

# Central Happenings

## SUNDAY –November 5

10:00am Worship (Sanctuary/Online)

## WEDNESDAY – November 8

12:00pm Charity Knitters (Discipleship)

1:00pm Circle 20/20 (Fitch Parlor)

5:30pm Bell Choir Practice (Sanctuary)

## THURSDAY – November 9

10:00am Library Team (Fitch Parlor)

7:00pm Central Choir Practice (Rehearsal Hall)

**The Congregational Letters** this morning are for Marianne Blickenstaff and Melissa and Charles Johnson. Please add your name and kind thoughts to the letters found at the back of the sanctuary.

**Sunday School will meet** November 12 at 9:00am. The final and important session on planning and living a good end will take place in the Fitch Parlor with Pastor Wil. The class will help you develop and communicate your plans to your loved ones, professional services and the church. No need to sign-up.

**The LUM Community Thanksgiving** dinner needs 10 turkeys cooked. Please call or email the church office to let us know how many turkeys you are willing to cook. Turkeys, pans and instructions will be provided.

**Jubilee is coming, December 9.** Watch for more information about how you can help with a happy Christmas for families in need.

**Hanging of the Greens** will take place immediately after the worship service on November 26. Many hands make light work to transform our sanctuary for Advent and Christmas.

Pastor: Wil Reinowski  
Adult Music & Organist: Jeffrey Stearns  
Adult Handbells: Janice Spitalniak  
Celebration Music: Paul Foster  
Custodian: Bob Hill

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# Central Presbyterian Church

All Saints' Sunday  
November 5, 2023



## Welcome

## Prelude

“We Fall Down”

(Chris Tomlin)

## Procession of the Saints

## \*Call to Worship

Ryan Shelley

Leader: O taste and see that the Lord is good;

**People: happy are those who take refuge in God.**

Leader: With hearts and hands and voices,

**People: let us praise the Lord.**

## \*Hymn

“I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord”

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## Call to Confession

### Prayer of Confession (Unison)

**Gracious God, you call us your own children and cover us with your love. We would seek to be merciful as you are, and to show compassion as you do, but we fail to live the life to which we have been called. Where we ought to forgive, we condemn; the evil we should shun, we embrace. Forgive our sinful ways, tame our wayward wills, and make us more like Christ, until we are raised in perfection on the last day. Amen.**

### Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: Sisters and brothers, no one who takes refuge in God will be condemned. Believe the good news! In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

**People: Thanks be to God. Amen.**

## \*Congregational Response

“Glory to God in the Highest” back cover Hymnal

## \*Passing of the Peace

### Prayer for Illumination

**First Reading** Psalm 34:1-10, 22

**Anthem** “Creator of Beauty and Giver of Light” (Schweizer)

**Second Reading** Revelation 7:9-17

**Message** “The Great Multitude” Rev. Wil Reinowski

## Naming of the Saints

Jean Gripe	August 18, 2023
Patricia Stucky	September 2, 2023
Melba Tiemann	September 15, 2023
Anna Baktay	September 22, 2023
Miriam Epple-Heath	September 26, 2023

## Lord’s Supper

### The Invitation

### The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*The prayer continues, ending with “sing to the glory of your name...”*

**Response** “Holy, Holy, Holy” back cover Hymnal

*The prayer continues with an invitation to the Lord’s Prayer. Please join in the language God has it on your heart.*

### The Lord’s Prayer

### Words of Institution

## Sharing of the Lord’s Supper

### Prayer After Communion

**\*Hymn** “Thy Word Is a Lamp unto My Feet” 458

### Invitation to Offering

*The offering basket is located at the back of the west aisle of the sanctuary. Feel free to make your offering at any time.*

**Offertory** “Came to My Rescue”  
(Thomas, Davies, Sampson)

**\*Doxology** 606

### \*Prayer of Dedication (unison):

**We magnify your name, O God, and together exalt your name. These gifts we bring are but a token of our thanks, seeds to be planted for the growing of your kingdom, in which we have sure and certain hope. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.**

**\*Hymn** “For All the Saints” 326

### \*Benediction

**Postlude** “Cortege” (Young)

*\* Please stand as you are able.*



## In Our Prayers ✠

We pray for Marianne Blickenstaff and family as her father Channing Blickenstaff enters the Church Triumphant. Continued prayers for healing and comfort for Don Racheter, Peg Wier and Ben Camilotto son of Lou and Carol. Thanksgiving for Melissa Johnson as she retires from her missionary work in Zambia. We also pray for our Special Care friends Bill Hatfield and Lens Hernandez.

We remember and give glory to all the saints who have come before us. We give thanks to past members of Central Presbyterian Church and those people in our lives who have meant so much to us. The flowers are given to their memory.