



Central United Methodist Church
A Reconciling Congregation

Organized 1810—Incorporated 1822—Sanctuary completed 1867

Announcements: Sunday, March 9, 2025

CENTRAL EVENTS / CALENDAR

TODAY: Sunday, March 9th, ***Daylight Savings Time Starts***

Sunday, March 9th, ***Going Deeper, Sermon Discussion***, 11:45 a.m.

(or 15 minutes after Worship Service has ended).

Sunday, March 9th, ***Sanctuary Immigration Presentation***, 2:00 p.m.
with Rev Jill Zundel

Monday, March 12th, ***Lenten Dinner, 6:30 p.m. and Lectio Divina at 7:30 p.m.***

Thursday, March 13th, ***UWF Reading Program Book Club***,
3rd Floor Library, 6—7:30 p.m.

Sunday, March 16th, ***Guest Speaker***, UAW President, Shawn Fain

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(or 15 minutes after Worship Service has ended).

Women's History Month

This year we will focus on a living woman composer, Elaine Hagenberg. Her song "I Am the Wind" won the coveted ACDA (American Choral Directors Association) Choral Competition in 2020.

She is celebrated as one of today's leading choral composers, with music that "soars with eloquence and ingenuity". Her music is profoundly influenced by her connection to nature, beauty, and spiritual reflection.

As music director, I'm excited that Central can support this young woman as she continues to create and compose. Maggie Reese, Director of Music, CUMC

REMINDER: Sunday, March 16, 2025

Our quarterly bag lunch project is scheduled for Sunday, March 16, 2025. Those members who have participated since the inception know that we make and bring 25 sandwiches to church on the designated Sunday. For anyone interested in joining us, here is the process:

1. Each Member makes 25 sandwiches using:
 - A. Wheat bread
 - B. Meat (choice of bologna, ham, turkey or chicken)
 - C. Cheese (choice of Cheddar, Swiss or American)
2. The sandwiches will consist of 1 slice of cheese and 2 slices of meat or vice versa.
3. Place sandwiches in individual sandwich bags.
4. Label your bag (ex.: 10 chicken, 15 bologna)

If you have any questions, please contact the committee. Helen Monroe, 313-461-9560,

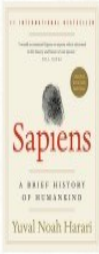
NURTURING & CIRCLE OF CARE

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

Leslie Allen Faith Carpenter Donald Crawford Dia Pearce
Charles & Josefina Ford Christina Graham Gloria Hall-White
Naomi Mason Susan Wabeke

Faith Book Club


Currently Reading: *Sapiens: A Brief History of Humankind* by Yuval Noah Harari



Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 26
Noon-2pm

UWF Reading Group

Currently Reading: *Countering Christian Nationalism - Special Issue of Sojourners*, Sept/Oct 2024



Next Meeting: Thursday, March 13
6-7:30pm



B A B Y

Sprinkle

SUNDAY, MARCH 23 12PM



Join us after worship on Sunday, March 23rd as we celebrate the soon-to-arrive baby girl of Zahatia & Daouda.

Items needed for Hassan's little sister include: diapers, wipes, powder, and baby girl clothes. The family has most everything else from when Hassan was born, but if you have questions, please contact Rev. Jill Zundel (revdrjill@gmail.com)



Greeters

Mark Dilley
Indigo Kerr
Robert Kerr

Ushers

Mark Dilley
Indigo Kerr
Robert Kerr



Central UMC Youth Group

MONTHLY ON 3RD SUNDAYS
4:00-5:30pm

March 16 - Board Game Night

PASTORAL CARE

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

Women at the Well of Creation

By Acrylic Fusion aRTists™

Walter Rap Bailey



Women at the Well of Creation are Walter Bailey's iconic 1990s award winning aRTwork from his contemporary Diversity Era (1980s and 90s). The aRTwork illustrates women from world cultures dresses in traditional garb and ornamentation. They are givers of life, through the act of birth, and stand as the foundation of social evolution.

During Walters's diversity era aRT many works reflected multicultural people, and events shaping his world view of cultural. These grand women are (left to right) - Latino, Middle Eastern, European, African, Asian, and Native American. They are surrounded by natural greenery of mother Earth, and stand on the abdomen of the universe brightly shining in dedicated to the *Women at the Well of Creation*.

Status: Original

Era: Diversity (1990s/2000s)

Date: March 1996

Size: 36 x 48

Medium Acrylic Pigment on Acrylic Glass

Genre: Acrylic Fusion aRTs

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Community Lenten Services

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5TH

Ash Wednesday Service @ Central UMC
6pm- Dinner
7pm - Worship

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26TH

Lenten Vespers @ Metropolitan UMC
6pm- Dinner
7pm - Worship

THURSDAY, APRIL 17TH

Maundy Thursday @ Cass Community UMC
6pm- Dinner
7pm - Worship

March Birthdays

- 1st Khari Brown
- 2nd Hassan Kenote
- 6th David Zanke
- 6th Gage Cartwright
- 13th Tre'Vair Jackson
- 17th Alex Oatley
- 19th Claudia Lee
- 23rd Daniel Spyker
- 26th Cassandra Walker
- 27th Naomi Mason