

Announcements

Wishing you a **Happy and Safe Labor Day!** Please note that the church office will be closed on Monday, September 1, in observance of the holiday.

The **Trustees** will meet on Tuesday, September 2, at 6:00 pm.

We have **altar flower dates available**. The cost is \$100. If you would like a date, please contact the church office at 704-739-2471 or central@cmkm.org.

Save the date for our next **Family Fellowship Night** on September 10, 2025, at 6:15 pm. More details to come!

Come join us for our **Annual Fall Festival** on Saturday, October 18, from 4:30 to 6:30 pm! There will be bounce houses, free hot dogs, Trunk or Treat, and more! We need 10 cars for Trunk or Treat. We're aiming for 10 decorated cars —want to help? Email central@cmkm.org or see Stephanie Wilson to claim a spot.

We are now **collecting wrapped candy** for the Fall Festival. Please bring your donations to the collection area in the CAC Hallway behind the staircase.

We are currently organizing a **Mission Day on Sunday, October 19, 2025**. On that day, representatives from our partner organizations will be at the church to discuss their ministries.

Plans are underway for the **151st Church Anniversary** on Sunday, November 16, 2025.

Our **Nursery** is available starting at 10:00 am for aged 0-4 years old. KIDS Central meets at 10:00 am on Sundays and is our church's church for K-5th.

You can reach Pastor Perry Hines at 828-768-5996. If you have any questions about church events, please get in touch with the church office at 704-739-2471 or central@cmkm.org.

Welcome Visitors!
Scan the QR code to get connected to Central, inquire about membership and for prayer requests.



Stewardship Report

Attendance

8/24/25 10:00 am Service.....90

Operating Fund 2025
Contributions 8/24/25 \$ 3,648.35
Contributions MTD \$ 22,706.35

Ushers: Joe Patterson, Jim Larson
Keith Bradley and Allan Propst

Greeters: Carrie Bradley

Prayer List

Praises and Concerns Praises and concerns will stay on this list for one month unless otherwise requested.

Members in Nursing Homes, Assisted Living, and Homebound: Marilyn Hamrick.

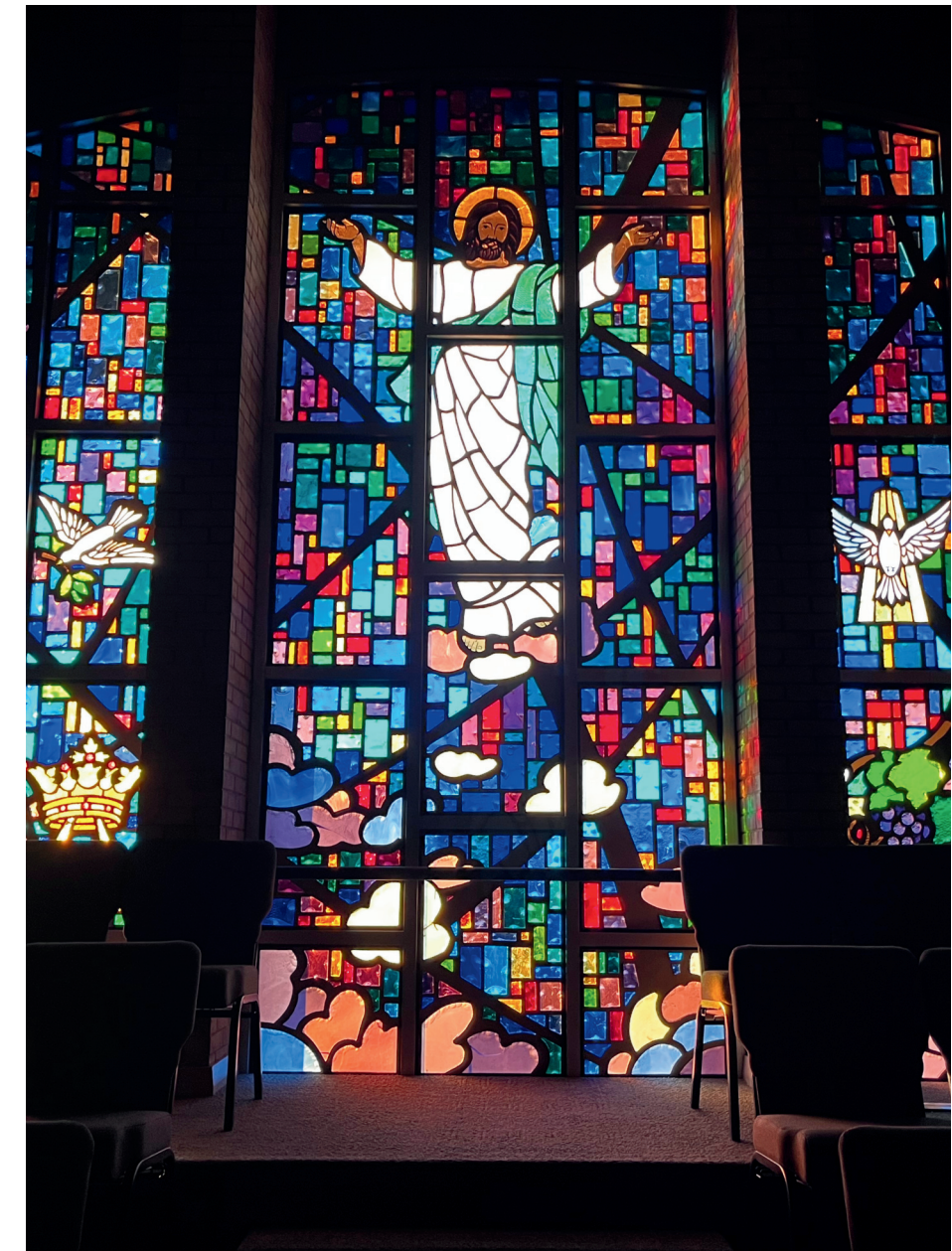
Military Personnel: SSGT Tyler Dixon-Marines; SFC Jonathan Brucker-Army; SSgt. Joshua Brucker; Army; CAPT Alex Plonk-Air Force; S 1 Tyler Hellstrand - Navy; MAJ Wendell Bunch, Jr.—Army; CAPT Alex Young,—Air Force.

