

CENTENARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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 Centenary United Methodist Church

Our Mission:

Love God. Love People. Make Disciples.

Our Vision:

*To be changed by Christ
To love and serve
In the streets of Shelbyville
And the World*



Worship Service January 5, 2025

Prelude		Stephanie VanderZouwen
Welcome & Invocation		
*Hymn	“There’s a Song in the Air”	#249
	“He is Lord” (chorus)	#177
*Affirmation of Faith	“Apostle’s Creed”	#881
*Gloria Patri		#70
Children’s Moment		Reesa Headley

We Seek God in Prayer as a Community

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer		
Prayer Response	“O Come, All Ye Faithful”(chorus only)	#234

We Offer Our Gifts to God in Thanksgiving

Giving of Tithes and Offerings
Offertory
*Doxology
*Offertory Prayer

We Hear and Respond to God’s Word

Scripture	Joshua 24:14-18 (NIV)	
Message	“Looking Backward to Look Forward”	Rev. Mark Gibbons
*Hymn	“This the Day of New Beginnings”(1-5)	#383
Sacrament of Holy Communion	Rev. Mark Gibbons and Rev. Gary Baker	
<i>(Gifts left on the communion rail will go directly to the Assistance Program Fund)</i>		
*A Covenant Prayer in the Wesleyan tradition		#607

We Depart to Serve

*Benediction		
*Postlude		Stephanie VanderZouwen

Please rise in body or in spirit

**Children will be released to go the Treehouse for continued worship following the Children’s Moment. They will be brought back to the sanctuary before the end of service. **

Today's Scripture Lesson

Joshua 24:14-18 (NIV)

¹⁴“Now fear the LORD and serve him with all faithfulness. Throw away the gods your ancestors worshiped beyond the Euphrates River and in Egypt and serve the LORD. ¹⁵But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served beyond the Euphrates, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD.” ¹⁶Then the people answered, “Far be it from us to forsake the LORD to serve other gods! ¹⁷It was the LORD our God himself who brought us and our parents up out of Egypt, from that land of slavery, and performed those great signs before our eyes. He protected us on our entire journey and among all the nations through which we traveled. ¹⁸And the LORD drove out before us all the nations, including the Amorites, who lived in the land. We too will serve the LORD, because he is our God.”

Opportunities This Week

Sunday January 5, 2024

Coffee & Doughnuts Fellowship Hall	9:00am
Sunday School	9:30am
Worship	10:30am
CYF	5:30pm

Tuesday January 7, 2025

Assistance Program	9:00am-1:00pm
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Wednesday January 8, 2025

Dinner Church	6:00pm
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Thursday January 9, 2025

Assistance Program	9:00am-1:00pm
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Opportunities Next Sunday

Sunday January 12, 2024

Coffee & Doughnuts Fellowship Hall	9:00am
Sunday School	9:30am
Worship	10:30am
CYF	5:30pm

Upcoming Events/Opportunities

January 2025

12 th	CYF at	5:30pm
13 th	Redwoods Meeting	10:00am
	Ops Team Meeting	6:30pm
15 th	February Crosstalk Deadline	
19 th	CYF at	5:30pm
20 th	Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday	
	Office Closed	
25 th	CYF Winter Blitz	
26 th	Chili Cook off Following Worship	

JANUARY 8TH
DINNER CHURCH

Free Community Meal + Worship
Join us at our dinner table
in the Fellowship Hall at 6:00pm

Everyone is welcome!

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Centenary's Ministry Report

*As United Methodist Christians, we pledge to support the
ministry of Jesus Christ*

With our PRAYER...

Tom & Nancy Angell Sam Clark
Patty Ethington Jon Prescott
Arb Smith Family of Rondall Kendall

*If you have someone that you would like to add to the
church prayer list, please fill out the Let's Get Acquainted
Form in the Sunday Worship Bulletin; or contact the
church office at 502.633.4510.*

With our PRESENCE...

December 29th In-Person: 60 Online: 33

With our GIFTS...

December 29th

General Fund: \$3,105.00 Youth: \$66.71
Assistance: \$550.00 Ramp: \$250.00
5th Sunday: \$515.00 Children: \$66.71
Local Disaster Response: \$250.00
Christmas Offering: \$2,024.00

*A copy of the church's monthly expense statement is
available at the church office, upon request.*

Our Church Staff

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