

\*Hymn of Communion **What a Friend We Have in Jesus** No. 585  
*(In Christ's name we welcome all persons into membership into the church by confession of faith and baptism or by transfer of membership. Please step to the front pew during the singing of this Hymn of Communion.)*

Elder's Meditation Janet Lyman

Words of Institution Don Martin

Prayer of Consecration Gail Prince  
*(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation. You may eat the Bread as it is passed, but hold the Cup to drink together.)*

Communion Music

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body of Christ.  
**All: The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our Communion in the blood of Christ. Amen.**

Benediction

\*Recessional **Lead Me, Guide Me** No. 583

Postlude **Nun Danket Alle Gott** J. S. Bach  
Dee Dee Gain, organ  
*(Please remain in your pews until the Acolytes have left the aisle.)*  
*\*All who are able, please stand*



**Michael E. Karunas**  
Senior Minister

**Don Martin**  
Minister of Music

**Tina Miller**  
Associate Minister of  
CE and Family Life

**David Martin**  
Youth Director

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**Sunday, March 8, 2020**  
**Second Sunday in Lent**  
*Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope*

**GATHERING**

Prelude **Sicilienne** Maria-Theresia v. Paradis  
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Introit

\*The Processional **Come and Find the Quiet Center** No. 575

\*Responsive Reading Paul Gorden

Leader: O God, preserve us in your keeping,

**People: that we may not faint and abandon your Word.**

Leader: Let us enjoy the faithfulness which you have shown through  
your son Jesus.

**People: Kindle in us the fire of your divine love and lead us to practice  
love as your dear children.**

Leader: Let the light of your divine glory illuminate us, that we may then  
walk in it.

**People: Send us your Holy Spirit and endue us with power.**

**All: Renew our hearts and make us strong in you, that we may  
praise your name.**

\*Invocation

\*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 debts as we forgive our debtors.**

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever,**

**Amen.**

\*Gloria Patri No. 35

Children's Message David Martin

**PRAYER**

Prayer Hymn **The Lord's Prayer** No. 308  
*(the congregation sings "hallowed be Thy name")*

Pastoral Prayer Michael E. Karunas

Prayer Response

*(If you want someone to pray with you after this service, please meet an Elder in the  
church gallery just to your right as you leave the sanctuary)*

**PROCLAMATION**

Offertory Invitation

Offertory **O Sing to the Lord** arr. David von Kampen  
Andy DeLeon, Thomas Karunas, Christian Jackson, Tristan Gammel

\*Doxology No. 46

\*Prayer of Dedication

Anthem **Sanctus (Holy is the Lord)** Franz Schubert  
Chancel Choir

Scripture Readings Mark 1:35 (pg. 35 N.T.)

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon **Spiritual Exercise #2: Prayer**

**RESPONSE**

Invitation to Discipleship

**IN SERVICE TODAY Sunday, March 8, 2020**

**Elders:**

8:00 & 10:30 - Janet Lyman & Gail Prince  
9:00 - Gail Prince

**Deacons:**

8:00 - Team 3 - Jane Davis, David & Nancy King, Carolyn McCall, Bobby Munos, Mike Munos, Bob Muschal, Pat Penhallegon, Sid & Krista Rohrscheib\*  
9:00 - Josiah Agar  
10:30 - Team 4 - Keith & Jeannie Backes\*, Shelby Baum, Mark Beal, Jon French, Mike & Gretchen Kirby, David Martin, Seth Martin, Ron & Gwen Miller, Brittney Moran, Doug Soebbing, Matthew Swarthout

**Ushers:**

8:00 - Team 5 - Mike Munos, Capt., Gerri Munos, Brad Munos, Brittney Moran, Bobby Munos  
10:30 - Team 10 - David Martin, Capt., Matthew Swarthout, Gretchen Kirby

**Greeters:**

8:00 - Gene & Sandy Garver  
9:00 - Maxine Koenig/Barb Leihser/Cheryl Zollinger  
10:30 - Larry & Michele Bafford

**Acolytes:**

10:30 - Kellan Niles-Cox & Zedekiah Auten

**P.A. Operator:**

8:00 - Jim Bednar  
10:30 - Mike Kirby

**Preparation of Communion:**

Larry & Michele Bafford, Christine Lyman-Harm\*

**Liturgist:**

8:00 & 10:30 - Paul Gorden  
9:00 - Sandy Schultz

**Hospitality:**

9:00 - Deb Trei

**Tech:**

9:00 - Jodie Walwer & Mike Tanzyus

Sunday School Classes	Floor	Room
Koinonia	2	212
Ecclesia	2R	240
Chalice	2	207
6th grade - 12th grade	2R	280
Kindergarten - 5th grade	2R	230
Nursery (Birth - 5 years old)	1R	150

**CHURCH CALENDAR**



**Sunday (8)**

8:00-Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary  
9:00-Contemporary Worship, Great Hall  
9:00-Fellowship Coffee  
9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes  
9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes  
10:30-Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary  
12:00-Praise Team Rehearsal  
4:00-Youth Group  
6:00-Woolridge Lenten Study Group, C. Café  
6:00-Just Flicks, First Presbyterian Church, "Flint: The Poisoning of an American City"

