



Stories from Central

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October 2026

Jot & Tittle

Central UMC Family. I missed you!!!

As many of you know, I had back surgery on August 14th. Two skilled neurosurgeons removed a small (benign!) tumor from inside my spine. I stayed home for 4 weeks afterward to recover.

At times, I was tempted to worry about what was going on at Central in my absence. How could things possibly go on without me? The very public act of preaching can create an illusion that everything in a church revolves around the Senior Pastor. The last month, however, proved just the opposite: a church is made up of many members, all of them equal. No one is more important than the others, not even the Senior Pastor!

As proof, here are some great things that happened while I was out:

- *We had five excellent sermons! If you missed the chance to hear Rev. Dr. Melanie Harris (8/16), Derrick Scott (8/23), Kelli Mullinix (8/30), Pastor Lisa (9/6), or Brian Combs (9/13), catch up at <https://youtube.com/@centralumcasheville>*
- *Our administrative lay leaders kept working hard; the Building, Finance, Staff Pastor Relations, and Stewardship committees all held meetings*
- *Our Congregational Care Team met; homebound, hospital, and nursing home visits took place; Stephen Ministers provided one-on-one care*
- *The Chancel, Wesley, and Bell Choirs returned after a summer break with new interns and members*
- *We celebrated the life and legacy of Mary Margaret Ingle on September 12th with a lovely service and a reception provided by our Bereavement Team*
- *On September 13th, we kicked off this year's children and youth programs with the Kona Ice truck on the front lawn – and celebrated new volunteers*
- *The Staff Pastor Parish Relations Committee and staff onboarded our new Director of Operations, Casey Clark*

Thank you for the warm welcome when I returned to worship on September 20th. It's nice to be missed! But it's even better to serve a strong congregation where ministry doesn't stop when the pastors are off duty.

Central UMC, you are a truly "one body with many members" (1 Corinthians 12:12). I'm honored to be among you and excited for our ministry together this fall!

Much love,



Pastor Mary

Central. Worship.

October Worship Schedule

Sunday, October 4: We start October in the middle of a sermon series on "God's House." We've heard God calling us (9/20), and we've stepped up onto the porch (9/27) ... now it's time to step through the door! We will also celebrate communion during worship and enjoy a special Table-to-Table meal of chicken and rice. Bring salads, bread, and desserts to share!

Sunday, October 11: Now that we've gone through the door, it's time to learn how to live in God's house. What "house rules" did you have to follow growing up? What are your "house rules" today? Bring those thoughts with you into worship on Sunday!

Sunday, October 18: We've stepped up onto the porch of God's house, gone through the door, and learned God's house rules. Now... let's break those walls down and bring the love of God to the world!

Sunday, October 25: The choir helps us explore the beautiful harmony of humanity – or the "body of Christ," using Paul's powerful image in 1 Corinthians 12. Come and find your place in our "song!"

Sunday, November 1: Join us for a special Sunday on our church calendar, All Saints' Sunday. We will light candles for those in our congregation who died in the past year and have a moment of remembrance for all our loved ones who have gone on before us.

Save the Dates: Special Music Programs at Central

Sunday, October 11: Children and Youth Choirs sing in worship

Friday, October 30: Spooktacular Organ Crawl and Fall Festival

Saturday, November 7: Central Chancel Choir Rutter's GLORIA and Advent Music workshop

Sunday, November 15: Children and Youth Choirs sing in worship. Children's Sunday!

Sunday, December 6: Youth choir sings in Worship. Children's Choir presents Christmas Musical after Worship in the Sanctuary

Sunday, December 13: Chancel Choir and Brass orchestra present John Rutter's GLORIA during worship.

Sunday, December 20: Church-wide Christmas caroling at Brooks-Howell with lunch to follow. All Central members, children, and youth are invited to participate.

We hope you will join us for all these special events!

NEWS FROM THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT AT CENTRAL

CHILDREN AND YOUTH CHOIRS ARE OFF AND RUNNING!

Central's Children and Youth Choirs are busy learning new music and preparing to help lead worship services in October, November, and December. We are meeting after Sunday morning Worship at 11:15 with our youth singers and at 11:45 with our children. These talented singers will help lead worship on October 11, November 15, and December 6. All Central youth, children, and friends are invited to participate in these choirs. Please contact Linda Haggard at lhaggard@centralumc.org for more information.



