

Wednesday March 29, 2017  
Sunday, April 2, 2017  
Worship Service



Central Lutheran Church  
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**SOUL CRAVING - TRUSTING GOD FOR MY DEEPEST DESIRES  
LIFE TO THE FULL PART 5**

WE ALL CRAVE AN AMAZING LIFE, BUT PEOPLE - EVEN "CHRISTIAN" PEOPLE - ACT AS THOUGH THE RECIPE'S BEEN MISPLACED. WE WANDER AROUND ALLOWING THIS AND THAT TO STEAL OUR PEACE, OUR PATIENCE, OUR LOVE AND OUR JOY. BUT OH, JESUS - PROMISES A DIFFERENT WAY.

**John 10:1-10 page #872**

‘Very truly, I tell you, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold by the gate but climbs in by another way is a thief and a bandit. The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep hear his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. They will not follow a stranger, but they will run from him because they do not know the voice of strangers.’ Jesus used this figure of speech with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them.

So again Jesus said to them, ‘Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me are thieves and bandits; but the sheep did not listen to them. I am the gate. Whoever enters by me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly.

**Message Map - Soul Craving: Life to the Full**

John 10:1-10

Listen to the Right Voice

- II Corinthians 5:17
- John 14:6

Be Dumb

- Galatians 2:19-20

**Confront Our Thieves**



Holy Week and Easter Worship services are quickly approaching. Pastor Aaron and the Worship team are planning a fantastic worship experience for everyone. But, in order to make these worship services enjoyable for our partners and guests, we need your help. Please consider helping out in 1 or more of the following areas to make Holy Week and Easter Sunday worship services a success.

Spring Spruce Up - Saturday 4/8 @ 8:30 am  
~ no need to sign up, just show up

Maundy Thursday Worship @ 6:30 pm  
- Hospitality Team

Good Friday Worship @ 6:30 pm  
- Hospitality Team

Easter Decorating - Saturday 4/15 @ 10 am  
~ no need to sign up, just show up

Easter Sunday Worship Services  
6:30 am, 8 am, 9:20 am, 10:40 am  
(help is needed for each service & between services)  
- Communion Set Up  
- Communion Servers  
- Hospitality Team  
- Greeters in our parking lot  
- Greeters at the door  
- Preparing confetti cannons  
- Taking pictures

If you would be willing to help in any of these areas please feel free to sign at the "Say Yes" board or contact Vicki in the office, 715-723-9336 or office@central-lutheran.org



**Palm Sunday Youth Breakfast**

Sunday April 9th  
serving from 8 - 11:30 am

Free Will Offering will be taken to help send Central's Youth to Luther Park Bible Camp.

**Youth and parents of youth that attend Luther Park Bible Camp: The planning has begun for the Palm Sunday Breakfast which will be on April 9th. Please see the volunteer sign up sheet outside of Whitney's office to help with this fundraiser for Central's Youth.**



**HOLY WEEK WORSHIP TIMES**

6:30 PM MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 13TH  
6:30 PM GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 14TH

**EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES, APRIL 16TH:**

6:30 AM SUNRISE WORSHIP  
8:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP W/ CENTRAL BRASS  
9:20 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP (BAND LED)  
10:40 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP (BAND LED)

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY**

A GROUP OF FAITHFUL CENTRAL SERVANTS KNIT AND/OR CROCHET COMFORT SHAWLS. SHAWLS ARE COMPLETED AND READY FOR REQUESTS. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST A SHAWL TO GIVE TO SOMEONE, PLEASE FILL OUT A REQUEST FORM FOUND IN THE CHURCH OFFICE. THE RECIPIENT DOES NOT HAVE TO BE A MEMBER OF CENTRAL, JUST A FRIEND, CO-WORKER OR PERSON IN NEED.

**TEXT LENT to 797979**

Let's keep the conversation going during Lent.

**Palm Sunday Choir**

Many Voices are Needed!  
Rehearsals Dates & Times  
Tuesdays at 7:30 pm  
March 7th  
March 14th  
March 21st  
March 28th  
April 4th

The choir will sing at both Palm Sunday services on April 9th.

Gordy's Gift Cards in the amounts of \$10, \$25 or \$50 are available for purchase in the church office. Instead of paying with cash or credit at the store, you can use these gift cards. Central will receive 5% back from Gordy's from the sale of the gift cards. This money will be used to support the missions that are happening here at Central.

We invite the congregation to help beautify the altar area **Easter Sunday** by creating an **Easter Garden** with flowering plants.

You may use this form to order an Easter plant, which will be delivered to the church for Easter Sunday, April 16th, and used as part of our Easter Sunday decorations. Please circle the plants along with quantities you wish to order.

Orders must be turned in to the church no later than April 8th.

**Please make all checks payable to Christensen Florists. Plants may be picked up after the 10:40 am Worship Celebration on Easter Sunday or on Tuesday, April 18th.**



**EASTER LILY PLANTS**

- (6" Pot) 5-10 Blooms @ \$9.95
- (8" Pot) 10-15 Blooms @ \$19.95

**FLOWERING PLANTS**

- Azalea @ \$19.95
- Hydrangea @ \$21.95
- Cyclamen Plant @ \$15.95
- Mum Plant @ \$14.95
- Tulip Plant @ \$10.95
- Kalanchoe @ \$15.95
- Bulb Garden @ \$29.00 (tulips, daffodils, & hyacinths)

Or  I will bring a plant to church by 10 am, Saturday, April 15th.

**In Memory of:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In Honor of:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of donor(s):** \_\_\_\_\_