

the Clarion

Of Central Christian Church (DOC)



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April 2019

Serving...

Prayer List:

Submit names by filling out a Prayer Request form located in the Pew Pads, and placing it in an offering plate or by contacting the church office.

GREETERS

April 7

April 14

April 21

April 28

Christine Kennedy

Jarrett Simoneaux

Paul Myers

Emily Ross & Family

Susan King

Grossman Family

Aletha Carter

Brock & Amanda Gonthier

Zach & Kylie Goldner

Ron Hendrix

Sydney Morgan

Mary Garrison

Manning Family

Scott Chaffin

Dee Ugo

Bette McDonald & Family

Marie Maroney

Trinity Rector

Paula Laferriere

Joe Dennis

Susan Evans

PRAYER CARDS & ATTENDANCE PADS

Mary Beth Ripple

COUNTERS

April 7

Melanie Hurst
Twyla Edinburgh

April 14

April 21

Beth Truax

April 28

Kathy Ocampo

Central Christian Church PRESENTS



FUNDRAISER

Must be 18 or older to play

To join us:

email: ccctrivianight@gmail.com

call: 812-877-9959

walk in: Monday – Thursday
to the church office
9:00am to 2:00pm

Cost: \$10 per person

Up to 8 people per table

Prizes presented to the winning team!

Friday April 5, 2019

Doors open at 6:30 – Trivia starts at 7:00 pm

Bring your own snacks & soft drinks will be provided

Deadline to sign up March 29, 2019

There are a limited number of tables, contact us quickly!

Central Christian Church (DOC) – 4950 Wabash Ave, Terre Haute, IN 47803

“God calls Central Christian Church to be a welcoming and open faith community where Christian love, action, and discipleship unite.”

Our Church Family.....

Please report items for Our Church Family to the church office, and please remember the following in your prayers:

Brian & Morgan Bennett as they await the birth of Mary Jo Brown's twin great-grand-daughters due in May!

Aletha Carter as she receives treatment for a blood clot and recovers from a recent fall. Please pray for Aletha to be at peace and to not experience any pain.

Ron Curry, Andrea Todd's nephew, who had a major set-back after open heart surgery in February.

Jeanne Frost as she works with a pain management specialist.

Dianne Mansfield will have knee replacement surgery on April 1.

Paul Myers as he continues to seek treatment for his eyesight.

Brad Steele as he recovers from recent back surgery.

Townsley Steele will have a biopsy and ultrasound on her neck on April 2.

Betsy Wallace as she adjusts to new medication.

We extend our deepest sympathies to the family and friends of **Lois Hollingsworth**.

Congratulations to **Sara Zacahriah** for placing first in the Regional Science Fair (plus receiving other judges' awards)! Sara will move onto the State Fair on March 30.

Serving...

ELDERS

April 7
Melanie Hurst
Shelly Manning

April 14

April 21
Shelly Manning

April 28
Mary Beth Ripple

FELLOWSHIP HOSTS

April 7

April 14

April 21

April 28
Andrea McColl

Easter Egg Hunt



12pm @ CCC
April 14, 2019
Family Fun

Individually wrapped candy donations appreciated before April 7th

Due to Patient Privacy Laws, hospitals are no longer able to contact pastors if a church member is admitted for treatment. If you or a loved one is in the hospital, please call the church office or Rev. Rebecca.



Central will once again be sharing Holy Week Services with our brothers and sisters of St. Mark UCC. Join us on **April 18**, here at Central, for **Maundy Thursday** at 7:00 pm. Our choir will present **“Table Prayer,”** a musical rendition of the story of the Last Supper. Communion will be followed by the ceremonial stripping of the sanctuary in preparation for Good Friday. St. Mark will host the **Good Friday** service at 7:00 pm, April 19.

For our **Easter Sunrise Service**, we will gather in the Memorial Garden at 6:45 am Easter morning to celebrate the resurrection of Christ.



Dress warm! It is always chilly at that time of morning and wear your old shoes or boots as we gather round the fire to welcome the dawn. In case you don't know, the Memorial Garden is around on the back (north) side of the church property.

Follow the edge of the cemetery to stay on more solid ground and then turn east across the grass. You will see the fire burning in the garden area.

A Joyful Noise,

from your Worship Ministry Team

Rebecca has recently mentioned tips on how to get our sanctuary chairs back in order after an event. I have often told newcomers that helping to put the chairs back means they are officially one of us. Somehow, over the years I have become the one who oversees this task. Yes, I have committed the chart to memory and do the final “fixing” after others get them close to the right spot. As the number of groups using the church increases and I am not always available, Rebecca and I thought it might be a good time for me to give you some helpful hints. So here goes.