Members of the Chancel Choir kicked off their year on September 13 with a time of fun and fellowship and also a celebration honoring choir members, Ian Messer and Joshua Hager, on their upcoming marriage.

THE CHURCH STREET CHORISTER MINI- FESTIVAL WAS A BIG SUCCESS!

Twenty-eight children ages five years through 6th grade from Central, Trinity Episcopal, and First Presbyterian joined their voices in song and fellowship for the first annual Three Churches Chorister Workshop. Under the direction of Dr. Kari Adams from UNCG, the children learned songs, fun ways to sing, and enjoyed playing instruments. The afternoon was capped off with a closing program that highlighted the children's work.

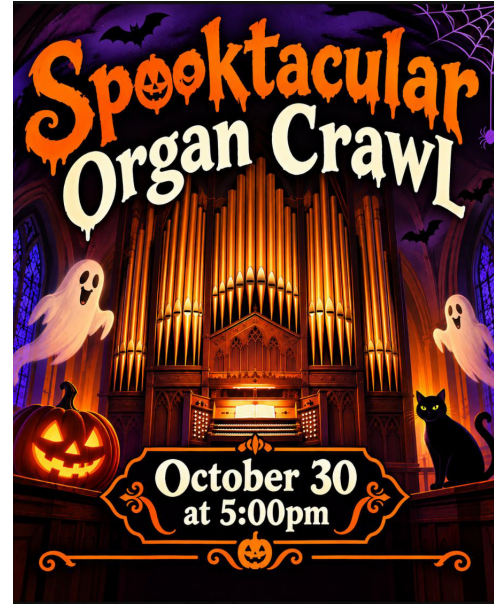


Central.United.

The Church Street Spooktacular Organ Crawl and Fall Festival is October 30 Make plans now to attend!

Corey Powell, Elizabeth LaJeunesse, Kevin Seal, organists at Central United Methodist, First Presbyterian, and Trinity Episcopal Churches will present a Spooktacular Organ Crawl followed by Central's Annual Fall Festival festivities.

The Spooktacular Organ Crawl will begin at Central in the sanctuary at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 30th. Our own Corey Powell will delight the audience with 15 minutes of Halloween Season organ tunes; from there, Linda Haggard will direct and lead everyone to First Presbyterian, where Elizabeth LaJeunesse will entertain with 15 minutes of scary and fun organ pieces; then Linda will lead everyone to Trinity Episcopal, where Kevin Seal will delight listeners with 15 minutes of Spooky organ tunes. Both Trinity Episcopal and First Presbyterian will have trick-or-treating for all children and adults. Everyone is encouraged to wear costumes.



The fun continues back at Central for our annual Fall Festival happening on the Church Street side of the church and Fellowship Hall. There will be a chili cookoff, games, inflatables, candy, a costume contest, and lots of fun are all included in the Fall Festival party. Everyone should be back at Central by 6:00 pm for dinner, games, contests, and CANDY!

You can get involved: donate candy, make chili for the chili cookoff, host a booth, help with setup or cleanup.

This is the first of what we hope will be many fun Halloween Fall Festival Spooktacular events with our Church Street church friends. This event is open to everyone of all ages. Please make plans to attend and invite your friends. Please reach out to Linda Haggard or Corey Powell for additional information and details about the Spooktacular Organ Crawl, and to Maggie Christy to volunteer to help with the Fall Festival.

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Central. Family Life.

Our theme for Family Life Ministries this year is the Fruit of the Spirit! In October, we will be focusing on **JOY!** Where do you see joy in the parable of the good shepherd?

NURSERY UPDATES:

We are hiring for a Nursery Supervisor and would like to do so this month. If you know of anyone who would be interested, please send them to Maggie!

