

## Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness

### Refrain

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness, blow through the wilderness calling and free;  
Spirit, Spirit of restlessness, stir me from placidness, Wind, Wind on the sea.

### Verse 1

You moved on the waters, you called to the deep,  
then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep;  
and over the eons you called to each thing:  
wake from your slumbers and rise on your wings.

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### Verse 4

You call from tomorrow, you break ancient schemes,  
from the bondage of sorrow the captives dream dreams,  
our women see visions, our men clear their eyes,  
with bold new decisions your people arise.

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### SWEET SLEEP MISSION TRIP

Our Sweet Sleep Team, consisting of Alexis Blythe-Meece, Danielle Meece, Tyler White and Mike Warneke, will be heading off to Kampala, Uganda on June 11<sup>th</sup> and returning on June 21<sup>st</sup>. Please keep them in your prayers leading up to this life-changing trip, during their time with the orphans, and for travels both to and from Kampala. We also wanted to let you know that we are still fundraising, as we are about \$6,000 short of the funds we will need to raise to meet our goal. If you would like to contribute to our efforts, you can make a check out to Central UMC with Sweet Sleep Team in the memo or simply write a check out to Sweet Sleep Inc. with Central Team in the memo and drop it in the offering any Sunday.

We will also be selling rolls of high quality trash bags as a fundraiser in the weeks leading up to our trip. The rolls are \$10 each and you can choose from 15 gallon bags, which come 65 to a roll, or 39 gallon bags, which come 25 to a roll. Please look in the parlor for your Sweet Sleep team if you would like to make a purchase, or contact Mike in his office throughout the work week.

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### HOLIDAY WORLD/SPLASHIN' SAFARI TICKETS

Holiday World/Splashin' Safari tickets are now available in the church office. The \$30 tickets are good only July 2 - July 20<sup>th</sup> (note: Children 2 and under are admitted free). This is a savings of \$12 off normal gate admission. The purchase of your ticket benefits the Santa Claus Campground Corporation in maintaining the campground. As always drinks at the park are FREE.

# Welcome

We are glad that you have chosen to worship with us today. Central is a family church, with generations of families making their home here. Central is also a mission-oriented church, sharing the love and good news of the gospel with one another, our neighborhood, our community, and the world, as you will see throughout our ministries, events, and announcements for this week. We would love to be your church home. If you are here just for the day, we pray God's blessings on your journey!

### GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

**Sunday Worship:** 8:30 a.m. Contemporary & 10:30 a.m. Traditional

**Sunday School:** (Classes for all ages) 9:30 a.m.

**Prayer:** Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Emmaus Prayer Group - Parlor

**Quilting:** Thursday 9:00 a.m. - FaHoLo Room

### NEIGHBORHOOD MINISTRIES THIS WEEK

**Food Pantry:** Monday & Thursday 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

**Rack Shack:** (used items/clothes) Monday & Thursday 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

**Power:** (Neighborhood Children 5-11) Saturday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

### MEETINGS & FELLOWSHIP EVENTS *MAY 23-MAY 30*

Today	12:00 p.m. ARC Church in Garden Room 5:00 p.m. Shalom Neighborhood Dinner – St. Lucas
Monday	6:30 p.m. CAJE Team Assembly – St. Mary's Church
Tuesday	9:00 a.m. Church Staff Meeting – Church Office 6:30 p.m. Worship Task Force Meeting – Library
Wednesday	5:00 p.m. Young Adult Bible Study – Trinity Room
Friday	5:30 p.m. Young Adult Small Group – Trinity Room
Saturday	12:00 p.m. N. A. Meeting – Library
Sunday	Memorial Sunday, 5th Sunday, Peace with Justice Sunday 12:00 p.m. ARC Church in Garden Room

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Nolte Room will not be available from June 1-August 6 due to the Child Care Summer Camp program utilizing it.



**DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL**

**Mary Lou Robertson (River Pointe)**

**PRAY FOR THE CENTER CITY CHURCH CLUSTER**

Asbury, Central, Fairlawn, St. John's & Trinity UMC, & St. Lucas UCC.

