

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Ken Beals

\*THE PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY “The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve” Yi-Ping Chen

\*DOXOLOGY UMH #95

***SENDING FORTH***

\*UMH #73 “O Worship the King”

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Won Un

\*POSTLUDE “Water, River, Spirit, Grace” Yi-Ping Chen

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

*Welcome to our guests and visitors. 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 AM — Choir Rehearsal		
~ 11:00 AM — Worship		
<b>Wednesdays &amp; Saturdays:</b>		
<b>WED:</b> ~9:00 — 11:30 AM		
<b>SAT:</b> 10:00-11:30 AM — Food Pantry & Daily + Bread		
<b>Thursdays (1st and 3rd)</b>		
GO Pantry		
<b>AGAPE SERVICE TODAY</b>		
Greeters:		
Communion Servers:		
Nursery:		
<b>Prayer Requests</b>		
<b>Members</b>	<b>VIPs</b>	<b>Friends of Central</b>
Tom Mitchell	Audrey Boccock	Phil Coltrane
Diony de Tablan	Randy Lindamood	Brooke Shomaker
Lynn Hill		Tatyana Glushak
Jim Mullennax		
Kim Mitchell		
Sandra & Jim Clemmer		
Millie & Richard Brown		
Caroline & Jerry Jones		
Sybille Jobin		


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

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

1. The flowers in the sanctuary have been provided in loving memory of Rogers and Mary Eakle, by Matt and Crystal Eakle, and Margaret, David and Katherine Elliott.
2. The Food Pantry is in need of a walker and/or wheel chair for our guests that you no longer need. Please contact the Church office if you have one available.
3. The New Adult Bible Study Group has been postponed to begin January 15th due to Pastor testing Covid positive. We will meet both in-person and by Zoom at 9:00 AM. A sign-up sheet is available.
4. We again apologize for not having our weekly offering envelopes available. The issue is that United Church Envelope Company hasn't shipped them yet although our order was placed in June, 2022. Apparently they have experienced serious production delays and hope to have our order filled by the end of this month. Your 2023 giving records should still be accurate since Central's software tracks donations by either name or envelope number. Thank you for your patience. Joe
5. Soup and Sup Sunday is postponed until Feb. 5.

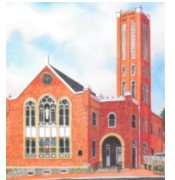
AGAPE SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY		
Greeters:		
Liturgist: Ed Pickett		
Communion Servers:		
Prayer Leader: Tom Davis		
Nursery:		
LAST SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP		
Attendance 23	Weekly Offering \$826.00	Samaritan Fund \$25.00
Feeding The Ministry \$248.91	Food Pantry \$0.00	Go Pantry \$140.00
In Ministry Together		
Ministers..... All 302 Centralites!		
Pastor....., Won Un pastorun@centralumcstaunton.org		
Director of Music..... Yi-Ping Chen christinayipingchen@gmail.com		
Administrative Assistant..... Brenda Orebaugh centralumc@centralumcstaunton.org		
Custodian..... Janet Nuckoles		
Professor MBU..... Kenneth A. Beals kbeals@marybaldwin.edu		
District Superintendent..... Doug Forrester ValleyRidgeDS@vaumc.org		
Resident Bishop..... Sue Hauptert-Johnson		

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 Office Hours- 8:30 AM-2:00 PM  
 Monday-Thursday



## Order of Sunday Worship

January 8, 2023  
11:00 AM



***ENTRANCE***

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|-----------------------------|---|
| WELCOME                     | Rev. Won Un                                   |
| RECOGNITION OF NEW OFFICERS |   |
| PRELUDE                     | “Air from Water Music” by Handel Yi-Ping Chen |
| *UMH #57                    | “O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”            |
| *OPENING PRAYER             | Rev. Won Un                                   |
| *PASSING OF PEACE           |   |
| ACT OF PRAISE #761          | Psalm 29 Bill Bushman                         |
- PROCLAMATION***
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|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION |                                   |
| FIRST READING          | Isaiah 42:1-9                     |
| SPECIAL MUSIC          | “Baptized in Water” Central Choir |
| GOSPEL READING         | Matthew 3:13-17 Rev. Won Un       |
| SERMON                 | “How to Well Please God”          |
| *UMH #332              | “Spirit of Faith, Come Down”      |

*(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*