SERMON "Nobody Knows" ~ Rev. Won Un
\*UMH #706 "Soon and Very Soon" ~ Crouch

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

*-Connie Davis* 

### THANKSGIVING AND HOLY COMMUNION

(Intinction Method)\*\*

After partaking the elements you are welcome to come and kneel at the kneeling rail to pray.

INVITATION UMH #12

### (MUSICAL SETTING A)

**CONFESSION & PARDON** 

\*THE PEACE

**OFFERING** 

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY UMH #95

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

# SENDING FORTH

\*UMH #140 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

~Runyan

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

Denotes: UMH (United Methodist Hymnal), TFWS (The Faith We Sing)
\*\*Intinction Method ~ Dip the consecrated bread into the grape juice and partake
the elements.

Welcome to our guestsI 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.

# Sundays:

- ~ 9:45 AM Children's Sunday School
- ~10:30 AM Agape Fellowship Time
- ~11:00 AM Worship

# Wednesday:

~10:00~11:30 AM — Food Pantry

# **AGAPE SERVICE TODAY**

Greeters: Sandra Clemmer & Kim Mitchell

Communion Servers: Jim & Vicki Printy

Ushers: Sam Richardson, Bob Markley, Mike Melton, Ken Beals, Josh Gutshall &

Jim Clemmer

Nursery: Mary Ann Shoemaker & Gene Blackmer

Prayer Requests		
<u>Members</u>	<u>VIPs</u>	Friends of Central
Thelma DePriest	Millicent Brubeck	Sharon Harris
Constance Mitchell	Elinor Hutchison	Peggy Carroll Fallon
Mary Douglas	Betty Hanger	Mary Jane Orkis
	Dorotha Bradley	Gail McGlothlin
	Sally Draper	Bob Smith
	Catherine Van Fossen	Jimmy Rexrode
	Jean Smith	Wanda Stephens-Ruchman
	Emily Morgan	Babs Mowry
	Randy Lindamood	Luke McIlwain
	Vince Ennis	Cindy Rogers
		Chip Fitzpatrick
		Elizabeth Gleaves
		Shirley McBride

# "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. Gerry Keeter, Beth's mother.
- We welcome back **Sherry von Oeyen** to play the organ for us today. Many thanks Sherry.
- Soup & Sup Sunday is today after worship. The soup menu is Italian Sausage Soup and Vegetable Soup. Free-will offering will be used for kitchen renovation.
- We will be collecting hats and gloves December 3th ~17th to decorate our giving tree in the Gathering Room. These items will be donated to needy children through the Salvation Army and our Clothes Closet.
- Central's **VIP's** are very special to our church family. During this Christmas season, take a moment to remember our VIP's with a note, Christmas card, or visit. Names and address labels are available in the **Gathering Room**.
- Outreach committee will meet this Tuesday, December 5th, at Connie Davis's house starting at 7 PM.
- UMW Circles, December 12th: Rebekah meets at 10:30 AM in the Library at Baldwin Park; Susanna meets at 6:30 PM (please bring a covered dish) at Connie Davis's house (300 Rainbow Drive). All women are invited.
- Christmas Service is Sunday, December 24th, 11:00 AM. There will be no Christmas Eve service this year.
- As you are making donations in the upcoming holiday seasons, please consider contributing a donation to **United Methodist Family Services**. Your contribution helps UMFS provide community and support for foster children throughout Virginia. Envelopes and additional information are available in the **Gathering Room**.

### AGAPE SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY

Greeters: Sandra Clemmer & Kim Mitchell

Liturgist: Kay Linnane

Communion Servers: ~~

Prayer Leader: Tom Davis

Ushers: Tom Davis, Jim Printy, Ed Smith, Jack True, Bill Bushman & Jeff DeLong

Nursery: Linda Siegfried & Beth White

# Attendance Weekly Offering Kitchen Fund 69 \$1,613.00 \$100.00 Food Pantry Samaritan Fund: Memorial Fund \$135.00 \$10.00 \$0.00

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# An Order of Sunday Worship

December 3, 2017 11:00 AM 1st Sunday of Advent



# **ENTRANCE**

PRELUDE

\*PROCESSIONAL UMH #196 "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" - Prichard

\*GREETING

You know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep.

For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near.

Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light.

\*OPENING PRAYER

WELCOME

CHRISMON DECORATION

CHILDREN'S FOCUS

ACT OF PRAISE UMH #801 Psalm 80:1~7, 17~19

-Susan Obaugh

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

# **PROCLAMATION**

FIRST READING

\*GOSPEL READING

Mark 13:24-37

(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")

\*Stand as able