

Help us support the Grace Food Pantry
 Donate Dry Milk
 —a vital pantry staple!

- ✓ Long-lasting and easy to store
- ✓ Packed with essential nutrients
- ✓ Versatile for families in need
- ✓ Great alternative to fresh milk

Drop off your donations in the bin provided
 February 16 and 23 or scan the QR codes to
 make a monetary donation or have milk
 delivered directly to the church

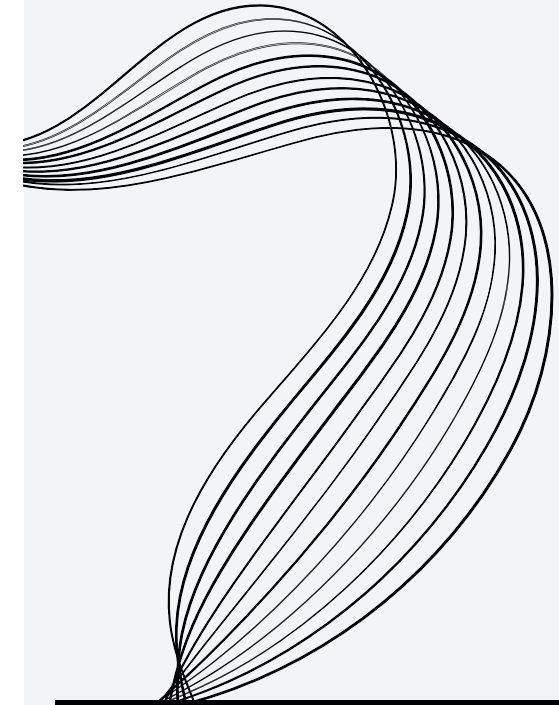
Let's work together to help ensure families have
 what they need!

NOTES:

Make Incarnation Your Model For Loving Well.

In emotionally healthy churches, people intentionally follow the model of Jesus. They learn to follow the three dynamics of incarnation found in the life of Jesus in order to love other people: entering another's world, holding on to yourself, and hanging between two worlds

Connecting People to Christ
 — Since 1882 —



**FAITHFUL
 DISCIPLESHIP**

PRINCIPLES OF AN EMOTIONALLY HEALTHY CHURCH

**GRACE UMC COMMUNITY
 MEAL**

EVERY 3RD SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH
 3PM – 5:30PM

GRAV-ENTINES

SUN, FEBRUARY 16TH
 6PM – 8PM

Gravity students, join us for
 a SPECIAL Sunday night
 celebrating GRAV-ENTINES!



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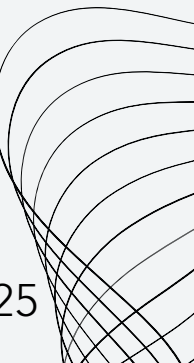
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February 9, 2025



WORSHIP

8:15AM - COMMUNION

Prelude: Dialogue from Orgelstucke (Guilain)
Welcome
*Hymn of Praise: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (UMH 103)
*The Collect
*Passing of the Peace
*Apostles' Creed (UMH 881)
*Gloria Patri (UMH 70)
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory: A Soliloquy (Sanders)
*Doxology (UMH 95)
Message - Rev. Dawn Spragg
The Lord's Prayer
Holy Communion
*Hymn of Thanksgiving: Jesus Calls Us (UMH 398)
*Benediction
Postlude: Final (Franck)

10:20AM - TRADITIONAL

Prelude: Dialogue from Orgelstucke (Guilain)
Welcome
*Hymn of Praise: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (UMH 103)
*The Collect
*Passing of the Peace
Children's Moment
Scripture Reading: John 1:6-14 NLT
Message - Rev. Dawn Spragg
*The Psalter: Psalm 138 (UMH 853)
*Apostles' Creed (UMH 881)
*Gloria Patri (UMH 70)
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer
Choral Anthem: My Life, My All (Twila Paris)
Offertory: A Soliloquy (Sanders)
*Doxology (UMH 95)
*Hymn of Thanksgiving: Jesus Calls Us (UMH 398)
*Benediction
Postlude: Final (Franck)

