

## 9.30am – Onsite and Online

*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

*Be Thou My Vision* arr Wesley King  
*The Lord Is My Shepherd* arr. Lyndell Leatherman  
*Come Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove* arr. Lani Smith

### Welcome

### Opening Prayer

Loving and Living God, you are always calling us to you. No matter how far off, no matter what choices we have made in our pasts, you remind us that in you, we find our journey and our home. You call us to hold fast to your truth, follow your son, and fill the world with the same grace you offer to us. Remind us always that you are our God and we are your people, upon whom you pour your unconditional and unbroken love. Heal our hearts, restore our strength, and teach us to turn and return to you always. We ask it in Jesus' name.  
**Amen.**

**Singing # 140 (red)** *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

**Exchanging the Peace of Christ (ASL)**

**Special Music** *If Thou but Suffer God to Guide Thee*  
arr. Marianne Kim

**Scripture** *Matthew 10:26-39 The Message*  
**Reflection on Scripture**

### Introduction to Prayer

**Special Music** *Meditation for Prayer"* by John Turner

### Congregational Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

### Celebrating the Sacrament of Baptism

*Diana Gildea*

### Welcoming New Members

*Diane Paradiso, Gabrielle Solyian,  
Renée Sersen, Diana Gildea*

### Offering our Gifts to God's Purposes

### Announcements

**Singing #2129 (black)** *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

### Blessing

### Departing with Music

*We're Marching to Zion* arr Hugh Livingston

*Worship Leaders: Pastor Michelle and Pastor Maggie*

*Music: Sean Stafford*

*Scripture Reader: Alicia Theonnes*

*Many thanks to the Ushers and Tech Team for today*

## Connect and Serve this Week

*Opportunities to Grow in Faith and Serve God*

### Sunday June 25

8:00 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)  
9:30 WORSHIP (Onsite and Online)

### Monday June 26

5:30 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)  
5:45 Girl Scout Troop (Youth Lounge)  
7:00 Ahwaga Canoe  
7:30 ZOOM Book Study

### Tuesday June 27

12:00 Clothing Center (by appointment only)  
5:00 Girl Scout Troop (Youth Lounge)  
6:00 Deborah Circle Dinner - Place TBA  
7:00 ZOOM Church Council

### Wednesday June 28

10:00 ZOOM Soul Care  
12:00 Clothing Center (by appointment only)  
6:00 Lions Club - Library  
7:30 AA

### Thursday June 29

4:30 Shepherd's Supper

### Friday June 30

5:30 Girl Scout Troop (Dining Room)  
7:30 AA

### Saturday, July 1

### Sunday July 2

8:00 Worship Broadcast (Spectrum Channel 1301)  
9:30 WORSHIP

**FOR ZOOM INFORMATION PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE (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 Study, 7.30pm each week

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

Meeting ID: 884 6630 3555

Passcode: 051760

*Recipes for a Sacred Life: Rivvy Neshama June 26 Part 1*

**Clothing Center** is in need of small bottles of shampoo.

**Worship Needs You!** Liturgists, Chat Hosts and Ushers are needed. Contact the church office to sign up at 607.754.6060.

**UWF Garden Tour - July 15th 10am-3pm** Tickets are \$20 per person and may be purchased at the church office. The ticket will include directions to the gardens. The tour is a lovely way to enjoy the outdoors and get some ideas for your own garden. This year's tour is partnering with 2 community groups – Lyceum, a Life-Learning Institute and PAST (Preservation Association of the Southern Tier). You will be able to tour 9 gardens in the Binghamton and Chenango Bridge area. Thank you for supporting the UWF mission.

**Field Trip to Mission Central** in Mechanicsburg PA on August 8. Open to all. We will leave Central about 8AM and return about 7PM.

“**Central Kids**” is in need of people to help teach a brief Sunday school lesson, maybe do a simple craft, and care for the children during worship. Supplies and lessons can be provided. See Donna Miller-Kross or Pastor Paul if you'd like to help.

**Taiwan Mission Trip** requests your prayers and support. Contact Jenn Rodzinka at 716.984.7872 or [Jennrodzinka@gmail.com](mailto:Jennrodzinka@gmail.com) for more information

## In Our Prayers This Week

### In Hospitals or Recovering at home:

Margaret Frederick, Janet Bouton, LaVon Hausamann, Karen Frega, Deb Fisher

### 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!

Janis Becker, Patricia & Carol Chandler, John & Patty Denmon, Debra Geiser, Ben & Judy Hottenstein, Beverly Lambert, Carl & June Muldner, David & Cheryl Rosenbloom, Andy Tewksbury Mary Yacovone

### Family and Friends with prayer needs this week:

Cyndi Tedeschi, Pam Russell, Richard Frederick, Shaquetta Glenn, Jean Amenda, Ron Bichler, Jacob Revell, Tom Jones, Frank Stevan Childs, Carolyn Stanford, Doris Andrews

### Our Sympathy and Condolences:

The friends & family of Ron Bichler, who died last week.  
The friends & family of Reeta Hayes, who died last week.

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

## Central United Methodist Church

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Previous Services are available on YouTube or Central's website

# Central

United Methodist Church

**Celebrating 185 years of Serving God,  
Serving others, and Loving All**



## Welcome to Worship!

**June 25, 2023**

*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 throughout 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.