

Authentic Reverence • Vibrant Tradition • Passionate Grace • Active Faith • Catalytic Generosity

GROWING CHRIST-CENTERED COMMUNITY IN A DISTRACTING WORLD





"INVITED TO THE CROSS"

Order of Worship, April 14, 2019

PRE-SERVICE **Dr. Dan Cummings, piano**

WELCOME

PRELUDE "Jubilee for Bells"
Barbara Kinyon
Mass ApPeal Handbells

▲ CALL TO WORSHIP

Let us wave palms,
for today we welcome Christ into our midst.
**Let us shed tears,
for today we receive Christ's invitation to the cross.**
On this day, we bring our palms
and reflect upon Christ's passion.
On this day, we laugh with joy and cry with anguish.
On this day, we begin the holiest week of all.
On this day, we begin to grieve.
On this day we will not keep silent,
For if we were silent,
the very stones of the earth would shout out.
**And when we celebrate Sunday next week,
we will laugh in the face of anguish,
and we will celebrate the resurrection of Christ!**

▲ COLLECT AND THANKSGIVING OVER THE PALMS

The lord be with you
And also with you
Let us give thanks to the Lord
It is right to give our thanks and praise
It is indeed...Amen.

PROCLAMATION OF THE TRIUMPHAL ENTRY:
Luke 19:28-40

▲ PROCESSIONAL HYMN *All Glory, Laud and Honor*
Hymnal, 280

CENTRAL TO LIFE

PASSING OF THE PEACE **Hosanna, Loud Hosanna**
Hymnal, 278 (vs. 3)

(11:00) Children!
You are invited to go to the chapel for Church for Kids!

ANTHEM "Hosanna to the Son of David"
T.L. de Victoria
Chancel Choir

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 50:4-9a

▲ SCRIPTURE HYMN
O Sacred Head, Now Wounded
Hymnal, 286 (vs. 1-2)

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 23:1-49

▲ SCRIPTURE HYMN
O Sacred Head, Now Wounded
Hymnal, 286 (vs. 3)

SERMON "INVITED TO THE CROSS"
Rev. Greg Kennedy

MUSICAL RESPONSE
"Cross of Jesus, Cross of Sorrow"
Howard Helvey
Men's Ensemble

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD AND US

THE LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO CATALYTIC GENEROSITY

OFFERTORY "Day By Day"
John A. Behnke
Mass ApPeal Handbells

▲ OFFERTORY RESPONSE
Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow
Hymnal, 95

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

INVITATION TO ACTIVE FAITH

▲ HYMN TO ENGAGE THE WORLD **Ah, Holy Jesus**
Hymnal, 289

▲ BLESSING

BENEDICTION "Were You There"
African-American Spiritual
solo

▲ POSTLUDE **Dr. Dan Cummings, organ**

Our Prayers Are With...

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

Kyle Cassidy Logan Dow	Brian Hernandez Haley Janke	Daniel Murtagh John W. Murtagh	Jared McManus Brian Brown
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MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Unique Amore	Carol Glover	Elizabeth Mixon	Vivienne Swanton
Wanda Andersen	Dorothy & Byfield Gordon	Mica Murray	Eldora Swedenburg
Peggy Arensdorf	Sandra Graves	Rick Nelson	Brenda Nye Thrasher
Susan Bradley	Sandra Harris	Kyle Nye	Emerson Nye Thrasher
Mark & Jennifer Coats	Rex Hopson	Wanda O'Nan	Stephen Thrasher
Ruth Cook	Ray Irwin	Carolyn Palmer	Bob Turner
Rubina Daniel	Angela Janke	Betty Richards	Mary Turner
John Denslow	Donna & Marion Jordan	Jerry Spurlin	Bruce Underwood
Leslie Elmore-Stenger	Feroza Jussawalla	La Verne Steven	Anne Weydert
Stephen Elmore	Glenn Kirk	Stephen Ministers	Barbara Williams
Mary Fletcher	Marilynn Looney	Stephen Ministry Care Receivers	Tom & Sue Williams
Jean & Jim Franchell	Barbara McAllister	Anna Swanson	DeeLynn Ybarra

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

Bob Thompson (Bill & Sandra Thompson)	Patricia Phillpot (Rhonda Townes)
Marjorie Ford (Charlie Ford)	Lupe Chavez (Barbara Skinner)
Terry Weeks (Tom & Joy Hayes)	Hans Schoenburg & Jane McGrath (Teresa Anderson)
Jackie Berry (Lorene & Mel Legg)	Robert Downey (Tom & Joy Hayes)
Christopher Jones (Merrill & Fran Jones)	James Phillips (Karen & Johnny Wilson)
Cooper Gilmore (Mike & Debbie Tixier)	Brandi Cross (Angus Jordan)
Diana Roybal (Lori & Gary Galemore)	Carl Harrison (Ronselle Harrison)
Glenn Ybarra (Rhonda Townes)	Lana & Ken Griggs (Michele Humes)
Drew (Karen Wilson)	Bob Cundal (Mike & Debbie Tixier)
Kyle & Bev Greenwood (Bill & Sandra Thompson)	Vonda Chafins (Dana & Eddie Chavez)
Laura Fletcher & Charlie Anderson (Rob & Teresa Anderson)	Karla Giese (Jerry & Marjorie Spurlin)
Connie Horner (Barbara Skinner)	John & Kelly Jacobs (Angus Jordan)
Ashely Banister (Charlie Ford)	Becky Altenberg (Dixie, Kathy and Brock Janke)
Brittany Kanmore (Sheribeth & B.J. James)	

Congratulations to great grandmother **Dixie Janke**, grandparents **Greg & Angela Janke** and mother **Haley Janke** on the birth of **Eli Nazario Janke** on April 4th

Congratulations! to Central's oldest member **Vivienne Swanton** who celebrated her **101st Birthday** on Saturday April 6th

Altar flowers in memory of our parents', **Earlie & Cleatus Jordan**, April 12th and April 15th birthdays from Angus & Marion Jordan & Betty Richards & Peggy Wycoff & Wanda Bedinghaus
Pulpit flowers in memory Paul's mother **Jean Skrak** on her birthday from Ellen & Paul Skrak

HOURS

MONDAY - THURSDAY

9:00am - 4:00pm

FRIDAY

9:00am - Noon

CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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CLASSIC SERVICE

8:30am & 11:00am



WE ARE A
**STEPHEN
MINISTRY
CHURCH**

STEPHEN MINISTRY is a one-to-one lay caring ministry that provides high-quality, confidential, Christ-centered care to people who are hurting. Stephen Ministers are available to pray after each service in the Chapel. For more information contact CUMC Stephen Ministry at stephenministry@centraltolife.org

LOWELL FOOD BANK

LOWELL ELEMENTARY

- School Uniform Drive—Partnering with the Assistance League of Albuquerque's *Operation School Bell* to provide school uniforms for students at Lowell Elementary.
- Mobile Food Pantry
- Mighty Milers running program

Contact Claudia Ryan at cdryan65@gmail.com



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 please call Cynthia Kaiser at (505) 249-9117.



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UNITED METHODIST WOMEN PURPOSE:

"To know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship; and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church." For information contact CUMC UNW President, Zena Kinne at zenakinne@gmail.com or 505-916-7479.



CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST MEN

UMM meet for breakfast on the third Saturday of each month for fellowship and a program. Proceeds from their fundraising projects benefit various ministries and mission projects. For more information contact Ed Vigil at (505) 221-0041.



A REFUGE FROM HOMELESSNESS, A JOURNEY HOME

SARANAM empowers 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.



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