



Central United Methodist Church

Our Mission:

To make disciples of Christ who **WORSHIP** God,
GROW in their faith and **SERVE** in the church and world.

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Please scan the QR code to the left and fill out the connect card
to let us know you are worshipping with us and how we can
connect you to our ministries.

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus,
 for my life is wholly bound to His.
 Oh, how strange and divine, I can sing, "All is mine"
 Yet not I, but through Christ in me.
 The night is dark, but I am not forsaken.
 For by my side, the Savior, He will stay.
 I labor on in weakness and rejoicing.
 For in my need, His power is displayed.
 To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me.
 Through the deepest valley, He will lead.
 Oh, the night has been won, and I shall overcome.
 Yet not I, but through Christ in me.
 No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven.
 The future's sure, the price, it has been paid.
 For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon,
 and He was raised to overthrow the grave.
 To this I hold, my sin has been defeated.
 Jesus, now and ever is my plea.
 Oh, the chains are released, I can sing, "I am free".
 Yet not I, but through Christ in me.
 With every breath, I long to follow Jesus,
 for He has said that He will bring me home.
 And day by day, I know He will renew me
 until I stand with joy before the throne.
 To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus.
 All the glory evermore to Him.
 When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat,
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Scripture

John 10: 1-10

Sermon

**Making All Things New:
My Spiritual Journey**

Rev. David Lee

*Congregational Song

Savior, Like a Shepherd, Lead Us

*Benediction

*Chiming the Trinity

*Postlude

O Splendor of God's Glory Bright

arr. Martin

Hymn 679

Libby Alexander, organ

*Please stand if able

Welcome! Welcome! Welcome!

Visitors are invited to visit the Welcome Table for a free gift and additional information about Central United Methodist Church. We are glad you are here!



Connect with us!

Use this QR Code for a direct link to all things CUMC. Get easy access to online giving options, connect cards letting us know you were in worship (in person or online), updated bulletins, newsletters and more!

Ministry Needs

Below is a list of volunteer and donation needs for some of our ministries:

Backpack Ministry: For February: **Individual Oatmeal/Grits Packet**

Open Table: **Bottled Water**

Prayer Concerns

For this week please pray for the following:

*All of those recovering or suffering from medical issues, physical and emotional.

CUMC Family

12/30 Bob Conlon (Cancer)

1/16 Ollie Anthony

1/16 Jo Marsh

1/16 Frank Richardson

1/20 Emily Ousley (Shoulder replacement recovery)

2/4 Ann Deaton (Upcoming Surgery)

2/8 Terry McCollum's mission trip to El Salvador

2/8 John Reid

Other

Military & First Responders

Our Homeless Community

Wars in Ukraine, Gaza, and Sudan

Our Nation, County, and City

Family and Friends

1/16 Deborah Martin (Stephen Ager's sister; cancer recovery)

1/16 Gerald Lamonte Jennings (cancer)

1/20 Sylvia Hunt (Shannon King's friend; heart issues)

2/4 Virginia Tuminello (Upcoming surgery)

2/5 Family of Gloria Jones (Stephen Ager's sister who passed away)

2/6 Dale Eaker (Jessica Talbert's mom; cancer)

2/6 Sandra Raynor & family

2/6 Kimberlyn Floyd

2/10 Roger Davis (Double Lung Transplant Recovery)

Ash Wednesday

On February 18, there will be a pancake supper in the fellowship hall at 5:15PM with a service to follow at 6PM in the Sanctuary.

Financial Giving Statements

The finance committee is encouraging individuals to come pick up their 2025 giving statements from the church office, Monday-Friday 9AM-2PM. Any statements not picked up by February 19th will be mailed

WinGs

WEDNESDAY FEB. 18 @ 10:00am in the church Fellowship Hall.

The Ladies of WinGs are off to a great start this year and looking forward to our FEBRUARY MEETING! Please join us as we gather for caring and inviting fellowship, information galore and plans for service to our church and this community.

See YOU there!

Youth Valentine's Fundraiser

The last day to donate items or purchase tickets for the Valentine's Day Fundraiser is 2/18!

Coming Summer 2026!

Operation Restoration VBS

Sunday June 7 - Wednesday June 10, 2026

5:15-7:30pm

Ages 3-11

Family meal will be 5:15-5:45pm

Central UMC 2026 VBS is Operation Restoration: Mending God's World!

During this exciting 4-day program, kids learn to be menders of the universe as they explore the daily themes of Feed, Heal, Forgive, and Pray.

Please register at <https://form.jotform.com/260134988250156>

Discipleship Opportunities

Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study

8am, Saturday Mornings before Open Table.

CUMC Room E210

Meets the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month.

The Book of Matthew

Have you wondered about the nature of the Kingdom of Heaven? Good thing to wonder! Matthew's gospel pulls back the curtain and says, "Thanks for asking, here it is." Taught by Dr. Tim Sieges, retired Director of Wycliffe Counseling Ministries

Disciple Class

Disciple is an in-depth four-year Bible Study that meets every Tuesday afternoon in the conference room from 3-5PM. We will resume meeting some time in February. Please contact Rob Laney (704-472-5042) if you are interested in joining!

Central UMC Ministry Opportunity

This QR code will take you to a comprehensive list of opportunities to be involved and serve at Central. Check out the list! You will be proud of all that Central does to make a difference in people's lives! Find a place to serve! As you find your place to serve, help new people find the information and a place to plug in! Together we shine the bright light of Christ!

Central UMC is a *Safe Sanctuaries* church. Please be sure that your Children are always accompanied by a parent or responsible adult caregiver including if and when they need to use the restroom during service. We appreciate your assistance as we strive to ensure the safety of all.

Restrooms are located outside the right-hand side of the sanctuary, as you look at the chancel area.

Childcare is available for infants and preschool aged children. Our nursery staff awaits you in room E105.

Hearing devices are available for those who need them.

Large print Bibles & Hymnals are available for those who need them. The Ushers are at each door and will happily assist you with any of these.

SERMON NOTES
