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# In God We Trust

#### **July 2019**

Serving	<b>Prayer List:</b> 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.					
DOOR MONITOR July 7 Andrea McColl July 14 Marsha McQueary July 21 July 28	Mary Deal Dale Hammond Paula Johnson & Family Aprille Akins Terri Cole Johnny Manning Lil & Sue Chaffin Priscilla Hammonds Diana Chavis		Christine Kennedy Nathan Lewis Cole Anthony Sacramone Missy Feliciano Killian Lang Susan King James Brooks Rachel Manning Karen Stout			
oury 20	ON-CALL PASTORAL CARE					
		JULY 2019				
PRAYER CARDS & ATTENDANCE PADS	JUNE 30-JULY 6	MARY BETH RIPPLE	CAROL SLOAN			
Mary Beth Ripple		812-230-6526 (leave msg or text)	812878-0355			
Marsha McQueary	JULY 7-13	BRENDA WALTERMIRE	Phil Ewoldsen			
<b>COUNTERS</b>		812-236-7645	812-878-6161			
<b>July 7</b> Twyla Edinburgh Richard Hunt	JULY 14-20	Melanie Hurst 812-49-8302	Phil Ewoldsen 812-878-6161			
July 14						
David Rose Carroll Vasbinder	JULY 21-27	DAVID ROSE	Mary Beth Mullen			
		812-230-3215	812-229-4157			
<b>July 21</b> Beth Truax	JULY 28-AUG 3	Sherrie Mansfield 812-249-2219	Dinah Vasbinder 812-870-1117			
July 28			DKFARRINGTON@HOTMAIL.COM			
Kathy Ocampo						

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

# amazonsmile

**Our Church Family.....** 

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

#### In Rev. Rebecca's absence, please remember to send Prayer Requests & Announcements To the church office each week for Weekly Email and Clarion.

#### Make note of these important dates for July:

Next week, July 1-5, the church office will be closed

Mid-Week Creatives is a new group that will be meeting in the church weekly on Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. to work on individual projects together. Attendees are encourage to bring their projects whether it be crafting, knitting, scrapbooking, etc. and work on them in a group atmosphere. If you have questions, please contact Susan Edmonson.

The Annual Fish Fry is fast approaching, if you are interested in volunteering please see Sharon Crist.

Mary Jo Brown has invited anyone interested to join her for some summer shows at the Shawnee Theatre of Greene County in Bloomfield, IN. You may attend with her or on your own, for more detail please contact Mary Jo (812) 234-3690 The dates and shows are listed below:

July 12 – Wait Until Dark (Thriller)

July 19 - Grease (Musical)

CWF is having a Women's Retreat, open to all women church members, on Saturday, July 20 in Washington, IN. The group will carpool from the church at 9:00 a.m. and will return in the late afternoon. Please contact Susan Edmondson for more details.

A One-Woman Show, "Clytemnestra, or Crime" starring Susan Monts-Bologna is coming to UCM July 19-21 and Unitarian Universalist Church July 26-28. For information and ticket reservation, call 812-232-0186.



#### Serving...

#### **ELDERS**

**July 7** Melanie Hurst Richard Hunt

July 14

July 21 Beth Truax

July 28 Kathy Ocampo

#### FELLOWSHIP HOSTS

**July 7** Melanie Hurst Richard Hunt

July 14

July 21 Beth Truax

July 28 Kathy Ocampo

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.



#### SAVE THE DATE!

#### 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Jonah Fish Fry – 4-7:00 pm Friday, September 6<sup>th</sup>

Central Christian's Fish Fry is annually the first Friday after Labor Day and is a very popular event, bringing the community into our church and provides financial support for our ministries. The fish fry committee will be organizing this year's event and sincerely appreciate your support for our church through generous donations of canned goods, supplies, along with your time and help working the event each year.

The fish fry table will be in the gathering area later this month. Sign-up sheets for volunteers along with a display board that will have tags posted for all of the items needed for the fish fry can be found. If you are able to take a tag(s) to purchase items to donate, please write your name next to the tag number(s) on the list and check off on the list when you bring in the items. With the help of your generous donations, the only cost we incur for the event is from Neptune, to provide and cook the fish, and for an ad in the newspaper which greatly increases the profit for our church.

We obtain pricing for as many of the items as possible from GFS Market Place at 5000 S. 7<sup>th</sup> street since they don't require a membership card to shop and also give credit for purchases back to our church by check. If you do not have a GFS non-profit tag for Central Christian on your key chain, you can tell the cashier that you want the credit for your purchase to go to Central Christian Church (DOC). Some of the necessary items are unavailable at GFS so the price at Sam's Club is listed. If the items are less expensive at Sam's Club both GFS and Sam's prices are listed on the tag.

