

Central Happenings

SUNDAY – June 30

10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary/Online)

MONDAY – July 1

6:15 p.m. Central Softball (Arni Cohen Memorial Field #1)

TUESDAY – July 2

6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Summer Series Christian Education (Fitch Parlor)

WEDNESDAY – July 3

Noon Charity Knitters (Discipleship)

THURSDAY – July 4

The office will be open from 9-12

We are look forward to the theme of **BackYard Missions** for the month of July. Stay tuned for details as we learn about our mission partners and the good work they do!

Please use the **Ritual of Friendship** pads to let us know you're with us today. Whether you are in person or on-line, you can also sign in at centralpreschurch.org/friendship

In our effort to be inclusive of those who are unable to be with us in person, we live stream our worship services online. For those who are camera-shy, seating is available in the back two rows of the main floor or anywhere in the balcony.

Contact the office at 765-742-8481 if you would like to request a prayer or visit from the Deacons.

Pastor: Wil Reinowski
Traditional Music/Organist: Jeffrey Stearns
Contemporary Music: Paul Foster
Adult Handbells: Janice Spitalniak
Custodian: Bob Hill
Admin/Christian Education: Jennifer Shook

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Sixth Sunday after Pentecost June 30, 2024



Welcome

Prelude

“God Is Here Today” (Raul Galeano)

*Call to Worship

Kathy Meeks

Leader: Wait for the Lord, like those who hope in God’s mercy.

People: God’s steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: Watch for God, like those who eagerly await the morning.

People: We watch for God, whose power redeems us.

Leader: Hear God’s hopeful word, like those who long for pardon.

People: Together, let us sing praise to God and rejoice in God’s love.

*Hymn

“Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun” 663

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and

humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son. Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: Friends, hear the good news! Who is in the position to condemn? Only Christ, and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. Believe in the Good News of the Gospel: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God.

***Congregational Response**

“Glory to God in the Highest” back cover Hymnal

***Passing of the Peace**

Prayer for Illumination

First Reading Psalm 30:1-12

Anthem “Image of God” (Wells/Witt)

Second Reading Mark 5:21-43

Message “A Holy Interruption” Ryan M. Shelley

***Hymn** “O Christ, the Healer ” 793

***Affirmation of Faith** “Apostles Creed” (page 35 Hymnal)

***Congregational Response** “Gloria Patri” (back cover Hymnal)

Call to Prayer

Prayers of the People

The Lord’s Prayer

Invitation to Offering

The offering basket is located at the back of the west aisle of the sanctuary. Feel free to make your offering at any time.

Offertory “What a Friend We Have in Jesus” (CONVERSE)

***Doxology** 606

Prayer of Dedication (unison)

Through our offerings, O God, pour out your loving Spirit to a world in need of comfort. Bless these gifts and all the gifts we offer, that your kingdom may come on earth as it is in heaven. Make our many gifts this and every day one offering for the world, in the name of Jesus. Amen.

***Hymn** “Great is Thy Faithfulness” 39

***Benediction**

Postlude “Improvisation No. 7 in A-minor” (C. Saint-Saens)

** Please stand as you are able.*



In Our Prayers ✠

We pray for those among us who need healing.

We pray for the Fellowship Team who has organized many activities to keep our congregation bonded.

We pray for our Special Care Friends Nancy Clerget and Norma Doyle.

Central is grateful to have Ryan M. Shelley with us this morning to lead worship. He is a seminarian at the University of Dubuque Theological Seminary where he is pursuing his Master of Divinity degree. He is ordained as a Ruling Elder and a member of Central Presbyterian Church and currently serves as a Deacon, Stephen Minister, and Vice-Moderator of the Presbytery of Wabash Valley Personnel Ministry Team. He has been married for 25 years to Rev. William F. Reinowski who serves as pastor here at Central Presbyterian Church.