



**Central
United
Methodist Church**

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Phone # _____

_____ Adults \$5 each = \$ _____

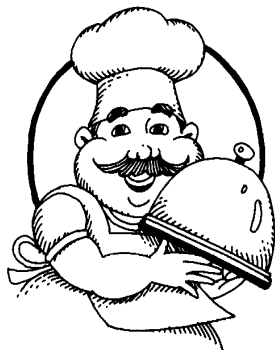
_____ Children \$2 each = \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Adults: \$5.00

Children: \$2.00 (under 12)

**Please fill out and drop in offering plate
or call the office by 11:00 am on Tuesday
to make reservations!**



CENTRAL TO LIFE!

Please prayerfully read and consider **John 2:13-25** which will serve as the focus of our worship next Sunday.

Our Prayers

Ecuador Mission Trip
Andy Kilpatrick, Joy
Gina Kilpatrick, Joy
Linda Allison, Health
Melissa Coman, Health
Betty Johnson, Health
Beth Mason, Health
Horace & Doris Sellars, Health
Wilda Medford, Health
Beryl Pettit, Health
John Ezell, Health
Cheryl Vleit, Health
Kenneth Sanford, Health
Don & Doris Murphy, Health
Leilani Longbons, Health
Economy Issues
Timothy Lee, Health
Angela Woody, Health
Jeff Messer, Health
Logan Carlson, Health
Raoul Frederick, Health
Robin Frederick, Health
Joan Christy, Recovering
Howard Sellars, Recovering
Craig Campbell, Recovering
Jeremy, Support
Jennifer Sutton & Baby, Hospital
Velma Mizzel, Hospital
Annie Freeman, Hospital
Eric Meyer, Hospital
John Medford, Health

Weekly Calendar

Weekday Preschool M-F 7am-6pm

Sun. 3/8 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS

8:30-12:30 pm Nursery Available
9 am Praise Service
9:30 am Central Cafe'
9:45 am Fish Tank Gathering (older elem. room)
10 am Confirmation Class-Pastor's Office
10 am Sunday School & Handbells
11 am Traditional Service
12-5 pm Blood Drive in memory of Shawn & Tye Blanton (Parlor)
12-1:30 pm Fundraising Lunch for Youth-Soup & Sandwiches (FH)
12:15-3:15 pm Health Fair (Fellowship Hall)
1:30 pm Community Garden-Rowe Henry
****NO YOUTH MEETING**
6 pm Disciple Bible Study II-Rowe Henry

Mon. 3/9

6:30-9 pm Weight Watchers, Fellowship Hall
Tues. 3/10

10 am Chrismon Group -Puppet Room
(lower level, educational bldg.)

12-1 pm Lenten Study-Rowe Henry
5:30-7 pm Brownie Girl Scouts - Koinonia
6-8 pm - Quilting Class - Fellowship Hall

Wed. 3/11

5:45 am Central in Motion @ Canton Rec
Park Basketball Court

Wed. WOW Schedule

5:30 - 6 pm WOW Supper - Fellowship Hall
6-7 pm Kid's Club/Children's Choir- Elem. Rm.
6:15 pm WOW Worship - Multi-purpose
Room (off lobby of sanctuary)
7 - 8 pm Chancel Choir Practice- Sanctuary

Thurs. 3/12

Newsletter Articles Due
10 am WPTL Weekly Radio Broadcast
10 am United Methodist Women-Parlor
6-8 pm Praise Team Practice-Sanctuary
6:30-8 pm Christian Believer - Rowe Henry
**6:30 pm Enough: Discovering Simplicity
and Generosity @ Kevin & Allison
Spruill's Home**

Fri. 3/13

5:45 am Central in Motion @ Canton Rec Park
Basketball Court
****TBA - Youth Lock -In**

