Order of Service
Central Church
September 6th, 2026 (36th Sunday)

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING MUSIC	**Be Thou My Vision** **You've Already Won**
SCRIPTURE READING	**Matthew 5:3-12**

PASSING THE PEACE

BLESSING AND PRE/K DISMISSAL

COMMUNION

PRAYER

CONTINUING MUSIC	**Face to Face**

Youth stays in service. Children dismissed for Sunday School.

SCRIPTURE TEXT	**Psalm 150**
TODAY'S MESSAGE	**A Sum Up of Psalms**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

Good Good Father

CLOSING MUSIC

BLESSING

PRAYERS AT FRONT OF CHURCH ***BIBLE STUDY IN WHITE ROOM***

Please keep the last three sanctuary rows cleared for visitors & those with mobility needs. Thank you.

Deacons Fund: Please prayerfully consider a donation to this ministry (write "Deacons" on the memo line). Your contributions have helped many in our community. Envelopes are in the pews, and a collection box is on the offering table.

After-Church Fellowship: Join us in the gym for refreshments!

Monday Night Bible Study meets at 7:00 p.m. in the White Room.

Wednesday Women's Bible Study will resume on September 9th at 10:30 a.m.

The WCC Seminar will be on Tuesday, September 22, at 10:00 a.m.

Kids Central will begin its next season on Thursday, September 17th, 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. Kids Central is for ages kindergarten through 5th grade. Registration forms are on the table next to the gym.

Youth Group will not be meeting on Wednesdays until further notice. The Teen Sunday School Class will resume on September 13th.

Deacon On Call: If you have a spiritual, physical, or financial need, or know someone who does, please contact Melissa Jean-Pierre, the Deacon on Call for the week of September 6, at 631-748-5090.

Trustees On Call: For facility questions, please call Janet Byler, 631-327-1623, or Andrew Sutherland, 631-521-6334, the Trustees on Call for September.

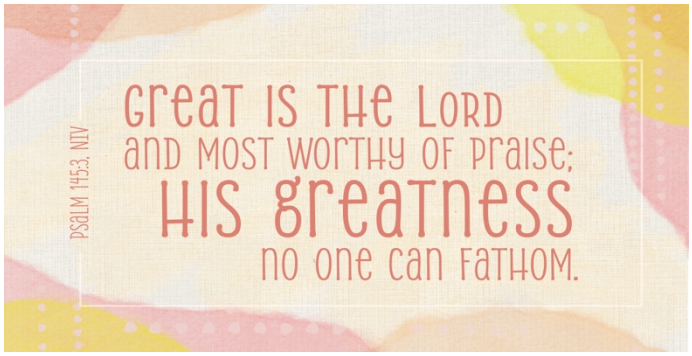
Elder On Call for September is Rich Goetz, 631-266-2487.

Helping Hand Rescue Mission: Nonperishable canned, boxed, or bagged food may be placed on the wooden chest in the hallway. Helping Hand also requests donations of gently used or new microwaves, blenders, strollers, and pots & pans. Your giving is much appreciated.

Rayna Caputo, Director of Youth Ministries, has resigned from her position here at Central. We want to thank her for her six years of service to the Lord at Central. She has impacted the lives of many teens through her ministry. We wish Rayna and her family God's blessings in their future endeavors. We will miss Rayna!

Steeple Notes: Articles and photos for the October-November issue are due on Tuesday, September 15th. Please feel free to send these via email (centch@optonline.net), US mail (240 Main St., Huntington 11743), or in-person during church office hours (Tuesday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.)

***Farmers Market Note**: On Sundays, Central's parking lot doors will lock at 10:15 and re-open after service. During service, latecomers and vendors may enter through the big Main Street doors. Thank you.*



Central Family Prayer Concerns

*"...**For we do not know how to pray as we should, but the Spirit Himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words**."* *Romans 8:26*

Pray for Our Church

• For our church family as we worship on Sunday mornings and follow God each day
• For our church ministries, programs, and events
• For our Pastor, staff, and church leaders (Session, Deacons, and Trustees) who are doing their best to keep the church running and helping our church family with needs
• For our church as we appeal the court decision with the PC(USA)
• For our Missionary of the Month: *Jeremy and Dara Adams of Global Service Network*

Pray for Our Nation and Our World

• For our military men and women stationed at home and abroad: Kaitlin D., and Anasia H.
• For our government officials on all levels, as they are working hard for our country to get through violence, economic troubles, and natural disaster recovery
• For Haiti – for the nation's release and healing from gang violence, political turmoil, and food and fuel price hikes, all of which have been ravaging this country
• For Iran – for safety and stability
• For Israel – for a lasting peace
• For Ukraine – for the safety of its people and the wisdom of its leaders
• For our country and for all nations around the world recovering from civil unrest in addition to natural catastrophes – *flooding in Nepal and in the U.S.*

Ongoing Prayer for Individuals

• **Who have various health concerns, including Central members and friends:** Annabelle A., Claudia A., Cleavon B., Evelyn B., Fran B., Lisa B., Margaret B., Ken C., Bob E., Vicki E., Diane G., Doral H., Frani H., Tina H., Darin J., Kay J., Pete M., Terrish M., Vanessa M., Gladys P., Claude S., Jeanine S., Evelyn T., Linda T., Shannon W., Bill Z., Aileen, and the many friends and family members of our church family.
• **Who are homebound or are in nursing homes, assisted living, and rehab facilities, including Central members:** Frani H.
• **Who are mourning the loss of loved ones**
• **Who are moving to or seeking new homes**
• **Who are experiencing employment issues,** including those who had their work hours cut, were laid off, or are struggling in the workplace.