

Children & Family Ministries

ATTENTION!! We will be having a Children's Ministry Sunday School (elementary age) meeting on Sunday, August 25th after the late service - around 12:15p we will gather in the Library/Conference Room This is for ANYONE that plans to teach for the upcoming year and for anyone INTERESTED in possibly joining our team! I will try to keep it short and sweet but would like to talk about a few things with each of you before the new Sunday School year begins. Please plan to be a part of this important meeting! If you are not able to attend please let me know ASAP!
~Keri Sammons, 520-444-1996

Blessing of the Backpacks! On Sunday, August 25 we will have a special time of Blessing of Backpacks at both services! This opportunity is for all ages of students and educators! Bring your backpacks and join us! Promotion Sunday will also be August 25 If you have a rising 3rd Grader, please let us know. The Children's Ministry would like to give the gift of God's Word to your child to honor this special time of transition.

Wednesday Night is Kid's Night at Central! All summer long we have been gathering and learning about Loving Others and Loving God (learning about the Bible) and even though summer has to come to an end - Kid's Night will CONTINUE every Wednesday from 6:30 to 8:00p for Kindergarten thru 5th grade! Come have fun...learn about Jesus...play games...eat snacks... make friends!

SPLASH PARTY! We will have one final Splash party on Wednesday, August 21st as we also CELEBRATE (and cry) OUR SOON TO BE 6TH GRADERS - who will be joining our Youth Program! Miss Keri will provide all the TEARS for the water slides! Come have fun and get wet from 6:30 to 8:00!

ANNUAL ICE CREAM SOCIAL & FUNDRAISER: Mt. Lebanon UMC, Saturday, Aug. 24th! Come go with us!! We want to take a LARGE Group from Central! It takes place from 5:00 till 7:30 pm. Hamburgers and hotdogs are served in addition to 11 different flavors of ice cream. See Fred to get on the LIST asap!! We're also taking some wheel-chairs just in case anyone tires and needs a break.



bus located in the Narthex and in the FLC Welcome Center. Be on the look out for a supply list. Thanks so much for your support to these children!

Let's fill the bus!!!!

August is our month to collect school supplies for the kids at Lindley Park Elementary School. Please bring your supplies and drop them in the yellow school

2019 Budget \$801,737.00
YTD Revenue \$432,123.49 YTD Expenses \$425,604.85
\$6518.64

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

YOUTH NEWS

BEACH RETREAT 2019! We just want to say "thank you" to our church family for your prayers last weekend! Three youth rededicated their lives to Christ and we were blessed with an amazing reminder that in "3 Days - A Lot Can Happen"! An extra BIG thank you AND shout out to our Adult Leaders that gave of their time to be away, helped to get us there and back, and served our youth in many ways. Thank you for the gift of yourself!! --Fred & Randy

MYF (Summer Schedule): Randy continues his series entitled: Successful OR Significant - What Do You Want To Be? Even if you're coming back from a weekend get-away, or a last minute trip - make it a point to be BACK IN TIME for Youth Group at 6:00 pm.

G*FORCE (Frisbee Golf): Gentlemen, come go with us this coming Wednesday, Aug. 21st! Bring your Frisbee or let us know if you need to borrow one. We'll supply the fluids to keep you hydrated. Plans are to meet at the church at 7:00 pm to head north of town. Hope to see YOU there!