Non-perishable items can be brought in anytime and placed by the display board. Donated refrigerated/ frozen items can be brought in and put in the refrigerator the Sunday before the fish fry. Bread and hot dog buns can be brought in a few days before the fish fry.

The fish fry committee, and anyone else that would like to help are scheduled to meet at the church at 6 pm on Thursday, Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> to move chairs and set up the tables for the fish fry, dinner will follow.

This event brings in lots of people from the community to see our beautiful church and to meet so many of us who are members/friends here at Central Christian working side by side that night. They always walk away with a good impression of our church. Every year we receive compliments from persons attending on how much they enjoy coming to our fish fry and that it's one of the best in the area.

We may not be a large congregation but we accomplish great things here at Central

Thank you,

Fish Fry Committee

#### The Successful Holy Cow Rainout



Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup> was our big funder-raiser event, Holy Cow. It rained and rained and rained and rained some more. The Holy Cow committee gathered in the Cornerstone Room around 8:30a.m. and made the decision to cancel the event. No bounce house, no mechanical bull, no food, no games, no cow. We would determine the winners by random drawing. We were drowning in disappointment.

We only needed a couple of committee members to stay for the drawing. None left. Friends and members of Central started showing up and more people showed up and kept showing up and kept showing up. I'm guessing around 50 people.

It was simply amazing. The love, support, and fellowship that was shown in Central Saturday morning lifted any disappointment. There was such a beautiful energy surrounding, holding this community. We broke out a few games for the kids to play. They were so happy with the prizes they won. We ate donuts and drank coffee and watched Mel and Shelly enter ticket info into the computer. We started planning for next year. People were buying tickets from Kathy in the drive-thru. People were taking pictures. We started making plans to use the food from Holy Cow for Worship in the Park. Friends and members started buying the soda and water to help offset any food-money loss. There was a big ticket buying rally just before the noon deadline. 2074 Tickets!!!!!

Was Holy Cow a success – absolutely!! We were drowning in grace.

#### **CWF Day Retreat**

CWF (all women of the church are members of CWF) are having a one day retreat on Saturday, July 20. Meet at the church at 9 am. We will carpool to Washington, Indiana. There are Amish stores and restaurant. We will have lunch and browse the charming shops in the area.

It is always a fun day of fellowship and exploring. We will return late afternoon.



Any questions, contact Susan Edmondson, 812.240.2717

#### Brother's Keeper

What would this world be like if we truly believed we were our brother's keeper?

Not the brother that asked only because he had done something to his brother

Not the kind that thought himself better than his brother

Not the kind that wanted to point out all his brother's faults and judge him for them

But the kind that truly loved his brother

That was never jealous or envious of him

The kind that was always there for his brother

Ready to walk in the mud not just for him but beside him if need be

Ready to pull him out of that mud

The kind that would give his brother shelter, food, and the clothes off his back if he needed them

What would happen if it didn't matter to us

What color our brother's skin was?

Whether he made the cut as far as being socially acceptable in our social circle?

Who he chose to love?

What if we went so far as to say we would stand behind our brother if he didn't worship like us?

Could we still be our brother's keeper?

Loving him like Jesus would

Could we remember, though we were our brother's keeper, that he is saved by grace?

The same as we are

- Kim Faught



here 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.

Below is a list of Elders who are offering themselves to this important area of ministry

Mary Jo Brown	maryjobrown55@aol.com				
812-234-3690 or cell: 812-239-9349					
Kathy Ocampo	kathy.ocampo@indstate.edu				
812-201-5544					

Sherrie Mansfield 812-249-2219 Melanie Hurst 812-249-8302 David Rose

812-230-3215

#### **REV. LINDA M. SNIDER** JULY SCRIPTURES AND SERMON THEME JULY 7 "IT'S JUST NOT FAIR!" GENESIS 37:1-11 GALATIANS 5:22-23 JULY 14 "IT AIN'T EASY BEIN' GREEN" **CREATION BY JAMES WELDON JOHNSON** JULY 21 "WHO ARE YOU?" PSALM 15 MATTHEW 5:14-16 JULY 28 "How Rich is it OK to be?" ISAIAH 40:31 PHILIPPIANS 3:12-16





Courtney Lynn is 11 years old. She is a homeschooler going into her 6th grade year. She is new to the God Squad and could not be more happy to finally be a part of the youth group.

Courtney loves art and anime. She has a big imagination and loves to create! She also has a big heart and a huge personality. She loves to make others laugh and be happy. Courtney is also a wonderful big sister.

Courtney is a Swimmer on the terre haute Torpedoes swim team. She enjoys swim and takes her role as a team member seriously. She likes to be the first one there and shows initiative. The team has brought her many great things, mostly lots of new friends. Pictured is Courtney (center), her best friend Alyx, and her coach Joel.

#### Fundraiser Volunteer Survey

It's hard to believe we are talking about fundraisers already; Holy Cow just finished, but July 1, 2019 begins our new season of fundraisers!

