



Thank you so very much for worshipping with us on this Easter Sunday. The resurrection of Jesus is the cornerstone of the Christian faith and our worship service today is meant to proclaim the Good News of Jesus.

Just as there are four points to the compass, Central United Methodist Church uses four points to guide us in terms of our development as disciples of Jesus. WORSHIP is an experience in which who we is defined most by who God is. As we worship we find that we are rooted in God's grace, called to live for Jesus, and empowered by the Holy Spirit. Our NAVIGATE ministries are those that help us grow in our knowledge and experience of the life of Jesus. Bible studies, prayer groups, and Christian formation classes all help us live our lives based on the life of Christ. SERVE reminds us that Jesus lived his life for others' sakes, and therefore our Christian lives should serve others. We do this by working with the poor, those in need, and the hungry. Additionally, our church is very involved with Lowell Elementary school, and Saranam, which is a two-year program for homeless families. Finally, ENGAGE reminds us that no matter what we do, we should do it for Jesus Christ.

Thank you again for worshipping with us today at Central. If you have any questions about who we are, or our ministries, talk with one of our pastors, check the website, or visit the hospitality station in our gathering area. I hope that your presence in worship today is one that inspires your living and roots your faith.

With Easter Joy,
Scott

Attention Men

Pastor Scott will be hosting an information meeting about a new Mens Ministry that will be beginning after Easter. The meeting will be on **Wednesday, April 19 at 5:30pm** in the Conference Room.

If you have questions before the meeting, please email Pastor Scott at scotts@centraltolife.org

April 16, 2017

CENTRAL TO LIFE





SERMON SERIES
"40 DAYS OF GOOD NEWS"

CLASSIC SERVICE

8:30am & 11:00am

COMMUNITY OF HOPE

1:00pm



HELPING HANDS NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

Central UMC Helping Hands Ministry (HHM) needs volunteers to work Wednesday and/or Friday morning. If you are interested in giving a helping hand to folks in need with a smile and a prayer please come watch us in action. Call Cindy at 505-249-9117 to set up a visit to HHM to see if you would like to join our team.

CUMC CLOSED

Central United Methodist Church will be closed **April 17th**



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!
REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

When: **June 17th, 9:00am-3:00pm**
 Theme: Hero Central
 Please visit the front desk or contact Pastor Kelly for registration information.

CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST WOMEN MEETINGS



April 19th @ 11:45, Room 312
 Friendly Lunch Bunch
April 22nd, St. John's UMC
 Albuquerque District Annual Meeting
"Quilted Together in Love"
Saturday, May 6; 11:00 in the Life Center
 Luncheon and Silent Auction
 tickets are \$20 and will be sold in the gathering area between services on **April 23 and April 30.**



SACRAMENTO CHURCH CAMP

Registration is open for all ages (**deadline: This Week!**) Transportation for King's Kids Camp (grades 2-4 | June 9-11) and Ritmo Camp (grades 7-12 | June 14-23) will be provided. Visit sacramentocamp.org for camp information and visit with Pastor Kelly to register.

COMMUNICATIONS TEAM



The April monthly newsletter is now available through the church's email group list. There will be a few printed copies at the Welcome Desk in the gathering area. Connect Cards are at the Desk and in the pews to easily provide the office with current contact information including your email address so that you may receive the newsletter. **PLEASE NOTE:** Leaders of Sunday school classes, please provide a short description of your class to include in the newsletter's list which will appear on a regular basis. Correct, if I have the wrong contact person listed. Also, provide a phone number if other than the church office. Thanks! Pat Briggs at communicationsteam@centraltolife.com or 268-1009 (Briggs #)



CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST MEN

All of the men who attend Central UMC are invited to attend the United Methodist Men's Forum that will be held at Central UMC on **Saturday, April 29th**. Registration forms are available at the front desk at Central or from Ed Vigil. In addition, the Central United Men will pay for the registration fee for the first ten men who contact *Ed Vigil* at (505) 221-0041. For additional information about the Forum, contact either Ed or Marion Jordan.

CHURCH STAFF

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