Praises: Welcoming of our new members David & Karen Sweezy and Melissa Sweezy; Birth of Evelyn Jean Dixon, daughter of Tyler & Emily Dixon, granddaughter of Greg and Sheila Dixon, on August 8, 2025.

Churches: A church plant, Boone District GMC Appalachian Chapel; Iglesia Church 24/Seita (Church of Manos De Fe)

Concerns: (members/constituents/church-related concerns): **Guidance in developing new ministries; our college students:** Community Kitchen Ministry; Lisa & Ernie Howell (continued healing) 8.8.24; John Eagle (cancer treatment) 9.3.24; Donnie Jenkins 11.19.24; Carol Brazzell 3.24.2025; Dave & Denise Hartz 3.31.25; Jennifer Osborne 5.12.25; Marilyn Hamrick 7.30.25; Betty Masters 8.18.25; Barbara Bridges (death) 8.28.25.

Concerns: (friends/relatives/other concerns): All children in need; Samuel Smith (cancer) 9.30.19; Jeff Hedden, (cancer) cousin of Clyde Kerns 12.22.23; Jamie Kever, Audrey Brooks' cousin (cancer); Rex & Susan Gibbs 1/31/25; Beth Weatherford (cancer, leukemia, seizures) niece of Dorothy McDaniel 2.13.25; Kevin Randall (heart issues) 3.24.2025; Steve Presley, 6.17.25; Jonathan Chapman (lung cancer) Emily Chapman's father-in-law 8.4.25; Ned Owens, father of Audrey Brooks (death) 8.13.25; Jey Yokeley (major health issues) 8.14.25; Reid Evans (liver transplant wait list), son-in-law of Libby & Roger Putnam 8.25.25; Stacey Willis and children, on the passing of her husband (car accident) 8.27.25; Coach Steve Baker (cancer) 8.27.25.



Welcome to Worship

Sunday, August 31, 2025 | 10:00 am



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Central Methodist Church
12th Sunday after Pentecost-Green

Announcements

Prelude

The Call to Morning Prayer
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Global Church Mission Statement

The Global Methodist Church exists to make disciples of Jesus Christ and spread scriptural holiness across the globe. Our vision is to worship passionately, love extravagantly, and witness boldly.

Pass the Peace

Opening Worship

Jesus Messiah (CCLI #5183443)
Christ Be Magnified (CCLI#7139866)

Apostles Creed OGRP# 691

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.