We offer nursery not just as childcare, but as a way to honor the humanity and spirituality of each child. During worship, young children participate in worship with a simple lesson that includes a song, a story, a gross motor activity, a fine motor activity, snack, and prayer. We care about the whole child and are honored to care for them when they are with us. For infants who may not be able to participate in some parts of the lesson, we believe that the songs we sing together are a beautiful way to connect with any age and nurture their spiritual development. This year we are using Sing the Bible as our curriculum basis.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY UPDATES:

Godly Play is underway. Thank you to those who came to the Godly Play Orientation to experience a piece of what our children experience each week during worship. The Godly Play method is a curriculum of spiritual practice exploring the mystery of God's presence in our lives, developed by Jerome Berryman. This Montessori-inspired approach to spiritual development curriculum uses the natural language of children: storytelling and play. Through storytelling, children hear stories of the people of God. Through play (children's work), children have space to be with God and process the stories. This form of worship takes place after Children's Time in the worship service.

Kids With Purpose is back this fall! As Christians, we are called to do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with God (Micah 6:8). During Kids With Purpose, children and tweens get to jump into action to share God's love with the world! Susan Hughes has worked hard to develop this to give our children and tweens some hands-on missional experience.

Tween Ministry is here! We kicked off our Tween Ministry for grades 4th-6th in September with the Tweens Retreat at Camp Tekoa. Now our Tweens have worship bags during worship, with guided note-taking for the sermon, a snack, and tools to make worship more accessible as they transition into participating with the whole body of Christ. We plan to do one Tween event each month as these older children transition into youth ministry.

YOUTH MINISTRY UPDATES:

We continue to use the story of the Good Shepherd and, for this month, the fruit of the Spirit, joy, to guide our youth group discussions.

Youth Sunday School: We are using the Holy Disruptions curriculum for Sunday School this year. Right now, we're on "Resilience in the Old Testament" and will be moving to "Faithfully Engaging" next. This curriculum, developed by our very own Andrew Mochrie at Central, is "designed to delve into the unique experiences of today's youth, spark deep theological reflection, and foster transformative discussions." (Ministry Leadership Center). We are excited to continue being theologians through this curriculum!

October 4, at 5 pm, all humans and animals are invited to come to Central's front lawn for a Blessing of the Animals. In collaboration with Haywood Street congregation, this brief service witnesses to God's love, care, and concern for all of creation, and to our mutual interdependence with all of God's creatures. All animals must come with appropriate leashes, leads, or crates. Youth group meal to follow the service.

October 11, 5-7 pm Youth Fun with Friends at Haw Creek Commons. Double the churches, double the fun! Central and Covenant Community youth groups join together for food, faith, friends, and fellowship!

October 18, 5-7 pm Youth group at Central UMC. The evening will be all about **JOY!**

October 25, 5-7pm Youth Serve at Haw Creek Commons. We will work with Covenant Community youth to better our community through service.

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES UPDATES:

October 9, 5–7 pm Fridays Family Fellowship. Everyone at Central is invited to connect in a casual setting. Contact Dan Norris for more details and to get added to the mailing list. *Please note that this month it will NOT fall on the first Friday as it typically does.*

October 11, No after worship family life activities. Tweens and their parents are invited for an afternoon of fall fun! Sign up on Realm.

October 25, 11:15am Family Life Council open meeting in the 4th floor Youth Arena.

SAVE THE DATE:

**MLK Ski Retreat at Cataloochee
January 16–18, 2027**

IgniteUs – April 9–11, 2027



*Welcome
Casey
Clark!*

Casey joins our Central Staff as our new Director of Operations. Please welcome her as she settles in and gets to know everyone.

YOU DID IT!

WE ASKED – YOU DELIVERED!

We asked you to FILL THE CLOTHES CLOSET at Emma Elementary, and you filled it with underwear, shirts, pants, socks, and dozens of shoes. The school is excited to receive so many clothing items that will benefit the many students who need them and thank you, CUMC, for your generosity.

THANK YOU, CENTRAL!!

Members of the GIFTS class preparing items for delivery.



Items delivered to Emma Elementary School



UWF CIRCLES

ANNA – First Wednesday at 10:00 am

DEBORAH – Second Tuesday at 10:00 am

EVE – First Tuesday at 10:00 am

MARTHA – Second Tuesday at 6:30 pm

RUTH – First Tuesday at 10:00 am

UNNAMED WOMEN – Second
Wednesday at 6:00 pm

United Women in Faith Circles

Our circles would love to hear from you and have you visit and consider joining. Contact the circle chair for more information about meetings and getting involved, or contact Kathy Leftwich, kathleencleftwich@gmail.com.