10:30AM - CONTEMPORARY

Welcome
Raise A Hallelujah
Great Things
What A Beautiful Name
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer
Children's Moment
Offering Moment
Crowns Down
Message - Rev. Dawn Spragg
Gratitude
Benediction

SCRIPTURE

JOHN 1:6-14

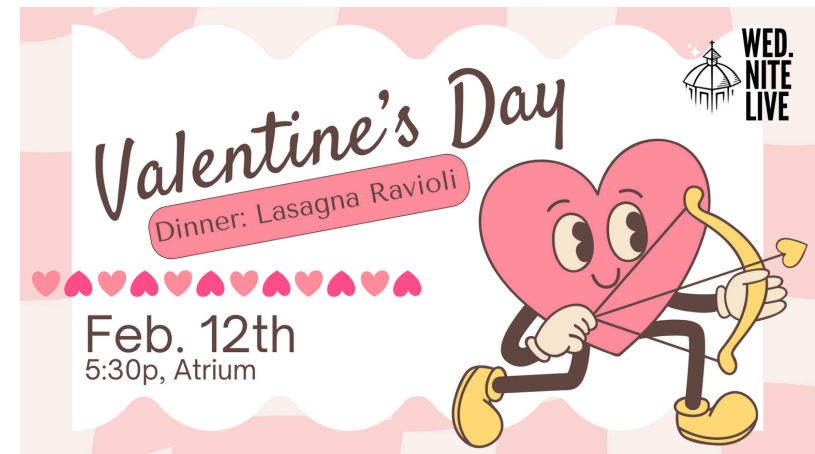
6 There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. 7 He came as a witness, to bear witness about the light, that all might believe through him. 8 He was not the light, but came to bear witness about the light. 9 The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world. 10 He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world did not know him. 11 He came to his own, and his own people did not receive him. 12 But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God, 13 who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God. 14 And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.

PRAY REQUESTS

- Suzy Tommey healing from a hip replacement and fractured arm.
- Michael, John and Frances Rankin's son, as he continues cancer treatment.
- Mallory Alderson will be donating a large part of her liver to her father-in-law Rob Driggers.
- Chelsea Thompson, healing of health & faith as she goes through cancer treatment.
- Leslie Reindeau needs prayer as she battles cancer.
- Ross Puryear, Doyle Rice's friend was diagnosed with stage four prostate cancer.
- Cliff Hicks, Cathy Blackwood's dad.
- Angel and JR Shaw's granddaughter, Ashley, is struggling with pregnancy complications.
- Alan Turnbow was diagnosed with prostate cancer.
- Liz Abercrombie for upcoming surgery.
- Jeane Kennedy for severe back pain.

Mourning:

- Brita Long's father, Stan Swisher, passed away on Feb 1st.
- Dave Burge's sister, Angie, passed away unexpectedly on Feb 1st.
- Sally Deakins, Laurelin Van Hoose's mother, passed away Feb 6th.





WAYS TO CONNECT

COMMUNITY FORMATION COMMITTEE

Mon, February 10th, 6pm – 7pm

Bi-Monthly meeting of the members of the Community Formation Committee

WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING

Mon, February 17th, 6:30pm – 7:30pm

This committee meets every other month with a focus on creating and improving experiences that bring people closer to Christ by worshipping fully. If you are interested in joining this committee, please contact Davis Spragg.

WNL MEAL - Feb. 12

Valentines Theme with Lasagna Ravioli for dinner at 5:30p in the Atrium.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

Sat, February 15th, 7am – 9am at Hobbs State Park

A chance for the men of Central to get together and have breakfast, fellowship and a devotion together. Also, we will be planning other outside/offsite activities and events.

