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Lacey & Torsten Hallman
Nursery Attendant:
Kimberly Bonds

Please feel free to bring a friend!



May 5—Spaghetti Fundraiser—11 am

May 12—No Youth (Mother's Day)

May 19—Youth—5 pm

May 26—No Youth (Memorial Day Weekend)

June 1—Yard Sale—8 am—2 pm

Questions concerning all youth activities contact our Youth Directors Lacey Hallman 803-271-1166, laceyhallman@gmail.com or Torsten Hallman, 803-298-4250, torsten329@gmail.com.

NEVER let lack of funds keep you from participating in Youth activities. Scholarships are available. Contact Vicki in the church office for information.



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A STEPHEN MINISTRY CHURCH

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CENTRL CHURCH SAFE SANCTUARIES TRAINING

Sunday, May 19, 4:00 pm
Required for all persons who work with children, youth and vulnerable adults.

Register with Vicki Hamm by Sunday, May 12.



Contemporary Service - 9:00 am
Third Sunday of Easter
NATIVE AMERICAN MINISTRIES SUNDAY
May 5, 2019

*Gathering

*Praise and Worship in Music

Scripture Lesson

Acts 9:1-6

Welcome, Announcements, Concerns, and Prayer

Offertory

*Song of Preparation

Sermon **"GRABBED BY GOD "**

Rev. David C. Surret

The Lord's Supper

see screen

*Song of Sending Forth

"Create in Me a Clean Heart"

*Dismissal with Blessing

*Response of the People

"Because He Lives"

Because He Lives

*Because he lives, I can face tomorrow;
because he lives, all fear is gone;
because I know he holds the future,
and life is worth the living just because he lives.*



*The flowers this Sunday have been given
to the glory of God
in honor of our children and grandchildren
by Bob and Lucy Brown.*

CENTRAL'S WEEKEND MEALS ON WHEELS

In addition to our first Sunday food pantry donations for Manna House, we are partnering with Meals on Wheels to deliver food at least once a month for weekend senior citizen meals. **NOW** you can bring the following food items **any Sunday** and place in the baskets by the entrance doors.

We will need:

Canned Ravioli, Spaghetti O's, Beefaroni or Lasagna (15 oz. can)
Canned Vegetable or Chicken Noodle Soup (10.5 oz. can)
Peanut butter and cheese crackers (pkg. of 6 crackers)

LAST CALL FOR MOTHER'S DAY RECOGNITION BOOKLET. If you have not already done so, please turn your names and money in to Ruth Ransdell by Sunday, May 5.

ASBURY HILLS CAMP

Due to the rising cost of camp, we would like to ask for your help in making a trip to Asbury Hills possible for our children. At this time, the cost for an elementary age camper is \$510. We have several children that would like to go. If you would like to contribute to this wonderful cause, please mark your check : **ASBURY HILLS SCHOLARSHIP. On behalf of the children, THANK YOU!**



YOUTH YARD SALE

Consider donating your gently used items to our Youth Yard Sale! Funds raised will help offset their expenses for events like Revolution and summer camp. It can be a blessing to you as well, motivating you to unburden your homes of unneeded items that can in turn, bless others.

We are collecting items big or small! Hangers and plastic grocery bags are items that would be useful for our sale. Big items like furniture are GREAT, but due to space, we ask that you wait and bring those until the week of the sale. Drop off items in the Youth room or during the following drop-off times:

Sunday, May 19 from 5PM-7PM
Thursday, May 30 from 4PM-7PM
Friday, May 31 from 4PM-7PM

We can **NOT** accept old style TVs, computers, non-working appliances (please test them before bringing), car seats/cribs, mattresses, food/candy, undergarments, or stained clothing. Please contact Lacey or Torsten if you would like to help volunteer or with any questions!

GET INVOLVED!!!

