



**Central United Methodist Church**  
***A Reconciling Congregation***

Organized 1810—Incorporated 1822—Sanctuary completed 1867

Announcements: Sunday, March 10, 2024

**SUNDAY EVENTS / CALENDAR**

**TODAY:** Sunday, March 10, 2024 is ***UMCOR*** Sunday.

Wednesday, March 13, 2024, 6:00 PM, ***Bible Study*** with Rev. Paul Perez.

Sunday, March 17, 2024, 1:00—4:00 PM, ***Swords Into Plowshares, Visions of Peace.***

Sunday, March 17, 2024, ***St. Patrick's Day***

Sunday, March 17, 2024, ***Ministry Team Meeting***, 12:00 PM following Worship Service.

Saturday, March 23, 2024, 2:00—4:00 PM Rebecca Wilson's  
***Poetry Show - New Laces in Old Shoes*** in the Sanctuary.

Sunday, March 24, 2024 is ***Palm Sunday.***

Thursday, March 28, 2024, ***Maundy Thursday Service*** at Cass Community UMC,  
***Dinner*** will be at 6:00 PM and ***Service*** at 7:00 PM.  
Rev Tae Kim will be preaching and Central Choir will be singing.

Friday, March 29, 2024, ***Good Friday***, Central Church will be closed.

Sunday, March 31, 2024 is ***Easter Sunday.***

**MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP**

Join your Central UM Church Family for food and fellowship on the 1st Sunday of the month. We'll begin with lunch and then transition to a communal activity focused on service, advocacy, or art—sometimes all three! These events are for all ages. It is from Noon—1:30 PM

Up-coming Fellowship gathering is:  
April 7—Thandi's Kitchen & Painting Bowls

***NURTURING & CIRCLE OF CARE***

The following people are in assisted living, confined to their homes or institution, are ill, or in need of special prayers:

Leslie Allen  
Donald Crawford  
Christina Graham  
Naomi Mason

Amy Boyette  
Charles & Josefina Ford  
Gloria Hall-White  
Dia Pearce

Faith Carpenter  
Selma Good  
Stella Harden  
Frank & Minnie Ross

## *Sunday School Information*

### Nursery

The church nursery is located on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor behind the reception desk. It is currently open for use by any families who need a separate space with their littlest ones. Central UMC is in the process of finding a regular Nursery Worker to staff the nursery on Sunday mornings.

### Sunday School

The K-5th Grade class meets weekly while the Youth class meets on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Children and youth are invited to start Sunday mornings in the sanctuary with their families and travel up to the 3rd floor Sunday School rooms after the Children's Message. Children in the K-5th grade class must be picked up on the 3rd floor after worship by a parent or approved adult. Youth will be released after worship to join their families on the 2nd floor for coffee hour.

### Grace Space

Children are welcome to take one of the activity packs located in the Grace Space. Within each pack is an activity and coloring page, crayons, pipe cleaners, plain paper, and worship stickers. The stickers can be placed in the bulletin for the week to mark the different parts of the service.

### March Birthdays

1st Khari Brown	13th Tre'Vair Jackson	23rd Daniel Spyker
2nd Hassan Kenote	16th Troy Davis	26th Cassandra Walker
3rd David Zanke	17th Alexander Oatley	27th Naomi Mason
4th Gage Cartwright	19th Claudia Lee	

### *Participating Church Members*

#### *Ushers*

Sylvia Orduno	Mark Dilley
Indigo Kerr	Robert Kerr

#### *Greeters*

Sylvia Orduno	Mark Dilley
Indigo Kerr	Robert Kerr



### **MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

The Board of Trustees extend a big Thank You and Kudos to the Central Church volunteers who worked on the 2nd church clean-out on the 4th and 5th floors, on Saturday, March 2, to prepare for our redevelopment project. They are:

Amy Brown, Sam Bushala, Mason Caudill (Grandson of Maggie and Rod), Jeff Ellison, Bill Francis, Paige Henson, Anne Hillman, Janet Moody, Diana Oatley, Maggie Reese, Rod Reese, Tyrone Touchstone, Byron Washington.

10 CAMELS PRESENTS  
ORIGINAL POEMS BY REBECCA WILSON

NEW LACES IN OLD SHOES



UNRAVELING THE KNOTS  
OF CHURCH & SCRIPTURE



SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2024 @ 2PM  
CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
DETROIT, MICHIGAN

LOVE OFFERING TO SUPPORT REBECCA'S UPCOMING BOOK TOUR

**PASTORAL CARE**

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313-965-5422 or [revpaul@centralumchurchdetroit.org](mailto:revpaul@centralumchurchdetroit.org)