June 30th.

Memorials & Gifts

BUDGET FUND

In Honor of Charles & Jaci Betts

By Roland & Carolyn Cox

In Memory of Ruby Creech

By Jack & Iris Ragland

In Memory of Bill Schoenberger

By Jack & Iris Ragland

BUILDING FUND

In Honor of Charles & Jaci Betts

By Norma Connell

YOUTH FUND

In Honor of Central Youth

By John & Emily Matkins

By Charles & Jaci Betts



July

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| 08 | Sidney West
Craig Allred
Maurici Dulin
Douglas Evans
Ellie Rapp
Connor Bryant |
| 09 | Minerva Moffitt
Rose Ann Seawell
Linda Hoffman
Mary Alice Rich
Bryan Little |
| 10 | Gerald Robbins
Sara Beth Robbins
Larry Hill
Suzanne Cox
Bryan Tysinger
Brittany Beltz |
| 11 | Mary Beth White |
| 12 | Ralph Hall
Adrian Polanco
Josh Brown
Stephanie Stickle |
| 13 | Walker Moffitt
Chris Jeffers
Michelle Hinson
Alison Cox
Serenity Jones
Caleb Stickle |
| 14 | Michael Stickle
Matt Bennett
Benji Cagle
Davis Phillips
Allison Wright
Ronald P Greene
Carson Lamb |



HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

CUMC Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY, JULY 8th

8:45 AM – Contemporary Worship

9:45 AM – Sunday School

11:00 AM – Traditional Worship

WEEK OF HOPE JULY 8 -13

MONDAY, JULY 9th

TUESDAY, JULY 10th

8:00 AM – Kids Ahoy / Lazy 5 Ranch

5:45 PM – Pilates

7:00 PM – Open Gym

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11th

6: 30 PM – Children's Program

THURSDAY, JULY 12th

2: 00 PM – Red Cross Blood Drive

6: 30 PM – VBS Training

7: 00 PM – Open Gym

FRIDAY, JULY 13th

8:00 AM – Victory Junction

SATURDAY, JULY 14th

7:30 AM – Men's Coffee Break @ The Table

The Asbury Class will be hosting a Blood Drive

Thursday, July 12th

1:00 – 7:00pm



Together, we can save a life