Sun., May 5	9:00 am	Contemporary Worship
	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Traditional Worship/Youth Fundraiser
Mon., May 6	7:00 pm	Circle 7 (Henry Hall) Bethea/MacDonald
Tues., May 7	1:30 pm	Springfield Friends
	3:00 pm	White Oak Devotions
	7:00 pm	Vision Team (Gathering Room)
Wed., May 8	10:30 am	Wednesday Morning Bible Study
	7:30 pm	Chancel Choir
Fri., May 10	6:30 pm	Children Movie Night/VBS Meeting

NA MEETINGS ARE HELD EACH SUNDAY & WEDNESDAY EVENING
IN THE SEEKERS' CLASSROOM AND

WEIGHT WATCHERS MEET EACH THURSDAY EVENING IN SEEKERS' CLASSROOM.

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY. Everyone is invited to join the group which meets each Wednesday at 10:30 am in the library. The group is now studying *Genesis to Revelation*. This week's session is "The Master Teacher". Scripture: Mark 4:1-34. Leader: Peggy Berley.

DON'T FORGET YOUR MOTHERS OR EPWORTH CHILDREN'S HOME NEXT SUNDAY! Next week is Mother's Day. We will buy flowers, call the mothers in our lives and remember those mothers who have impacted our lives in the past. Most of the children at Epworth Children's Home will not be celebrating Mother's Day with their mothers. Instead, they will be surrounded by loving staff and volunteers who walk with them daily to provide spiritual, educational, emotional, and physical support. Consider what God is calling you to give to support our church's ministry to the children of South Carolina. Your generous contribution to our church's ministry enables transformation to happen for the children who call Epworth home. Epworth does not receive apportionments from the United Methodist Conference. This offering is our opportunity to support this vital ministry. For more information, please visit Epworth online at www.epworthchildrenshome.org.



VBS is coming soon. We are looking for volunteers, so if you are interested in helping, please contact Maggie Senn, Brandy Whitesides, Sarah Harvey, or Vicki Hamm. We look forward to spending Sunday, June 23– Thurs., June 27 with you.



CENTRAL IS NOW ACCEPTING DONATIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS
for the 2019 NEWBERRY SALKEHATCHIE CAMP.

Please mark your check clearly for Salkehatchie Scholarship

*Welcome to Central United Methodist Church
Newberry, SC*

Third Sunday of Easter/Native American Ministries Sunday

May 5, 2019

Traditional Service-11 am

White

The Prelude

The Chiming of the Hour

The Lighting of the Altar Candles

The Choral Call to Worship

Chancel Choir

*The Hymn

"Amazing Grace"

No. 378

The Opening Prayer (In Unison)

O Lord, your wondrous birth means nothing unless we are born again, your death and sacrifice mean nothing unless we die to sin, your resurrection means nothing if you be risen alone. Raise and exalt us, O Savior, both now to the estate of grace and hereafter to the state of glory; where with the Father and the Holy Spirit you live and reign, God for ever and ever. Amen.

The Anthem

Chancel Choir

The Scripture Lesson

Acts 9:1-6

The Announcements and Welcome

The Congregational Concerns and Pastoral Prayer

The Offering

*Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Doxology

No. 95

The Sermon

"GRABBED BY GOD"

Rev. David C. Surrent

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Order II, Page 13, UM Hymnal

*The Hymn

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

No. 327

*The Extinguishing of the Altar Candles

*The Benediction

*The Choral Response

The Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

FELLOWSHIP COFFEE. On Sunday, May 19, we will have a Fellowship Coffee in the Gathering Room at 10:15 am for new members and for worship guests exploring membership. We hope to see you then!

Welcome to Central Church!! We are pleased that you are present for worship. May your faith be strengthened and your hope renewed.

All are asked to sign the Friendship Pad so our church ministry will be up-to-date on your presence. Child care is available in the Education Building. Assistive listening devices are available in the vestibules.

New members are received by affirmation of their faith or transfer from other Christian churches. If you are interested in becoming a member of Central UMC, please contact the pastor (803-276-3903; davidcsurrett@gmail.com) or indicate your interest on the Friendship Pad. **Guest bags with Central information and small gifts have been placed in the narthexes (entrances) for all first time local guests.**



JOYS, PRAYERS, CARE AND CONCERNS

SYMPATHY: The pastor and congregation express deepest Christian sympathy to Corey Hunt and family on the death of his mother, Lorna Hunt, on April 30, 2019, in Spokane, Washington.