<b>Budget Envelope Giving Last Week</b> .....	<b>\$6,224</b>
<b>Needed Weekly</b> .....	<b>\$6,456</b>
<b>Giving Year-To-Date</b> .....	<b>\$126,825</b>
<b>Needed Year-to-Date</b> .....	<b>\$129,120</b>

**OUR SYMPATHY goes to Jerrine Robertson and family** on the passing of Charles, who died on Saturday, May 15. The funeral was at Central on Wednesday, May 19 with burial at Pleasant Hope General Baptist Church Cemetery in McLean County, Ky.

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**Best wishes to John and Mary Lou Robertson**, who are moving this week to near Charlotte, North Carolina. John will live with their daughter Danette and her family and Mary Lou will be in a nearby care facility. We also thank John for more than 12 years on our church staff as Business Administrator. The US Class had a celebration in honor of John today, and others may want to say farewells and blessings to him.

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**Keep Shirley Schwartz in your prayers.** John reported that she has had a tough month with her Parkinson's and balancing her medication. Shirley loves to get e-mails, phone call, visits and cards.

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**Keep in your prayers Karen Sue Miller**, who had a kidney transplant on Tuesday. Sue is Hilda Higg's sister and lives in Roanoke, Virginia.

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I would like to **THANK** all the wonderful people at Central UMC for the many cards, calls, visits and prayers while I have been disabled and shut in. It was very encouraging and helpful to my recovery. I sure missed being at Central. Sincere thanks, Betty Jo Adams

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**THANKS** to those at Central for giving \$273.26 through the Schnucks EScript program. If you have not signed up and are interested, please ask at the service desk in the store where you shop for the information. It costs you nothing but Central benefits because a percentage is given to the church from Schnucks for every purchase you make.

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**MEMORIAL SUNDAY TO HONOR DECEASED MEMBERS**

Next Sunday, May 30, we will honor members of Central who have died in the past year.

**CHURCH CAMP INFO AVAILABLE NOW**

We have information about all of the UM church camps available. There are 6 camps at Santa Claus this year, as well as camps at other familiar conference facilities like Rivervale and Indi-Co-So. In addition there are camps in the woods of Brown County (Moneto), adventure settings (like canoeing in north woods of Minnesota), as well as other wonderful conference camps offered in northern Indiana (Epworth Forest, etc.). Information on all of these is available in the parlor after worship. Central will pay 1/4 of each camper's registration and can help find additional scholarship help where that is needed.

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**HACIENDA DAY – JUNE 6**

The 1<sup>st</sup> Ave. Hacienda will give back to Central 20% of sales on June 6<sup>th</sup> if the person has the proper "coupon" at the time the bill is paid. Please follow the rules noted on it. Food purchases (eat-in or take-out) and gift certificates bought anytime that day are eligible. The "give-back" amount will go to the Family Life Center Building Fund.

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**SANTA CLAUS GOLF SCRAMBLE – JUNE 17**

The Santa Claus Campground Golf Scramble will be June 17 at Christmas Lake Golf Course, with a 1:00 p.m. shotgun start. A \$60 donation covers 18 holes, a cart, prizes, range balls, and food at the golf course afterwards. Sponsors (\$100 for a hole and up) are also sought. Send registration by June 5 to Joe Kamman 495 W. Evergreen Plaza S., Santa Clause, IN 47579 with a check made out to "Santa Claus Campground, Inc." Pastor Joe plans to play; contact him if you can too. If you have questions, contact Joe Kamman by phone (812-544-3879) or e-mail ([jpkamman@yahoo.com](mailto:jpkamman@yahoo.com)).

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**CONFIRMATION SUNDAY**

Today is Confirmation Sunday! Congratulations to our confirmands, their parents, and their mentors. Our 2010 class includes: Andrew Pfender, son of Bob and Mary Pfender, mentored by Mike Warneke; DeKajuan Halbig, son of Tom and Joy Halbig, and mentored by David White; Abbie Wilson, daughter of Shane and Leitha Wilson, mentored by Libby Pittman; and Joseph O'Bryan, mentored by Cathy Early and Jonathan O'Bryan, mentored by Larry Merritt, sons of Andy and Vanessa O'Bryan. Reed Dugan will also be confirmed later this year, but got a late start. Reed is the son of Russ and Pam Dugan and is being mentored by Brandon Willis.