



UPCOMING EVENTS

Easter Lilies and Tulips



Again this year the Church will be decorated with Lilies and Tulips. If you would like to give a Lily or Tulip in memory of a loved one, please fill out the enclosed form and return it to the church office. The cost of each Lily or Tulip is \$10. Checks should be

made out to Central Christian Church.

Coming... **THIS WEEK!**

Wednesday, March 17

- 5:30 pm Bible Study
- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 18

- 3:00 pm Culture Club

Sunday, March 21

- 9:30 am Worship
- 10:45 am Sunday School

Monday, March 22

- 9:00 am Men's Fellowship
- 1:00 pm Domino's & More
- 6:00 pm Executive Committee
- 7:00 pm Board Meeting

Tuesday, March 17

- 9:00 am Quilters
- 9:30 am CWF Service Day

Wednesday, March 17

- 5:30 pm Bible Study
- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

March 21, 2010

John 12:1-8

"In Memory of Her"



Executive Committee

MOVED

**Meeting: March 22
6:00 pm**



BOARD MEETING

MOVED

**Meeting: March 22
7:00 pm**

Reminder!

There will be no Culture Club March 22nd - 26th due to Springfield's Spring

Upcoming Lenten/Easter Calendar

Everyone is welcomed to attend Rev. Andrews book study on Revelation beginning on Wednesday, March 10. There will be a soup and sandwich meal at 5:30 pm and the Bible study from 6:00 - 7:00 pm.

Church Cleanup - March 27, more information to come

Palm Sunday - March 28, 9:30 am

Maundy Thursday - April 1, 7:00 pm

Good Friday Devotions - April 2, 6:00 pm

Prayer Vigil - Begins Friday - April 2, 7:00 pm

Easter Celebration of Worship - April 4, 9:30 am

Choral Cantata "Journey to the Cross"

Presented by Central's Chancel Choir, directed by Candace French

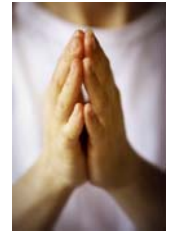
Eggstravaganza - April 4, After Worship (Inter-generational fun for all)

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

On March 9 Central's Crosslines crew, working together with a crew from St. John's UCC Church and Chapel, distributed food to 74 families having a total of 198 family members. Thank you to all who donated food and money for this effort and to the Central members who worked for several hours to purchase food and to distribute it to those whose need is great.

Congregational Concerns

Jo Gardner
 Charlie Lynch
 Cal Wise
 Debra Gleghorn
 Sue Brown
 Bonnie Montgomery
 Will Brown



Please keep the office informed of those who need our prayers.

Thank you!



Please wish the following people will be celebrating a birthday in March.

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| 1-Mary Pering | 3-Vicki Nelson |
| 4-Gene Farthing | 9-Janice McGee |
| 13-Kay Walton | 14-Greg Walton |
| 16-Debbie Cook | 16-Carla Frazier |
| 16-Judy Hahn | 20-Mary Gleghorn |
| 20-Ruth Guyette | 20-Ora Faye Kelley |
| 22-Dennis Hahn | 22-Karen Hahn |
| 26-Ralph Looney | 27-Debra Gleghorn |

We extend our sincere sympathies to the family of **Sam Gardner** who passed away March 13th. Service of celebration was held at Central Christian Church in Springfield, MO.



Scholarships Available



Two \$600 scholarships will be awarded from the Memorial Fund. This year's scholarships will be funded from contributions given in memory of Don Fesperman. If you are a student who will be continuing your education at a college,

university, trade or technical school, you may fill out an application. Applications may be picked up in the church office and must be returned by May 15.



Please notify the church office if you or you know of someone that is in need of prayer. We would like to keep a list of current members who are hospitalized, or who have concerns or needs. Norma Knight is the chair of the prayer chain and she would like to be informed of those who are in need of prayers.

SPECIAL LENTEN NOTES

Good Friday Prayer Vigil

A 12-hour Prayer Vigil will be held Friday, April 2nd from 7:00 PM to 7:00 AM in the Prayer Room. A sign-up schedule will be available in the Fellowship Hall after Sunday worship or you may call the church office to schedule your prayer time.

Volunteers will be present during the 12 hours to offer assistance, security, and prayer and meditation materials. Please prayerfully consider participating.

Lenten Meditations

March 15th - 21st: Fourth Week of Lent

Isaiah 43:16-21, Psalm 126, Philippians 3:4b-14, John 12:1-8

March 22nd - 27th: Fifth Week of Lent

Liturgy of the Psalms: Luke 19: 28-40, Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29

Liturgy of the Passion: Isaiah 50: 4-90, Psalm 31: 9-16, Philippians 2: 5-11, Luke 22: 14-23:56

FROM THE OFFICE

2nd Quarter Serving Lists...



Are now being compiled. Please keep your eyes out for the schedule. If you have any questions, feel free to call the church office.

Thank you!

Directory Update

Thank you to anyone who updated the office of your current address and phone number. A preliminary draft of the directory will be available this Sunday for anyone to double-check their information.

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Sunday School

Bilshan: 9
Loyal Workers: 18
Builders: 13
Friends: 10

3/14/2010

General Fund
Contributions:
\$6679.00
Attendance:
142

Ministry Team

John Bermond, Board Chair
Rev. John Andrews, Senior Pastor
Rev. Don Brown, Parish Minister
Candy French, Music Director
John Cook, Organist
Geoff Weinman, Youth Director
Liz Cook, Children's Director
Jennifer Lilley, Nursery Director
Kimberly Clark, Office Administrator
Raul Juan Duran, Custodian
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Serving March 21, 2010

Elders:

John Bermond
Sharon Martin

DEACONS:

Bill Fischer

Sammy Beard
Becky Gardner Bell
Mary Bermond
Diana Criger
Barbara Dixon
Pat Edel
David Ferguson
Nancy Kays
Vicki Nelson
Sandy Peterson
Dwayne Rout
Ann Schultz
Patsy Tipton
Larry Wakefield
Kay Walton
Ray West
Ginger Williamson

Junior Deacons:

Ben Huggins
Josie Hoover
Jeremiah Williamson

Ushers:

Bill & Chrystal Melton

Communion Preparation:

Bill & Karen Fischer

Fellowship Preparation:

Bill & Karen Fischer

Greeters:

John & Mary Bermond