- **Anna Circle** will meet on Wednesday, October 7, at 10:00 am in the Central UMC parlor. The World Thank Offering Program will be given by Caryl Rawls. The November meeting will be on Wednesday, November 4, at the same time and place. April Messer will present on the new Health Ministry being formed at Central. Visitors are always welcome. For information, please contact Glenda Fuhrmann, glendafuhrmann@yahoo.com.
- **Deborah Circle** meets at 10:00 am on the second Tuesday of the month in a member's home. All are welcome. Questions? Contact Susan Snell, ssnell123@bellsouth.net.
- **Eve Circle** meets the first Tuesday of each month in the Central UMC parlor at 10:00 am. In April 2026, the Eve Circle held our "Have Hope" bead jewelry sale to raise funds for the Moheto girls' scholarships in Kenya and for the Zoe Orphan Empowerment program. Thanks to your generous support, we raised \$350 for each of these wonderful mission initiatives. Our next "Have Hope" jewelry sale will be the first two Sundays in December (just in time for Christmas gifts). Come share the fellowship and joy. Everyone is welcome. Please contact Donna Anderson, dibandy45@gmail.com or Sandra Wells, sandracwells@gmail.com for more information.
- **Martha Circle** meets on the second Tuesday of each month, in a member's home or a location downtown. Please contact Kathy Leftwich, kathleencleftwich@gmail.com.
- **Ruth Circle** – Please join members of the Ruth Circle on Tuesday, October 6, 2026, at 10:00 am in the library at Central UMC as we gather for Faith, Action, and Sisterhood! We will collect rice (white and brown) and beans (pinto beans – preferred) for ABCCM. Let's Do This, Let's Be Bold, Let's Be UNSTOPPABLE! Together! We look forward to sharing the morning with you! For more information about Ruth Circle, please contact, Kim Everette, kimeverette525@gmail.com.
- **Unnamed Women's Circle** gathers the second Wednesday of each month for dinner out and lively conversation at a nearby restaurant. Childcare can be arranged if needed. Please contact Sarah Caraway, sarahstrickland92@gmail.com for further information.



United Women in Faith

Nurturing Children through Reading

How can we instill faith, hope, and love in the children in our lives? Read them a book! Go into the George Beverly Library at Central and go through the stacks back to the North wall. There, you'll find a shelf of children's books: picture books up through a 4th-grade reading level.

If you would like to help a child understand how trees grow, what trees are useful for, what trees stand for, and how all that relates to a family tree and hope for the future, turn to this beautiful picture book, **Nell Plants A Tree** by Anne Wynter and Daniel Miyares. How about protecting the environment? **Stand as Tall as the Trees** by Patricia Gualinga, Laura Resau, and Vanessa Jaramillo. **Saving American Beach: The Biography of African American Environmentalist MaVynnee Betsch** by Heidi Tyline King and Ekua Holmes, or **Bright Star** by Yuyi Morales

Talking about homelessness? **Zion Learns to See** by Terence Lester, Zion Lester, and Subi Bosa. Teaching community service? **Change Sings** by Amanda Gorman and Loren Long or **A Synagogue Just Like Home** by Alice Blumenthal McGinty and Laurel Molk. Diversity? Palestinians: **These Olive Trees** by Aya Ghanameh. Muslims: **The Proudest Blue** by Ibtihaj Muhammad, S. K. Ali, and Hatem Aly. Gender equality? **Penny Preaches** by Amy Dixon, Rob Dixon, and Jennifer Davison. Minorities and their struggles? **The Tower of Life** by Chana Stiefel and Susan Gal or **Still Dreaming/Seguimos Sonando** by Claudia Guadalupe Martínez and Magdalena Mora.

Help children grow in their relationship with God and the world? **Isaiah and the Worry Pack** by Ruth Goring and Pamela C Rice, **The Book of Joy** by Dalai Lama, Desmond Tutu, and Rafael López, or **A Prayer for Our Country** by Barry Black and Kim Holt.