RESETTING THE SANCTUARY 101

1. The chart to follow when placing the chairs is hanging on the inside of the storage room door.
2. If all chairs don't need to be used for an event, then just use the ones on the south side of the sanctuary. That way you have the north side to look at and follow when putting them back. This clears the path to the storage closet too.
3. Use the 18 chairs from the Cornerstone Room first to get them out of the way if you are setting up food lines. NOTE: None of these chairs should have a hymnal in them. A point to remember when replacing them.
4. If your group is using the Sanctuary for a meeting, use one of the two side groups instead of the main sections. The sides are in straight rows and quicker and easier to get back in order when you are finished. Be sure not to block the side doors. Fire exits must always be left clear.
5. Make sure there is enough room at the back and sides for people to walk behind and around the chairs to get to their seats.
6. The rows have a slight curve to them, and the chairs are **NOT** hooked together. Remember there are aisle ways after the first two rows.
7. **Don't forget about the hymnals!** Getting the chairs in place doesn't mean you are finished. Now you need to check to make sure everyone has a hymnal available. The chairs in the front rows have a hymnal in the front. All other chairs need a hymnal in the back of the chair in front of them. Think about where you reach for that hymnal on Sunday morning.

Thanks to all of you for helping to make our sanctuary an inviting place to worship.

Songs of Joy,

Carol Sloan

Worship Ministry Chair



Easter Flowers

It's time to think about ordering **Easter flowers!** One of the beautiful ways we celebrate Easter is with the color and fragrance of spring flowers. You may order plants in honor or in memory of loved ones. The flowers will be coming from Cowan & Cook Florists to adorn the sanctuary Easter Sunday and may be taken home after worship.

Orders with payment may be turned in at the church office or included with your offering during Sunday Morning Worship.

The deadline for order Easter Flowers is **April 3, 2019.**

Indicate the number of each plant you would like to order below (if ordering more than one, please indicate which plant relates to each honoree) and total them on the last line, paying close attention to the check instructions.

__ Easter lilies--\$15

__ Mums--\$15

__ Tulips--\$15

__ Hyacinths--\$15

__ Azalea--\$25

__ Hydrangea--\$35

\$_____ Total

**(Please make checks payable to Central Christian Church;
write "Easter Flowers" on the memo line)**

In Memory of _____

In Honor of _____

Donated by (Your name) _____

ANNUAL YARD SALE



The **God Squad** and **Kid's Club** will be having their annual **Yard Sale** on **Saturday, May 18, 2019** from **8am to 2pm**. The proceeds will benefit their mission trip and activities.

In support of the youth, we need your donations to make this a success! We will be accepting donations immediately; if you require a pick-up, please call the McColl's **[812.696.0468]**

If you would like to volunteer to help with pricing or work the day of, please sign up with Andrea McColl.

Please clean all items prior to donation. If donating curtains or linens, please specify and label size or dimensions.

We appreciate all donations, however, we **cannot** accept the following items:

Mattresses

Clothes

TV's

Broken Items

Appliances

Personal Hygiene Items [perfumes, lotions, etc.]

Thanks again for all of your help, we are very thankful for all donations and volunteers.

2018 Blessing Box

Thank you to all our members and friends of all ages who put change in our Blessing Box throughout 2018! On the first Sunday of every month, as our Young Church come together for their time with Rev. Rebecca, the Blessing Box is passed around the sanctuary for any change people may have on them. At the beginning of the year, the Elementary School Age Sunday school class then decides (with Rev. Dianne's help!) where the money should go. Here is what our kids decided for 2018:

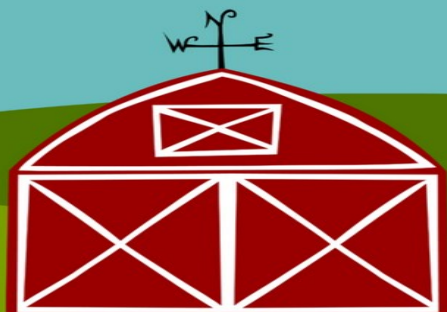
World Vision

2 Soccer Balls + 2 Free	\$32
1 Fish Pond	\$240
Fishing Kit + Chicks	\$100
Bed Nets for a Family	\$21



Heifer Project

1 Goat	\$120
3 flocks of 20 chickens each	\$60
1 Hope Basket of rabbits and chicks	\$50



Total \$623

GOD Squad & Kids Club
PROUDLY PRESENT

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, May 5

at

8:00 a.m.

donations are requested

A LOOK BACK AT MARCH



FAMILY
GAME NIGHT



ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

Rebecca's Revelation

Grace and peace to you in the name of Jesus Christ! We are half-way through Lent and the glorious celebration of Easter Sunday is April 21. One of the many ways we celebrate Easter at Central Christian Church is with a Special Easter Offering. As I started writing an explanation of what the Easter Offering supports, I realized that it was time to explain to our newer members and friends – and remind the rest of us – what the Special Day Offerings throughout the year support.

