

**Small Group & Service Opportunities**

Don't forget to list your contact information on the back! Place in the offering plate.

**I want to participate in:**

**the New Knit & Crochet Group.**

Meets 1st & 3rd Mondays, 6:30-8:30 PM, at Butterfly Kisses (the Russell's shop next to Polly's Florist), 55 Main Street. Led by Carolyn Russell. Starts tomorrow, Oct. 5.

**the Quilting Group.**

Meets 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. Led by Carolyn Russell. Starts Oct. 13.

**the SPY Program as an adult**

**Secret Partner for Youth.** Adult partners will be given the name and information about a youth in our program. Adults give anonymous notes and small tokens monthly to show they are thinking of their youth partner, while praying for them during the school year.

**cooking and/or serving the hot dog lunch** at the Fall Festival on Oct. 17. Arrive at 10:00 AM to begin cooking and set up for lunch. (Serve Noon-2:00)


**the Fall Festival on Oct. 17.**

- \_\_\_ Set up - 9:30-11:30 AM
- \_\_\_ Lead a game - 11:30-2:00
- \_\_\_ Lead a craft - 11:30-2:00
- \_\_\_ Welcome table 11:30-2:00
- \_\_\_ Clean up - 2:00-3:00 PM

(Turn Over)



**CENTRAL TO LIFE!**  
Please prayerfully read and consider [Mark 10:17-31](#) which will serve as the focus of our worship next Sunday.

<p><b>Our Prayers</b> <i>Joe Estes, Praise</i> <i>John &amp; Aileen Ezell, Praise</i> Linda Allison, Health Melissa Coman, Health Beth Mason, Health Horace and Doris Sellars, Health Wilda Medford, Health John &amp; Aileen Ezell, Health &amp; Support Raoul Frederick, Praise Mary and Howard Sellars, Health Craig Campbell, Health Dave Masters, Health Jason Miller, Support Ed Oakley, Health Nell Caldwell, Health Marvelene Chapman, Health Brooklyn Giuliano, Health Maddie Spiker, Health Tula Hendrix, Health Geneal Bates, Health Kate Farley, Health Lisa Griggs, Health Rita Schubert, Health Keith Wyatt, Health Doug Earley, Health Margaret Rogers, Health Lori Lynch, Health Roxanne Winfrey, Health Teresa Burnette, Health Judy Stamey, Health Jana Smith, Health Flood Victims, Support Barbara Brown and Family, Health and Support Kaylee Bryson, Health Pat Greeley, Health Nancy Wells, Health John Meyers, Health Vicki Woolen, Health Elayne Wadsworth, Health Linda Reck, Health</p>	<p><b>Weekly Calendar</b></p> <p><b>Sun. 10/4</b> 8 am Praise Team Practice-Sanctuary 8:30-12:30 pm Nursery Available 9 am Praise Service 9:30 am Central Cafe 10 am Sunday School &amp; Handbell practice 10:30 Choir Practice 11 am Traditional Service 12 noon Vision Meal &amp; Vision Planning-FREE-Fellowship Hall 5:15-7:15 pm <i>Jesus in the Gospels</i> study - Lib. 3:45-5:15 pm Haywood Comm. Youth Chorus-MP 3:45 pm Youth Leave for Community Kitchen</p> <p><b>Mon. 10/5</b> 5:30-7 pm Brownie &amp; Daisy Scouts (K-3 girls) - K 6:30-9 pm The Basket Cases - Rowe Henry 6:30-7:30 pm Weight Watchers - Fellowship Hall 6:30-8:30 pm Knit &amp; Crochet Group - at the Russell's shop @ 55 Main Street, blue awning next to Polly's. (1st &amp; 3rd Mon.</p> <p><b>Tues. 10/6</b> 9:30 am Newsletter Team-Koinonia-Everyone Welcome 5 pm Pisgah Soccer Meal-Fellowship Hall</p> <p><b>Wed. 10/7</b> 5:45 am Central In Motion @ Canton Rec Park -B-Ball Ct. 4:30 pm Prayer Team - Parlor 5:30-6 pm WOW Supper in Fellowship Hall 6-7 pm Kid's Cub/Children's Choir - Elem. Room 6:15-7 pm Vespers Worship - Multi-Purpose Rm. 7 pm Chancel Choir Practice - Sanctuary</p> <p><b>Thurs. 10/8</b> <i>Newsletter Articles Due</i> 10 am WPTL Weekly Radio Broadcast 10-12 noon UMW at the Christy's House 6-8 pm Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary</p> <p><b>Fri. 10/9</b> 5:45 am Central In Motion @ Canton Rec Park -B-Ball Ct.</p> <p><b>Sat. 10/10</b></p> <p><b>Sun. 10/11</b> 8 am Praise Team Practice-Sanctuary 8:30-12:30 pm Nursery Available 9 am Praise Service 9:30 am Central Cafe 10 am Sunday School &amp; Handbell Practice 10:30 Choir Practice 11 am Traditional Service 5:15-7:15 pm <i>Jesus in the Gospels</i> Study - Library 5:15-7:15 pm Youth Group</p>
 <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CUMC Preschool</b> Monday - Friday, 7 am - 6pm</p>	

