

Central United Methodist Church A Reconciling Congregation

Organized 1810—Incorporated 1822—Sanctuary completed 1867

June 2, 2024

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

MUSIC SUNDAY

OUR WELCOMING STATEMENT

Central United Methodist Church is a Reconciling Congregation. Regardless of your race, ethnicity, immigration status, gender identity, sexual orientation, socioeconomic situation, age, ability, belief, or background, whether you are single or partnered, you are God's beloved and you are welcome here.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We envision Central United Methodist Church as a vital, diverse, River of Life nurtured by the light of Christ, rooted deeply in and living the scriptures, a holy presence in the center of the City of Detroit, transforming individuals, institutions, and the world, advocating peace and justice in all we do.

> * Indicates when to stand, if able in body or in spirit. **Please silence cell phones. W&S=Worship & Song Hymnal Guide: UMH = The United Methodist Hymnal, TFWS = The Faith We Sing

INTROIT Augustus Williamson & Brandon Reeves The introit are times for silent prayer and meditation guided by some of our gifted musicians.

ACTS OF PRAISE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: Babies love music, toddlers love music.

ALL: Children love music. Adolescents love music.

ONE: Teenagers love music. Young adults love music.

ALL: Adults love music. The elderly love music.

ONE: From the very beginning to the very end, music is there accompanying our lives.

ALL: How wonderful it is.

All quotes spoken by the choir are attributed to Vaughn Fleishenburg

Daniel Spyker

***OPENING HYMN** When in our Music God is Glorified, V. 1, 2 & 5 UMH #68

- 1. When in our music God is glorified, and adoration leaves no room for pride, it is as though the whole creation cried Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 2. How often, making music, we found a new dimension in the world of sound, as worship moved us to a more profound Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 5. Let every instrument be tuned for praise! Let all rejoice who have a voice to raise! And may God give us faith to sing always Alleluia! Alleluia!

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ACTS OF SHARING

GREETINGS AND WELCOME OF FIRST TIME VISITORS



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ANNOUNCEMENT

Deaconess Anne Hillman

PASSING THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Augustus Williamson

Deaconess Anne Hillman

ACTS OF PROCLAMATION

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Offertory by John Ness Beck

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***DOXOLOGY:** Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God for all that love has done; Creator, Christ, and Holy One. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Deaconess Anne Hillman

ANTHEM

How Can I Keep from Singing? Arr. by Andy Beck

Let the Praise go Round by William Boyce arr. by Hal Hopson

African Psalm, by Patrick Liebergen Keith Livermore, Flute

ACTS OF PROCLAMATION

***SCRIPTURE**

Psalm 150

Alexander Oatley

Alleluia!

We praise you, God, in your sanctuary; we praise you in your mighty skies! We praise you for your powerful deeds; we praise you for your overwhelming glory!

We praise you with the blast of the trumpet; we praise you with lyre and harp!

We praise you with timbrel and dance; we praise you with strings and flute!

We praise you with clashing cymbals; we praise you with resounding cymbals!

Let everything that has breath praise God!

Alleluia!

ONE: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

My Musical Journey

Jeff Ellison, Jo-Ann Snyder Joe Stevenson, Susan Sutorka

*CLOSING HYMN

Spirit Song

- 1. O let the Son of God enfold you with his Spirit and his love. Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul. O let him have the things that hold you, and his Spirit like a dove will descend upon your life and make you whole. (*Refrain*)
- *(Refrain)* Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs. Jesus O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

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2. O come and sing this song with gladness as your hearts are filled with joy. Let him fill your heart and render to his name. O give him all your tears and sadness; give him all your years of pain, and you'll enter into life in Jesus' name. (*Refrain*)

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BENEDICTION & SENDING FORTH

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CHORAL BENEDICTION

I Believe by Mark Miller

Clara Zundel, Solo

POSTLUDE

Brandon Reeves and Keith Livermore

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LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT

Central United Methodist Church acknowledges that the building in which we carry out our collective life together occupies and is built upon land that is part of what was first known as Waawiyaataanong ("At the curved shores."), the ancestral and contemporary homeland of the Three Fires Confederacy, but which is now referred to as Detroit. In 1807 the Ojibwe, Odawa, Potawatomi, and Wyandot nations granted use of these sovereign lands to the US government through the Treaty of Detroit. Central United Methodist Church affirms the continued Indigenous sovereignty over these lands and honors all tribes with a connection to Detroit. We commit ourselves to working together with our native brothers and sisters to advance equity in all dimensions of life and to promote a better future for the earth and all its peoples. (Adopted by the Ministry Team -April 22, 2021)