

**Authentic Reverence • Vibrant Tradition • Passionate Grace • Active Faith • Catalytic Generosity**  
GROWING CHRIST-CENTERED COMMUNITY IN A DISTRACTING WORLD





**PILGRIMAGE: A JOURNEY OF FAITH**  
**“PILLAR OF CLOUD AND FIRE”**  
*Order of Worship, January 8, 2017*

**AUTHENTIC REVERENCE**

PRE-SERVICE Rick Wild, piano

WELCOME

PRELUDE “Prelude in Classic Style”  
by Gordon Young  
Rick Wild, organ

**VIBRANT TRADITION**

▲ HYMNS OF GRACE *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*  
Hymnal, 89 (vs. 1-2)

▲ SCRIPTURE LESSON Exodus 13: 17-22

▲ HYMN OF GRACE *The First Noel*  
Hymnal, 245 (vs. 3-5)

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

**CENTRAL TO LIFE**

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MINISTRY MOMENT Ted Balph

**CATALYTIC GENEROSITY**

INVITATION TO CATALYTIC GENEROSITY

OFFERING

OFFERTORY (8:30) “Fugue, or Voluntary”  
by William Selby  
Rick Wild, organ

(11:00) Roy Waugh, solo

▲ OFFERTORY RESPONSE

*Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow*  
Hymnal, 95

▲ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**PASSIONATE GRACE**

▲ HYMNS OF PREPARATION *We Three Kings*  
Hymnal, 254 (vs. 1-4)

▲ SCRIPTURE LESSON Matthew 2: 1-12

▲ RESPONSE *We Three Kings*  
Hymnal, 254 (vs. 5)

ANTHEM

(8:30) Roy Waugh, solo

(11:00) “The Work of Christmas”  
by Craig Courtney  
Chancel Choir

SERMON

Pilgrimage: A Journey of Faith  
“Pillar of Cloud and Fire”  
Rev. Scott Sharp

**ACTIVE FAITH**

▲ INVITATION TO Active Faith

▲ HYMN TO ENGAGE THE WORLD *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*  
Hymnal, 89 (vs. 3-4)

▲ BENEDICTION

▲ POSTLUDE “Tocatta”  
by Flor Peeters  
Rick Wild, organ

# Our Prayers Are With...

Welcome...

January 8, 2017

## Friends/Family deployed, or may be otherwise in harm's way:

Roger Dieterich III

Kyle Cassidy

### MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Wanda Andersen	Sandra Harris	Beth Reeves
Peggy Arensdorf	Roger Hatlestad	Beverly Schifani
Susan Bradley	Max & Molly Hayes	Carol Smith
Michelle Brenneman	Tom & Joy Hayes	Lola Smith
Doris Brooks	Don Hughes	Bill Squire
Mark & Jennifer Coats	Peggy Hunnicutt	Anna Swanson
Ruth Cook	Dixie Janke & Family	Vivienne Swanton
Denise Dockendorff	Greg & Angela Janke	Shirley Tanzola
Jim Dines	Fran & Merrill Jones	Bob Turner
Sue Daulton	Kathryn Jones	Phyllis Uhde
Evelyn Dodd	Feroza Jussawalla	Anne Weydert
Michael Fielder	Marilyn Looney	Pat Whited
Mary Fletcher	Mat & Cathy Loveday	Dick Williamson
Jean Franchell	Gloria Nelson	Mary Williamson
Dorothy Gordon	Rick Nelson	Ida Woods
Robert Gough	Wanda O'Nan	
Sandra Graves	Gena Patterson	