**Monday (9)**

**Preschool Public Registration, 8:00 AM-Noon**  
9:00-Good Sam pickup  
12:30-Women's Book Club, Panera  
6:00-Girl Scouts Troop #3262, Disciples Room

**Tuesday (10)**

**Preschool Public Registration, 8:00 AM-Noon**  
7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café  
9:00-Stitchers, 207  
1:00-Martin Lenten Study Group, 240  
5:30-Women's Book Club, Panera  
5:30-Miller Lenten Study Group, 240  
6:30-Heart & Soul Choir, Choir Room & Connection Café  
7:00-Millikin Heights, Disciples Room

**Wednesday (11)**

**Preschool Public Registration, 8:00 AM-Noon**  
10:15-Preschool Chapel, Friendship Center  
10:30-Ministers' Meeting  
5:00-Elders' Meeting, Disciples Room

**Thursday (12)**

**Preschool Public Registration, 8:00 AM-Noon**  
10:00-Alanon, 240  
4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café  
6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples Room  
7:00-Chancel Choir, Choir Room

**Friday (13)**

**Preschool Public Registration, 8:00 AM-Noon**

**Saturday (14)**

**Sunday (15)**

8:00-Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary  
9:00-Contemporary Worship, Great Hall  
9:00-Fellowship Coffee  
9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes  
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Save the Date!  
Beginning Spanish  
Conversations  
Class starts  
March 16th!



**Hannah Brimmer,  
our social media  
coordinator, would  
love to be Facebook  
friends with you!  
Please friend  
request Hannah.**

### Staying Healthy During a Season of Illness

The coronavirus is a hot topic right now in the news. We care about each and every person who walks through the doors of Central, and we want to help everyone stay healthy. “Social distancing” and hand-washing are two very effective ways of preventing the spread of disease. Social distancing is about limiting the amount the physical contact with others. Hand-washing is important, as it keeps us from transmitting viruses to ourselves by touching our own faces. At Central, the “Greeting” is an important part of our worship together, but for the time being, we are going to encourage the **refraining of hand-to-hand contact**. Instead, we are going to greet one another with smiles, nods, waves, peace signs, thumbs up, elbow bumps, etc. We also have several **hand sanitizer dispensing stations** throughout the church building; these are a great solution for cleansing hands when soap and water aren’t readily available. What might be just a cold for you may turn into something more serious for persons with compromised immune systems. Let’s help take care of each other while looking out for our own health.

### Get Involved

All Central women are invited to the March 24th business meeting of Dorcas Disciples. We will meet in the Disciples Room at 5:45 PM for devotions, CWF Liaison Report, and important updates.

The powerful **“Human Trafficking - What to Know”** program will follow at 6:30 PM in the Great Hall and is open to **ALL Central members**. Sara Sefried, Director of Human Trafficking Services, Peoria Center for Prevention of Abuse, will share how her department is caring for victims of modern-day slavery, people exploited through force, fraud, or coercion into involuntary labor or the commercial sex trade. **DON’T MISS THIS IMPORTANT PROGRAM!**

Please contact Nancy Ellen Taylor at 217-872-9174 or [xstr@sbcglobal.net](mailto:xstr@sbcglobal.net) to let us know that you’ll join us for the March 24th meeting.

**Just Flicks, TONIGHT, 6:00 PM, First Presbyterian Church**  
**“Flint: The Poisoning of an American City”**

## ABOUT TODAY’S MUSIC

Anthem *Sanctus*

Words: Johann Philipp Neuman

Translation: Charles H. Davis

Music Franz Schubert

Holy, holy, holy, Holy is the Lord!  
Holy, holy, holy, Holy is our God!  
He who always liveth, Evermore the same,  
Heaven and earth He ruleth, Come and praise His name!

Holy, holy, holy, Holy is the Lord!  
Holy, holy, holy, Holy is our God!  
Glorious and beloved is the One adored!  
Holy, holy, holy, Holy is the Lord!

—CCLI #1762523

### Good Samaritan Saturdays

Volunteers from Central Christian Church will prepare and serve lunch at the Good Samaritan Inn on four Saturdays this year: March 14, May 9, July 11, and Oct 17. On each of these dates, the crew consists of 5-6 workers from 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. for food preparation and 12-14 workers for serving from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. A volunteer sign-up sheet for the March 14 meal will be available at the church this coming Sunday. If you can help, please sign up at the church or contact Dave Wagner or Shirley Swarthout, who together head up Central's volunteer team. You may also phone the church office, 428-4336.

### **Help us Evangelize through Facebook!**

- “Check in” on Facebook (let your friends know you’re here)
- “Like” our pages (Central Christian Contemporary Worship/Central Christian Church)
- “Follow” our pages (click on the ellipse and then select “Follow”)
- Silence your phone, but please use it to:
  - Take pictures and video
  - Share to our Facebook page (and yours!)

**Wifi= CCC Guest. No password.**

