



**May 13, 2018**  
**The Seventh Sunday of Easter**  
**10:00 a.m.**

The Mission of  
Central United Church of Christ is...  
to be

a Christ-centered community  
of faithful disciples,  
who are called  
to GROW IN FAITH, and  
to SHARE GOD'S LOVE  
as we REACH OUT  
to each other,  
to our community  
and to our world.

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\* indicates please stand, as you are able

**PRELUDE** "Children of the Heavenly Father" -Schmutz

**THE COMMUNITY GATHERS**

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN** "For the Beauty of the Earth" #12

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP (responsively)**

Who is wise and understanding among us?

**Those who seek wisdom and understanding, who delight in God and meditate on God's law.**

**\*CHORAL INTROIT**

**\*GATHERING PRAYER (in unison)**

**Lord God, generous and full of mercy toward Your creation, bestow Your wisdom on us that we may reach those who need Your love and welcome. This we ask in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, and through the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

**\*PRAISE HYMN** "Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty" #8

**\*PASSING THE PEACE**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**TO HEAR GOD'S WORD**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Rev. Dr. Judith Scott

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

Psalm 1

Acts 1:1-11



**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (in unison)**  
**Holy God, in Christ you have chosen us**  
**to be your friends**  
**and to know your will in the world.**  
**Therefore we pray in Jesus' name**  
**that these tithes and offerings**  
**spread your love near and far. Amen.**

**AND GO FORTH IN LOVE**

**\*CLOSING HYMN** "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" #272

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*CHORAL RESPONSE**

**\*POSTLUDE** "Prelude and Fugue in C Major" -Bach

**Our WORSHIP is ended...our SERVICE now begins.**

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**THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES**  
**May 13 – May 20**

TODAY:	Adult Sunday School	8:30am
	Coffee Hour	9:00am
	Combined Worship Service	10:00am
	Children's Sunday School	10:15am
MON:	Scouts	7:00pm
TUES:	Elenor Circle BBQ	5:00pm
WED:	Quilting	9:00am

	Meals On Wheels	10:00am
	Young Youth	3:45pm
	Disciple Mentor Meeting	5:30pm
	Bell Choir	6:15pm
	Sr. Choir	7:00pm
THURS:	Church Council	7:00pm
FRI:	SPO Modernism Concert	7:00pm
Next Sunday:	Adult Sunday School	8:30am
	Coffee Hour	9:00am
	Combined Worship Service	10:00am
	Children's Sunday School	10:15am

**Attendance Last Sunday: 86**

**Altar flowers** are in memory and honor of our mothers, Barbara Mueller and Doris Bauer, from Kurt and Deidre Mueller.

**Bulletins** are in loving memory of Alma Heinrich from Gladys Gladden and Juanita Muck.

**Please pray for our members, family and friends:** Mabel Thompson, Elizabeth Klemme, Kathryn Waite, Mary Petry

**Our thanks and appreciation to Rev. Dr. Judith Scott** for leading us in worship and bringing the message this morning.

**Worship on Sunday mornings will continue with one service, beginning at 10:00 a.m.** We are appreciative of the supply preachers who will be coming and leading us in worship. The following schedule is in place for the next few Sundays:

May 20 – Rev. Tyler Connoley

May 27 – Rev. Allen Ladage

**90+ Birthdays:**

To our knowledge, there are no 90+ birthdays in May. If you know someone who should be added to the list, please contact the office.

**Young Youth ages K-5<sup>th</sup> grades get together on Wednesdays after school** for food and fun, faith and fellowship. Supervision starts at 3:45 and we end at 6:00. Let us know if you need help with transportation.

**The older youth are looking for donations.** We need bottled water, gatorade and snacks for when they're playing basketball. We have been doing the Basketball program going on 3 years now and continue to average between 20 and 30 kids every other week. We will continue the program during the Summer. If you are able to donate, you can either see Gina Freeman or email her at [gfreeman714@gmail.com](mailto:gfreeman714@gmail.com). You may also drop off your donation of water, Gatorade or snacks in the youth room off of the gym. We thank you all for your support.