Week of Compassion supports disaster relief and long-term development across the US, Canada, and the globe. This offering is taken at the end of February, but gifts can be given online at any time throughout the year.

Easter Offering supports the majority of the General Ministries of the church. A list of all these General Ministries can be found at the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the US and Canada web site.

Pentecost Offering supports New Church ministries for the denomination. 50% of what we gather stays in our own region here in Indiana.

Reconciliation Offering supports Reconciliation Ministries, the anti-racism branch of the Disciples of Christ.

Thanksgiving Offering supports higher education across our denomination.

Christmas Offering supports the ministries in our region, so 100% of what we gather and dedicate for this offering goes to the Indiana Region of the Christian Church.

I hope this gives a sense of the many important ministries we support as we participate in the Disciples of Christ Special Day Offerings. Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or would like more information regarding specific offerings.

On another note, please make every effort to attend our Holy Week and Easter Sunday worship services! God bless you as we continue serving our world in Christ's name AND as we make our way *Homeward Bound* to a deeper relationship with God!

Rev. Rebecca

Collecting Geraniums

In preparation for Spring, please remember to bring geraniums to be planted by members of the God Squad on or before Sunday, May 5 in remembrance of our mothers

A
God Squad
Production



At their January meeting, the Elders discussed expanding our ministry as spiritual leaders of our church.

There are times when a member of the congregation feels the need to talk over an issue, ask a question, or could just use a good heart to heart talk with someone in the church.

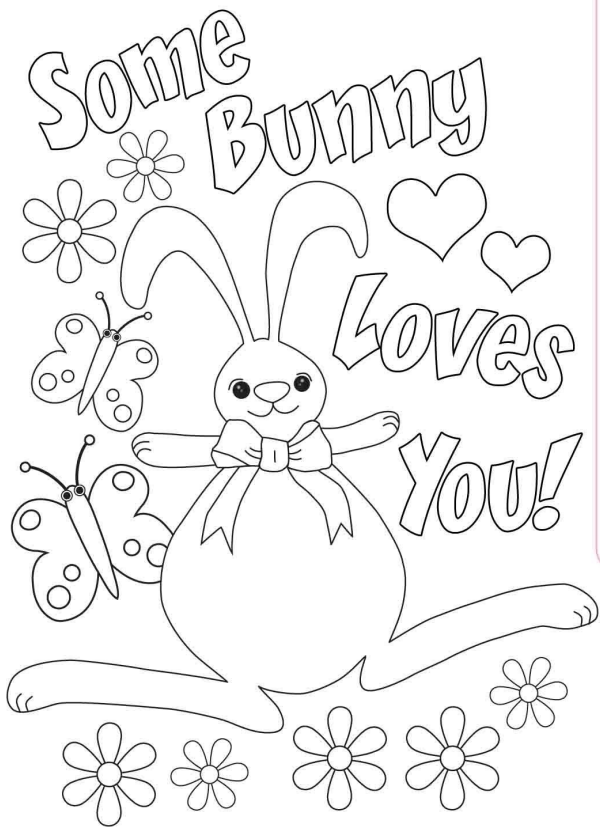
As Rev. Rebecca cannot always respond to every need that arises, and as we all prepare for her upcoming sabbatical, Elders want members to know that they are available. As followers of Christ, the Elders want to extend his love and compassion.

Confidentiality will be respected.

A list of Elders will be made available in a variety of forms of communication.



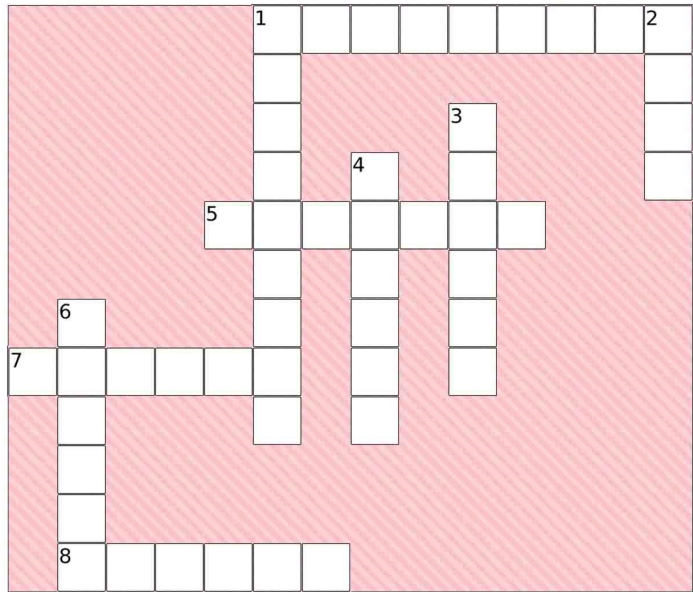
Color Me



Fill in the Vowels

B _ N N _ _ S _ R _ B R _ W N
 B _ N N _ _ S _ R _ W H _ T _
 B _ N N _ _ S _ R _ _ L W _ Y S
 _ N _ _ S T _ R D _ L _ G H T