Canton Central  
United Methodist Church

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

[www.centralUMCcanton.org](http://www.centralUMCcanton.org)



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Central United Methodist Church  
 Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost  
 October 4, 2009

**Entrance**

Welcome / Parish Notes

Prelude "Upon Thy Table, Lord" Wood

Bringing Forth The Light of Christ

Focus On Worship

\*Hymn No. 159 "Lift High The Cross"

\*Passing The Peace  
 (As music is played, children can come down front and adults can be seated)

A Time For the Child In All Of Us David Christy  
 (As music is played, children can come down front and adults can be seated)

**Offering and Prayers**

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The 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.**

Explanation of Commitment Sunday

Offering of Gifts and Tithes

Offertory Anthem "By Faith" Berry/Lawrence

\*Doxology

**Proclamation and Response**

Scripture Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12

Homily "What We DO See"

Service of Communion

**Sending Forth**

\*Sending Forth/Blessing of the Meal

\*Congregational Response "A Closing Prayer"

**May the peace of God the Father, the love of Christ, His Son Guide us in the days ahead and strengthen us, each one. May the blessings of the spirit fill us from within; God bless us and return us to this fellowship once again.**

\*Postlude "Praise the Lord, Rise Up Rejoicing" Wood

\*Congregation please stand, as you are able.



The Chancel Flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Neil McKinnish by his family.

**OUR WORSHIP LEADERS**

Greeters: Virginia Miller and Lura Angel

Ushers: Dr. A. P. Cline, Jr., Danny Bates, Charles Hardin, Paul Henson, Bob Holcomb, Greg Kelley, Don Messer, David Moss, Bob McCracken

Pew Crew: 1st Sunday: Phyllis Howard

**OUR GIFTS Last Sunday**

Offering Rec'd for General Budget: \$ 3,459.00

Committed Per Week: \$5,356.00

**\*\*Needed Weekly for 2009 Budget: \$ 6,481.00**

Rec'd for Capital Campaign: \$ 1,173.63

Wednesday WOW Offering: (The Gideon's) \$25.00

**OUR PRESENCE Last Sunday**

9 am Praise Service: 48

10 am Sunday School: 51

11 am Worship: 90

TOTAL WORSHIP: 138

Wednesday WOW Service: 47

**OUR SERVICE**

**Nursery:**

8:45 am - Mary Hipps

9:45 am - Sunday School with Jency Smathers

**FINISH LINE Campaign Update**

Out of the \$1.2 million Building Campaign begun in January of 2006, we have only **\$52,250** to totally pay off the loan!  
 To God be the glory!

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

**Small Group & Service Opportunities (cont.)**

I would like to:

\_\_\_ **bake a cake** for the Cake Walk at the Fall Festival. Money raised will go towards youth mission trips.

\_\_\_ **Donate individually wrapped candy** for the Fall Festival Oct. 17 & Trunk or Treat on Oct. 31.

\_\_\_ **Bring my car and give out candy** at Trunk or Treat on Halloween, Oct. 31. (NOT during the Fall Festival) Arrive by 4:00 PM. Trunk or Treat is 4:30-5:30 PM.

\_\_\_ **Other:** Is there something not listed that you would like to see offered? Please list:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**WOW Supper**

**Reserve your space here.**

**MENU**

**5:30-6:00 pm**

**October 7**

Chicken Pot Pie, Squash Casserole, Green Beans, Rolls, Sweet Tea & Peanut Butter Pie

Number of Adults \_\_\_ x \$5 = \_\_\_

Number Under 12 \_\_\_ x \$2 = \_\_\_