### FRIENDS AND FAMILY: Names will appear on this list for two weeks.

Bill Henthorn (The Humes Family)	Suzanne Kupferer (Chris & Susan Ritchie)
Joe Tricarico (Tom & Joy Hayes)	John Robert Thompson (Dr. William & Sandra Thompson)
Bonnie Otto (Tom & Joy Hayes)	Sherry Wilson Daniel (Angus Jordan)
Robert Downey (Tom & Joy Hayes)	Denise Pickard (Linda Pickard)
Christopher Jones (Fran & Merrill Jones)	Wharton Family (Pat & Debbie Wilkins)
Doug Jones (Fran & Merrill Jones)	Jackie Turner (Mel & Lorene Legg)
The Pike Family (Pat & Debbie Wilkins)	Whitney Bennefield (Greg & Angela Janke)
The Kroth Family (Teresa Anderson)	Mauro Nava (Danna & Marion Jordan)
The Werntz Family (Pat Wilkins)	Lynn Yarmer (Cleo Westmark)
David Waldron (Zila Family)	Milly Weeks (Marilyn Ortman & Beverly Schifani)
Walt & Jackie Findley (Rev Janet & Sid Findley)	Nathan Bordy & Family (Daryl Lopez)
Jack West (Pat & Debbie Wilkins)	Ken Nelson (Marion Jordan)
Jody Pelot (Joyce Robertson)	Jaime Carrillo (Sabrina Carrillo)
Christopher Norris Carl Profazi/Susan Ellsworth)	David Van Doren Family (Mike & Debbie Tixier)
Charles Brooks (Pastor Kelly)	Sue Wasson (Shirley Tanzola)
Tom & Mary Dockendorff	Pete Maestas (Brice Humes)
(Jim & Denise Dockendorff)	
Millie Weeks (Joy Hayes)	
Michael Lawson (Dee & Trigg Lawson)	
Teresa Bell (Trigg Lawson)	

Altar flowers today are given in memory of  
Brad Walker by Donna Walker

## Guests and Members,

Please register your attendance today by completing this card and placing it in the offering.

Attended...

8:30am       11:00am

Are you a...

- First Time Guest?  
 Regular Guest?  
 Member?

**Please Print**

Name

Address ( new)

City/State/Zip

Email

Phone  Cell  Home

### Children attending with you:

First/Last Name/Birth Date/M or F/Grade

(more information on back)

[ Please Tear Off & Place With Offering ]

CONNECT CARD

### More Information...

- I would like to join Central UMC
  - I would like more information on church activities
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### Central Connections

If you're new to Central UMC, or have been attending for some time, and would like to learn more about Central and how to become involved, plan to attend the next Central Connections class with Pastor Scott.

- I would like to attend (Please fill out contact information on other side)

### Prayer Request

Please pray for

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This person is:

- Myself
- Family Member
- Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_
- Coworker     Friend
- Member of Central?

Request is for:

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- This request is confidential
- Please have pastor call me.

**Classic Services  
in the Sanctuary  
8:30 & 11:00 am**

**Community of Hope  
on the South Lawn  
1:00pm**

**Sunday School**  
9:45 am for adults, children, youth

**Youth Group**  
Please see CTL News

- ◆ Childcare provided: 0 - 8 years
- ◆ Sermon Videos and Podcasts at [CentraltoLife.org](http://CentraltoLife.org) (Watch)

### CHURCH STAFF

- Rev. Scott Sharp**, Senior Pastor
- Rev. Kelly Brooks**, Executive Pastor
- Rev. Janet Norden**, Associate Pastor
- Scott Zila**, Building Superintendent
- Jerri Foster**, Director of Music Ministries
- Michele Humes**, Office Manager
- Kathy Gough**, Office Assistant
- Jesus Valdez**, Media Coordinator
- Rick Wild**, Organist
- Alesha Bird**, ASL Interpreter

### CENTRAL CALENDAR

### Serve Ministries



Empowering families to end their homelessness and poverty through housing, education, and supportive communities. For more information call (505) 299-6154, or visit [www.saranamabq.org](http://www.saranamabq.org).

**HELPING HANDS** is a ministry whose mission is to assist people who walk in, seeking help, to meet their immediate short term needs. For more information call (505) 353-1197.



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**Services broadcast on KAZQ TV-32—Sunday, 11 am & 7 pm**

**Get connected!** Sign up for Central Connections, our weekly electronic newsletter, at [www.centraltolife.org](http://www.centraltolife.org) or send an email to Jesus Valdez at [jesusvaldez@centraltolife.org](mailto:jesusvaldez@centraltolife.org).



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