

In Our Prayers

We pray for Ellen Racheter for health reasons. We pray for our Special Care Friends, Shirley West and Rita Zachariah.

Central Happenings

SUNDAY – June 22

10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary/Online)

MONDAY – June 23

5:30 p.m. New Member Class (Fitch Parlor)

6:00 p.m. Scouts (Scout Room)

WEDNESDAY – June 25

10:00 a.m. Women of the Word (Fitch Parlor)

12:00 p.m. Charity Knitters (Discipleship)

THURSDAY – June 26

10:00 a.m. Library Team (Fitch Parlor)

8:00 p.m. CPC Saints Softball vs. Pitch Please (Arni Cohen Field 1)

Join Us for Worship in the Streets! Central will not hold worship in the sanctuary on Sunday, July 6. Instead, we'll gather for Worship in the Streets at 10:00 a.m. between First Christian and Trinity UMC on 6th Street. All are encouraged to attend this joyful ecumenical service with our community. Nothing needed to bring but you!

We're looking to expand our team of office volunteers for light weekday duties like answering phones, greeting guests, and helping members with building access. Open shifts are available Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. If you're interested, please contact Pastor Wil.

There's a place for you on our ministry teams—from hospitality to missions. Let us know your interests and get involved!

You are not alone. Share your joys and concerns — online, by calling the church office, or emailing Pastor Wil.

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Adult Handbells: Janice Spitalniak
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Central Presbyterian Church

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Called In

June 22, 2025



Welcome

Prelude "Brethren, We Have Met to Worship" (arr. Schuster)

***Call to Worship** Cris King

Leader: When forces in the world threaten us, when our bodies or spirits turn against us, there is One who seeks us,

People: One who meets us, One who heals us, whose love washes over us and sets us free for joy.

Leader: This One is the Lord.

People: Come, let us worship God.

***Hymn** "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" 687

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Holy One, God Most High, grant us faith to confess our sins and seek your mercy. There are barren places in our lives where we have wandered far from you. We have listened to voices who distracted us from your call. We have submitted to powers competing for our loyalty to you. We have not taken the hand you offer to lead us out of god-forsakenness, and into your holy ways. God our Savior, forgive us. Quench our thirst for you from the Rock of our salvation, and let your love well up in us unto eternal life. Speak tenderly to us of your presence. Feed us with your word. Deliver us

from evil. Let us enter into your kingdom; then send us out to serve you by the power of the Holy Spirit, in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: Christ covers us with baptismal waters, so that our lives are hidden in him. This Jesus, the Son of the Most High God, is sovereign even over the powers of evil, so that his reign brings freedom and joy. Therefore, I declare to you by the power of the Holy Spirit, in Jesus Christ our sins are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God.

***Congregational Response** “Glory to God” (back cover Hymnal)

***Passing of the Peace**

Prayer for Illumination

First Reading Psalm 42

Children’s Time

Second Reading 1 Kings 19:1-15

Message “Called to Self-Care” Rev. Wil Reinowski

***Hymn** “Abide with Me” 836

***Affirmation of Faith** (from the Belhar Confession)

We believe that God has entrusted the church with the message of reconciliation in and through Jesus Christ; that the church is called to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world; that the church is called blessed because it is a peacemaker; that the church is witness both by word and by deed to the new heaven and the new earth in which righteousness dwells. We believe that God’s life-giving Word and Spirit has conquered the powers of sin and death, and therefore also of irreconciliation and hatred, bitterness and enmity.

***Congregational Response** “Gloria Patri” (back cover Hymnal)

Prayers of the People

The Lord’s Prayer

Invitation to Offering

*** Please stand as you are able.**

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

Offertory “Amazing Grace” (arr. Holcombe)

***Doxology** 606

***Prayer of Dedication (Unison):**

Triune God, through Jesus Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit, you bring hope to the despairing, healing to the sick, and release from bondage to all who are oppressed by sin and evil. Through baptism into Christ, you cover us with your love. We thank you that in that flood you wash away all that separates us from you and one another. We thank you that in this new life we are set free to proclaim good news to others. Direct our gifts to fulfill your purpose as we await the time when all creation is one in your love, by the grace of Jesus Christ and the community of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

***Hymn** “I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say” 182

***Benediction**

Postlude “Faith is the Victory” (arr. Heffler)



Celeste Edwards, our flute soloist, is a Michigan native but has lived in Lafayette for 30 years. She is an active member of the Lafayette Citizens Band and The Star City Quintet. She keeps a busy teaching schedule in the local area schools during the week and a private studio where she teaches every evening after school. Welcome, Celeste!

Please use the Ritual of Friendship pads to let us know you’re with us today. Whether you are in person or on-line, you can also sign in at centralpreschurch.org/friendship

In our effort to be inclusive of those who are unable to be with us in person, we live stream our worship services online. For those who are camera-shy, seating is available in the back two rows of the main floor or anywhere in the balcony.

Our greeter this morning is Judy Spencer.