GALENTINE'S TEA

Sat, February 15th, 10:30am – 12pm

The Central Women's Board is thrilled to partner with KidsMin to host our second annual Galentine's Tea. Young ladies age 4 and up (along with their grown up) are invited to join us in the Atrium for tea, snacks and entertainment.

DRY MILK FUNDRAISER

Sun, February 16th & February 23rd

GRACE COMMUNITY DINNER

Sun, February 16, 3pm – 5:30pm

A dinner is prepared and served at Grace UMC for approximately 200+ people by drive-thru. Teams will prepare food, pack for distribution, and deliver to vehicles. If interested in joining a group, please call the church office.

GRAV-ENTINES

Sun, February 16th, 6pm – 8pm

Gravity students, join us for a SPECIAL Sunday night celebrating GRAV-ENTINES!

DISCIPLESHIP COMMITTEE MEETING

Mon, February 17th, 6pm – 8pm

CENTRAL MEDIA OPEN HOUSE

Thu, February 20th, 6:30pm – 7:30pm

Open house for potential new A/V volunteers.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT SEMINAR

Fri, February 28th, and Sat, March 1, 6pm – 9pm

Using the material from PREP (Prevention and Relationship Enhancement Program), the workshop will teach couples how to communicate effectively, work as a team to solve problems, manage conflicts without damaging closeness and preserve and enhance commitment and friendship.

WNL MEAL - FEB. 19

Yankee Doodle Theme with Noodles (Mac & Cheese) for dinner at 5:30p in the Atrium.

EVENSONG & RECITAL

Sun, February 23rd, 4:30pm – 6:15pm

Evensong & Recital, begins at 4:30pm, in the Chapel. Our 30 minute recital begins the service, followed by a contemplative liturgical service of prayer, led by the Chancel Choir. These unique worship experiences have become a vital part of the life of our church and also provide wonderful opportunities to introduce Central UMC to your friends and family.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

Mon, February 24th, 6pm – 7:30pm

WNL MEAL - FEB. 26

Fairy Tale Theme with Dragon Wings for dinner at 5:30p in the Atrium.

GRAVITY ASH WEDS. PANCAKE DINNER

Wed, March 5th, 5pm – 6pm

Support Gravity Youth Missions at our pancake dinner and then head to the Ash Wednesday service after! Free will donation.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Wed, March 5th, 6pm – 7pm

GRAVITY GUYS NIGHT

Sat, March 8th, 6pm – 9:30pm

Gravity Guys, in 6-12th grade, join us for GRAVITY GUYS NIGHT! It's our annual event with a twist - but more FUN! Registration required.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

Sun, March 9

Don't forget to SPRING your clocks FORWARD! See you Sunday!

SENSORY FRIENDLY WORSHIP SERVICE

Fri, March 14th, 6pm – 7pm

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

Sat, March 15th, 7am – 9am

Men's Fellowship Breakfast A chance for the men of Central to get together and have breakfast, fellowship and a devotion together. Also, we will be planning other outside/offsite activities and events.

WORSHIP ARTS CAMP

Sat, March 15th, 10am – 8pm

On March 15th, we will be hosting Camp Way Maker!! This will be a Worship Arts Camp for teens and young adults of neurodiversity. There are many ways to participate and volunteer for this exciting day. Registration information can be found on our website. We are looking for volunteers to help out some of our students and participants who need extra accommodation during the Sunday School hour and at Wednesday Night Live. These volunteers would serve as a buddy / classroom aid for individual participants (ages vary). To learn more, volunteer, contribute or sign up to be buddy in the classroom, contact marmour@centralrogers.com.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: PRAISE ENSEMBLE

The Contemporary Worship Team is looking for volunteers! The newly formed "Praise Ensemble" will join the team during special services and support our worship leaders with a joyful noise. All who like to sing and have a passion for worship are welcome! If you would like to participate as part of the vocal ensemble, please contact marmour@centralrogers.com