

Central Happenings

SUNDAY –February 4

10:00am Worship (Sanctuary/Online)

WEDNESDAY – February 7

10:00am WOW (Fitch Parlor)

12:00pm Charity Knitters (Discipleship)

5:30pm Bell Choir Practice (Sanctuary)

THURSDAY – February 8

10:00am Library Team (Fitch Parlor)

7:00pm Central Choir Practice (Rehearsal Hall)

Calling everyone to join the Deacons at the Super Bowl pre-game party on Sunday, February 11 following worship. Bring your favorite chili/soup to share or just come and enjoy the food and fellowship. It will be helpful for you to let us know you are coming by signing up at the back of the church today.

Christian Education classes are examining several books of the Bible over the next few months. Exodus - February 18 and Esther - March 3 & 17. Come join us in Fitch Parlor at 9:00am every other week as we explore God's Word for us.

The season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday, February 14. Join us for a service with the imposition of ashes at 5:30pm in the Fitch Parlor.

Youth Group meets this Sunday, February 4 from 3:00-5:00pm in the Youth Room in the Education Building.

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

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Central Presbyterian Church

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 4, 2024



Welcome

Prelude

“Your Grace Is Enough”

(Matt Mahar)

*Call to Worship

Kathy Meeks

Leader: Have we not known? Have we not heard?

People: Has it not been told to us since the beginning?

Leader: Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength;

People: they shall mount up with wings like eagles;

Leader: they shall run and not be weary

People: they shall walk and not faint.

*Hymn

“Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above”

645

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

God, you are everlasting, the creator of all that is. Your understanding is beyond measure. We confess to you that we have sinned against you and our neighbors. In your compassion, forgive us, for we place our hope in your steadfast love. Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: Our God heals the brokenhearted and binds up our wounds. God takes pleasure in those who place their trust in God's grace. 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

Psalms 147:1-11

Anthem “Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him” (C. Beaudrot)

Second Reading

Mark 1:29-39

Message “Taking a Moment” Rev. Wil Reinowski

***Hymn** “We Come to You for Healing, Lord” 796

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** “In the Singing” 533

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 “Shout to the Lord” (Darlene Zschech)

***Doxology** 606

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

We sing to you, God, with thanksgiving, making melody to you with our praise. Use these gifts to spread your gospel near and far, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

***Hymn** “What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine” 837

***Benediction**

Postlude “Molto moderato” (G. Pergolesi)

** Please stand as you are able.*

Our hearing loop is available on the main floor and balcony’s first row.



In Our Prayers ✨

We pray for Bill Hatfield, Cyril Sturm, Maythia Johnson, Peg Wier and Don Racheter for health reasons. We also pray for our Special Care friends Joyce Herendeen and Lens Hernandez.

The congregational letter is for Bill Hatfield for healing. Please send your wishes to him.