This section includes thirty-five children's books, along with one hundred adult and youth books. They are on shelves that hold the United Women in Faith's Reading Program books. These books are here to help United Women in Faith uphold their Vision, Mission, and Purpose. However, anyone can check them out. To check out any Reading Program book, sign the loose-leaf binder on top of those shelves and return the books to the tray there. Here's a bonus tip for United Women in Faith who are doing a Reading Program Plan: A children's book has the same credit as an adult book. Just hinting!

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns about the United Women in Faith Reading Program, please email Glenda Fuhrmann at glendafuhrmann@yahoo.com.

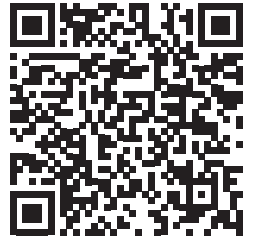
Glenda Fuhrmann chairs UWF Anna Circle and also serves as the UWF Reading Program Advisor.



Pride Build Day 2026 Saturday, October 10 8:15 am – 3:30 pm



Sign up for Pride Build Day by using the QR Code, logging in (or creating an account), then selecting the “Pride Build” shift on October 10. If you have any issues, you can also email volunteer@ashevillehabitat.org for assistance signing up.



Please bring friends and loved ones for a day dedicated to creating an intentional, welcoming volunteer experience for LGBTQ+ folks.

Our work at Habitat has special significance to marginalized communities, like LGBTQ+ folks, who are disproportionately vulnerable to poverty, housing insecurity, and homelessness—see a few statistics below. Having a Pride Build Day is a way to celebrate the LGBTQ+ community, and the power members of that community have to build a safer, more welcoming, and more resilient future. It’s an opportunity to stand in solidarity with each other, our allies, and all marginalized communities.



Statistics on LGBTQ+ housing security and housing stability, courtesy of the Williams Institute at UCLA:

- Sexual minority adults are almost three times as likely to experience homelessness in their lifetime than cisgender straight people (17% vs 6%).
- LGBT adults, as a whole, have at least 15% higher odds of being poor than cisgender straight adults after controlling for age, race, urbanicity, employment status, language, education, disability, and other factors that affect risk of poverty.
- According to representative data from 35 states, nearly half (49.8%) of LGBT adults own their homes, compared to 70.1% of non-LGBT adults.
- Homeownership is even lower among LGBT racial minorities and transgender people.
- Same-sex couples are significantly less likely to own their homes than different-sex couples (63.8% and 75.1%, respectively).



Reconciling Ministry Group (RMG) No Summer Break

During the season known for vacations, the Reconciling Ministry Group (RMG) did not vacate its mission work. In June, at the 2026 Annual Conference of the Western North Carolina United Methodist Church, Central's Reconciling Ministry Group hosted a weekend vendor booth. Donations received supported Central's Moheto High School Girls' scholarship fund. Visitors to the booth gathered information promoting Central's inclusion of all people and literature for our LGBTQA+ ministry. As RMG members listened to personal stories of pain and rejection, they offered support and healing and shared the joys of experiencing love through inclusion.

When Stonewall Fest returned to Asheville in June 2026, Central church was invited to represent faith groups during this 57th worldwide celebration of Gay culture. At RMG's booth, God's love was announced, and bottled water banded with Central's invitation of inclusion was readily accepted by festgoers.

RMG's summer months were also spent planning for Fall events at Asheville's Blue Ridge Pride Festival. Central will host the 2nd Annual Interfaith Worship service preceding the opening of the Festival at Pack Square on September 26. RMG's fourteenth year with a vendor booth at the festival invites visitors to hear that God loves "Everyone without Exception," and receive an invitation to Central UMC.



Central. Creation Care.

In September, many on our Creation Care Committee took a tour of the Buncombe County Waste Management Facility. Nathan Rawls, on our committee, was kind enough to rent a van and chauffeur 9 of us all though the facility. We had a lovely tour guide, "Cassie" who was knowledgeable and personable but also passionate about teaching and feeding curious minds. We had a van full of those! We traversed over the 500-acre facility while she shared facts about their project of generating electricity from the natural buildup of methane gases, enough to power 1,100 homes! She also shared with us what is truly "recyclable" in our area and what is not....and why. She showed us a pilot project of composting on a grand scale that she hoped someday might become a model for other landfill facilities. But the inspirational part of our tour was the melding of Central UMC members around our mutual curiosity, to find solutions to minimize waste and to address our part of a global threat of climate change.

