

MESSAGES & OPPORTUNITIES FROM CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

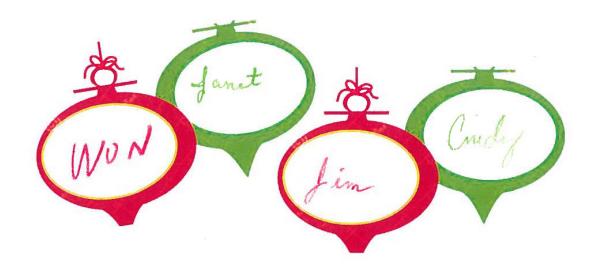
Central United Methodist Church Newsletter

Winter 2016

Merry Christmas!

and a Blessed New Year!

From Your Church Staff,



December Events



Tuesday, Dec. 13th, 6 PM – Central Christmas Party. Celebrating Central M25ers (Matthew 25) with meal and Christmas Carols. Pastor Won will provide pork loin, members will provide covered-dish, and the Cold Steel Benders will lead us in Christmas caroling.

Wednesday, Dec. 14th, Noon – Advent Luncheon at St. Paul UMC and guest speaker: Janet Knott.



Friday, Dec. 16th, 6-8:30 PM, KNI (Kids' Night In). 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.

Sunday, Dec. 18th, 11 AM – Children/Youth Christmas Program—The Children's Choir will present a "Lesson in Carols" during the service. We will sing some of our favorite Christmas songs to tell the story and celebrate the coming of Christ.

Sunday, Dec. 18th, 7 PM – Central is hosting a Blue Christmas Service to remember those for whom the holidays are not joyful; they are lonely, in mourning, feeling alienated and cast apart from family celebrations; they are experiencing depression and sadness and yet are often compelled to "put on a happy face" for others.

Pastor Jim Harris will lead the service.



Wednesday, Dec. 21st, Noon – Advent Luncheon at Marquis Memorial UMC and guest speaker: Taylor Mertins.



Saturday, Dec. 24th, 7 PM Christmas Lessons and Carols

> Join Us! Sunday, Dec. 25th, 11 AM Christmas Sunday Service

