

CENTENARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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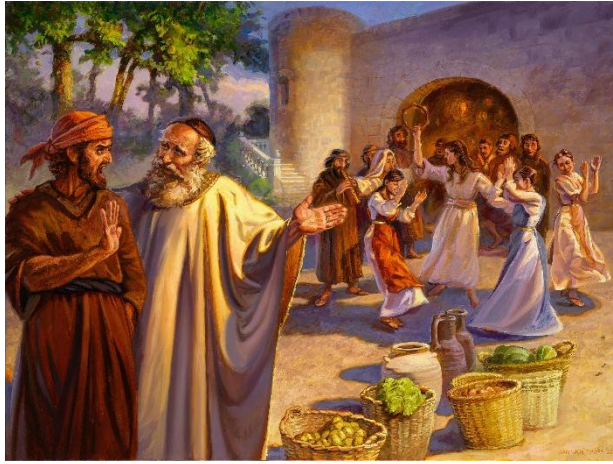
 Centenary United Methodist Church

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

March 30, 2025

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

*Hymn

*Affirmation of Faith

*Gloria Patri

Children's Moment

*Hymn

"Come to Jesus"

"How Firm a Foundation"

#529

#881

#70

Reesa Headley

#368

"My Hope Is Built"

We Seek God in Prayer as a Community

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Prayer Response

"My Tribute"

#99

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

Ministry of Music

Scripture

Message

"Who Can Satisfy My Soul Like You"

Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

"Who Is Missing"

Choir

Rev. Mark Gibbons

We Depart to Serve

*Hymn

*Benediction

"Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling"

#348

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
Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32 (NIV)

15 Now the tax collectors and sinners were all gathering around to hear Jesus. ² But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law muttered, "This man welcomes sinners and eats with them." ³ Then Jesus told them this parable:

¹¹ Jesus continued: "There was a man who had two sons. ¹² The younger one said to his father, Father, give me my share of the estate.' So he divided his property between them. ¹³ "Not long after that, the younger son got together all he had, set off for a distant country and there squandered his wealth in wild living. ¹⁴ After he had spent everything, there was a severe famine in that whole country, and he began to be in need. ¹⁵ So he went and hired himself out to a citizen of that country, who sent him to his fields to feed pigs. ¹⁶ He longed to fill his stomach with the pods that the pigs were eating, but no one gave him anything. ¹⁷ "When he came to his senses, he said, 'How many of my father's hired servants have food to spare, and here I am starving to death! ¹⁸ I will set out and go back to my father and say to him: Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. ¹⁹ I am no longer worthy to be called your son; make me like one of your hired servants.' ²⁰ So he got up and went to his father. "But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him. ²¹ "The son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' ²² "But the father said to his servants, 'Quick! Bring the best robe and put it on him. Put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. ²³ Bring the fattened calf and kill it. Let's have a feast and celebrate. ²⁴ For this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.' So they began to celebrate. ²⁵ "Meanwhile, the older son was in the field. When he came near the house, he heard music and dancing. ²⁶ So he called one of the servants and asked him what was going on. ²⁷ 'Your brother has come,' he replied, 'and your father has killed the fattened calf because he has him back safe and sound.' ²⁸ "The older brother became angry and refused to go in. So his father went out and pleaded with him. ²⁹ But he answered his father, 'Look! All these years I've been slaving for you and never disobeyed your orders. Yet you never gave me even a young goat so I could celebrate with my friends. ³⁰ But when this son of yours who has squandered your property with prostitutes comes home, you kill the fattened calf for him!' ³¹ "My son,' the father said, 'you are always with me, and everything I have is yours. ³² But we had to celebrate and be glad, because this brother of yours was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.'"

Opportunities This Week

Sunday March 30, 2025-5th Sunday Offering
Coffee & Doughnuts Fellowship Hall 9:00am
Sunday School 9:30am
Worship 10:30am

Tuesday April 1, 2025
Assistance Program 9:00am-1:00pm
Volleyball Game at the FAC 7:00pm

Wednesday April 2, 2025
Dinner Church 6:00pm
Choir rehearsals 7:00pm

Thursday April 3, 2025
Assistance Program 9:00am-1:00pm

Opportunities Next Sunday

Sunday April 6, 2025
Coffee & Doughnuts Fellowship Hall 9:00am
Sunday School 9:30am
Worship 10:30am
Confirmation Class following worship
CYF 5:30pm



Upcoming Events/Opportunities

April 2025

7 th	SCPS Back to School	
8 th	Volleyball Tournament at the FAC	TBA
9 th	Lunch Bunch	11:30am
	Choir Rehearsal	6:15pm
13 th	Palm Sunday	
	Confirmation Class following worship	
	CYF	5:30pm
14 th	Redwoods Meeting	10:00am
	Ops Team Meeting	6:30pm
16 th	May Crosstalk Deadline	
	Choir Rehearsal	6:15pm
17 th	Maundy Thursday	
18 th	Good Friday-Communion in the Chapel	
		12:00pm-3:00pm
20 th	Easter Sunday	
21 st	Church Council Meeting	6:30pm
23 rd	Choir Rehearsal	6:15pm
27 th	Confirmation Class following worship	
	CYF	5:30pm
30 th	Choir Rehearsal	6:15pm

Centenary's Ministry Report

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

With our PRAYER...

Tom & Nancy Angell Shug Hickman
Jon Prescott

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...

March 23rd In-Person: 88 Online: 57

With our GIFTS...

March 23rd

General Fund: \$3,567.00	Children: \$117.91
Youth: \$67.92.00	Assistance: \$30.00
Local Disaster Response: \$297.00	
Ramp: \$100.00	Redwoods: \$50.00

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

Our Church Staff

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Lunch Bunch

The Lunch Bunch will be departing the church at 10:45am heading to Ditto's on Bardstown Rd on Wednesday, April 9th.