



Contemporary 9:30am Family Life Center

Traditional 11:00am Sanctuary

Come join us!

[www.facebook.com/centralunitedmethodistasheboro/live/](https://www.facebook.com/centralunitedmethodistasheboro/live/)

If you are not on Facebook, you can still watch the livestream with the link on our website home page

<https://www.central4u.org>

### **Mission Statement**

*Our Mission is to follow Jesus, make disciples and transform the world. We are about making connections—connecting people to God and each other.*



**This Sunday Is Pentecost! Wear **Red**!**

Wearing red on Pentecost is a tradition to symbolize an outward sign of the inward transformation by the Holy Spirit in each of our hearts. As “tongues of fire” came to rest on these disciples on that first Pentecost long ago, we gather and then leave still blazing with the fire of hope God offers all through God’s Spirit. The red is a sign that the good news of Jesus came to all who were there in a language they could understand from people with whom they would not otherwise have communicated.

**#Pentecost #WearRedOnSunday**



### *2 Timothy 1:14*

*<sup>14</sup> Through the power of the Holy Spirit who lives within us, carefully guard the precious truth that has been entrusted to you.*

**Message:** *When I Get Where I Am Going...Will I Be There?*

**Series:** Guard the Trust

**Scripture:** Joshua 14:6-14

<sup>6</sup> Then the children of Judah came to Joshua in Gilgal. And Caleb the son of Jephunneh the Kenizzite said to him: “You know the word which the Lord said to Moses the man of God concerning you and me in Kadesh Barnea. <sup>7</sup> I *was* forty years old when Moses the servant of the Lord sent me from Kadesh Barnea to spy out the land, and I brought back word to him as *it was* in my heart. <sup>8</sup> Nevertheless my brethren who went up with me made the heart of the people melt, but I wholly followed the Lord my God.

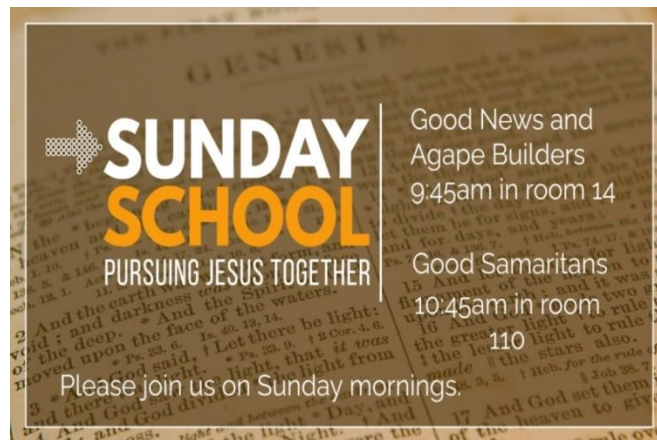
<sup>9</sup> So Moses swore on that day, saying, ‘Surely the land where your foot has trodden shall be your inheritance and your children’s forever, because you have wholly followed the Lord my God.’

<sup>10</sup> And now, behold, the Lord has kept me alive, as He said, these forty-five years, ever since the Lord spoke this word to Moses while Israel wandered in the wilderness; and now, here I am this day, eighty-five years old. <sup>11</sup> As yet I *am as* strong this day as on the day that Moses sent me; just as my strength *was* then, so now *is* my strength for war, both for going out and for coming in. <sup>12</sup> Now therefore, give me this mountain of which the Lord spoke in that day; for you heard in that day how the Anakim *were* there, and *that* the cities *were* great *and* fortified. It may be that the Lord *will be* with me, and I shall be able to drive them out as the Lord said.”

<sup>13</sup> And Joshua blessed him, and gave Hebron to Caleb the son of Jephunneh as an inheritance. <sup>14</sup> Hebron therefore became the inheritance of Caleb the son of Jephunneh the Kenizzite to this day, because he wholly followed the Lord God of Israel.