If this resonates with you and you feel called to join others in seeking ways to take care of God's creation and learn more, come join us. We strive to meet on the second Sunday of every month after church. Our purpose is to raise awareness of the many small ways we can make a difference as individuals and collectively as a church.

We also, periodically, arrange tours and other events to achieve that same goal. Our next tour is at Curbside Management ("Curbie") in Woodfin/ North Asheville. It's scheduled on Wednesday, November 11th at 10:00. This tour will show you how they receive, then separate the recyclables and how they ship them off to after-markets. If you're interested in this informative one-hour tour, please contact Ellen Furney at efurney08@gmail.com to be added to the list.



DON'T TANGLE OR CONTAMINATE

RECYCLE RIGHT

FOR A GREENER STATE

PLASTIC Bottles, tubs, jugs, and cups No pumps Empty and rinse	METAL Food/drink cans and cups Empty and rinse
GLASS Bottles and jars Empty and rinse	PAPER Paper, cartons, and cardboard Flatten cardboard

Buncombe County Solid Waste Office:
828-250-5460
buncombenc.gov/recycling

KEEP THESE OUT!

- ⊗ Plastic bags/wrap
- ⊗ Plastic clamshell containers
- ⊗ All batteries (car, lithium, etc.)
- ⊗ Ceramic items
- ⊗ Clothing or textiles
- ⊗ Corks
- ⊗ Diapers
- ⊗ Electronics
- ⊗ Food-tainted items
- ⊗ Hazardous waste
- ⊗ Household glass
- ⊗ Medical waste
- ⊗ #5 Colored, plastic, party cups
- ⊗ Scrap metal/wood
- ⊗ Shredded paper
- ⊗ Squeeze pouches
- ⊗ Styrofoam cups and peanuts
- ⊗ Tanglers (cords, hoses, wires, etc.)
- ⊗ Tires
- ⊗ Toys



Remembering Mary Margaret Ingle...
faithful servant and consummate giver of care
facilitator of our Bereavement Care for over 20 years
a kind and welcoming receptionist
a Stephen Minister
our "flower lady"
a friend to all.

Are you a parent of a pre-teen or teenager?

***Do you worry about how to monitor their use of digital devices?
WHOA! PARENTING in the DIGITAL AGE!***

Check out the HEALTHCARE Ministry booth at the Fall Festival to pick up some tips and discuss other ways Central might help you navigate the daunting yet useful devices!!

Congregational Care has MANY FACES:

On-Call Opportunities:

- Set Up and Take Down for Bereavement receptions
- Be a Meal Train Provider
- Assist with health care events

Ongoing Opportunities:

- Join Circle of Prayer
- Participate in Children's Care Ministry
- Become a Homebound Visitor (Males particularly needed!)
- Become a part of the Prayer Shawl ministry!
- Write notes to our college students.

New Opportunity!

Free Moms at UNC-A - Volunteer roles:

- Help organize and grow the group
- Regularly contribute your time and talents: whether it's baking, showing up on campus to lend a listening ear, or helping coordinate events and outreach, etc.

We'd love to have your participation in any way you can!