Sat. 3/14

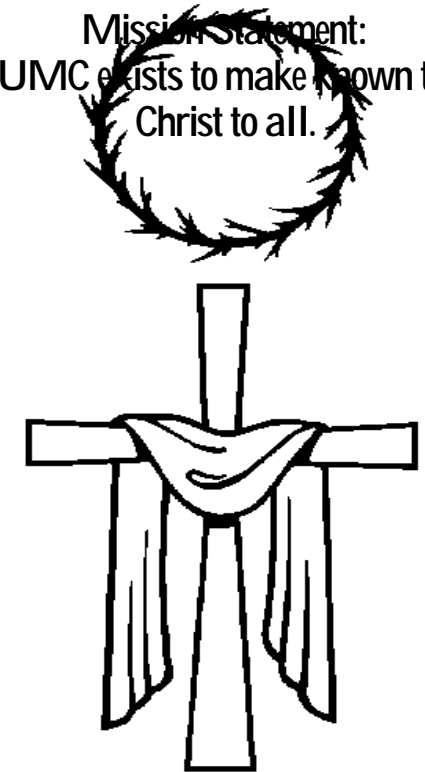
Sun. 3/15 Third Sunday of Lent

7:30 am Men's Breakfast - Fellowship Hall
8:30-12:30 pm Nursery Available
9 am Praise Service
9:30 am Central Cafe'
9:45 am Fish Tank Gathering (older Elem. Rm.)
10 am Sunday School & Handbells
10 am Confirmation Class-Pastor's Office
11 am Traditional Service
4-5 pm Liturgical Dance
5:15-8 pm Youth Group
6-8 pm Disciple Bible Study II - Rowe Henry

**Canton Central
United Methodist Church**

Mission Statement:

**Central UMC exists to make known the love of
Christ to all.**



Geneale Bates, Praise Team Accompanist
Judy Bromley, Bookkeeper, centralfinance@bellsouth.net
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Michelle Moody, Nursery Worker
Mark Redd, Technology Consultant
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Dot Wells, Organist

Church: 828-648-7270
Al Ward, Waynesville District Superintendent
Larry Goodpaster, Western NC Bishop

Central United Methodist Church
Second Sunday in Lent
March 8, 2009

Welcome /Parish Notes

Bringing Forth The Light of Christ

[Prelude](#) "Ah, Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken?" Walcha
 Focus on Worship

*Hymn of Praise **No. 159** "Lift High The Cross"

*Prayer of Confession

Holy God, we admit that it is easy to only think of ourselves in our society where it seems as if we have to. Help us to learn what it means to truly deny ourselves so that we might gain the Life you promise. Forgive us for being self-centered. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Hear the Good News! Christ died for us while we were yet sinners, that proves His love for us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People: **In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!**

ALL: GLORY TO GOD! AMEN!

*Passing of the Peace

(As music is played children are invited to the front for a time of sharing and adults may be seated)

A Time For the Child In All Of Us

Allison Spruill

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Special Sharing

Michaela Blanton

Offering of Gifts and Tithes

[Offertory Anthem](#)

"Lord, Lead Us Now"

Martin

*Doxology No. 94

*Scripture Lesson

Mark 8:31-38

Sermon

"Mind Setting"

Rev. David Christy

*Hymn of Dedication **No. 338** "Where He Leads Me"

*Sending Forth/Blessing of Meal

(Please remain standing as the light of Jesus Christ is carried out and as our choir offers a response)

*Choral Response

"May the Lord Go with You"

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*Postlude

"Jesu, Priceless Treasure"

Walther

*Congregation please stand, as you are able.

The Chancel Flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of our friend and neighbor, Mary Francis Hardin, on her 78th birthday on the 12th which also happens to be our 32nd wedding anniversary by Butch and Pat Owen.



OUR WORSHIP LEADERS

Greeters: Virginia Miller and Lura Angel

Scripture Reader: Matthew Haney

Ushers: Dan Kelly, Max Bumgardner, R. M. Phillips, Dave Masters, Fred Trantham, Matthew Haney

OUR GIFTS

Offering Rec'd for General Budget : \$ 6,021.36

Committed Per Week: \$5,356.00

****Needed Weekly for 2009 Budget: \$ 4,741.00**

Rec'd for Capital Campaign: \$ 605.00

Wednesday Offering (WNCC Brotherhood/Sisterhood) \$ 46

Ecuador Mission Trip: \$399.18

WOW Offering: (WNCC Children's Home) \$34.50

OUR PRESENCE

Sunday, March 1

9 am Praise Worship: 33

10 am Sunday School: 63

11 am Worship: 93

TOTAL WORSHIP: 126

Wednesday Worship: 48

OUR SERVICE

Nursery Worker: Michelle Moody

Nursery Volunteers:

8:45: Ginger Galyean

9:45: Cindy Metzgar

10:45: Krystal Baker &

Barbara Markham

Each person is reminded to check the "Every Member In Ministry" Table in the back of the church for new ways you can plug into minis-



WOW Menu-Mar 11th
 Beef Tips with Egg Noodles & Gravy, Green Peas, Rolls, Cherry Pie

WOW Meal Helpers:

Set-up: David Christy

Clean-Up: Dan & Patsy Kelly