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer OGRP #700

Special Music

There's A Fountain Filled with Blood
By William Cowper
Performed by the Chancel Choir

Offering

Open My Eyes, That I May See -arr. Burroughs

Doxology OGRP #682

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Offertory Prayer

Sermon

Pastor Perry Hines

Sermon Title

The Women of Samaria

Scripture Lesson

John 4:1-26 NKJV 1 Therefore, when the Lord knew that the Pharisees had heard that Jesus made and baptized more disciples than John 2 (though Jesus Himself did not baptize, but His disciples), 3 He left Judea and departed again to Galilee. 4 But He needed to go through Samaria. 5 So He came to a city of Samaria which is called Sychar, near the plot of ground that Jacob gave to his son Joseph. 6 Now Jacob's well was there. Jesus therefore, being wearied from His journey, sat thus by the well. It was about the sixth hour. 7 A woman of Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give Me a drink." 8 For His disciples had gone away into the city to buy food. 9 Then the woman of Samaria said to Him, "How is it that You, being a Jew, ask a drink from me, a Samaritan woman?" For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans. 10 Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, 'Give Me a drink,' you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water." 11 The woman said to Him, "Sir, You have nothing to draw with, and the well is deep. Where then do You get that living water? 12 Are You greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well, and drank from it himself, as well as his sons and his livestock?" 13 Jesus answered and said to her, "Whoever drinks of this water will thirst again, 14 but whoever drinks of the water that I shall give him will never thirst. But the water that I shall give him will become in him a fountain of water springing up into everlasting life." 15 The woman said to Him, "Sir, give me this water, that I may not thirst, nor come here to draw." 16 Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here." 17 The woman answered and said, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You have well said, 'I have no husband,' 18 for you have had five husbands, and the one whom you now have is not your husband; in that you spoke truly." 19 The woman said to Him, "Sir, I perceive that You are a prophet. 20 Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, and you Jews say that in Jerusalem is the place where one ought to worship." 21 Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe Me, the hour is coming when you will neither on this mountain, nor in Jerusalem, worship the Father. 22 You worship what you do not know; we know what we worship, for salvation is of the Jews. 23 But the hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him. 24 God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth." 25 The woman said to Him, "I know that Messiah is coming" (who is called Christ). "When He comes, He will tell us all things." 26 Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am He."

John 4:29-32 NKJV

29 "Come, see a Man who told me all things that I ever did. Could this be the Christ?" 30 Then they went out of the city and came to Him. 31 In the meantime His disciples urged Him, saying, "Rabbi, eat." 32 But He said to them, "I have food to eat of which you do not know."

Closing Hymn

Pass Me Not O Gentle Savior OGRP #527

Benediction

Chiming of the Holy Trinity

Postlude

Majestic Postlude -Williams *Responses in Bold

*The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God
and in honor of our Church Family*

SUNDAY MORNING GROUPS

Sunday Morning Group

Leader: Mark Dixon
Time and location: 8:30 am
CAC, Sunday mornings
Age: All ages

Sunday Small Group

Leaders: Clyde Kerns
Time & Location: Will meet with the Sunday Morning Group at 8:30 am in CAC to watch *The Chosen*
Leaders' contact info:
clydekerns@att.net or
carolynhindel@yahoo.com

WEEKLY GROUPS

Men's Bible Study

Leader: Tim Miller
Time and location: Weekly on Tuesdays, 7:30 pm, Asbury room
Leader: contact info:
tmnkm@bellsouth.net
or 704-473-9148

Description: We are an ongoing small group for men of all ages. Dedicated to studying God's word as it is shared to us in the Bible. We meet for fellowship and worship in a safe and non-judgmental environment. We recognize and appreciate that not everyone is at the same level in their Biblical study, and we work together to make God's word understood and relevant for each of us in our lives.

Dwell Walkers Prayer Group

Meetings will be on Tuesdays, at 11:30 am. You are invited to join us as we learn about the practice of prayer, pray for each other and take prayer requests. We meet in the small conference room across from the church office.

ON GOING GROUPS

Mary's Breakfast Bunch

Next Meeting is 8/27/25

Leader: Betty Masters
Time and location: Meets on the 4th Wednesday of every month at 9:00 am.
Location is Linwood Restaurant:
805 Cleveland Ave, Kings Mountain.
Leader contact info: 704-739-2653

WOMEN'S DAYTIME BIBLE STUDY

A Study of the Book of Titus
8/20/25-9/17/25, 1:00 pm
Asbury Room
Leaders: Debbie Greene &
Stephanie Wilson

WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Leader: Liz Pflieger 704-466-1202

FIFTH SUNDAY BREAKFAST

November 30, 2025

Communicate with the church office!

I am a visitor
 I have a prayer request

I have a praise

I have a new address

I would like a call/visit from the pastor.

I would like information about becoming a member.

I would like to attend the next Family Fellowship Night on **9/10/25**

___ Number attending

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

email address _____

Tear off and place in the offering plate

see reverse side for more announcements