

THANKSGIVING AND HOLY COMMUNION

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

INVITATION UMH #12 ~ Rev. Won Un

CONFESSION & PARDON

*THE PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY “Gather Us In” ~ Yi-Ping Chen

*DOXOLOGY UMH #95

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

SENDING FORTH

*UMH #223 “Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light”

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE “He Who Began a Good Work in You”~ Yi-Ping Chen

Epistle Reading: Philippians 1:3-11

**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.

Sundays:		
~ 9:00 AM — Zoom Adult Sunday School		
~ 10:15—10:45—Bell Choir Rehearsal		
~ 11:00 AM — Worship		
Wednesdays & Saturdays		
~ 10:00-11:30 AM — Food Pantry & Daily+ Bread (Wed. & Sat.)		
AGAPE SERVICE TODAY		
Greeters: Sandra Clemmer and Kim Mitchell		
Communion Servers: Sandra Clemmer and Anita Jackson		
Nursery:		
Prayer Requests		
<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
Sandra Clemmer		

Central United Methodist Church
“Centered in Christ, Centered on service”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. 2nd Advent Luncheon is this Wednesday at noon. Central will be hosting the event. Guest speaker is Ryan Oswald.
2. 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.
3. 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.
4. Our annual Reverse Advent Drive to benefit the Food Pantry is ongoing. The list of items to donate can be found in your bulletin. If you would like to participate but are unable to shop, we will be glad to do it for you. A donation of \$40 will cover the cost of a box. You can make the check payable to CUMC and add Advent Box on the memo line.

AGAPE SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY		
Greeters: Luz Detablan and Mary Douglas		
Liturgist: Virginia Buchanan		
Communion Servers:		
Prayer Leader: Ed Pickett		
Nursery:		
LAST SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP		
Attendance 38	Weekly Offering \$2,100.00	Samaritan Fund \$20.00
Pantry Fund \$150.00	Feeding Min. Fund \$0.00	Memorial Fund \$50.00
In Ministry Together		
Ministers.....All 303 Centralites!		
Pastor..... Won Un pastor@centralumcstaunton.org		
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Monday-Thursday



An Order of Sunday Worship

December 5, 2021
11:00 AM
2nd Sunday of Advent



ENTRANCE

WELCOME

PRELUDE "Fanfare No. 1/Musette" ~Yi-Ping Chen

LIGHTING OF THE 2ND ADVENT CANDLE ~ Tom & Connie Davis

*UMH #374 "Standing on the Promises"

*OPENING PRAYER ~Rev. Won Un

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION ~ Susan Obaugh

FIRST READING Malachi 3:1-4

SPECIAL MUSIC "Jesus Loves Me" ~ Central Bell Choir

GOSPEL READING Luke 3:1-6

SERMON "The Biblical Vision of the Perfect World" ~ Rev. Won Un

*UMH #296 "Sing, My Tongue, the Glorious Battle"

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER ~ Connie Davis

(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*