## CONGREGATIONAL MEETING DISAFFILIATION UPDATE

There will be a meeting of the Central Congregation **between** the Contemporary and Traditional Services in the Family Life Center this **Sunday May 28th at 10:30 AM** to update the Church on the disaffiliation process in light of the Dismissal of the lawsuit filed by the NCLL legal firm on behalf of Central and other Western NC churches. Please make every effort to be present and learn of our next steps to achieve disaffiliation and retain our church property.



***Happy Memorial Day!!!***  
***The office will be closed on Monday,***  
***May 29<sup>th</sup>.***

## Father's Day Listing 2023!

We BEGIN taking names THIS Sunday for our Father's Day Listing!

All entries must be submitted **BY Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup>** before 5:00 pm!

We're asking a **\$1.00** donation per name. (You're welcome to do more!)

Those special men still living will be listed **IN HONOR OF** and who by **WITH LOVE**

Those dear ones who have passed will be listed **IN MEMORY OF** and who by **WITH LOVE**

### EXAMPLE

In **Honor** Of: Mike Huffstetler

With Love: Fred, Susan and Jodi

In **Memory** Of: Bill Johnson

With Love: Fred, Susan, Jodi and Family

On Father's Day Sunday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, we will have an attachment on our web page: [www.central4u.org](http://www.central4u.org) where you can access and click on this year's Father's Day List of Names to view your entry. Hard copies can also be made available upon request.

All donations go to our Congregational Care Ministry.

Thank you for your support,  
Fred



Founded in honor of Adam Petty   
**a seriousfun camp**

Central will be sending a group this year to make beds at the camp. If you would like to volunteer, there are signup sheets for each week in the hallway by the day school entrance.

The dates are June 9-July 28. We'll meet on Friday mornings at 8:30 am in the Family Life Center parking lot and Caravan there. If you would like more information, contact Heidi Atwell at [hdatwell2016@gmail.com](mailto:hdatwell2016@gmail.com)



## Registration is Now Open

We are excited to be offering a  
Children's Ministry Program this summer.

"Energize" is designed for our Church family, their friends  
and our Day School families from Kindergarten (this past  
school year) through 5th grade.

Our purpose is to provide a variety of summer activities  
to help children grow in their faith and love of God.

Registration forms available in FLC, Narthex and  
Church Office. Deadline to sign up is May 31st.







## **Young Life Goodie items for Summer Camp**

### **May Donations Needed!**

For the month of May, we are asking you to consider supporting and donating to **Young Life of Randolph County**. Bring the food and goodie items to the church on Sundays during the early service in the lobby of the Family Life Center or the late service in the church Narthex. We will have red wagons set-up in each location for you to drop your items off. You may also bring your donated items during the week and drop them off at the church office as well.

We will not have a drive through drop off on the last Saturday of each month going forward. Check the church newsletter for food and supply items they need.

**Young Life** is a nonprofit organization here in Asheboro that exists to introduce adolescents to Jesus Christ and help them grow in their faith. **Young Life** camping involves high adventure, lots of fun, great food and excellent speakers who understand and respect high school and middle school kids. At Young Life's camps in North America, kids are treated to resort-quality facilities, for which Young Life has become known.



**Snack and goodie items needed are:**

\*Cases of Water

\*Individually wrapped Chips

\*Cookies

\*Nuts

\*Trail Mix

\*Peanut Butter/Cheese Crackers

\*Fruit Bars

\*Fruit Chews

\*Goldfish

\*Pretzels

\*Any type of Candy- **just no Chocolate** (it will melt)



**Do you have a family member or loved one currently deployed by the military? We would like to include them in a new prayer ministry. Please call the church office and provide us with their information.**



## Wednesday Night Bible Study



**Session #1 March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023**

**<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gVUk9eyp5vM>**

**Session #2 March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**<https://youtu.be/Ew6WYH9bta8?t=1>**

**Session #3 March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**[https://youtu.be/mRfGMZeG\\_g8?t=3](https://youtu.be/mRfGMZeG_g8?t=3)**