Easter Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- WHAT PEOPLE DO ON EASTER
- RHYMES WITH SHOPPING
- A WOVEN CONTAINER TO HOLD OR CARRY THINGS
- A LONG EARED ANIMAL THAT HOPS

DOWN

- A FAVORITE EASTER TREAT
- THESE ARE DECORATED FOR EASTER
- EASTER IS ON THIS DAY OF THE WEEK
- ONE OF THE FOUR SEASONS OF THE YEAR
- A HOLIDAY IN THE SPRING

Easter Word Search Puzzle

R S J O M M O F V H V F F W Q
 S M G W X I L Y A R W H E T L
 C P N G P D S C C I O L Y Y Z
 B B I B E T A T I L T N C L S
 X D R L M R I F I S N H D I H
 X G P Q U B W D F U Z E Z M U
 F L S R B T A C B O B Z R A N
 L U D A U Y O K A K D E C F T
 O P R C C H I C K S T I R X N
 W V T E K S A B G S R W L W T
 E U G J Z V E T A L O C O H C
 R C A N D Y B E L S B S K S M
 S Z Z G U J U S Q K I T D I K
 E I Y S U N D A Y L Z G G L E
 N O I T A R B E L E C E M R B

BASKET BUNNY CANDY CELEBRATION CHICKS CHOCOLATE
 DAFFODIL EASTER EGGS FAITH FAMILY FLOWERS
 HOLIDAY HUNT RABBIT SPRING SUNDAY TULIPS



Kids Picnic @ Deming Park

12:30 p.m. ~ 2:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 19, 2019

meet in the grassy area near the playground

All children and families invited!

Bring your own lunch, blanket & chairs to picnic in the park!

Bottles of water will be available.

Preschoolers must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.



9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Saint Mary of the Woods College

3301 St. Mary's Road
West Terre Haute, IN 47885
812-535-5151



Earth Day

Saturday, April 27, 2019

Movie Night



community rewards

Holy Cow



Remind people you speak to that these tickets are great for birthdays, graduation, Mother's Day, and Father's Day!
\$10 per ticket for a chance to win \$10,000

ANNUAL YARD SALE



SATURDAY MAY 18, 2019
8:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

ACCEPTING DONATIONS



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April 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 9a Bible Study 11:30a Retired Ladies Lunch @ Coffee Cup 6:30p Christian Ed	2 6p Worship Ministry Mtg	3 6:30p Choir	4	5	6
7 Noon Elders Mtg 5-7p God Squad @ St. Mark UCC	8 9a Bible Study 6p Racial Justice Book Club	9 7p Taize @ SMWC	10 6:30p Choir	11 6:30p Faith & Giving 7p Holy Cow Mtg	12 Koinonia Mtg @ 6:30p (CCC) No Meal Provided	13
14 Palm Sunday Noon Easter Egg Hunt 	15 9a Bible Study	16	17 6:30p Choir	18 7p Maudy Thursday CCC	19 7p Good Friday Service @ St. Mark UCC	20
21 6:45a Sunrise Service Easter Sunday	22 9a Bible Study	23	24 6:30p Choir	25 6:30 CWF	26 God Squad Youth Retreat Begins	27 9:30a-3p Earth Day @ SMWC 
28 Noon Board Mtg God Squad Youth Retreat Ends	29 9a Bible Study	30 Movie Night @ Show-place 12				

Birthdays

2 Harry McClintock	21 Patty McClintock
2 Grace McClintock	21 Sophie Crist
4 Lauren Crist Foster	21 John Henderson
6 Lois Schultz	23 Lynn Hutchings
11 Briley Schodlatz	29 Aletha Carter
13 Kristen Crist	29 David Bennett
18 Jo Ann Barnes	30 Sam Todd

11 Twyla Edinburgh & Melanie Hurst
15 Tom Russell & Holly Rudolf

27 Tom & Debbie Gonthier
29 Jim & Shelly Bennett

Anniversaries

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(Disciples of
Christ)**

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We're On The Web
www.ccethdisciples.org

Worship Services
9:30 AM
(Nursery for Infants & Toddlers
Open 9 AM -12Noon)
Sunday School for
all ages 11 AM

Celebrate the
resurrection of
our Lord!

Happy
EASTER

