

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

-Susan Obaugh

THANKSGIVING AND HOLY COMMUNION

*(Matzo bread, wine and grape juice will be served to honor Passover tradition)***

INVITATION UMH #12

(MUSICAL SETTING A)

CONFESSION & PARDON

*THE PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY "To Know You More"

*DOXOLOGY UMH #95

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE "Healer of Our Every Ill"

*UMH #453 "More Love to Thee, O Christ" - William H. Doane

*BENEDICTION/MEAL BLESSINGS

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

**Stand if you are able*

** If you wish NOT to partake of wine approach the table while crossing your arms.*

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.

Sundays:		
- 9:30 AM — Adult Sunday School		
- 11:30 AM—Children’s Church School		
- 10:30 AM — Agape Fellowship Time		
- 11:00 AM — Worship		
Wednesdays:		
- 10:00- 11:30 AM — Food Pantry		
- 7:00 PM - Bell Choir Rehearsal		
- 7:30 PM - Adult Choir Rehearsal		
AGAPE SERVICE TODAY		
Greeters: Ed & Carolyn Smith		
Communion Servers: Jack & Wanda True		
Ushers: Sam Richardson, Bob Markley, Mike Melton, Ken Beals, Josh Gutshall, and Jim Clemmer		
Nursery: Mary Ann Shoemaker and Gene Blackmer		
Prayer Requests		
<u>Members</u>	<u>VIPs</u>	<u>Friends of Central</u>
Bob Hanson	Millicent Brubeck	Mike Goff
Lauren Granfield	Elinor Hutchison	Cindy Rogers
Mary Douglas	Betty Hanger	Joseph Comer
	Kay Linnane	Jimmy Rexrode
	Sally Draper	Lee Reid
	Emily Morgan	Anna Swiggett
	Randy Lindamood	Jan Landis
	Suzanne Peeler	Agnes Campbell
		Daniel Burket

Central United Methodist Church
"Centered in Christ, Centered on serving others"

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MEETINGS

- The **flowers** gracing the altar this morning are given by Tom & Kim Mitchell in loving memory of Constance Mitchell on the occasion of her birthday, April 7, 2019.
- Today is **Soup & Sup** following worship. Menu will be a taco bar and desserts.
- Our last **Lenten Luncheon** is April 10th at Christ UMC and our guest speaker is Sarah Payne. Hope to see many Centralites.
- **Nurture and Witness** will meet in the fellowship hall on Sunday, April 14 immediately following worship service.
- For **Palm/Passion Sunday** we will need 5 readers (two female readers). If you wish to participate in Palm Sunday procession meet us at Trinity Episcopal Church at 10:15 AM.
- **Maundy Thursday Service** – The service will consist of reenactment of Seder Meal followed by the Last Supper. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall for the entire service. If you can help to read, set up table, or serve please contact Pastor Won.
- The Central Teen Ministry is joining the Easter Bunny in hosting an **Easter Egg Hunt** for the younger children of the church. Please help us with this effort by bringing wrapped Easter goodies and adding them to the “Goody Tub” in the gathering area each Sunday through Palm Sunday. Thanks for your support!
- There will be **new members** joining on April 21st, Easter Sunday. If you wish to join Central UMC please contact Pastor Un.
- Dear Centralites, we have been recently blessed with several “new arrivals” to our church family. Unfortunately, however, we don’t have sufficient **Nursery volunteers** to care for our little ones during morning service. We especially need coverage for first and second Sundays. If you can donate this one morning per month to the care of our little ones, please contact Mary Douglas at deaconmed@aol.com. Many thanks and continued blessings.
- **Easter Lily** order forms and payment are due to the office tomorrow, April 8th.

AGAPE SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY		
Greeters: Susan Obaugh & Sybille Jobin		
Liturgist: Mary Douglas		
Communion Servers: --		
Prayer Leader: Ed Pickett		
Ushers: Tom Davis, Jim Printy, Ed Smith, Jack True, and Bill Bushman		
Nursery: --		
STEWARDSHIP March 31, 2019		
Attendance <u>76</u>	Weekly Offering <u>\$1,018.00</u>	Kitchen Fund <u>\$15.00</u>
Food Pantry <u>\$10.00</u>	Samaritan Fund <u>\$0.00</u>	Memorial Fund <u>\$0.00</u>
In Ministry		
Ministers.....All 301 Centralites!		
Pastor.....Won Un pastor@centralumcstaunton.org		
Director of Music.....Yi-Ping Chen christinayipingchen@gmail.com		
Administrative Assistant.....Sarah Russell centralumc@centralumcstaunton.org		
Custodian.....Janet Nuckoles		
Professor MBU.....Kenneth A. Beals kbeals@marybaldwin.edu		
District Superintendent.....David Rochford stauntonds@vaumc.org		
Resident Bishop.....Sharma Lewis		

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 8:30 AM-12:30 PM Friday



An Order of Sunday Worship

April 7, 2019
 11:00 AM
 5th Sunday in Lent



ENTRANCE

WELCOME

PRELUDE

“Ah, Holy Jesus”

*PROCESSIONAL UMH #126

“Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above”

-Bohemian Brethren’s *Kirchengesange*

*GREETING

Sing praises to God, O you saints, and give thanks to God’s holy name!
We exalt you, O God, for you have restored us to life!

We may cry through the night, but your joy comes with the morning.
You hear us, O God, and you are gracious in our distress.

You turn our mourning into dancing!

Our souls cannot be silent! O God, our Savior, we give thanks to you for ever!

*OPENING PRAYER

ACT OF PRAISE UMH #847

Psalms 126

-Benham Black

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

PROCLAMATION

FIRST READING

Isaiah 43:16-21

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Drop, Drop Slow Tears”

*GOSPEL READING

John 12:1-8

*UMH #203

“Hail to the Lord’s Anointed”

- W. H. Monk

SERMON

“Leave Her Alone”

-Rev. Won Un

(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*