**Session#4 March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023**

**<https://youtu.be/1xcGReejdEw?t=1>**

**Session#5 March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**<https://youtu.be/lcDGjq81Llo?t=2>**

**Session#6 April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**<https://youtu.be/xGC8MDC9veA?t=3>**



**Session#7 April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023**  
**<https://youtu.be/sobrp8QxQKc?t=7>**

**Session#8 April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2023**  
**<https://youtu.be/z5igoRMDWBQ?t=4>**

**Session#9 May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023**  
**<https://youtu.be/d4PFxbizy6Y?t=1>**

**Session#10 May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023**  
**<https://youtu.be/o5j5MVNUb5c?t=2>**

**Session#10 May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023**  
**<https://youtu.be/Bs4Nr-dgAIk?t=25>**

**Session#11 May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023**  
**<https://youtu.be/bXDggWXQxc0?t=25>**



## Summer Movie Event at Central UMC

Join us for 4 consecutive weeks this summer to watch Season 3 of "The Chosen"

**FREE Movie! FREE Popcorn! FREE Bottled Water!**

**(Coke products & movie snacks available for purchase)**

We are planning to show this on Wednesday night's at 6:30 pm in the FLC

We will also stagger the viewing with a "reboot" to help accommodate a week you might be away. *\*Please Note: You need to sign up in advance for the "reboot"*

The Monday "reboot" will also take place at 6:30 pm in the FLC

**Feel free to bring a folding or collapsible chair from home if you find that more comfortable than our chairs in the Family Life Center**

### **Episode 1 & 2 - Wednesday, June 7**

*Episode 1 & 2 re-boot on Monday, June 12 (pre-register)*

### **Episode 3 & 4 - Wednesday, June 14**

*Episode 3 & 4 re-boot on Monday, June 19 (pre-register)*

### **Episode 5 & 6 - Wednesday, June 21**

*Episode 5 & 6 re-boot on Monday, June 26 (pre-register)*

### **Episode 7 & 8 - Wednesday, June 28**

*Episode 7 & 8 re-boot on Monday, July 3 (pre-register)*



CALL TO PRAY

Chapel (new location)

Chapel is open during church office hours

Enter through church office or

Sunday 9:30am - noon

Come and go as Holy Spirit leads



Central's

YOUTH  
To love youth on behalf of Jesus  
in hopes of loving them to Jesus.  
MINISTRY

Youth Sunday

No youth

Happy Memorial Day!



*If you have a High School or College Graduate  
you would like recognized, please contact the*

*church office [info@central4u.org](mailto:info@central4u.org) or Randy*

*Lee at [randy@central4u.org](mailto:randy@central4u.org) with name, school*

*and degree. Graduate Sunday will be June 4<sup>th</sup>.*

# *GOT A MINUTE?*

*60 sec • call of blessing • Tuesday*

Be listening out for a word of encouragement and blessing from Central each Tuesday morning!

Call the church office: (336) 629-1425 to add your number to our call list.

We're here for you, and we are grateful for you!

*--Your Central Church Staff*

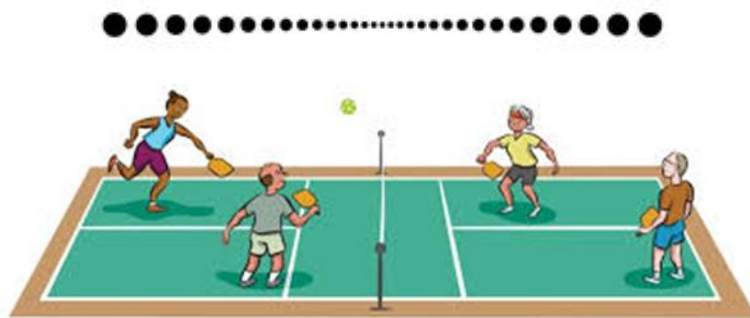




Operation Christmas Child – Thank you for bringing your items to church and for praying over the children who will

be receiving them. Thanks to those of you who are collecting at home. Need more information? Check the wall beside Fred's office.

