

Welcome to Worship at Central UMC!

We are blessed by your presence today! Please complete a **Connect Card** located in the pew back. Doing so allows you to connect with your church family by sharing prayer concerns, learning about new ministries and lets us know you joined us for worship.

Children are welcome to remain in the worship service. Our nursery is located in Room 107. Toddlers and Children up 5th grade are invited to Kid's Worship following the Children's Message. Activity bags are available in the narthex.



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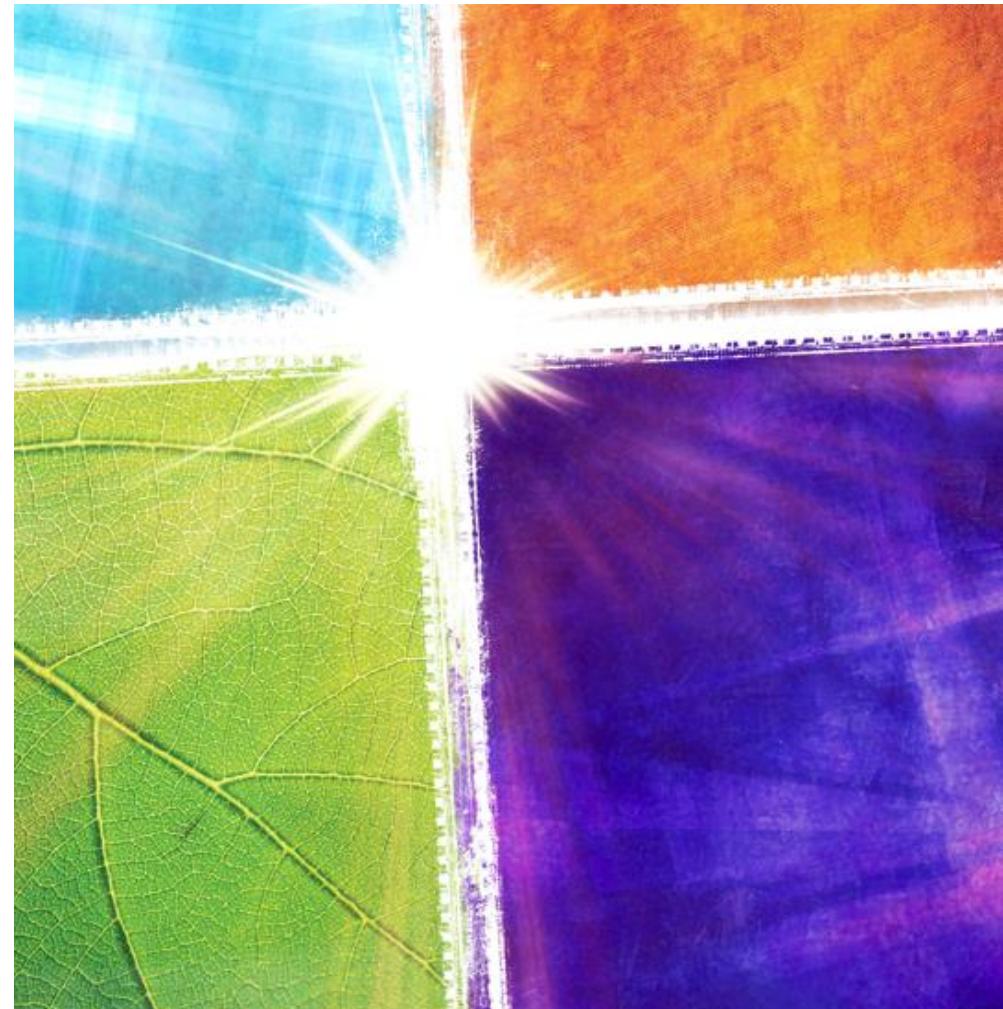
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Central United Methodist Church



APRIL 16, 2023 | 11:00 AM
2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER



Connect at Central

God • Each Other • Community

†Please stand in body or spirit. | UMH - United Methodist Hymnal
Congregational responses in **bold**.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHIMES OF THE HOLY TRINITY

PRAYER FOR THE HOLY SPIRIT

†HYMN OF PRAISE *Easter People Raise Your Voices*

UMH 304

PSALM READING

Psalm 16

UMH 748

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Erica Kirby

MORNING PRAYER

Rev. Sigrid Mottram

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

†HYMN

Majesty, Worship His Majesty

UMH 176

OFFERING

†THE DOXOLOGY

UMH 95

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SPECIAL MUSIC

The Shupe Family

SCRIPTURE

1 Peter 1:3-9

SERMON

Rev. Mottram

†HYMN OF DEDICATION *Because He Lives*

UMH 364

†BENEDICTION

†POSTLUDE



SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

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