

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

GROWING CHRIST-CENTERED COMMUNITY IN A DISTRACTING WORLD





“Never Be Thirsty Again”

Order of Worship, March 15, 2020

Christ, our Living Water, and the source of love and grace, is like a spring of water gushing with healing life, a fountain of abundance offering life eternal for all.

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

WELCOME

PRELUDE “I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say”
Thomas Tallis
Karah Ingraham, soprano & Dr. Karen Marroli, mezzo-soprano

▲ CALL TO WORSHIP

O come, let us sing to the Lord;
Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
Let us come into God’s presence with thanksgiving;
Let us make a joyful noise with songs of praise!
O come, let us worship and bow down,
Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!
For the Lord is our God,
We are the people of God’s pasture, the sheep of God’s hand.

▲ PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing
Hymnal, 400

▲ OPENING PRAYER

The Lord be with you
And also with you
Let us pray:
As we bring our songs and words of praise, receive also our sorrows and regrets. Meet us in our longing to be fully known. Bring forth our hopes and our dreams. Soothe our worries and our fears. Pour out the life-giving water of your grace. Wash over us with your unconditional love and your overflowing mercy. Pour into us the strength of your Holy Spirit, that we might face the truth of who we are, and the power of your miraculous image within us. In trust and gratitude, we pray. Amen.

▲ ACT OF PRAISE **Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee**
Hymnal, 89 (vs. 1,3)

CENTRAL TO LIFE

PASSING OF THE PEACE

▲ REGATHERING HYMN **I’ve Got Peace Like a River**
The Faith We Sing, 2145

▲ SCRIPTURE LESSON John 4: 5-15

▲ SCRIPTURE HYMN
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah
Hymnal, 127

ANTHEM (8:30) “Amazing Grace”
arr. William Cutter
Karah Ingraham, soprano
(11:00) “Living Water of Life”
David Lantz
Chancel Choir

Carolyn Anderson, flute | Peggy Murtagh, soprano

SERMON “Never Be Thirsty Again”
Rev. Dr. Kelly Jackson Brooks

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and to save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We are misled by pride, we have failed in love, neglected injustice, and ignored your truth. Have mercy on us, O God, and forgive our turning away from your love. Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear this: God gave to all of creation the gift of grace and love as evidenced through Jesus Christ. We are a forgiven people!

MUSICAL RESPONSE **Fill My Cup, Lord**
Hymnal, 641

INVITATION TO CATALYTIC GENEROSITY

OFFERTORY (8:30) **Dr. Dan Cummings, piano**
(11:00) “Amazing Grace”
arr. William Cutter
Karah Ingraham, soprano

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

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

INVITATION TO ACTIVE FAITH

▲ HYMN TO ENGAGE THE WORLD
Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross
Hymnal, 301

▲ BLESSING WITH BENEDICTION

(11:00) ▲ CHORAL BENEDICTION
“I’ve Just Come from the Fountain”
African-American
Chancel Choir

POSTLUDE **Dr. Dan Cummings, organ**

Our Prayers Are With...

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

Brian Brown	John Galemore	Tres James	Daniel Murtagh
Kyle Cassidy	Matthew Hagenloh	Haley Janke	Hope Najera
Logan Dow	Brian Hernandez	Jared McManus	Joshua Najera

MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Peggy Arensdorf	Joy Hayes	Marilynn Looney	Bob Turner
Jeannette Brockway	Rex Hopson	Elizabeth Mixon	Bruce Underwood
Ruth Cook	Maria Irwin	Rick Nelson	Cleo Westmark
Rubina Daniel	Angela Janke	Bob Nolen	Anne Weydert
Leslie Elmore-Stenger	Dixie Janke	Bill & Marilyn Ortman	Sue Wasson
Stephen Elmore	Merrill and Frances Jones	Karen Pacheco	Barbara Williams
Mary Fletcher	Donna & Marion Jordan	Carolyn Palmer	Judy Williams
Jean & Jim Franchell	Feroza Jussawalla	Betty Richards	Sue Williams
Sandra Graves	Rev. John Kees	Marjorie and Jerry Spurlin	
Dede Gronroos	Margaret Kirk	Stephen Ministers	
Sandra Harris	Lorene Legg	Stephen Ministry Care Receivers	

