



# 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

April 22, 2018

10:00 am

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Greeting

Leader: Christ is Risen

**All: The Lord is risen indeed!**

Welcome and Announcements

Nick Richart

Lighting of the Candles

Leader: May we prepare ourselves for worship  
as the light enters.

**All: We light the candles on the altar to remind us  
that Christ is with us.**

Prelude

*Bread of the World*

arr. Martin

Marilyn Jack, piano and Libby Alexander, organ

\*Congregational Praise

*Open the Eyes of My Heart*

*10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)*

Children's Time

David Mitchell

\*\*All K-2<sup>nd</sup> graders are invited to continue worship with Godly Play.

Parents, please pick up your child in room 309 of the Education Building.

Prayers of the People

Holli Goforth

Sermon

"In The Breaking of the Bread"  
Luke 24:13-32

Rev. Mark Barden

Offertory

*Come to the Table*  
Chancel Choir

Althouse

Great Thanksgiving

(sung portions are found in *The Faith We Sing* hymnal #2257 b-d)

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.**

Holy Communion

\*Closing Hymn #127 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

\*Benediction

Nick Richart

Leader: As we leave this place, we follow the light of Christ.

**All: The light can be everywhere  
and even in other places...**

Leader: Follow the light into the world,  
in the name of the Father, the Son  
and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

\*Chiming of the Trinity

\*Postlude

*Trading My Sorrows*  
Praise Ensemble

Evans

\*Please stand as you are able.

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 including if and when they need to use the restroom during service. We appreciate your assistance as we strive to ensure the safety of all.

**BBQ Lunch Fundraiser**

Please join us in the Fellowship Hall immediately after service today for a BBQ lunch to support the youth's mission trip to Honduras.

Plates are \$8 each.

### **This Week:**

**Word and Wine Bible Study**--Join us 6:30-8 pm on Monday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, at Dragonfly for a conversation about **Politics**.

**Teach Us to Pray**--Join Pastor Fawn in Conference Room #2 at 12:30 pm Tuesday, April 24<sup>th</sup> as we learn to pray to God through Breath Prayers.

### **Upcoming Events**

**Boy Scouts Spaghetti Lunch**—May 6<sup>th</sup> immediately following worship service in the Fellowship Hall.

**ALL VBS Volunteer Meeting**—May 6<sup>th</sup> at First Baptist

For more information on the happenings at Central UMC please pick up a weekly newsletter in the vestibules or go to our website at

<http://cumcshelby.org/about-us/newsletter/>

#### **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.

#### Sermon Notes

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# TLC Project Volunteer Application

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The TLC Project promotes lasting one-on-one relationships between TLC Patient Partners and individuals who are undergoing cancer treatment, sharing God's love for them by supporting them through their journey. Our Patient Partners may listen and share life stories, faith, and friendship, and celebrate important dates like birthdays or holidays. They may call, visit, send cards, and of course, PRAY! If you would like to volunteer to be a TLC Patient Partner, we'd love to have you. If you prefer to help in other ways, we appreciate that as well. Please complete this form if you would like to volunteer so that we may use your time and talents wisely. Thank you for helping TLC and patients in our community! Volunteer applications can be mailed to faxed to the church office, Attn: Laura Lombardi. For questions about TLC, please email [central@cumcshelby.org](mailto:central@cumcshelby.org), or speak with Laura or Fawn Mikel.

## Contact Information

Name	
Street Address	
City ST ZIP Code	
Home Phone	
Work Phone	
E-Mail Address	

## Interests

I am interested in becoming a Patient Partner.

Other volunteer opportunities include:

purchasing supplies for TLC bags

knitting prayer shawls or prayer squares for TLC bags

crafting fleece throw blankets / prayer beads / notecards for TLC bags

fundraising

marketing/promotion

Central's Trustees, along with Staff are looking for ways our members can be involved and participate. We (Trustees) would like to organize several task forces/committees to help. Starting out, we want to put the following in place. Please check all the areas you are interested in and available to assist with and place it in the offering plate.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone or Email \_\_\_\_\_

I am willing to help with:

**\_\_\_\_\_ Grounds and Landscape**

Currently, Marilyn & Bill Henshaw and Kitty Williams oversee the general Maintenance and care of our landscape. They are rotating off of this committee, but will help with the transition of a new team. New members will oversee a landscape contractor, help schedule needed maintenance and share ideas to enhance our landscape.

**\_\_\_\_\_ Set up**

Central's Bereavement Committee provides a beautiful reception for families at a time of loss. Set up is an important part of this reception. A rotating group is needed to assist with set up (placement of tables and chairs in Fellowship Hall) on an "as needed" basis. A call list would be available for the group to work closely with the Bereavement Committee.

**\_\_\_\_\_ Snow and ice removal**

Central does not have a set plan when we need snow/ice removal. Central is responsible for the steps and parking lots but our sidewalks must also be addressed in case the City of Shelby isn't able to treat/remove the snow/ice. Trustees would like to have a call list of folks to help with this ministry when the need arises.

**\_\_\_\_\_ Church office volunteer**

Occasionally, volunteers are needed in the office to fill in when our secretary is out of the office for sick days or out of town on vacation. Gina will be holding a training session soon to let volunteers know what they will need to do when serving in this capacity.

The best part of the above is that any and all members at Central can plug in where they feel they can help!

Thank you for considering this ministry.

Central United Methodist-Shelby Trustees