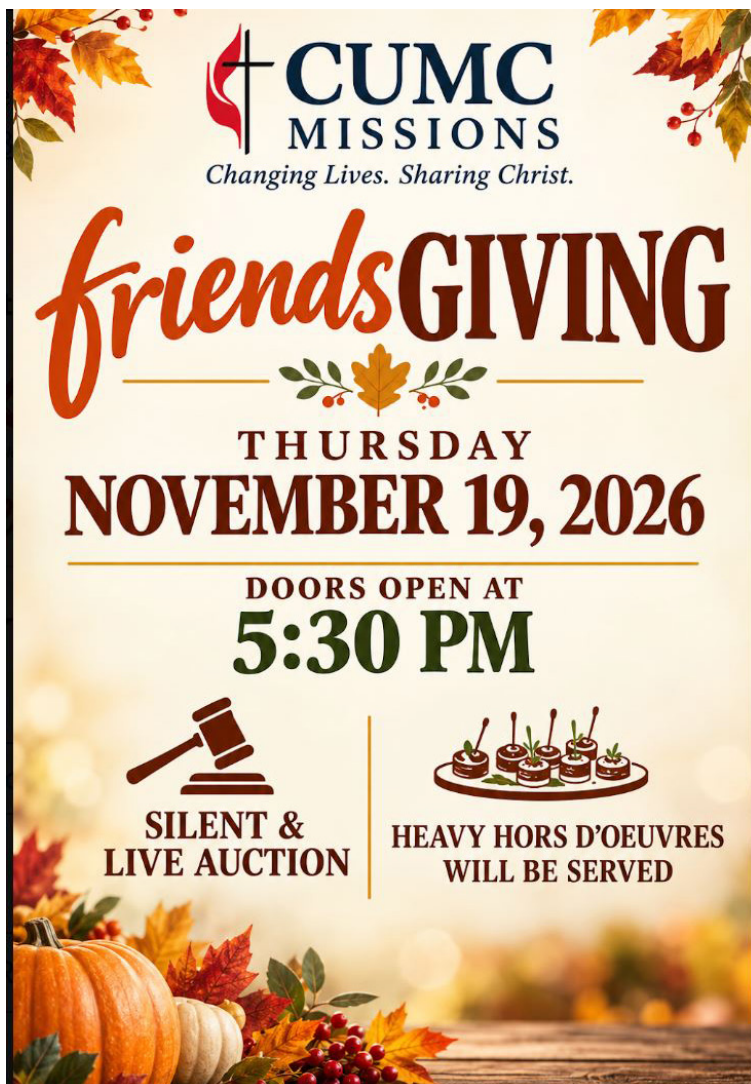
Contact Pastor Lisa, lrettew@centralumc.org to talk it over!!

Upcoming Events



Join us after worship at 11:15am in the Fellowship Hall for our Table to Table Potluck, where good food and good company come together! Central will provide the entree, and we invite you to bring a favorite side dish, appetizer, or dessert to share. Whether you love cooking or prefer to pick something up on the way, your presence is what matters most. All are welcome! There is no cost, though donations are welcome to help offset the cost of the meal. Pull up a chair, share a meal, and connect across tables. We can't wait to gather with you!

JOIN US ON OCTOBER 4TH!



FriendsGIVING IS BACK!

Join the fun! November 19 at 5:30 pm at Highland Brewing.

Want to be a sponsor? Contact Bill Haynes at bleehaynes@aol.com. Want to donate a silent or live auction item? Contact Jonathan Meadows at jonathanlmeadows@gmail.com or Vicki Leeds at vsueleeds@gmail.com.

For more information and to register, please use the QR Code.





Join us for The Harvest Ball, a special evening celebrating the farmers, chefs, volunteers, supporters, and community partners who make Equal Plates Project's work possible.

Together, we'll honor the power of local food to strengthen our community while raising critical funds to provide fresh, nourishing meals for neighbors experiencing food insecurity across Western North Carolina.

Your evening includes:

- A farm-inspired dinner crafted by Equal Plates Project chefs alongside talented local guest chefs, including Chef Taylor Montgomery, 2026 James Beard Award Winner for Best Chef: Southeast, Chef Elana Pearlman of Piccolina and Chef Casey Ruiz.
- Two drink tickets, good for beer, wine, and cocktails
- Live music by Jackson Grimm and Clint Roberts of Holler Choir
- An exciting live and silent auction featuring unique local experiences and packages
- An opportunity to raise your paddle in support of our mission

Attire: Farm Formal

Think boots, bow ties, florals, denim, and your best dressed up for the farm look!

Every ticket purchased helps transform locally grown ingredients into nutritious meals for children, families, seniors, and neighbors in need all while supporting the local farms that make this work possible.

Come celebrate the incredible people behind every meal, invest in a more connected community, and help us ensure that everyone has access to fresh, locally sourced food.

Order tickets through the QR code!

We can't wait to celebrate with you!



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