



# CHIMES

Central United Methodist Church *The Church of the Good Shepherd*

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*Rev. Kathy with mentor Pam Beedle-Gee*

## Congratulations to

Rev. Kathy Pittenger on her ordination as a full deacon of the United Methodist Church! Thank you to the many Central Church attendees who took up over three rows in the Adrian College Chapel to witness the ceremony. Central Church will Celebrate Rev. Kathy's Ordination on

**Sunday, June 5, 2011**

during the 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. worship services followed by a reception at 11:45 a.m. in fellowship hall. SPRC is inviting the congregation to make a love offering to help cover the costs for the gifts of a Pitcher and Basin being presented at the June 5th celebration.

Love gifts are being received in the church office. If you would like to share in the Church's love gift you may make checks payable to the church with "Rev. Pittenger Love Offering" in the memo line. Bring it to the Church office or place it in the offering plate.



## Worship Notes

### WORSHIP NOTES

**May 29, 2011**

Sixth Sunday of Easter  
Memorial Day Weekend  
Acts 17:22-31  
"A Touchable God"  
Ernie Bauer Leading  
Worship Arts  
9:00 a.m. YTNB Bells  
10:30 a.m. YTNB Bells/  
Chancel Choir

**June 5, 2011**

Seventh Sunday of Easter  
Preaching: Rev. Jim Kellermann  
ASCENSION SUNDAY  
WORSHIP APPRECIATION  
SUNDAY

Rev. Kathy Pittenger Ordination  
Celebration  
Worship Arts  
9:00 a.m. Agape Bells  
10:30 a.m. Agape Bells/  
Chancel Choir

**June 12, 2011**

Pentecost Sunday  
Preaching: Rev. Jim Kellermann  
GRADUATION SUNDAY  
"Holy Spirit Holes"  
Worship Arts  
Youth Choir  
Graduating Dancers



## KIDS CENTRAL MINISTRY NEWS

### SHAKE IT UP CAFE VBS

Summer will soon be here! Please make sure your calendar is marked for vacation bible school the week of June 20. We are also working on props and backgrounds for VBS every Thursday evening from 6-8 p.m. in Room 6 (downstairs). If you are available to help, please contact Rev. Kathy.

### SUMMER CAMP

Kids, youth, and adults of all ages enjoy going to summer camp. The Detroit Annual Conference has a strong summer camping program for all ages. If you want to know more about summer camp, please see Rev. Kathy. Kids who have just completed Kindergarten through 2nd grade are also encouraged to come to the camp where Rev. Kathy is the Dean in August! If you missed Camp Sunday and would like to donate money to the camp scholarships fund, please contact Rev. Kathy. Last year we sent 11 campers and provided \$1666 in camp scholarships. Our scholarship fund is at zero and we want to support our campers. Your help is needed!

[www.kidscentralweb.org](http://www.kidscentralweb.org)

*Our Sincere  
Sympathies To*

**The Fisher Family  
on the death of Pam's Father  
(Thank you for your prayers)**

### TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF 5/22/2011:

Year to date income: \$222,546.00  
Year to date expenses: \$234,347.00  
Sunday 5/22/11 offering: \$5,995.36

*Cradle Roll*  
Central Church Welcomes  
Alden Ryan Kellermann,  
Born May 22, 2011  
Son of  
Noah and Kelsy Kellermann,  
Grandson of  
Rev. Jim Kellermann  
and Polly Strosahl,  
nephew of  
Aunt Abby Kellermann

## GRADUATION SUNDAY IS JUNE 12!

Join us on Sunday, June 12 as we celebrate the accomplishments of our High School, Trade School and College Graduates!

### SCHOLARSHIPS

Through the graciousness of the Kuhn Family and the estate of Margaret Luther and Virginia Selle, Central Church is able to offer five college scholarships for graduating high school seniors and three scholarships for continuing college students. These are in the amounts of \$1,000 each. The applications can be accessed online through the church website. The scholarship application deadline is May 31. Also available is scholarship assistance for technical or trade training in memory of Donald Loomis. Please inquire in the church office.

### ATTENTION ALL GRADUATES AND PARENTS!

Are you, your son, or daughter graduating from high school, college or trade school this spring? If so, we want to know about it! Please be sure to turn in the graduation information along with a photo to the church office by May 31. Forms are available in the Church office or on line. Remember to include future plans such as college, work, military service, marriage, etc. We will use the photos and information as part of a celebration display for Graduation Sunday on June 12. Please join us on that day so we may recognize your accomplishments! Any Questions? Please contact Leslie Tobakos at 248-698-9535 or Pam Fisher at the Church.

