



# 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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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.

### **Prayer Concerns**

We invite you to pray during the week for the following:

- All of those recovering or suffering from medical issues, physical and emotional, including Don Dedmon; Cathy Jones; Morgan Morrison; Jerry Clark; Kim Laughlin; Becky Hill; Lillian Blanton; Mitchell Self; Jo Marsh; Naushaba Samuels; Doris Pierce; Christy Miranda; June Miller; John Reid; Travis and Stacey Hoyle; William Pierce; Bill and Loretta Harris; Larry Brown; Lillian Rogers; Marilyn Herndon; Anne Stevens Cicci; Larry Thomas; Dawn Russell; Dale Almond; Emily Ousley; Pat Ellison; Bill & Peggy Ledford; Brian Goff; Judy Beachley.
- Dino requests prayer to find God's will for his life.
- We pray for those who experience injustice. Give us hearts of compassion to stand united with all people.
- We pray for our world as we continue the COVID-19 battle. May we continue to persevere with wisdom and care for each other.
- For caregivers carrying more burdens than we may understand
- Those who grieve, may they find comfort. Especially Donna Boggs on the passing of her mother, Phyllis Brackett; Rhonda Keeley on the passing of her stepfather, Wayman Shepard, Jr; Sherry Grenier on the passing of her father, James Barnette; and the families of Frankie Patterson, Jessie Sumrell, Barbara Wood, Iris Francis; and Matt Clark whose mother passed away.
- Our shut-ins and others feeling alone. May we be arms reaching out, enfolding them into the body of Christ.
- The church universal and the United Methodist Church.
- We pray for peace in our world, nation and communities especially for the people of Ukraine. May God heal and unify all people.
- We lift up our first responders and those in the military.
- The ministries of Central United Methodist Church. We especially pray for the CUMC youth group. May our young people continue to grow together and in relationship with God as they make a huge impact in our community.
- And though unknown and unspoken, may we help carry each other's burden and praise God for each other's joys

### **COVID-19 Policy**

*Based on the recommendation by the CDC, Governor Cooper, and the Bishop's office, and recognizing the ongoing Coronavirus in our community, the use of masks inside the church building is optional.*

**If you have tested positive for COVID-19:** You may return to church 10 days after onset of symptoms.

## Open Table Needs Your Help

In order to better meet the needs of our community Open Table is asking for different donations each month. For JUNE we are asking for donations of **Small bottled water** (8-10 oz size bottles). We invite you every Saturday from 8 am to noon to help us provide a free hot meal to our community. Join our Open Table Remind text group to get updates and information. This is not a group text and you do not have to download the app. Text the message **@otcumc** to the number 81010.

## Backpack Ministry

We need your help in filling our closet with food for the backpacks we deliver to North Shelby and Shelby Middle each week. You may drop them off at the office **Mon.-Thur. 9AM-4 PM and Fri. 9 AM-1 PM**. For **JUNE**, we are requesting **Instant Grits or Oatmeal packets**.

## Central UMC and Aldersgate UMC Golf Outing to Benefit Open Table

When: Monday, September 19, 2022

Where: Cleveland Country Club

Time: 10:00am-Shotgun Start

Format: Captains Choice

Golf: \$100/person-includes buffet

Non-golfer Buffet: \$25.00

Volunteers needed

Contact for info: [coachedwinder15@gmail.com](mailto:coachedwinder15@gmail.com)

Or text/call-704-300-0299

Sign-up sheet is in the office

Make checks out to "Ed Winder"

**Sign-up ends August 1, 2022**

### 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 E106.

-**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.