



Central United Methodist Church
A Reconciling Congregation

Organized 1810—Incorporated 1822—Sanctuary completed 1867

EASTER Announcements, April 19, 2026

CENTRAL EVENTS / CALENDAR

TODAY: Guest Speaker, Conan Smith,
President & CEO of Michigan Environmental Council.

Small Group Discussion: Sanctuary Renovation are as follows:
Sunday, April 19, after worship (in the sanctuary)

UWF Reading Group
Currently Reading: *The Talk* by Darrin Bell

Next Meeting: Thursday, May 14
6-7:30pm




PASTORAL CARE

If you know of a Pastoral Care issue please contact the church office, 313-965-5422, or revpaul@centralumchurchdetroit.org

Faith Book Club
Currently Reading: *Claire McCardell: The Designer Who Set Women Free* by Elizabeth Evitts Dickinson

Next Meeting: Wednesday, April 29
Noon-2pm



April Birthdays

3rd—Kyris Jackson	17th—Adams Sikes	24th—John Calhoun
4th—Kalyn Jackson	17th—Izzy Phoenix	24th—Thomas Hart
8th—Carolyn Baker	18th—Melissa Wilson	27th—Crystal Bernard
12th—Samuel Ellison	20th—Jay Biernat	27th—Coralee Mack
15th—Rev. Edwin Rowe	21st—Marlyne Kilbey	27th—Minnie Ross
16th—Grayson Wilson	24th—Debra Parnell	28th—Onna Reames



A Message from the Michigan Conference on The United Methodist Church:

Historic tornadoes have torn through Cass, St. Joseph, and Branch counties, leaving devastation in their wake. Lives have been lost. Families have been displaced. Communities are hurting.

As Michigan United Methodists, we are people who show up — but right now, only emergency first responders can help. The most loving thing we can do is pray for those affected and donate to our designated disaster response organization, After the Storm.

When disaster strikes, After the Storm, started by Michigan United Methodists, is among the first disaster case management organizations to arrive, helping survivors get back on their feet. Financial contributions to After the Storm will support long-term recovery efforts in the affected communities of Southwest Michigan.

After the Storm:



<https://afterthestormmi.org/donate/>

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:

Faith Carpenter
Susan Wabeke
Nadine Feinberg

Dia Pearce
Christina Graham

Naomi Mason
Charles & Josefina Ford

Greeters and Ushers

Greeters

Helen Monroe
Elin Chambers

Ushers

Helen Monroe
Elin Chambers
Mary Park






**COFFEE HOUR
FOOD SIGN UP!**

We're tweaking the coffee hour process and hope you can help us out. There is rotating list of volunteers who will always be present on Sunday morning to help with setup and cleanup - all we need from you is the food!

Please sign up online by using this QR code:



Choose your date and indicate what food you'll be bringing. Just bring your food items to the 2nd floor by 10am on Sunday morning, and you'll be playing a huge roll in fostering community here at Central.