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 "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

~ Gordon

*DOXOLOGY UMH #95

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

SENDING FORTH

*UMH #548 "In Christ There is No East or West" - adapt. by Burleigh

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE "When Morning Gilds the Sky" -Barnby

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

* Stand if you are able

** Dip the elements into the cup and partake of the Meal

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:

- ~ 9:30 AM Adult Sunday School
- ~ 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: Susan Obaugh & Sybille Jobin

Communion Servers: Bill & Martha Bushman

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

Jim Clemmer

Nursery: Mary Ann Shoemaker & Gene Blackmer

| Prayer Requests | | | |
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| <u>Members</u> | <u>VIPs</u> | <u>Friends of Central</u> | |
| Constance Mitchell | Millicent Brubeck | Freda Nesselrode | |
| Thelma DePriest | Elinor Hutchison | Cindy Rogers | |
| Mary Douglas | Betty Hanger | Connie Rankin | |
| Kelly Peters | Dorotha Bradley | Sandy Welch | |
| Jim Mullenax | Sally Draper | Jean Lightner | |
| Sybille Jobin | Jean Smith | | |
| Jason Helmick | Emily Morgan | | |
| | Randy Lindamood | | |
| | Vince Ennis | | |

"Centered in Christ, Centered on serving others"

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MEETINGS...

- Many thanks to our very own Deborah Reed for providing music for today's worship service. We love you!
- Come join **Adult Sunday School.** The theme of our Spring study is "Acknowledging God". We will meet at 9:30 AM before worship. Study book is located in Connections Room. Next Sunday we will cover Lesson 5 ("All Glory and Honor").
- UMW are sponsoring a bake sale today following worship. All proceeds will go to support a scholarship for All God's Children camp.
- In the month of May, Central will be serving **Agape Lunch at Trinity** twice (23rd and 30th). 23rd is our regular time but 30th is our extra time serving jointly with **Heifetz International Music Institute.** We will be serving chicken BBQ.
- Faith sharing Sunday by retired pastors will begin starting in May through August. Every 4th Sunday a retired pastor will come and deliver a message. Our running theme is, "If this is the last sermon you will ever preach what would your message be". Rev. Dwight Zavitz will preach on May 27th.
- **Pork BBQ sale** on Saturday, June 2nd at Sharp Shopper in Waynesboro. The proceeds will go toward replacing the District Mission Box.

May Birthdays

| 3: Mary Ann Mason | 19: Emily Stumb | |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|
| 9: Augusta Markley | 20: Vicki Printy | |
| 10: Luz Detablan | 25: Dorotha Bradley | |
| Suzanne Peeler | Elvin Nicholson | |
| 12: Sheryl Mullenax | 28: Rebecca Ambrogi | |
| 16: Jack True | | |
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AGAPE SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY

Greeters: Sandra Clemmer & Kim Mitchell

Liturgist: Jim Printy

Communion Servers: ~~

Prayer Leader: Bill Bushman

Ushers: Tom Davis, Jim Printy, Ed Smith, Jack True,

Bill Bushman & Jeff DeLong

Nursery: Linda Siegfried & Beth White

| STEWARDSHIP April 29, 2018 | | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Attendance <u>61</u> | Weekly Offering \$2,513.00 | Memorial Fund \$0.00 | |
| Food Pantry <u>\$5.00</u> | Kitchen Fund <u>\$281.00</u> | Samaritan Fund \$15.00 | |

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8:30 AM-12:30 PM Friday



An Order of Sunday Worship

May 6, 2018 11:00 AM 6th Sunday of Easter



ENTRANCE

PRELUDE "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" - Gesangbuch

*PROCESSIONAL UMH #57 "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

-Carl G. Glaser

*GREETING

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise the Lord in the heights!

Let them praise the name of the Lord, whose name alone is exalted, whose glory is above earth and heaven.

*OPENING PRAYER

WELCOME

ACT OF PRAISE UMH #818 Psalm 98 ~ Virginia Buchanan

Response 1

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

PROCLAMATION

*GOSPEL READING

*GOSPEL READING

*The Highest Form of Love"

*UMH #560

*Help Us Accept Each Other"

*UMH #560

*GOSPEL READING

*The Highest Form of Love"

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SONGREGATIONAL FRATER "La Sillial"

(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