

Wednesday, February 28, 2018  
Sunday, March 4, 2018  
Worship Service



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**I believe in God, But Does it Really Matter?** week #3  
**Message Map**

**Genesis 3:1-7**

Now the serpent was more crafty than any other wild animal that the Lord God had made. He said to the woman, 'Did God say, "You shall not eat from any tree in the garden"?' The woman said to the serpent, 'We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden; but God said, "You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree that is in the middle of the garden, nor shall you touch it, or you shall die."' But the serpent said to the woman, 'You will not die; for God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil.' So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate; and she also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate. Then the eyes of both were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together and made loincloths for themselves.

**John 10:10**

The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly.

**John 8:32**

and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.

I believe in God, but I can't make a \_\_\_\_\_.

3 Don'ts

1. Don't wait for an \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Don't wait to be \_\_\_\_\_.

Difference makers apologize for too much \_\_\_\_\_ than regret having too much \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Don't discount the power of \_\_\_\_\_.

**Matthew 9:35-38**

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'

**Proverbs 31:9**

Speak out, judge righteously, defend the rights of the poor and needy.

**Isaiah 1:17**

Learn to do good; seek justice, rescue the oppressed, defend the orphan, plead for the widow.



**Ray Helgerson Youth Education Scholarship**

Paper copies of the application are available near the Welcome Center. An electronic version can be found on Central's website under the Connect tab.

High School Seniors & College Students are encouraged to apply.

**Application deadline is Tuesday 4/3 @ 4 pm**

\$17,500 was awarded in 2017

**Order Forms for plants for our Easter Garden are available near the "Say Yes" board or in the church office. Order deadline is March 22nd. Plants can be purchased "In Memory Of" or "In Honor Of" loved ones. Checks can be made out to Christensen Floral.**



Palm Sunday is Sunday, March 25th, plan to bring your family to church for our "Youth Breakfast". All money raised will help send Central's youth to Luther Park Bible Camp this summer. Come for egg bake, fruit, delicious cinnamon rolls and to see smiling faces of our youth who will serve you. Breakfast will be served from 8:00-11:30am.

**Parents of Central's youth: please sign up to work a shift for the breakfast. Sign up is on Whitney's office door.**

# Summer Camp!

Luther Park Bible Camp

Spend time at camp this summer and you will experience the week of a life time! It's a chance to play and learn new skills in the wilderness, meet new friends, try new activities, sing, laugh, and learn more about your faith.

We offer programs for all ages and specialty programs such as Music, Art, & Drama, Family Camp, and Adventure trips.

Don't wait! Register today.

Learn more about our summer programs and rates online.

[www.lutherpark.org](http://www.lutherpark.org)



## Central's Week at

**Luther Park Bible Camp is Week 1 -**

June 10-15th. Register online at [www.lutherpark.org](http://www.lutherpark.org).

We are excited for another summer spent with our youth at Luther Park!

First Presbyterian Church will be hosting this year's community Good Friday, 3/30 evening service beginning at 7 pm. As part of this service they are inviting singers to join the choir. Their choir rehearses at the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday nights from 6:30 - 7:30 pm. There is a copy of the anthem in the church office if you wish to participate.



# BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA®

## Troop 15 Annual Pancake Breakfast

### Sunday March 4, 2018

### 7:30 am - 1 pm

# Pancake Breakfast



## Come enjoy pancakes, cheese, applesauce & our famous sausage balls.

## 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.

# Walking Together 2018

## The church has left the building to be the church!

# "Jesus is the King."

*Elvis Presley*



Come and join us for the 9th annual Walking Together event!

This day of learning and workshops is designed each year for people from around the synod to worship and collaborate, hear about best practices in congregations, get inspired and experiment with new and creative ministries, and gain some helpful tools to use in their congregations.

## Saturday, March 17, 2018

Davies Center - UW Eau Claire

**35 + Workshops will include topics like:**

*Story, Identity & Stereotypes  
Holy Cow! I Never Knew That About My Church!  
Emerging Adults Left With Elvis  
Come - Picture the Bible  
Worship Live  
Faith, Science, & Our Stewardship of Creation  
The Dos and Don'ts of Marketing in Your Church  
....any many more!*

Online registration can be found on the synod website [nswwi.org](http://nswwi.org) in the "calendar of events".

Cost = \$20 per person  
(includes lunch)