**Come to the Celebration of Men night on Tuesday, June 5<sup>th</sup>,** beginning at 6:00 p.m. Bring your sons, fathers, brothers, uncles, etc. and join in an evening of celebration. The program will be provided by the Brotherhood and the meal prepared by the Elenor Circle. Cost is \$8.00 per person, ages 5 years and under are free. Please call in your reservations to the church office at 635-1041 by Friday, June 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Do you or your church group have upcoming events or information that you would like to have promoted on the**

church website or Facebook page? Please email your information and events to Alan Bagnall at [biggle@mcholland.com](mailto:biggle@mcholland.com) or call him at 616-1302. Please include "Church" or your group name in the subject line of the email.

**Women's Fellowship would like to thank the congregation** for their time and donations for our rummage sale. It was a success, and your efforts were appreciated. We made nearly \$800. Thank you to everyone who helped last week.

**WIGS are selling raffle tickets** to raise money for their American Cancer Society Relay for Life team, Central UCC Women. Raffle tickets are for the St. Louis Cardinals "American Cancer Society Day at the Ballpark" on September 23, 2018 – Cardinals vs. San Francisco Giants. Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. WIGS members have tickets to sell. We will also accept personal donations. Our goal is to raise \$5,000.00. All checks should be made payable to American Cancer Society. Thank you for supporting Central UCC Women.

**The Festival of Sharing featured kit is the CWS Cleanup Bucket.** The Mission and Outreach Committee has decided to feature the Cleanup Bucket for the three months of spring (April, May and June). Please place items in our box in the narthex. Donated items must be exactly as listed below.

### **CWS Cleanup Bucket**

- 1 bottle of liquid household cleaner, 12-16 oz. (must be water mixable; no spray bottles)
- 1 non-aerosol insect repellent, 6-9 oz.
- clothesline, 1- 100 ft. OR 2- 50 ft. lines
- 1 pair work gloves, cotton with leather palm or all leather



- 2 pairs non-surgical latex gloves, should be durable for multiple uses
- 1 scrub brush (plastic or wooden)
- 48-50 clothespins
- 5 dust masks
- 1- 50 oz. or 2- 25 oz. liquid laundry detergent (bottle[s] only)
- 1 liquid disinfectant dish soap, 16 – 28 oz.
- 18 reusable cleaning wipes (i.e. easy wipes)
- 4 scouring pads
- 7 sponges, including 1 large (= jumbo) sponge
- 24 – 48 heavy-duty or contractor type trash bags sized 30-45 gallon in a roll
- 1 bucket with resealable lid, 5-gallon only (if bucket has been used, clean out well, but do not use if it has held chemicals of any kind at any time)

**Camp Aurora workdays take place May 19 and June 2**, from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Please bring a sack lunch and be sure to wear work clothes and gloves. There will be various tools there, but you might want to bring along your own tools. There are lots of leaves to take care of and general clean-up to do. Campers still receive a discount on camp registration if they volunteer on a workday. Check out the website for information on camp registrations ([campaaurora.org](http://campaaurora.org)). Come help and enjoy some good fellowship.

**Belair Garden Boxes** – We’re hoping to help our partner Belair School with a gardening project in the final weeks of school. They have three 6’x 3” boxes they want to fill with good soil to watch plants grow. If you have any soil you can bring them or if you want to make a monetary contribution for

them to buy soil, contact Principal Elizabeth Milhollin at 659-3155.

**Altar Flower openings:** June 10, September 30, November 25

**Bulletin openings:** September 9, December 16

*Please contact the office if you are interested in securing one or more of these dates.*



modernism:

# *Rhyming Shapes*

Southside Philharmonic Orchestra

5.18.18 7pm

*Debussy: Prelude to the Afternoon of a Faun*

*Copland: Appalachian Spring*

*also featuring works by*

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**WELCOME TO WORSHIP**

Thank you for joining us in worship today. Your presence and participation are an important part of shaping this experience of worship for all of us. Know that whoever you are and wherever you are in your journey of life and of faith, you are welcome here!

If you are a guest here today, we would love for you to become a regular part of what God is doing in and through this church community. If you have any questions about joining us in ministry, please contact the Pastor.

**Large Print Bulletins:** Large print editions of the worship bulletin are available in the Narthex and by the elevator.

**Friendship Register:** Please sign the Friendship Register (the blue book at the end of the pew) when it is passed around so that we have a record of your visit.

Ministers.....	Every Member
Director of Music.....	Dr. Patrick Clark
Young Youth Director/Bell Choir Director .....	Rene Miserez
Organist .....	Shirley Klein



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