

CHILDREN’S FOCUS

SERMON “Restart” -Rev. Won Un

*UMH #347 “Spirit Song”

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER -Ed Smith

RESPONSE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY “Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne”

*DOXOLOGY UMH #95

SENDING FORTH

*UMH #617 “I Come With Joy”

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE UMH #668

“Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace”

*POSTLUDE “Variations on 'Hyfrydol”

*** *Denotes: UMH (United Methodist Hymnal), TFWS (The Faith We Sing)*

(After the reading of the Scripture the reader will say: “The Word of God for the people of God” -The congregation responds: “Thanks be to God”)

Welcome to our guests! Thank you for worshiping with us today. We have a nursery available for your convenience. Please see a greeter or usher with any questions. Also, please fill out our Welcome Card and place it in the offering plate or give to an usher so we can get to know you better.

<p>Sundays: -9:30 am-Adult Sunday School Class -9:45 am-Children’s Sunday School -10:30 am-Agape Fellowship Time -11:00 am-Worship</p> <p>Wednesdays: -10-11:30 am-Food Pantry -7:15 pm-Choir Practice</p>
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AGAPE SERVICE TODAY
Greeters: Kim Mitchell and Carolyn Smith
Liturgist: Josh Gutshall
Communion Servers: Jack and Wanda True
Prayer Leader: Ed Smith
Ushers: Sam Richardson, Bob Markley, Vince Ennis, Mike Melton, Ken Beals, Josh Gutshall, and Jim Clemmer
Nursery Team: Mary Ann Shoemaker and Gene Blackmer

Prayer Requests		
Members	VIPs	Friends of Central
Evelyn Butler	Millicent Brubeck	Wendy Printy
Betty Hanger	Elinor Hutchison	Sharon Harris
Thelma DePriest	Jean Nicewander	Jean Nicholson
	Dorothea & Robert Bradley	Peggy Carroll Fallon
	Sally Draper	Will Dinsmore
	Catherine Van Fossen	
	Jean Smith	
	Emily Morgan	
	Randy Lindamood	

Central United Methodist Church
“Centered in Christ, Centered on serving others”


ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MEETINGS

- The flowers gracing the altar this morning are given by Beth and Eugene Blackmer in memory of **Mrs. Jerry Keeter** (Beth's mother) on the occasion of her birthday.
- Today is **Sup and Soup Sunday**-The menu is vegetable soup, meat chili, cornbread, and desserts. We will also celebrate the Holy Communion at the end of the meal.
- **Salvation Army Bellringing!!** Supporting the Salvation Army Red Kettle campaign has been a Christmas tradition at Central. We will be bell ringing at Kroger in Staunton, on **Saturday, Dec. 10 from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m.** We are asking for two volunteers for each two hour shift. A sign-up sheet has been placed in the Gathering Room.
- The final **Kids Night In** for 2016 will be held on **Friday, Dec. 16, from 6- 8:30 P.M.** Please check your calendar and make a date to help celebrate the Christmas season with our children and youth! Parents and grandparents be sure to bring your children ages 5 thru 13 to join in this fellowship. Volunteers please check off and sign the flyers and return to Mary Douglas. As always, Thanks for your participation and support.
- I wish to **thank everyone** for their prayers, phone calls, cards, flowers, and other acts of kindness during my recent illness and continued recovery. It is so comforting to have the support of such a compassionate, caring church family. I am truly **blessed!** Again, many thanks. -- Constance Mitchell
- **Dear Centralites,** I fail to find adequate expression to show how grateful I am for your love and support I received while I was away to care for my mom. You all have reached out in most profound ways to me and my wife with cards, text messages, and prayers. You have no idea how it helped to ease the pain and begin to heal the my loss of my mom. You all are very special bunch of Christians to me and I am so glad I get to serve you all. **Won and Diana.**

AGAPE SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY		
Greeters: Kay Linnane and Sybille Jobin		
Liturgist: Bill Bushman		
Communion Servers: --		
Prayer Leader: Joe Hill		
Ushers: Tom Davis, Jim Printy, Ed Smith, Jack True, Tommy Rosen, Bill Bushman, Jeff DeLong		
Nursery: Linda Siegfried and Beth White		
STEWARDSHIP November 27, 2016		
Attendance <u>63</u>	Weekly Offering <u>\$1869.00</u>	Memorial Fund <u>\$50.00</u>
Food Pantry <u>\$182.75</u>	Kitchen Fund <u>\$0.00</u>	Fellowship Fund <u>\$0.00</u>


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An Order of Sunday Worship

Second Sunday of Advent
 December 4, 2016
 11:00 AM



ENTRANCE

PRELUDE "The First Noel" *-Moffatt*
 "How Brightly Beams the Morning Star" *-Nicolai*

*PROCESSIONAL UMH #203
 "Hail To The Lord's Anointed"

*GREETING

A voice cries out:

"In the wilderness prepare the way of the Lord,
make straight in the desert a highway for our God."

*OPENING PRAYER

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

WELCOME

THE LIGHTING OF THE 2ND ADVENT CANDLES *-Joe and Lynn Hill*

We light this candle as a symbol of Christ the Way.
 May the Word sent from God through the prophets
 lead us to the way of salvation.
O come, O come, Emmanuel.

ACT OF PRAISE UMH #795 Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19 *-Josh Gutshall*

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

PROCLAMATION

FIRST READING Isaiah 11:1-10

*GOSPEL READING Mathews 3:1-12

MINISTRY OF MUSIC "Carol of the Advent" *-Dietterich*

**Stand as able*