



# 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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Rev. Fawn Mikel, Director of Discipleship and Outreach  
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## The Worship of God

May 19, 2019

10:00 am

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Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Fawn Mikel

Prelude

*Passacaglia on "Galilee"*  
Libby Alexander, organ

arr. Frackenpohl

Lighting of the Candles

Finn Parker

\*Congregational Praise

*When Morning Gilds the Skies*  
#185 st. 1-3

*God of Wonders*

\*Opening Prayer

Children's Time

Laura Rucker

Prayers of the People

Janet Edwards

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. Amen.**

Anthem

*Simple Praise*  
Chancel Choir

Courtney

Sermon

"From Fish to Sheep"  
John 21:15-19

Rev. Mark Barden

Offering

*Dearest Jesus, We Are Here*  
Libby Alexander, organ

arr. Cherwien

\*Doxology #95

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

*Prayer of Dedication		Rev. Mark Barden
*Closing Hymn	<i>Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us</i>	
*Benediction		Savanna Craig
Postlude	<i>We Are Marching</i> Praise Ensemble	arr. Chapman

\*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.

### **Graduating High School Seniors**

We will be honoring our graduating seniors on Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup>.

### **Scholarships Available**

This year we have 6 college scholarships available to students. Applications are online at <http://cumcshelby.org/grow/youth/> Applications should be submitted to Pastor Fawn and are due today, May 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **Open Table Ministry**

Every Saturday at 11:30 am in the PAC we serve a free hot meal to our community. Volunteers are needed each week, if God is urging you to serve, we now have an online sign up for all volunteers, <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508084EA9AD2FA4F85-open>.

### **Office Closed**

The church office will be closed Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup> for Memorial Day. Also, if you are interested in volunteering in the office to answer phones while Gina is out of the office, please call or email her this week, 704-487-6336 or [central@cumcshelby.org](mailto:central@cumcshelby.org)

### **OWLS (Older, Wiser, Livelier Seniors)**

We will meet at Cherokee Grill in Kings Mountain on Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 am. We hope you'll join us!

**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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## **Prayer Concerns for May 12**

We invite you to keep this insert with you so that you may pray for those below during the upcoming week.

- All of those recovering or suffering from medical issues including Patsy Rose; Bill Jack; June Miller; Jackie Guy; Elton Hendricks; Kitty Carter; Brenda Whicker; Gary Porter; The family of Danny Allen and Kimberly Clark (especially help them to find jobs); J.R. Colston and his family, Gloria, Emalee, and Drelan; Phyllis Brackett; the family of Vanessa Allen; Gary Hamrick; Marik's partner who is dying; Vickie's family; Tom McDowell; and Elaine Waller
- Dino asks for prayers to be able to pray
- Those who grieve
- Our shut-ins, faithful members of our church family often unable to come to church due to health reasons, including Martha Laney and Bonnie Gunn
- The United Methodist Church. May God's Spirit lead and direct us as a church.
- All of our military personnel and world leaders
- The ministries of Central United Methodist Church. We pray that we are obedient to God's calling on us as a congregation. We pray especially for our College Digs Ministry this month. May we assist fall freshman in preparing for college dorm rooms in such a way that they may know they are loved and never alone in this next step of their lives.
- And all of the unspoken prayer concerns

Grace Ribadeneyra is accepting donations of sanitary napkins for her mission trip to Guatemala in June. Her mission team's goal is 3000 pads. A collection box is outside of the choir room at the Sanctuary door.

### **VBS Volunteers**

VBS is coming soon (June 23-27) and now is the time for volunteers to sign up. If you are interested, sign up is available online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a44afa82fa1fd0-vacation>

### **Create Camp**

Mark your calendar now! Create Camp will be returning this year July 22-26 from 9am-12pm.

### **Kid's Place Preschool**

\*Summer Camps are available for May 28-31 "By the Sea" and June 3-6 "Mad Science". Contact Shelley at [kidsplace@cumcshelby.org](mailto:kidsplace@cumcshelby.org) to register.

\*Fall Registration is now available. Registration forms are on our website at <http://cumcshelby.org/grow/kids-place/>

### **New Member Orientation**

If you are interested in joining Central UMC or would like more information about Central UMC, there will be an orientation meeting on Sunday, June 2nd, immediately following worship service in the Conference Room. Contact Mark at [mbarden@wnccumc.net](mailto:mbarden@wnccumc.net) if you have any questions.

### **Upcoming Events:**

For more information on the following events, please check our newsletter (available in the vestibules) or our website at <http://cumcshelby.org/>

**May 20<sup>th</sup>-Word and Wine** Mondays at Dragonfly Wine Market at 6:30 pm

**May 21<sup>st</sup>-Red Cross Blood Drive** 2-6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall

**May 22<sup>nd</sup>-Making Sense of the Bible** Wednesdays at 9:30 am in the Conference Room. This is a study written by Adam Hamilton

**May 25<sup>th</sup>-GRIEFSHARE** Saturdays, at 12:30 pm at the Cleveland County Memorial Library