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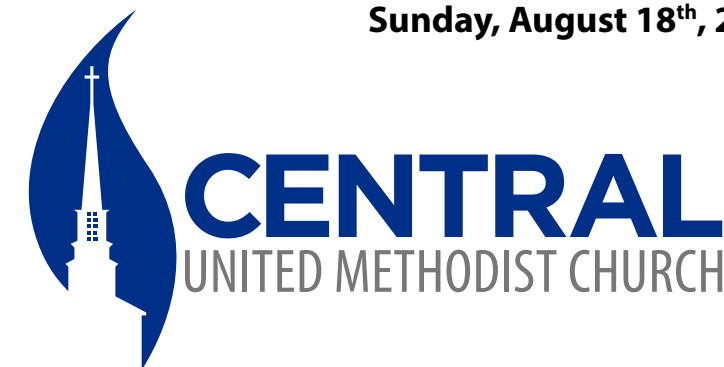
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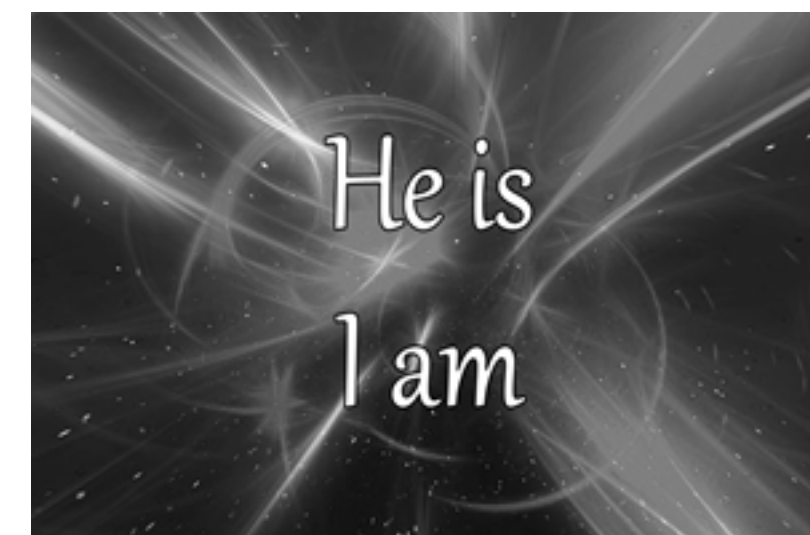
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Sunday, August 18th, 2019



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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Connections

Date: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Email: _____
Best Contact Phone () _____ Zip Code: _____
Age(s): _____
 1st Time Guest
 2nd Time Guest
 Regular Attendee
 Active in Another Church
 Member

Please tear off and place in Offering Plate.
Name of Person who invited you? _____
If 1st or 2nd time guest, how did you hear about CUMC?
Website, Newsletter, Other? _____
Please place this card in the Offering Plate.

THE ORDER OF SERVICE FOR THE PRAISE & WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, August 18th 2019 / FLC 8:45AM

CALL TO WORSHIP "Raise A Hallelujah" Praise Team
 "How Great Is Our God" Randy Lee

WELCOME AND PRAYER: Pastor J.F.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Psalm 34:8-10
 8 Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!
 9 Oh, fear the Lord, you his saints, for those who fear him have no lack!
 10 The young lions suffer want and hunger; but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.

GIVING OF GIFTS

WORSHIP "Reckless Love" Praise Team
 "Good Good Father" ~Children may leave for Children's Church~

SCRIPTURE: John 10:11-33
 MESSAGE: Sheep In Need Of A Shepherd Pastor J.F.
 SERIES: "HE IS, I AM"
 *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 Pastor J.F.
 *CLOSING SONG "Reckless Love" (Reprise) Praise Team

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

GREETERS 8:45 AM - Randy & Cynthia Allen

CUMC Attendance
 August 11th
 Early Service 108
 Traditional Service 107
 Sunday School 158
 Children's Church 11
 Youth Retreat 44

USHERS 11:00 AM
Chairman - Archie Priest
Captain - Dr. John Matkins, Bill Beaver, Ken Prochnau, Dr. Larry Simpson, Jerry Jeffers, Derrick Grantham, Randy Ferree, Rudy Rich

GREETERS 11:00 AM - Frank Lamb, Becky HUGHes, Delette Self, Kaye Rich, Becky Cooper

Want to know more about building strong faith? Pastor J.F. has some helpful Scriptures for personal study in his blog article entitled "Scripture Promises To Build Strong Faith." You can find it at: <https://offerthemchrist.wordpress.com/2019/06/27/scripture-promises-to-build-strong-faith/>



Central UMC will offer a new support ministry beginning in September. Please watch for dates /times and additional announcements.

