



# Central United Methodist Church

Our Mission:

To make disciples of Christ who WORSHIP God,  
GROW in their faith and SERVE in the church and world.

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## The Worship of God

November 12, 2017

10:00 am

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Fawn Mikel

Lighting the Candles of Worship Gavin Richardson

Prelude *Amazing Grace* arr. Clegg  
Libby Alexander, organ

\*Congregational Praise *You're Worthy of My Praise*

*Be Thou My Vision*

Moments with Children Daniel Sprinkle

Prayers of the People Marywinn Amaya

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.  
Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
forever.**

Song of Preparation *Holy Spirit, Rain Down* Fragar  
Praise Ensemble

Sermon "Rethink Church" Rev. Mark Barden  
Acts 11:1-18

Offertory *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee* arr. Wood  
Libby Alexander, organ

\*Doxology #95

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

\*Prayer of Dedication Rev. Fawn Mikel

\*Closing Hymn #438 *Forth In Thy Name*

\*Benediction Nick Richart

\*Chiming the Trinity

\*Postlude *Celebration* Gadd  
Libby Alexander, organ

\*Please stand as you are able.

The flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of  
Lizabeth Tichacek Howard.

Central UMC is a *Safe Sanctuaries* church. Please be sure that your children  
are accompanied at all times by a parent or responsible adult caregiver.

### **Photography Makeup Date**

Wednesday, November 15, from 2-8:30 pm is the makeup date for  
our Directory Photography session. Please sign up on the sheet  
outside of the choir room or contact the office Monday.

#### **To Our Guests:**

Thank you for sharing in worship today. We are honored that you have chosen  
to spend a portion of your day with us and we want to help you have a  
meaningful experience. Here are a few things that you may find helpful.

-**Childcare** is available for infants and preschool aged children. Our nursery  
staff awaits you in room E105.

-**Hearing devices** are available for those who need them.

-**Large print Bibles & Hymnals** are available for those who need them.

The Ushers are at each door and will happily assist you with any of these.

