8.30am - Early Church

Please (legibly) complete the friendship pad forms with all requested information, and leave the sheet on top of the pad in the pew. Please mask to your comfort level.

Preparing for Worship with Music

Welcome

Opening Prayer

God of Peace and Comfort– life is busy and chaotic; we are programmed to be busy and active every day, all

day. This morning we hear that even Jesus took time to find a secluded spot and pray. I need that! We need that! Help us feel your present grace; guide us to a sense of calm and peace; nurture us with Your Spirit.

May we be open to be a blessing to others. Amen.

FWS #2128 Come and Find the Quiet Center

Exchanging the Peace of Christ

Scripture *Mark 1:29-39* **Reflection on Scripture**

Congregational Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion

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UMH #451 Be Thou My Vision

Departing with Music

11.00am - Onsite and Online

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Preparing for Worship with Music

Deep River arr. Barbara Hastings
Pass Me Not by William H. Doane
The Lord's My Shepherd arr. Tracey Craig McKibben

Welcome Opening Prayer (see 8.30)

FWS #2128 Come and Find the Quiet Center

Exchanging the Peace of Christ

Special Music Holy Manna by Atkins/Raney

Scripture *Mark 1:29-39* **Reflection on Scripture**

Introduction to Prayer

Special Music Wayfaring Stranger arr. Hayes Congregational Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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UMH #451 Be Thou My Vision

Departing with Music

Ceaseless Praise by Anthony Giamanco

Worship Leaders: Pastor Paul and Diana Gildea Music: Sean Stafford, Chancel Choir, Many thanks to the Ushers and Tech Team for today

Connect and Serve this Week

Sunday, February 4

3:00 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)

8:30 WORSHIP (In person only)

9:30 Adult Faith Formation (Lounge and ZOOM)

11:00 WORSHIP (Onsite and Online)

Monday, February 5

5:30 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)

5:45 Girl Scout Troop 30224 (Youth Lounge)

7:30 Book Discussion (ZOOM)

Tuesday, February 6

noon Clothing Center

Wednesday, February 7

10:00 Soul Care (ZOOM)

noon Clothing Center

1:00 UWF Leadership

7:30 AA

Thursday, February 8

1:30 Shepherd's Supper

6:30 Cappella Ringers Rehearsal (Bell Room)

6:30 Central Crafters (Lounge)

7:00 Wesley Class (ZÒOM)

7:30 Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Friday, February 9

5:30 Girl Scout Troop 60195 (Dining Room)

7:30 AA

Saturday, February 10

12:00 Central Crafters (Lounge)

Sunday, February 11

3:00 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)

8:30 WORSHIP (In person only)

9:30 Adult Faith Formation (Lounge and ZOOM)

11:00 WORSHIP (Onsite and Online)

noon Souper-Bowl Collection and "Tailgate" Party

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE FOR ZOOM INFORMATION (607) 754-6060

Looking Ahead – Central UMC in Action / Upcoming Weeks

If you don't receive the weekly email, the office has ZOOM info.

Monday Book Discussion - 7.30pm each week

A is for Alabaster by Anna Carter Florence "A"-"G"

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88466303555

Meeting ID: 884 6630 3555

Passcode: 051760

"Souper-Bowl Sunday" Donations of hearty soups (and/or cash) for Shepherd's Supper and CHOW and also a pre-pre-pre-game tailgate party after worship. February 11...get ready!! We will also be making and sending Valentines for our card ministry so we can "Send the Love"

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner Tuesday, February 13, 5PM until 6:30PM, suggested donation \$5 per person

Ash Wednesday Worship Wednesday, February 14 at 7PM. Please join us for this meditative, contemplative start to our Lenten journey.

Calling all Central Crafters– Thursday evenings (6:30 until 8PM) or Saturday afternoons (noon until 1:30PM) and get some crafting done! Invite your friends to join us!

Central is clearing its **Library**– For the next few weeks, you are free to take any book or magazine you like from the shelves on the right / ramp entrance / community room side of the room. Signs will be posted. Help yourself!

Please consider donating your extra reusable grocery bags to Central's Clothing Center.

If you wish to donate to international relief, consider UMCOR. Because of connectional giving, 100% of monies donated in a crisis go to relief and rebuilding efforts. Give online at umcmission.org or by check to Central with UMCOR in the memo

In Our Prayers This Week

In Hospitals or Recovering at home:

Karen Frega, Jean Rodzinka, Nancy Jones, Bill Finch, Carol Chandler, Jim Scott, Mark Niziolek

Prayer Program: Specific Central families in our prayers: If you know someone on this list who is absent today, why not get in touch this week and let them know we miss them!

Spencer Alongi, Dee Brinser, Amy Darling, Randy Foote, Tony Heckathorn, Loretta King, Karen Moffitt-Piatt, Bev Robbins, Julie Taylor, Gail Wright

Family and Friends with prayer needs this week:

Richard Frederick, Frank Stevan Childs, Tony Luparello, John Carmine, Moi Zaylaya, Pearl Webb, Eric Hausamann, Stephen John Schulz, Jim Saunders, Rhonda Hartley

World Concerns

The victims and survivors of wars in Russia/Ukraine, Israel/Palestine, and Myanmar

To add prayer concerns (with that person's permission), contact Andy Tewksbury (607.785.5861) or the office (607.754.6060)

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Previous Services are available on Central's YouTube channel @CentralChurchEndicottNY



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Welcome to Worship!

February 4, 2024

Central UMC is a fully inclusive church that seeks, embraces, educates, worships, and serves all in God's love.

We welcome all persons to this time of worship, and we pray that this time will be a blessing to you. If you wish to learn more about Central and its ministries, Welcome folders are available at each entrance/exit to the Sanctuary, and in our Welcome Center.

Assistive Hearing Devices which operate through the building, and large-print bulletins, hymnals and bibles are available by the Tech Booth in the sanctuary.

Our celebration of **Holy Communion** on the first Sunday of each month is observed with gluten-free bread and grape juice.