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### SPRING FLOWER SALE

Our annual spring plant sale has begun and will run through June 9. The Spring Flower Sale is sponsored by Sunshine Plants, located at: 1240 Bogie Lake Rd, in White Lake Township. By arrangement with Sunshine Plants, 7% of every sale will come back to CUMC for use by the various ministries. Flats are only \$9.99! Coupons will be coming soon to your spring Sunday bulletins and will also be available in the Church office in the next coming weeks.

### CENTRAL CINEMA

Central Cinema presents "Avatar" on Saturday, June 4, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. From the imaginative science fiction genre comes this epic story of a paraplegic marine on a mission to a distant moon where technology allows him to function in the body of an Avatar. Through this persona he finds love and a deeper meaning to life than the consuming greed of those who brought him here. Celebrated for its technology and special effects, this film is rated PG 13.

### FAITHLINK SCHEDULE

Faithlink is a Sunday morning group that focuses on application of faith to current events connecting the Bible, United Methodism, and life today. Our Faithlink group meets in the Library (Room 108) with social time at 9:00 a.m. Class at 9:15 am.

**May 29 and June 5**, Reports from Annual Conference.

### HARVESTER SCHEDULE

**June 2**, Potluck in the Parlor followed by the DVD: "When Christians Get It Wrong." Please note, because the planned program is scheduled for the end of the month, the potluck is on the fourth Thursday. Please call Alice and Jim Alt if you have any questions. (248) 681-9745.

### INFANT BAPTISM, JUNE 26

If you are considering having your infant baptized into the community of faith here at Central United Methodist Church, Sunday, June 26, 2011 will be the next opportunity to do so. This will be the date of the baptism of little Alden Ryan Kellermann as well! Please contact Rev. Kathy Pittenger who will answer any questions regarding infant baptism in the United Methodist Church and to make arrangements to be a part of this service.

### MEMORIAL GARDEN

A BIG thank you to Don & Diana Carter, Jim Kozel, Kathy Reseigh & Lynn Vincent for planting the 14 flats of flowers in the Memorial Garden on May 18th. We will be weeding the garden on the following Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am: June 21, July 19 & August 16. We'd love to have you join us for fellowship and light refreshments. Please bring your garden tools! We hope everyone will consider the garden as a place for meditation and reflection and enjoy the beauty of God's creation! The Memorial Garden Committee.

### CYSTIC FIBROSIS

#### DINNER THEATER FUNDRAISER

**June 11, 2011, 6:00 p.m.**

Every year, dozens of families in the Metro Detroit area are given the devastating news that their child has Cystic Fibrosis, Cystic Fibrosis attacks the lining of the lungs, making breathing very difficult, increasing the risk of life-ending infections and creates the need for continuous breathing treatments. This June 11th at 6:00 p.m. at Central United Methodist Church, the Strang family will be putting on a sit-down dinner to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, along with the Lakeland Players latest theater production performance of "Clue the Musical" to follow the dinner. Tickets for the event are \$25 per person purchased in advance and are available in the Church office. If you would like to use your Visa Card, contact the CF Foundation at 248-269-8759.

*Thank You!*

SINCERE THANKS go out to our Central family who blessed me with such caring love during my recent illness! Hospital visits from Rev. Kellermann, Pam Fisher and Becky Lund really touched me. A visit by Tom Lewis from the Caring Core at home (with flowers in hand) made me feel very special, in addition to all the cards received from the Purple Threads, Caring Core, New Joy Choir and friends. I'm on the road to recovery and as I've said many times, I could not survive without my Church family.

*In His Love - Joanne Green*

To My Central Church Family, Thank you so much for all of your love and support. You have been so faithful in your prayers, cards and well wishes during my father's illness and his recent passing. Thank you to Purple Threads for keeping my dad and our family in your prayers these past 6 months. It was a blessing to see so many of you at the funeral home and service and to receive so many e-mails of support. I am truly blessed to have two wonderful Church families.

*Much Love, Pam Fisher & family*

### June Birthdays

Best Wishes to the following members  
Celebrating a Birthday of  
80 years or more.

James Bensken - June 1  
Cleg Bordeaux - June 7  
Violet Jordan - June 8  
Virginia Bensken - June 9  
Jay Young - June 9  
Glenn Wilson - June 14  
Anita Heathman - June 15  
Maxine Newman - June 18  
Barbara Dagenais - June 19  
Ingrid Gustavson - June 28

### June Anniversaries

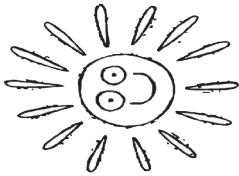
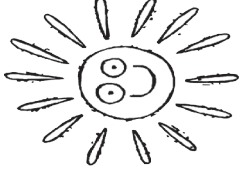





Congratulations to the following couples  
Celebrating an Anniversary  
of 50 years or more.