**Suggested items for June:** toys - dolls, small games, cards, cars, balls, yo-yos, slinkys, soccer ball with air pump...)



*Interested in Pickleball?*

*Give Marcia Parks a call at 336-302-3766.*

## Prayer List

Josie Allred  
Brandon Benware  
Brenda Burch  
John Cao  
Brandon Church  
Rob Clauser  
Patricia Edwards  
Carla Freemyer  
Ann Greene  
Eddie Harrington  
Jason Hayes

Sheila Hammer  
PJ Hartleb  
Will Harvey  
Emma Hinesley  
Linda Hoffman  
Matthew Hogan  
Kevin Hoover  
Becky Hughes  
Florine Johnson  
Mike Jones  
Charles & Carolyn Link

Alan Matkins  
Faye McCullen  
  
Kathy Norris  
Hal Powell  
Debbie Reaves  
Evelyn Reaves  
Paige Lucas Shaffer  
Randy Silvers  
Doreen Thaler

## *New Requests: Rylee Pollock*



## *Memorials*

### **Budget Fund**

#### **In Memory of Bill Bizzell**

By Amy & Alan Pugh

By Norma Connell

By Rachel & Ray Hargett

#### **In Memory of Wayne Hartley**

By Rachel & Ray Hargett



*He who has the Holy Spirit in his heart and the  
Scriptures in his hands has all he needs.*  
~**Alexander Maclaren**



## ***Budget***

**2023 Year to Date Revenues      \$232,361.32**

**2023 Year to Date Expenses      \$315,560.96**

**Difference                              (\$83,199.64)**

### **Attendance**

9:30am/**\*103** in-person /**\*287** Facebook Views as of 05/25/2023

11:00am /**\*109** in-person /**\*328** Facebook Views as of 05/25/2023

Children's Church / **\*6**

## May Birthdays



**01**

George Beck  
Emily Matkins  
Paul Fleetwood

**02**

Jennifer Smith  
Elizabeth Hicks

**03**

Carolyn Cox  
Charlie Beth Kern

**04**

Joe Gentry  
Michael Miller  
Adam Rogers

**06**

Laura Gallimore  
John Adams

**07**

Bruce Edwards  
Carla Freemyer  
Tracey Smith

**10**

Tonya Leek

**11**

Preston Hall  
Erin Rich  
Mary Billips

**12**

Clara Durham  
Chris Bulla  
Sarabeth Roberts  
Katie Brower

**14**

Kyle Pugh

**15**

Linda Thomas  
Victoria Coltrane  
Russ Smith  
Hillary McDowell

**16**

Joyce Mitchell

**17**

Pastor J.F. Howard  
Lynne Finison  
Rebecca Kidd  
Margaret Beck  
Barb Burlingame

**18**

Derek Robbins  
Katherine Trogdon

**19**

Samuel Rich  
Corey Masterson  
Joseph Lamb  
Chuck Hinson

**20**

Freda Beaver

**21** Amy Yates

**22**

Nancy Little  
Pauline Jarrell

**23**

Janet Adams

**24**

Beth Hall  
Steve Way

**25**

Auburn Lance

**26**

Terry Cox  
Denton Richey

**27**

Donald Allred

**28**

Doug Smith  
Jamie Weiner

**29**

Sarah Delk  
Danny Primm  
Arisa Cooper  
Jill Akins

**30**

Patricia Edwards  
Tony Pugh  
Eddie Voncannon  
Jodi Huffstetler

**31**

Larry Pennington  
Robin Vanhoy  
Timothy Dunn



**01**

Brynn Seabolt

**02**

Laura Trogdon  
Alexandra Coleman

**03**

Rita Edwards  
Kyle Mansfield  
Jake Neal

**04**

Denise Schoenberger  
Joe Hobson  
Ellie Parker  
Eddie Millikan  
Cory Havens  
Sean Murphy

**05**

Thomas Osteen  
Carrie Coleman  
Emmi Bulla

**06**

Chris Queen  
Christian O'Briant  
CJ Wright

**07**

Kendall Lewis  
Lauren Patton