



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

Organized 1810—Incorporated 1822—Sanctuary completed 1867

**EASTER** Announcements, April 12, 2026

**CENTRAL EVENTS / CALENDAR**

Sunday, April 12th, **Tigers Game**, 1:40 p.m.

**Going Deeper Sermon discussion**, 3rd floor, (15 min. after worship)

Wednesday, April 15th, **Choir Rehearsal**, 7:00 p.m.

**Small Group Discussions: Sanctuary Renovation** are as follows:

Thursday, April 16, 6:00 p.m., in person at Central (in the sanctuary)

Sunday, April 19, after worship (in the sanctuary)

Monday, April 20, 1:00 p.m. in the sanctuary

Sunday, April 26, **Church-wide Townhall** after worship.

**HAVE AN HOUR ONCE A MONTH TO CHANGE A KID'S LIFE?**

Contact Deaconess Anne to Volunteer for Sunday School!

**PASTORAL CARE**

If you know of a Pastoral Care issue please contact the church office, 313-965-5422, or [revpaul@centralumchurchdetroit.org](mailto: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—Kyriss Jackson	16th—Grayson Wilson	24th—Thomas Hart
4th—Kalyn Jackson	18th—Melissa Wilson	27th—Crystal Bernard
8th—Carolyn Baker	21st—Marlyne Kilbey	27th—Coralee Mack
12th—Samuel Ellison	24th—Debra Parnell	27th—Minnie Ross
15th—Rev. Edwin Rowe	24th—John Calhoun	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***

Thomas Hart

##### ***Ushers***

Thomas Hart  
Dorothy Rothgery






## 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 2<sup>nd</sup> floor by 10am on Sunday morning, and you'll be playing a huge roll in fostering community here at Central.