MEMBERS: Cile Barber, **Elizabeth Bonds**, Donnie Brown, **Lana Brown**, Bo Chrisley, Ron Chrisley, Carolyn & Jim Clamp, Fran Eason, Alma Force, Linda Graham, Leonard Halfacre, **Kristin Keim**, **The Lake Family**, **Lila Lake**, **Mary Lipscomb**, **Tori MacDonald**, Ethel Mayer, Marjorie Morison, Avery Newton, Jackson Senn, Elizabeth Shannon, **Harold Smith**, Becky & Randy Telfer, **Hugh Turner**, Lynn Underwood, Charles and Dean Young

FRIENDS OF CENTRAL: **Wayne Bell (Lila's Donor)**, Kim Berley (daughter-in-law of Billy & Peggy Berley), Laurie Coops (niece of Trish MacDonald), **Robin Duncan**, Nila Eleazer (Lyn Bethea's sister-in-law); Dot Forbis (Joyce Barrow's mother), Madison Gandy (Michelle Williams' great-niece), Linda Harris (Cindy Moore's aunt), **Allison Dawkins Jasinski**, Dan Kingston, Joseph Kovas, Suzanne Mayer, Madalin Radcliffe (Karen Radcliffe's niece), Elizabeth Ruff Richburg (Harold Ruff and Janet Paysinger's sister), **Marcia Anne Ruff** (Harold Ruff's wife), **Olivia Timms** (co-worker of Lydia Surrentt), Lindsay Waldrop (granddaughter of Jerry & Lillian Hoeschen), Amelia Walker (sister of Polly Carter), Kenneth Whitesides (grandson of Paulette Whitesides), Mike Whitesides (son of Paulette Whitesides), John & Hattie Wilson (John Wilson's parents)

Address for Lila Lake and family:

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Pittsburgh and Morgantown, Inc.
451 44th Street—Penthouse Floor
ATTN: Lake Room 808
Pittsburgh PA 15201

National Day of Prayer Services
Thursday, May 2, 2019
12 noon and 5:30 pm
Newberry Community Hall

SERVING THIS WEEK

TRUSTEE: (UNLOCK CHURCH)		MARY ANN DAVIS
TRUSTEE: (LOCK CHURCH)		LISA LONGSHORE
	9:00 Service	11:00 Service
USHERS	Ty Ransdell Sonny Ringer	Hugh Gray-captain Bubba Cromer Bob McCartha
GREETERS	Jim & Melody Jepson	Steve & Susan Glenn
LAY READER	David Dorroh	Harriett Rucker
ACOLYTE	Grant Whitesides	Brendan Cruickshanks
CRUCIFER	N/A	N/A
NURSERY:	Carol Foster	Kimberly Bonds
OFFERING STEWARDS	David DuBose Nancy Harvey	Harold Folk Harriett Rucker
SOUND SYSTEM	Nancy Harvey	Ken Longshore
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Maggie Senn/Brandy Whitesides	N/A
SPRINGFIELD FRIENDS	May 7-Rev. Jim Williams, Cile Cely	
WHITE OAK DEVOTIONS	May 7-Fred Comstock	

Stewardship Report

FINANCIAL REPORT		
Weekly Budget Needs 2019		9,611.28
Received 04/21/19 & 04/28/19		12,898.50
Budget Needs to Date 04/28/19		163,391.76
Received to Date 04/28/19		161,552.89
AMOUNT UNDER BUDGET		-1,838.87
OTHER FUNDS RECEIVED 4/21/19 & 04/28/19		
Salkehatchie		625.00
Capital Fund		60.00
Youth		110.00
Discretionary Fund		52.00
Asbury Hills Camp		225.00
Upper Room		3.00
Manna House		529.00
New Ventures		28.00
ATTENDANCE 04/21/19		04/28/19
9 am	135	101
11 am	139	N/A
Sunday School	N/A	70
Maundy Thursday		47