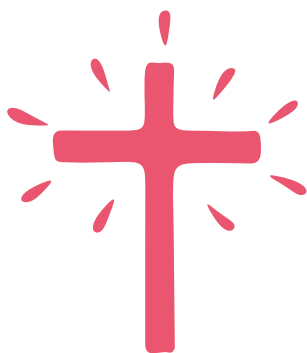


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CHILDREN'S SABBATH

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11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship | Sanctuary

† *Please rise in body or spirit* | Congregational responses are in **bold**.

PRELUDE

Holy, Holy, Holy

arr. Cindy Berry

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Lord be with you
And also with you!

† **CALL TO WORSHIP**

† **CHORAL RESPONSE**

UMH 328

Surely the Presence

† **HYMN OF PRAISE**

UMH 61

Come, Thou Almighty King

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYER HYMN

Be Thou My Vision

UMH 451

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

STEWARDSHIP WITNESS

Amy Paschal

PRESENTATION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

God Will Take Care of You

arr. Cindy Berry

✝ DOXOLOGY

UMH 95

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

✝ PRAYER OF DEDICATION

✝ HYMN OF PREPARATION

UMH 395

Take Time to Be Holy

SCRIPTURE

Galatians 5:16-26 (NRSVUE)

SERMON

The Fruit of the Spirit, Pt.7:
Gentleness and Self-Control

✝ HYMN OF DEDICATION

UMH 402

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

✝ BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

To God Be the Glory

arr. Cindy Berry

SERVING IN WORSHIP

Rev. Dr. Bill White, Jr. | *Senior Pastor*

Rev. JD Moffett | *Associate Pastor*

Erica Kirby | *Director of Children's Ministries*

Cindy Sartain | *Pianist*

Chancel Choir

Ushers: Central Kids



WELCOME TO **central**

Welcome to our Traditional Worship Service at Central! We're so glad you've joined us today as we come together in reverence, community, and praise. While we embrace the timeless traditions of our faith, we also seek to create a welcoming space where modern hearts can connect with the rich history and deep meaning of our worship. Whether you're here for the first time or have been with us for years, you belong!

We hope you find a sense of peace, inspiration, and connection as we lift our voices and prayers together. Welcome home!

Children are always welcome to remain in the worship service. Toddlers and Children through 2nd grade are invited to Kid's Worship following the Children's Message.



ONE BODY IN CHRIST CONNECTING WITH GOD EACH OTHER COMMUNITY





Sunday Mornings

9:00 A.M. • Modern Worship | Central Hall

10:00 A.M. • Sunday School

11:00 A.M. • Traditional Worship | Sanctuary

Stream online at centralumcmonroe.org/media

Tuesday Evenings

6:00 P.M. • Dinner Church | FLC

First time visitor?

Visit centralumcmonroe.org/iamnew!

Welcome to Central United Methodist Church in Monroe, NC, where we believe in a holistic approach to ministry. We address the needs of the whole person: body, mind, and spirit. We have numerous ministries and programs that enable us to effectively serve God, our community, and each other.

Come and experience our vibrant and meaningful worship, where faith is formed and reformed and connections are strengthened through fellowship.

We hope that you will live out your call to Christian Discipleship by uniting with Central UMC, share your spiritual gifts and talents, and be a witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Yours In Christ,
Dr. Bill White, Jr.
"Dr. Bill"

Senior Pastor
New Beginnings Circle, 6 pm



Scan the QR CODE to download **THE CENTRAL APP** to Register your attendance, Find a ministry, Give your offering, and more.

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Upcoming Opportunities

NEXT SUNDAY

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STEWARDSHIP-
CONSECRATION
SUNDAY

- Sunday School | 9 A.M.
- Combined Worship | 10 A.M. in the Sanctuary
- Celebration Luncheon | Following the Service in the Family Life Center

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| Oct. 19 | Children's Sabbath at both services, 9 am & 11 am
Youth Group, 3 pm |
| Oct. 20 | New Beginnings Circle, 6 pm |
| Oct. 22 | Central Ringers Rehearsal, 5:30 pm
801Praise! Rehearsal, 6 pm
Chancel Choir Rehearsal, 7: 15 pm |
| Oct. 23 | Men's Breakfast Group, 8 am |
| Oct. 26 | Steward Consecration Sunday Service, 10 am
Celebration Luncheon, 11:30 am
Youth Group, 3 pm |
| Oct. 29 | Central Ringers Rehearsal, 5:30 pm
801Praise! Rehearsal, 6 pm
Chancel Choir Rehearsal, 7: 15 pm |
| Oct. 31 | Trunk or Treat, 5:30 pm |

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