

**RESPONSE**

OFFERING ~ Rev. Won Un  
 OFFERTORY “Jesus, Name above All Names” ~ Yi Ping Chen  
 \*DOXOLOGY UMH #95

**SENDING FORTH**

\*UMH #224 “Good Christian Friends, Rejoice”  
 \*BENEDICTION ~ Rev. Won Un  
 \*POSTLUDE “Like a Child” ~ Yi-Ping Chen

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*\*Denotes Standing*  
 UMH (United Methodist Hymnal)  
 TFWS (The Faith We Sing)

Welcome to our guests! Thank you for worshiping with us today. 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.

<b>Sundays:</b>		
~ 9:00 AM — Zoom Adult Sunday School		
~ 10:15—10:45—Bell Choir Rehearsal		
~ 11:00 AM — Worship		
<b>Wednesdays &amp; Saturdays</b>		
~9:00- 11:30 AM — Food Pantry & Daily+ Bread		
~9:00—12:00 Noon—Go Pantry (Saturday only)		
<b>AGAPE SERVICE TODAY</b>		
Greeters: Luz Detablan and Mary Douglas		
Communion Servers:		
Nursery:		
<b>Prayer Requests</b>		
<u>Members</u>	<u>VIPs</u>	<u>Friends of Central</u>
Tom Mitchell	Bob Hanson	Phil Coltrane
Kim Mitchell	Randy Lindamood	Maria Hildebrand
Sarah Melton	Audrey Boccock	Wade Munford

**Central United Methodist Church**

“Centered in Christ, Centered on service”

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

1. Thanks to Millie Brown and Connie Davis for providing the Advent Luncheon last Wednesday.
2. The 3rd Advent Luncheon is this Wednesday at noon. Cherryvale UMC will be hosting the event. The guest speaker is Chuck Cole.
3. We need volunteers to help wrap presents on December 15th. We have wrapping paper but we are asking for each of the volunteers to bring scotch tape and scissors. We will meet at 1 pm in the fellowship hall. Please feel free to bring a bag lunch with you. There will be 300 presents to wrap for local children.
4. Don't forget to bring in hats, gloves, and scarves for the Giving Christmas Tree in the Gathering Room. All those we collect will be donated to Casa de Amistad, a program supported by our UMW. Casa de Amistad will distribute these items to children in need. Thank you in advance for supporting this important program.
5. Our annual Reverse Advent Drive to benefit the Food Pantry is ongoing. If you would like to participate but are unable to shop, a donation of \$40 will cover the cost of a box.
6. The Christmas Offering envelopes are now in the pew racks. Due to COVID-19, our attendance and income for 2021 have been lower so the Finance Committee chose to use the proceeds from this year's offering for our General Fund. Thank you for including Central in your list of Christmas presents.

AGAPE SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY		
Greeters: Sarah Melton and Benham Black		
Liturgist: Josh Gutshall		
Communion Servers:		
Prayer Leader: Benham Black		
Nursery:		
LAST SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP		
Attendance <u>56</u>	Weekly Offering <u>\$2,733.00</u>	Samaritan Fund <u>\$40.00</u>
Pantry Fund <u>\$300.00</u>	Feeding Min. Fund <u>\$0.00</u>	Advent Box <u>\$0.00</u>
<b>In Ministry Together</b>		
Ministers.....All 303 Centralites!		
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Custodian.....Janet Nuckoles		
Professor MBU.....Kenneth A. Beals kbeals@marybaldwin.edu		
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 Office Hours- 8:30 AM-3:00 PM  
 Monday-Thursday



*An Order of Sunday Worship*

December 12, 2021  
 11:00 AM  
 3rd Sunday of Advent



**ENTRANCE**

- WELCOME ~ Rev. Won Un
- PRELUDE "Light the Advent Candle" ~ Yi Ping Chen
- LIGHTING OF THE THIRD ADVENT CANDLE ~ Central UMM
- \*UMH #196 "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"
- \*OPENING PRAYER
- \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

**PROCLAMATION**

- PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION ~ Virginia Buchanan
- FIRST READING Isaiah 12: 2-6
- SPECIAL MUSIC "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" ~Yi-Ping Chen
- GOSPEL READING Luke 3: 7-18
- SERMON "A Perfect World v 2.0" ~Rev. Won Un
- \*UMH #221 "In the Bleak Midwinter"
- CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER ~ Ed Pickett
- THE LORD'S PRAYER

*(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*