Joe and Mary Aperauch  
June 2 ~ 52 years  
Donald and Irma McMillen  
June 20 - 63 years  
Paul and Deanna Bowers  
June 24 - 52 years  
Robert and Joanne Kaminskis  
June 24 - 52 years  
Roy and Beverly Chisnell  
June 25 - 62 years  
Wes and Shirley Tindall  
June 25 - 51 years  
James and Sally Hon  
June 30 - 61 years

# June 2011

The Rock is our children's program during the 10:30 am service.  
Nursery and Pre-School care available

Worship Times: 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary (Summer Worship Begins June 19 with one 10 a.m. service)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am Worship Service 1:00pm Piano Recital - Sanctuary 2:00pm Lakeland Players Performance - FH	   6 10:00am UMW Book Club - Parlor 11:00am Alcoholics Anonymous	  7 1:00pm Hutchinson Circle- Parlor 1:00pm Tuesday Musicals Board Mtg. and Luncheon - Parlor	1 10:00am Book Study - Room 108 11:30am Olive Mae Glenn- Parlor 6:30pm Lakeland Players Dress Rehearsal	2 8:00am Thursday Morning Breakfast 12:00pm Harvesters - Parlor 6:00pm Chancel choir/Agnusingers potluck - Parlor, Sanctuary 6:30pm Lakeland Players Dress Rehearsal 7:30pm Nar-Aron 8:00pm NA	3 6:00pm Lakeland Players - FH 8:00pm Clue The Musical Performance	4 6:00pm Lakeland Players - FH 7:00pm Central Cinema - Parlor 7:00pm NA 8:00pm Clue The Musical Performance
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12 9:00am Worship Service 10:30am Worship Service 4:00pm Piano Recital - Stage end FH	13 11:00am Alcoholics Anonymous 1:00pm Blood Drive - FH 7:00pm Boy Scouts - Fellowship Hall 7:00pm Finance Meeting - Rm 108	14 6:30pm Eschnuth Circle - At the Home of Veleete Sverkesen 7:00pm Ministry Coordinators - Room 108	15 10:00am Book Study - Room 108	16 8:00am Thursday Morning Breakfast 7:30pm Nar-Aron 8:00pm NA	17 9:30am Mom's Club of Waterford	18 4:00pm VBS Set up - FH and Parlor 4:30pm Parent's Night Out 7:00pm NA
19 10:00am Worship Service	20 9:00am Vacation Bible School 11:00am Alcoholics Anonymous 6:00pm Vacation Bible School 7:00pm Boy Scouts - Fellowship Hall	21 9:00am Vacation Bible School 6:00pm Vacation Bible School	22 9:00am Vacation Bible School 10:00am Book Study - Room 108 6:00pm Vacation Bible School	23 8:00am Thursday Morning Breakfast 9:00am Vacation Bible School 6:00pm Vacation Bible School 7:30pm Nar-Aron 8:00pm NA	24 9:00am Vacation Bible School	25 7:00pm NA
26 10:00am Worship Service	27 11:00am Alcoholics Anonymous 6:30pm ALS Support - Parlor 7:00pm Staff Parish Meeting - Rm 108	28 7:00pm Trustees - Room 108	29 10:00am Book Study - Room 108	30 8:00am Thursday Morning Breakfast 7:30pm Nar-Aron 8:00pm NA		

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Deadlines..

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**June 2** for the  
**June 12, 2011** Chimes.

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Just go to the CUMC Website at:  
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column, or call Pam at the Church of-  
fice and she'll sign you up herself!

**Worship Participants**

A complete list of Worship  
Participants, Sermons & Select Music  
is available online on our website at  
www.waterfordcumc.org

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**Worship Times- 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.**

**Sermons available online:**

www.waterfordcumc.org

Large print hymnals, Bibles, & wireless  
hearing device, wheelchairs are available  
at both services.

**At the 10:30 worship service:**

*The ROCK:* Central's Sunday  
morning ministry for children  
K-5th grade: Meet in the Chapel  
before the service begins.

*Stepping Stones:* Ministry for  
infants through pre-schoolers meet  
in rooms 110 - 114.

**June 19, 2011 - Communion Service**

Begin Single Service at 10:00 am  
For the Summer  
Father's Day Sunday and  
Communion Sunday

**PROGRAM STAFF**

**REV. JIM KELLERMANN**  
Administration/Worship Pastor

**REV. KATHY PITTENGER**  
Pastor of Children's & Family Ministries

**SARA HAZEN**  
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**Worship Services at  
9:00 & 10:30 am**