



CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

April 22, 2018

APRIL IS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH
Join us in showing your support by wearing blue this month;
then tell everyone why you're wearing blue.



All children deserve
great childhoods
because our children
are our future.



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TO CENTRAL DEBBIE EGGLESTON

We are excited to welcome Debbie Eggleston as our Church Business Administrator! Debbie brings many years of accounting experience to Central. Most recently she worked at Indian Trail Presbyterian Church where she served as the Administrative Assistant, a position that included financial responsibilities as well as general secretarial duties. For a number of years Debbie has done tax work with H&R Block.

Debbie resides in Waxhaw with her husband of twenty years, Lee, and their twin teenage sons. Their family is active with the Waxhaw Athletic Association, where her sons play football and baseball and she and Lee volunteer.

Debbie grew up down the road in Laural Hill, NC, and earned an Associate's Degree in Accounting from King's College.

The Staff Parish Relations Committee received numerous applications for this position and following a series of interviews we're delighted that Debbie chose to become part of the Central Church Staff. At your convenience, stop by and introduce yourself to Debbie and welcome her to Central!

Address: 801 S. Hayne Street, Monroe, NC 28112

Phone: 704-289-3186 Fax: 704-289-3187

Senior Pastor: Reverend Danny Leonard

Associate Pastor: Reverend Laura Hamrick

ANNOUNCEMENTS

APRIL SHAREBACK

Non perishable food items for Crisis Assistance and Loaves and Fishes.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY SIGN UPS

A pictorial directory is a powerful tool in our church to help each of us know each other better. Our last directory is now out-dated and it is time for a new one. Please make an appointment to have your picture taken at one of the sign-up locations at the church on one of the sign-up Sundays beginning April 29th. You may see some of the Central members sitting at tables signing people up in addition to the sign up locations. Don't miss out on getting your updated pictures taken and your correct information for the new directory.

L.I.F.E. CRAFTERS WILL MEET IN THE LIBRARY AT 2 PM, APRIL 27TH

Come join us and learn ways to make artificial flowers AND enjoy fun & fellowship. Call or email Barbara Pfau w/questions. 704-282-6770 or bpfau@aol.com.

LESSIE-ANNE CIRCLE WILL MEET AT 10 AM ON MAY 1ST IN CHURCH LIBRARY

Doris Wheeler will present our program. Visitors are welcome! Any questions, please call Mary Engel at 704-226-1176.

COUNTY -WIDE DANCE FOR ADULTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS SATURDAY, MAY 19

Please come to a County-Wide Dance for Adults with Special Needs! 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm at Central UMC in the Family Life Center. Sponsored by CUMC'S Sonshine Class. Dress casually and dance the afternoon away! Bingo available for those who choose not to participate in dancing. Please contact Sandy Deskins at 704-289-6210, if you can help with refreshments, bingo, set-up & take down, etc. or have any questions and with your number attending by Monday, May 14th.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR & SPREAD THE WORD... IT'S BAKE SALE TIME!

It's that time of year again for the annual Central UMC Bake Sale. Please bring your homemade baked cakes, pies, goodies and/or casseroles to sale to support our Missions team on or before May 6th. The delicious items will be on display to purchase before or after both services. You will not want to miss out! Please contact Amy Garrison at 704-617-9513 or awgarrison70@gmail.com with any questions. Thank you.

PLEASE REMEMBER WITH YOUR PRAYERS

Anne Morris, The Leonard Family, The Currie Family, Maxine Wally, Addie Laney, Betty Yeakley, Chris Ghant, Kathy Howell, Betty Yeakley, Sally Kohler, Kay Shough, Elaine Hall, Teresa Starnes, Rob Morris, David McClure, Grace Medlin, Cindy Malone, Belinda Sisk, Joel Kurtz, Gail Klein, Evan White-Parker A1C, Lloyd Ratliff, Barbara Murray, Pat Johnson, Bob Sullivan, Jo & Julian Bell, and Jason Hill.

THIS WEEK AT CENTRAL

- Sunday, 4/22** 12:00 pm First Steps Next Steps - Hospitality Room
- Monday, 4/23** 11:00 am Weekday Board Meeting - Library
6:00 pm Stephen Ministry Training - Hospitality Room
6:30 pm Central Squares - Hospitality Room
- Tuesday, 4/24** 6:30 pm Knitting Girls
7:00 pm Amazing Grace - Chapel
- Wednesday, 4/25** 10:00 am Soul Food - Hospitality Rm.
6:00 pm Celebration Singers - Choir Rm.
6:00 pm Youth Vocals - Central Hall
6:30 pm Scholarship Meeting - Room #114
7:30 pm Chancel Choir - Choir Rm.
- Thursday, 4/26** 7:30 am Thursday's Men's Group - Hilltop Restaurant
9:30 am Stephen Ministry Supervision - Room #114
5:00 pm Eating Together Faithfully - Offsite
6:15 pm Handbells - Sanctuary
6:30 pm Pilot Club - Pathfinders Room
7:30 pm Trinity Rehearsal
- Friday, 4/27** 2:00 pm L.I.F.E. Crafters Group - Library
- Saturday, 4/28** 9:00 am Brass Rehearsal
10:00 am InnerChange Vocals - Choir Room
11:00 am InnerChange Instrument - Central Hall



The Altar Flowers in the Sanctuary Today

*To the Glory of God and in Loving memory of
Dr. William H. Price and Dr. Jeffrey Cutchin Price*

Given by: Nancy Cutchin Price and Family



OUR FAITHFULNESS EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 15, 2018

ATTENDANCE TOTAL:	Contemporary	92
	Traditional	<u>121</u>
	TOTAL:	213
TITHES AND OFFERINGS:	<u>APRIL 15</u>	<u>YEAR-TO-DATE</u>
Budget	\$13,128	\$236,303
Received	<u>\$ 9,784</u>	<u>\$206,251</u>
Difference	(\$ 3,344)	(\$ 30,052)