



July 15, 2018
EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
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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THE COMMUNITY GATHERS

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN** “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee” #21

***CALL TO WORSHIP (responsively)**

We come here shouting, our voices lifted in praise.

We come here singing, our songs full of joy.

We come here dancing, our hearts rejoicing.

**To the Holy One who is worthy,
all praise and glory forevermore!**

***THE GLORIA PATRI (sung in unison)**

**Glory be to the Father
and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost,
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.**

***GATHERING PRAYER (in unison)**

**Lord of the dance, creator of whirling winds
and shimmering flames,
move in us this day.
Breathe life into our songs of praise.
Set our hearts ablaze to your word.
May our worship bring joy to you, Lord.
In Christ’s name we pray, Amen.**

***PRAISE HYMN** “Praise Ye the Father” #14

***PASSING THE PEACE**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Dr. Judith Scott

VBS SPECIAL MUSIC

"Vast Voyage"

-Jay Stocker

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Psalm 85:8-13

Ephesians 1:3-14

Mark 6:14-29

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Largo and Allegro"
(Sara Landreth, flute)

-Georg Telemann

SERMON

Rev. Dr. Judith Scott

TO RESPOND IN FAITH

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY "I Can Only Imagine" -arr. The O'Neill Brothers
(Sara Landreth, piano)

***THE DOXOLOGY** (sung in **unison**)
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***DEDICATION PRAYER** (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** "Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult" #207

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE** "Ode to Joy" -Beethoven

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

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

July 15 – July 22

TODAY:	Adult Sunday School	8:30am
	Coffee Hour	9:00am
	Worship Service	10:00am
	Children's Sunday School	10:15am
	VBS Program/Potluck and	
	Council Listening Session	11:00am

TUES:	Elenor Circle	1:00am
WED:	Quilting	9:00am
	Meals On Wheels	10:00am
	Youth Open Gym	4:00pm
	Disciple Mentor Meeting	5:30pm
THURS:	Church Council	7:00pm
FRI:	Youth Open Gym	4:00pm
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Attendance Last Sunday: 81

Altar flowers are in memory of loved ones from Gary and Joyce Mutert and family.

Bulletins are in memory of our parents, August and Marie Kujath, and Roy and Alice Myerscough, from Harry and Jeanne Kujath.

Please pray for our members, family and friends: Mabel Thompson, Elizabeth Klemme, Kathryn Waite, Audrey Hoelscher Bruemmer, Jacquie Howser

Pastoral Care – Rev. Stoneburner has agreed to fill-in for emergency pastoral care. If you have a need for pastoral care, please call the church office at 635-1041, and they will be in contact with Rev. Stoneburner.

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

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

Second Christian Church is providing sack lunches for children ages 17 and under through August 15. Donations are needed – you may place donations in a basket in the Narthex (NO nuts please). Suggestions: pudding cups, Jell-O cups, fruit cups, fruit snacks, cupcakes, brownies, cookies, potato chips/other chips, juices, Kool-Aid packets, bottled waters. Second Christian Church sends out a big thank you for your support.

Altar Flower openings: Sept. 30; Oct. 7

Please contact the office if you are interested in these dates by emailing office@centralucc.com or calling 635-1041.

Festival of Sharing featured kit: Missouri Family Food Boxes. We'll be collecting for the Missouri Family Food Boxes during the months of July and August. Please place items in our box in the narthex. *Donated items must be exactly as shown below:*

3 different cans of vegetables 14.5 oz.

3 cans tuna 5 oz.

3 pkgs. macaroni & cheese

3 different cans of fruit 14.5 oz.

1 can pasta sauce

1 jar peanut butter

3 cans chicken 12.5 oz.

1 lb. pasta

**CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
FAITH FORMATION**



**Sunday, July 29
7:30pm – 9:00pm**

Join CUCC for some summer fun at Riverside pool.

ADMISSION: \$1 per person

If you have any questions, please email
Faith Formation at: cucc.faith@gmail.com

RSVP by Wednesday, July 25 to:
cucc.faith@gmail.com

We ask parents to remain at the pool with their children.

Ellis-Porter/Riverside Pool
320 Ellis Porter Drive
Jefferson City, MO 65101

BRING YOUR FRIENDS!

**VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP SHEET
FOR RED CROSS BLOOD MOBILE
Wednesday, July 25
Location: Central UCC Gym**

Three workers are needed for each Canteen shift, and one for Registration. If you can work more than one shift that would be great. Cookies are also needed for the Canteen. Sign-up sheets are *due Monday, July 23*. You can drop it in the offering plate or give to Susan Poettgen.

NAME: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please ✓ which shift(s) you can work.

Canteen:

10:30 – 12:30 _____

12:30 – 2:30 _____

2:30 – 4:30 _____

4:30 – 6:30 _____

Registration:

4:30 – 6:00 _____

Cookies: *If you can bring **cookies**, contact Susan Poettgen by calling 573-298-4515, or emailing poetts86@hotmail.com so that she can ensure there will be enough cookies for the Canteen.*

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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