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

Samantha, Marcos, and Xenia (Cleo & Ilsa Westmark)	Heather, Randy, Jessica (Dixie Janke)
Christopher Jones (Merrill & Fran Jones)	Joshua (BJ & Sheribeth James)
Amy Bohannon (Barbara Skinner)	Kathryn Pogan (Wayne Rowe)
Jim Cooper (Sandra & William Thompson)	Willa Hawley (BJ & Sheribeth James)
Bob Thompson (Sandra & William Thompson)	Sally (Barbara Skinner)
Drew and Kirby (Karen & Johnny Wilson)	Sidonie Richardson (Rob & Teresa Anderson)
Johnston family (the Schifani family)	Jake Rodeheaver (Jerry Spurlin)
Steve Coats (Betty Richards)	Bethany Filer (Jerry & Marjorie Spurlin)
Mark and Jennifer Coats (Betty Richards)	Glenn Ybarra (Rhonda Townes)
Lupe and Willie Chavez (Barbara Skinner)	Cody Bolton (Rhonda Townes)
Melanie (Barbara Skinner)	Kathryn Southerland (Rev. John & Pam Kees)
Bella Sanchez (Sandra Harris)	Lisa and Guy Mathews (Trigg & Dee Lawson)
Jacob and Consuelo (Ruth Salmons)	Janelle Reynolds (Rob & Teresa Anderson)
Kathy, Jimmy & Family (Joyce Robertson)	Janet Garth (Rob & Teresa Anderson)
Dereck & Sara (Rhonda Townes)	Dr Rebecca Shoden (Daryl Lopez)
Linda Gruer (Barbara Skinner)	Albert Lucero and Family (Albert Lucero)
Emilio Huertaz & family, parents, friends (Jim & Janice Hering)	Philip & Cheri Vining (Trigg & Dee Lawson)
Ilsa Westmark (Cleo Westmark)	Pastor Skip (Rhonda Townes)
Alicia & Ramon Hidalgo (Lori & Gary Galemore)	Eliana Raine Salazar (CUMC Staff)
Suzanne Walters (Daryl Lopez)	Isabella Lopez (Ed & Carolyn Vigil)
Sue Scovel (Daryl Lopez)	Janelle Reynolds (Rob & Teresa Anderson)
Nancy Anderson (Rob & Teresa Anderson)	Sherry Wilson-Daniel & Christin Thompson (Angus Jordan)
Diane Brown (DeeLynn Ybarra)	Peggy Raicevich (Ray Shoemaker)
Rev. Norton Scrimshire (Beverly Schifani)	Ruby Wilson (Karen Wilson)
Jeanette Barr (Marilyn Looney)	Isabel Lopez (Ed & Carolyn Vigil)
Nick Gavi (Marion and Donna Jordan)	Cylas Swope (Joyce Robertson)
Carol Jordan Ritz and Melanie Ritz (Angus & Marion Jordan)	Jonathan Sanchez (Rhonda Townes)
Jeremiah (Ed & Carolyn Vigil)	Barbara Grant (Rhonda Townes)
Megan Teeters (Karen Pacheco)	Cheyenne Botone (Charlie Ford)
Amy Rowe (Wayne Rowe)	Patrick Hale (Anne Hickman)

Altar flowers are in honor of Steve Gough's birthday by Kathy, Katie & Robert Gough.

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



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, volunteer, or to request a Stephen Minister Caregiver 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 —Volunteers are needed the 4th Wednesday of every month from 2-4pm. For more information contact Claudia Ryan at claudiacryan@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, or to volunteer to help, please call Cynthia Kaiser at (505) 249-9117.



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.



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