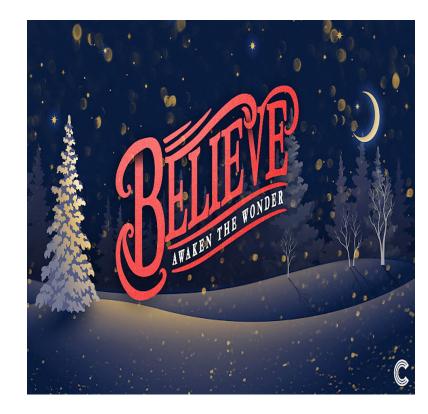
Wednesday, November 22, 2017 Sunday, November 26, 2017 Worship Service



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Believe: Awaken the Love of Christmas Part 1

Luke 2:8-12: There were shepherds living out in the fields nearby. It was night, and they were taking care of their sheep. An angel of the Lord appeared to them. And the glory of the Lord shone around them. They were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news. It will bring great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you. He is the Messiah, the Lord. Here is how you will know I am telling you the truth. You will find a baby wrapped in strips of cloth and lying in a manger."

John 1:45-46: Philip found Nathanael and told him, "We have found the one whom Moses wrote about in the Law. The prophets also wrote about him. He is Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph."

"Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?" Nathanael asked. "Come and see," said Philip.

Luke 10:25-37

Jesus refuses to allow us to limit _____ we love and we love.



November/December DATES:

Wednesday 11/29 immediately following 6:30 pm worship Sunday 12/3 immediately following 10 am worship in the Skoien Chapel

Join us in the Bridge to Wonderland Parade on 12/2.

We need people to walk with and be a part of Central's float in the bridge to Wonderland Parade. Please sign up on the "Say Yes" Board to join in the fun.

Bridge to Wonderland Parade

Open House

Saturday, December 2 @ 5 pm

Cookie and Bar donations are needed.

Please sign up at the "Say Yes" board.

Donations can be dropped off at church on Thursday, 11/30 during office hours or Saturday morning from 9 am - 12 Noon or after 3 pm.

"Orange Bag of Blessings"

A food drive collection being held at Central during the month of November. Pick up an orange bag and fill with food that will be delivered to the Salvation Army's food pantry located in Chippewa Falls. Please return all donations to church by Wednesday, November 29th.

Suggested food items to donate:

Peanut butter

Jelly

Canned tuna or salmon

Cold cereal (non-sweetened)

Oatmeal

Flour

Sugar (white, brown, powdered)

Oil

Rice

Pasta Sauce

Soup (family size)

Canned Vegetables

Canned Fruit (packed in water or extra light syrup)

Applesauce

Coffee, Tea, Hot Cocoa

Catsup, Mustard, Mayo

Cracker, Graham Crackers, Granola Bars

Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Mouthwash

Spirit of Christmas Hat, Mitten, & Scarf Donations

Spirit of Christmas is also accepting donations of hats, mittens, and scarves. Please consider making a donation to help keep those in need warm this winter. Donations can be placed in the box outside the church office.

Central's Toyland

Donations for Toyland will start on 11/26 - 12/10. Please place donations in or near the boxes in the hallway.

Volunteers will be needed for set up on 12/10 & 12/11 and as personal shoppers on 12/11. Please sign up at the "Say Yes" board.
Set up on Sunday 12/10 will start following worship and will feature pizza for lunch along with the Packer game. Set up on Monday 12/11 will be during the day. Personal shopper

volunteers would work from 4:30 - 7 pm.





Spirit of Christmas

Thank you for supporting Spirit of Christmas. All of the gift tags have been picked up. Please make sure to return your unwrapped gifts to Central by Monday, December 4th. Gifts will be distributed to individuals in Chippewa County by the Spirit of Christmas Volunteers. Questions call 715-944-4272

We would like to invite individuals/families to join our communion bread bakers for 2018. The communion bread is a (no yeast) flat bread that is easy to make and makes a nice family activity. If you are interested or just want more information please contact Sue Walton suewalton 1016@live.com or you can pick up a copy of the recipe in the office.





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Thrivent will match donations up to \$3 million in 2017.

Enjoy breakfast casseroles, fruit, quick breads, muffins and beverages.