

ORDER OF WORSHIP
Sunday, March 15, 2020
Second Sunday in Lent
Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope

GATHERING

Prelude **Andantino** Cesar Franck
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Introit

*The Processional **How Great Thou Art (vs. 1, 2, 3)** No. 33

*Responsive Reading David Martin

Leader: Come, thank God for the whole of creation,

**People: for all the works of God's hand,
for all God has done in our midst.**

Leader: Come, praise God with all the living things.

People: The heavens are telling the glory of God.

Leader: Turn to the Word of God to revive your soul.

People: God's Word is a lamp unto our feet.

All: God's word is a light unto our path.

*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 Tina Miller

PRAYER

Prayer Hymn **Responsive Reading from Psalter** No. 759

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 **The Heavens Are Telling**
Ludwig von Beethoven
Men's Chorus; Christian Jackson, director

*Doxology No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

Anthem **The Heavens Are Telling**
Franz Joseph Haydn
Chancel Choir
Trio: Karen Driver, soprano; David Williams, tenor; John Baird, baritone

Scripture Readings Psalm 19:1-9 (pg. 498-499 O.T.)

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon **Spiritual Exercise #3: Study**

RESPONSE

Invitation to Discipleship

CHURCH CALENDAR



IN SERVICE TODAY Sunday, March 15, 2020

Elders:

8:00 & 10:30 - Krista Rohrscheib & Kim Maple
9:00 - Kim Maple

Outreach Communion:

Bruce Campbell, Kevin Miller, Gail Prince, Claudia Quigg, Krista Rohrscheib, Linda Virgil, Vicky Woolridge

Deacons:

8:00 - Team 1 - Pamela Bednar, Al & Chris Fagin, Gene & Sandy Garver*, Debbie Hoffert, Gary Horvath, George & Pearl Jones, Gail Prince, David Wagner
9:00 - Kim York
10:30 - Team 2 - Pam Ferguson, Dale Ford, Roberta Gorden, Erik Harm, Thomas Karunas, Kathy Kauzlarich, Christine Lyman-Harm*, Janet Lyman, Audrey Miller, Ron Oliver, Jeannie Rade, Steve Swarthout

Ushers:

8:00 - Team 1 - Donna Dash, Capt., Carolyn Sunderlik
10:30 - Team 6 - Mark Beal, Capt., Mark Kincaid, Susan Bryant

Greeters:

8:00 - Greg & Jo Carter
9:00 - Cheryl Zollinger
10:30 - John & Linda Hill

Acolytes:

10:30 - Julina & Jordan Lindsey

P.A. Operator:

8:00 - Donna Dash
10:30 - Larry Pepper

Preparation of Communion:

Larry & Michele Bafford, Christine Lyman-Harm*

Liturgist:

8:00 & 10:30 - Gail Prince
9:00 - Tina Miller

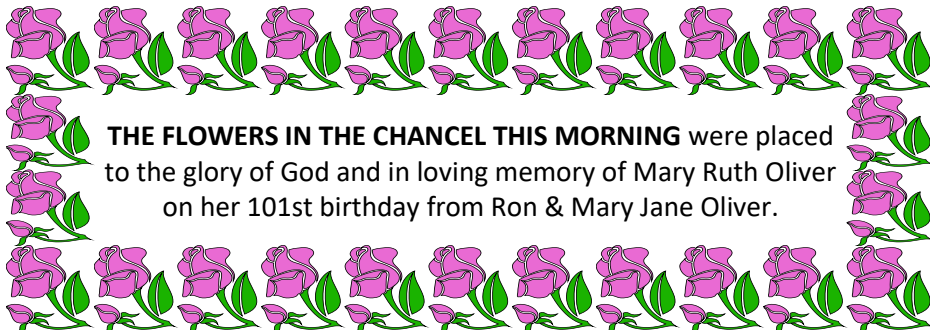
Hospitality:

9:00 - Cheryl Zollinger

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



THE FLOWERS IN THE CHANCEL THIS MORNING were placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mary Ruth Oliver on her 101st birthday from Ron & Mary Jane Oliver.

Sunday (15)

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, Connection Café

Monday (16)

Preschool Break

10:00-Operations Committee, Conference Room
5:30-Beg. Spanish Conversations Class, 240
6:00-Girl Scouts Troop #3262, Disciples Room

Tuesday (17)

General Primary Election Day

Preschool Break

7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café
9:00-Stitchers, 207
9:30-Card Ministry, 240
10:30-Staff Meeting, Conference Room
1:00-Martin Lenten Study Group, 240
5:30-Miller Lenten Study Group, 240
5:30-Preschool Board Meeting, Conference Room
6:30-Heart & Soul Choir, Choir Room & Connection Café

Wednesday (18)

Preschool Break

10:30-Ministers' Meeting
4:15-Peace & Justice Committee, 240
5:00-Church Council Committee Meeting, Disciples Room

Thursday (19)

Preschool Break

10:00-Alanon, 240
4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café
6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples Room
7:00-Chancel Choir, Choir Room

Friday (20)

Preschool Break

Saturday (21)

3D Ministry Trip to American Passion Play

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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. For more information on the Coronavirus, visit <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>.

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 to let us know that you’ll join us for the March 24th meeting.

Save the Date

April 11th, 10:00 AM - Egg Hunt!

ABOUT TODAY’S MUSIC

Offertory: ***The Heavens are Telling***

Words: based on Psalm 19

Music: Ludwig von Beethoven

The heavens are telling the Lord’s endless glory. Through all the earth His praise is found. The skies re-echo the marvelous story: O man repeat that glorious sound! The starry hosts He doth order and number, He fills the morning’s golden springs, He wakes the sun from his night-curtained slumber; O man adore the King of Kings. The heavens are His and the earth knows His favor, His power in all things thou dost see; The Lord of hosts who forever and ever Thy God and Father still shall be. He is thy Maker whose love shall not waver, A God of wisdom, ever kind; Praise Him and love Him with all thy endeavor, in Him salvation shalt thou find.

Anthem: ***The Heavens are Telling (from The Creation)***

Words: based on Psalm 19

Music: Franz Joseph Haydn

The heavens are telling the glory of God. The wonder of His works displays the firmament; The day that is coming speaks it the day, the night that is gone to following night. The heavens are telling the glory of God, the wonder of His work displays the firmament. In all the lands resounds the word, never unperceived, ever understood. The heavens are telling the glory of God, the wonder of His work displays the firmament.

Communion Hymn: ***Thy Word***

Words and Music: Michael W. Smith and Amy Grant

Arrangement: Jack Schrader

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and light unto my path.

When I feel afraid, think I’ve lost my way, still you’re there right beside me.

And nothing will I fear as long as you are near. Please be near me to the end.

Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed, for I am thy God, I will still give thee aid. I’ll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand, upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

I will not forget your love for me, and yet, my heart forever is wandering.

Jesus be my guide, and hold me to your side; and I will love you to the end.

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 - Share to our Facebook page (and yours!)

