

# Sending Forth

Benediction

Congregational Response: Hymn 672 .....“God Be with You till We Meet Again”

\*Postlude: “The King in Triumph” .....-Ross Anderson



## Central United Methodist Church

(Founded 1797)

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### Central

#### United Methodist Church Is:

- ◆ A vital congregation of diverse people
- ◆ Centered in faithful worship of God
- ◆ Growing as disciples of Jesus Christ
- ◆ Moving out in compassionate service

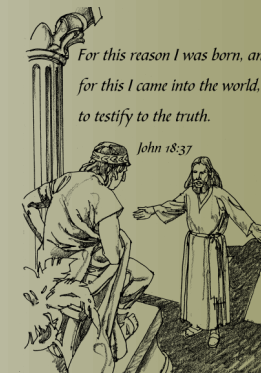
### In Ministry

General Ministers.....303  
 Pastor.....Steve E. McMillion  
 Minister of Music/organist.....Sherry von Oeyen  
 Office Manager.....Dana F. Wade  
 Child’s Play Director..... Jo Ann B. Black  
 Custodian.....Janet Nuckoles  
 Retired Pastor..... David D. Reed  
 Professor MBC.....Kenneth A. Beals  
 District Superintendent.....D. Michael Houff  
 Resident Bishop.....Young Jin Cho

# Welcome to Central United Methodist Church Morning Worship



Last Sunday after Pentecost  
November 25, 2012 10:45 a.m.  
Rev. Steve E. McMillion, Pastor



## The Entrance

Welcome and Announcements

*If you have an announcement to be made, please contact the church office by Thursday.*

Prelude .....“Rejoice, the Lord is King”  
-arr. Lloyd Larson

*Please bow your head in Silent Prayer as we prepare for worship*

Processional Hymn 569 ..... “We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations”

\*Greeting

Christ came to be our king.

**We have come to be Christ’s people.**

The King of kings calls us to follow God.

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\*Opening Prayer

Children’s Focus

\*Please stand as you are able

*Proclamation*

Prayer for Illumination

*(After the reading of the Scripture Lesson the reader will say:*

*“This is the Word of the Lord.” The congregation responds: “Thanks be to God”)*

- Old Testament Reading ..... 2 Samuel 23:1-7 (Pew Bible, Page 261)
- Psalter 849 ..... Psalm 132:1-12
- Epistle Reading ..... Revelations 1:4-8 (Pew Bible, Page 994)
- Musical Offering: “We’re Gonna Worship Christ the King ” .....-*Pepper Choplin*
- Gospel Reading ..... John 18:33-37(Pew Bible, Page 881)
- Sermon ..... Pastor Steve

*Response to the Word*

\*Hymn 369 ..... “Blessed Assurance”

Pastoral Prayers and Prayer of the People

Prayer (Let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.)

Offertory: .....“Crown Him with Many Crowns” (Quoting J.S. Bach’s Prelude in D Major)  
-arr. Cindy Berry

Congregational Response ..... Hymn 95

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;**

**Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. A-men..**

Affirmation of Faith ..... 881

*Thanksgiving and Holy Communion*

Invitation

Confession and Pardon

**God of all creation, before time and beyond space,  
we admit to our human limits as we try to imagine the reign of truth  
that you envision for us.  
When we follow worldly powers and stray from the good path  
you desire for all you have created, give us Jesus.  
Give us Jesus, O God—not a Jesus high and lifted up,  
but chained and arraigned by authorities with boldness to tell the truth.  
Speak through our words and deeds, that your will may be done in our time.  
Embolden us with the confidence that your reign will one day come.  
Come, O Strong One, come. Amen**

The Great Thanksgiving The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Celebration of Holy Communion ..... Page 23

The Lord’s Prayer

**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**

\*Hymn 154 ..... “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

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## Opportunities

### Sunday (11/25)

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

9:45 a.m. Children's S.S.

10:45 a.m. Worship

UMW Student Offering

### Monday (11/26)

9:30 a.m. Staff Mtg.

5:00 p.m. Weight Watchers

### Tuesday (11/27)

9:00 a.m. Child's Play

6:00 p.m. NAMI Family

6:30 p.m. Finance Mtg.

7:30 p.m. Council Mtg.

### Wednesday (11/28)

10:00 a.m. Food Pantry

6:00 p.m. Women's NA

### Thursday (11/29)

9:00 a.m. Child's Play

6:00 p.m. Together on Thurs.

7:00 p.m. NA

### Friday (11/30)

10:00 a.m. Co-Op

6:30 p.m. NA

7:00 p.m. Lego league

### Saturday (12/01)

8:30 a.m. UMMEN Mtg. @ Rowe's

10:00 a.m. Dual Recovery

6:00 p.m. N.A.



### **-Our Stewardship-**

**NOVEMBER 18, 2012**

Attendance: 81

Income received toward expenses:

\$1,033.00

UMCOR/Sandy: \$200.00

### **\*SALVATION ARMY BELL RINGING\***

Central would like to support the Salvation Army's Red Kettle campaign, and we need bell ringers! We will be manning the kettle at Wal-Mart on Saturday Dec 1 from 9:00 am until 9:00 pm. We need people to sign up for two hour shifts, with two volunteers per shift. The sign up sheet is located on the refreshment table near the Gathering Room.

### **-Food Pantry Requests-**

green beans, canned chicken, jelly, cereal, canned pinto beans, ramen noodles, chili, detergent, dish liquid, toothpaste, socks and plastic bottles

## Welcome

## Announcements

### **-To Our Guests-**

We are delighted to have you worship with us, and we invite you to participate in Communion and the life of the church. To become a member of this fellowship, please talk with the pastor. Following the service will be a time of fellowship. Please join us so that we might get better acquainted.

### **-Attendance Slip/Friendship Register-**

Please take a moment and sign the attendance slip in your pew and, if you are a member here, please introduce yourself to anyone who might be visiting with us today. Your warmth and hospitality will be a blessing in someone's life today.

### **-Children-**

Children are invited to worship with their parents in the Sanctuary. Following the Children's Focus, children under 6 years of age may go to the play room. Later, during the Doxology, they will be brought back into the Sanctuary to participate with their parents in the Great Thanksgiving and receiving of the Lord's Supper. We welcome the participation of the youngest members of the family of faith.

### **-Prayer-**

If you would like someone to pray with you please let the pastor know.

### **-Flowers-**

The flowers today are in loving memory of Mark & Eldridge Finch from Bud, Lee and Kelly Campbell.



### **-Serving Today-**

**Greeters:** Patty Mills & Jim Southers **Reader:** Susan Obaugh

**Communion:** Connie & Kim Mitchell; Benham & Jo Ann Black

### **-Ushers-**

Jim Printy, Jack True, Tom Davis, Judd Bankert, Ed Smith, Joe Hill,  
Mike Melton, Jim Linnane