GriefShare is a 13 week self-contained series which means you can join the group at any time during the 13 week series. GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk along side of you through one of life's most difficult experiences. Please contact the church office for more information. 336-629-1425

THE ORDER OF SERVICE FOR THE PRAISE & WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, August 18th 2019 11:00 AM

PRELUDE Bev Lawrence

THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR Fred Huffstetler

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN OF PRAISE "How Firm A Foundation" #529 (UMH)

A TIME OF GREETING

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Psalm 34:8-10 Pastor J.F.
 8 Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!
 9 Oh, fear the Lord, you his saints, for those who fear him have no lack!
 10 The young lions suffer want and hunger; but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.

OFFERTORY Bev Lawrence
 *DOXOLOGY #95(UMH)
 PRAYER FOR OTHERS Fred Huffstetler
 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 "Come To The Water" Jack Schrader
 O let all who thirst, let them come to the water.
 And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord.
 Without money, without price,
 why should you pay the price except for the Lord?
 And let all who seek, let them come to the water.
 And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord.
 Without money, without strife, why should you spend your life, except for the Lord?
 And let all who toil, let them come to the water.
 And let all who are weary, let them come to the Lord
 All who labor without rest, how can your soul find rest, except for the Lord?
 And let all the poor, let them come to the water.
 Bring the ones who are laden, bring them all to the Lord.
 Bring the children without might, easy the load and light.
 Come to the Lord. Come to the water, come to the Lord.
 ~Children may leave for Children's Church~

SCRIPTURE: John 10:11-33
 MESSAGE: Sheep In Need Of A Shepherd Pastor J.F.
 SERIES: HE IS...I AM.
 *HYMN OF RESPONSE "Holy God We Praise Your Name" #79 (UMH)
 *AN INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP
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 *CLOSING PRAYER & BENEDICTION
 POSTLUDE Bev Lawrence
 *Congregation please stand as you are able

You Can Personally Invest In The Lives Of The Next Generation! Would you like to know more? Pastor J.F. will hold a brief information session after each worship service today to tell you how about the many ways to volunteer at Lindley Park Elementary School in the upcoming school year. Pastor J.F. will go over volunteer opportunities and how to take next steps to get involved in the academic lives of our neighboring school children, who are the future of Asheboro. See Pastor J.F. for more information.



Sincere Sympathy from the Staff & Congregation to the family of: Mary Lee Hartley at the passing of her mother, Zula Mae Dobbins on August 11th, 2019.



HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

CUMC Weekly Schedule
SUNDAY, August 18th
 8:45 AM – Early Worship
 9:45 AM – Sunday School
 11:00 AM – Traditional Worship
 6:00 PM – MYF

MONDAY, AUGUST 19th
 1:00 PM – Chair Chicks

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20th
 5:30 PM – Church Council
 7:00 PM – Open Gym

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21st
 10:00 AM – Ladies Prayer Group
 1:00 PM – Chair Chicks
 6:30 PM – Kids Night

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22nd
 5:30 PM – SPRC
 6:30 PM – Trustees
 7:00 PM – Open Gym

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23rd



August 18 Barbara Councilman	August 22 Charles Durham
August 19 Celistia Caviness	August 23 Grover Jones
Demi Simpkins	Karen Buhrman
Brent Parnell	Josiah Williams
Rebecca Benbow	Riley Smith
Drew Bullins	August 24 Jim Bone
Abigail Page	Laura Thornburg
August 20 Donna Gentry	Tim Moss
Raymond Brower	
August 21 Charlie Asbill	
Amy Perryman	
Anderson Shaver	

Memorials & Gifts

BUDGET FUND
In Memory of Benjamin Barrett
 By Mike & Jackie Chewing
In Memory of Eileen Lowe
 By Kelly & Leigh Harris
In Memory of Peggy Woodruff
 By Kelly & Leigh Harris

CHOIR FUND
In Memory of Zula Mae Dobbins
 By John & Emily Matkins

YOUTH FUND
In Memory of Hazel McCollum
 By Susannah Wesley Sub-Group

BUILDING FUND
In Memory of Benjamin Barrett
 By Jim & Wendy Kinlaw
In Memory of Frances Thomas on her Birthday (8/21)
 By Bob & Jane Thomas

Prayer Requests

Prayer, Praises, Suggestions (Let us join you in praying for specific needs) OK to Share

Date: _____

Please write your requests below and place in the Offering Plate.

I would like someone to contact me. Requested by _____

Phone _____

Email: _____

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