

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (Unison):

Glorious God, you are all wisdom and a lamp to our feet, yet we fail to listen to you and neglect to follow your guidance. Forgive us, heal us, and lead us on, that we may walk in your ways and be happy in your refuge; in Jesus our Christ we pray. Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: The good news of our faith is this: if we call upon God we will be answered and forgiven. That promise gives us peace and joy; let us share that peace and joy with one another.

People: Thanks be to God.

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

*Passing of the Peace

Prayer for Illumination

First Reading Exodus 24:12-18

Children’s Time

Second Reading Matthew 5:21-37

Message “The Gift of the Unpredictable Jesus”
Rev. Wil Reinowski

***Hymn** “Open the Eyes of My Heart” 452

*Affirmation of Faith

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

** Please stand as you are able.*

Prayers of the People

The Lord’s Prayer

Invitation to Offering

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 “Spirit of the Living God” (arr. Michael Helman)

***Doxology** 606

*Prayer of Dedication (Unison):

God of mountaintops and valleys, be our vision of you clouded or brilliantly clear, we faithfully add our gifts to those being given all around us. Bless these offerings that they may be transfigured into your presence in the world. Amen.

***Hymn** “Shine, Jesus, Shine” 192

*Benediction

Postlude “The Rejoicing” (G.F. Handel)



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.

In Our Prayers ✂

We pray for Jonathan Christenberry as he walks through a difficult season. We also pray for our Special Care friends, especially Beverly and Butch Hancock.

Central Happenings

SUNDAY – February 15

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

11:00 a.m. Congregational Meeting (Sanctuary)

MONDAY – February 16

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

WEDNESDAY – February 18

8:00-8:30 a.m. Ashes To Go (Columbia Street Parking Lot)

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

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

5:30 p.m. Bell Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (Choir Rehearsal Hall)

THURSDAY – February 19

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

The Annual Meeting of the Congregation and Corporation of Central Presbyterian Church is called for today, February 15, immediately after the 10:00 a.m. service. The Annual Report is posted online, and printed copies will be available at the meeting and by request. Members, please plan to attend.

Office will be closed on February 16 for Presidents' Day Holiday.

Ashes to Go – February 18, 8:00–8:30 a.m. Drive through the Columbia Street Parking Lot on Ash Wednesday to receive ashes and a blessing to start your Lenten journey.

All college students are invited to have lunch on Central. Please find Terry and Lynne Phillips in the Gathering Space immediately after the Congregational Meeting to say you're joining in.

The greeters this morning are Gary and Colleen Neal.

Pastor: Wil Reinowski
Transitional Administrator: Jessica Pisarski
Adult Handbells: Janice Spitalniak
Organist: Doug Fletcher
Custodian: Bob Hill

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Central Presbyterian Church

Transfiguration

Gifts That Keep On Giving

Sunday, February 15, 2026



Welcome

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

***Call to Worship** Harriet Smith

Leader: The Holy One is our sovereign. Let us praise God's great and awesome name!

People: Mighty ruler, lover of justice, you have established fairness among us.

***Hymn** "Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory" 190