Faith & Giving would like to approach this year's fundraisers a little differently. Our fundraisers do not fall under a specific ministry. Each fundraiser is its own entity; therefore, each needs a chair, treasurer, and a group of volunteers to help with the planning. In theory, all church participants will support the event by attending, advertising, or purchasing items needed.

Below will be a list of our fundraisers. We are looking for volunteers to help make each fundraiser be as successful as it can possibly be. That means, we need lots of volunteers. The nice thing about fundraisers is that they are a short-term commitment. With the exception of Holy Cow, most require no more than a couple of months preparation.

If you see a need, and feel you are able to assist, please fill out the form and return it to the Faith & Giving ministry. You can put the form in the basket outside the church office, the offering plate, or give it to Beth Truax, Faith & Giving chair.

Fish Fry September 6, 2019	Trivia Night April 3, 2020
Chair: Sharon Crist	Chair:
Treasurer: Scott Chaffin	Treasurer:
Volunteer:	Volunteer:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:
Trivia Night October 4, 2019	Holy Cow June 20, 2020
	(Planning will begin in August 2019)
Chair:	Chair: Bonnie Wilson
Treasurer:	Treasurer: Shelly Manning
Volunteer:	Volunteer:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:
Music & Chocolate November – TBA Chair: Betsy Hine	
Treasurer: Carol Sloan	
Volunteer:	
Phone:	
Email:	
	Fundraiser Ideas

#### Three BIG Winners In theater

We had 3 people from Central nominated for awards at community theatre!

Malynnda Johnson was nominated for best supporting actress in Baskerville: a Sherlock Homes Mystery - AND WON!!

James Wimsett was nominated for best production (and it was his first time directing), for Baskerville - AND WON!!

**Marie Wimsett** was nominated for best supporting actress in Last Gas - and we think she should have WON!!

**Congratulations to all of them -** and if you don't go to Community Theatre productions you are really missing out!!

#### **Officers & Ministry Chairs**

Moderator Roger Schultz Vice Moderator Bonnie Wilson Secretary Shelly Manning Treasurer Bobby Shipman

#### 11 :: Zachariah Mathew & Ancy Zachariah

- 1 :: Sharon Crist
- 1 :: Kim Faught
- 2 :: Sam Willey
- 3 :: Will Hine, Jr.
- 5 :: Marilyn Fisher
- 6 :: Rick Dennis
- 7 :: Mary Jo Brown
- 7 :: Lily Lawson Garloch
- 9 :: Kristy Zukakas (Mansfield)
- 11 :: Ancy Mathew

11 :: Kolar Schodlatz

Birthdays

- 13 :: Jerry Johnson
- 13 :: Melanie Hurst
- 13 :: Scott Chaffin
- 15 :: Theron Strong
- 15 :: Wendy Waltermire
- 16 :: Charley Hine
- 16 :: Andrea Todd
- 17 :: Johnny Manning, Jr.
- 18 :: Kevin Crist

- 18 :: Mallorie Wilson
- 18 :: Sherrie Mansfield
- 20 :: Ava Hammond
- 20 :: Kent Waltermire
- 22 :: Kimberly Schodlatz
- 24 :: Ava Hammond
- 25 :: Greg Mansfield
- 27 :: Mary Beth Ripple
- 27 :: Olivia Bennett
- 28 :: Barbara Hunt

# **July 2019**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	9a Bible Study		9:30a—12:30	Independence Day		
			Mid-Week Creatives			
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	9a Bible Study	7p Taize	9:30a—12:30	6:30p Faith & Giving	7p Wait Until Dark	
	6p Racial Justice Book Club		Mid-Week Creatives	Mtg	(Thriller) Shawnee Theater	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	9a Bible Study		9:30a—12:30		7p Grease (Musical)	CWF Retreat
			Mid-Week Creatives		Shawnee Theater	Washington, IN
					7:30p Clytemnestra,	10a-4p Daughters of Abraham Retreat
					Or Crime (One- Woman Show) UCM	SMWC
						7:30p Clytemnestra,
						Or Crime (One- Woman Show) UCM
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
4p Clytemnestra, Or	9a Bible Study	9:30a—12:30 Mid-Week Creatives Holiday World		7:30p Clytemnestra,	7:30p Clytemnestra,	
Crime (One-Woman Show) Unitarian Universalist Church			Mid-Week Creatives		Or Crime (One- Woman Show) Uni- tarian Universalist	Or Crime (One- Woman Show) Uni- tarian Universalist
			Holiday World			
			-God Squad Trip		Church	Church
28	29	30	31			
4p Clytemnestra, Or	9a Bible Study		9:30a—12:30			
Crime (One-Woman Show) Unitarian			Mid-Week Creatives			
Universalist Church						

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> We're On The Web www.cccthdisciples.org

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

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