

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

ATTENDANCE

(11/17) 8:45 Service.....68 10:50am Service.....54

Operating Fund

Contributions 11/17 \$3,654.00
2019 Year-to-date
Contributions \$ 355,267.40

Capital Improvements Fund

Contributions 11/17 \$0.00
2019 Year-to-date
Contributions \$3,155.06

USHERS:

Clyde Kerns
Joe Patterson

GREETERS:

MaryWade Smith

Worship Leaders

Pastor, Bruce Gwyn
The Chancel Choir
Director of Music, Carlos Zamora
Organist/Accompanist, Doug Parker
Acolyte

Additional Church Staff

*Director of Youth & Children's
Ministries*, Gene Bragg
Hand Bell/Drama Director,
Teresa Williams
Administrative Assistant,
Candy Love

Notes:

Central

United Methodist Church

Getting A Chance to Start Over

To Live and Love as Christ

Special Upcoming Services

12/15/19 Early Service, 8:45am

12/15/19 Christmas Cantata Service, 10:00am

12/24/19 Candlelight Communion

Christmas Eve Service, 7:00pm

Pastor Bruce Gwyn

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GATHERING

WELCOME

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

THE CHIMING OF THE HOLY TRINITY

PRELUDE

It is Well With My Soul.....TUCKER

*CALL TO WORSHIP

The heavens are telling of the glory of God;
And the skies proclaims God’s handiwork.
Your law, O God, is perfect, reviving our souls,
And your commandments are sure, rejoicing our hearts.
Let our words and worship, the meditation of our hearts,
be acceptable to you,
O God, our rock and our redeemer!

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 327

Crown Him with Many Crowns.....DIADEMATA

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, The Apostles’ Creed, No. 881

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he arose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth
at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick
and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*THE GLORIA PATRI, No. 71.....GREATOREX

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the
beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

THE MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER, No. 895

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.

THE GIVING OF THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

How Great Thou Art with Majesty.....ARR. RANEY

*THE DOXOLOGY, No. 94.....LASST UNS ERFREUEN

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

ANTHEM

We Bless the Father.....MARK BENDER

HYMN OF PREPARATION, No. 454

Open My Eyes That I May See.....OPEN MY EYES
**Open my eyes, that I may see
glimpses of truth you have for me;
place in my hands the wonderful key
that shall unlock and set me free.
Silently now, on bended knee,
ready I wait your will to see;
open my eyes, illumine me,
Spirit divine!**

*THE SCRIPTURE LESSON.....JOHN 8:3-11

*Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God.*

SERMON, *Getting A Chance to Start Over*.....BRUCE GWYN

*HYMN, No. 102

Now Thank We All Our God.....NUN DANKET

*THE BENEDICTION

*SENDING THE LIGHT

THE ACOLYTE

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE, No. 159

Lift High the Cross.....CRUCIFER
**Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim
till all the world adore His sacred name.
Come, Christians, follow this triumphant sign.
The hosts of God in unity combine.
Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim
till all the world adore His sacred name.**

*POSTLUDE

Now Thank We All Our God.....LARSON

* Those who are able are invited to stand.