

## Combined Service Order - 9:30 a.m. September 4, 2011

### WE GATHER

#### GATHERING MUSIC

Praise Band

*Large print bulletins and hymnals (red cover) as well as FM receivers are available from an usher to help everyone be a part of worship in the fullest way possible. If you want to share a prayer request, take a card from the pew rack, fill it out and during the prayer hymn hold it up for the usher to collect.*

*\*Please stand as you are able at asterisk.*

#### \*OPENING SONGS

“Majestic” and “I Worship You”

Congregation

Lord our Lord how majestic is Your name in all the Earth. *(repeat line)*

The heavens declare Your greatness. The oceans cry out to You

The mountains they bow down before You.

So I'll join with the Earth and I'll give my praise to You. *(repeat line)* *(repeat all)*

I will worship you. *(repeat)*

We will worship you. *(repeat)*

I worship You, Almighty God, there is none like you.

I worship You, O Prince of Peace, that is what I want to do.

I give You praise, for You are my righteousness;

I worship You, Almighty God, there is none like you.

#### \*OPENING PRAYER

#### CHILDREN'S TIME

Music by the Children's Sunday School classes

*Following this, children through 5<sup>th</sup> grade may leave for Kid's Club.*

#### RECOGNITION OF SUZY DAUGHERTY

#### MESSAGE IN MUSIC

“Praise to the King”

Patti Wright

### WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

#### SCRIPTURE DRAMA

Acts 8:26-37

Shane Wilson, Abby & Mike Warneke

#### MORNING MESSAGE

“The Baptism Barrier”

Pastor

### WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

#### PRAYER CHORUS

“People Need the Lord”

Congregation

People need the Lord, People need the Lord;

At the end of broken dreams, He's the open door.

People need the Lord, People need the Lord;

When will we realize people need the Lord.

*(The ushers will collect prayer cards during this or you may bring them forward.*

*E-vent Leaders are invited to the communion railing for prayer. Other may join them.)*

### SHARING JOYS AND CONCERNS & MORNING PRAYER

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor

#### RECOGNITION OF VOLUNTEERS

#### OFFERTORY

Terry Raymond

*(The ushers will collect & present the offering without a Doxology.)*

### THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

#### GREAT THANKSGIVING

Pastor

#### RECEIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

*All who are able are encouraged to come forward to receive communion by intinction today. Beginning at the front, the ushers will direct people to come forward by way of the side aisles. People in the center sections will take the center aisle back and side aisle forward. Those from the balcony may fall in line with those from the main floor. Take a piece of bread from the first server, then move to the person with the cup, dip the bread, and commune. Stop at the altar railing for prayer, if you wish, or return directly to your pew by way of a center aisle. Servers will bring the elements to those who wish to remain seated and commune in the pew. Partake as the elements are offered and place the empty cup in the pew holders.*

### WE GO OUT INTO GOD'S WORLD

#### \*SENDING OUT

“Shout to the Lord”

Congregation

My Jesus, my Savior, Lord there is none like You;

All of my days, I want to praise the wonders of your mighty love.

My comfort, my shelter, tower of refuge and strength;

Let every breath, all that I am never cease to worship You.

Shout to the Lord all the earth, let us sing, Power and majesty, praise to the King;

Mountains bow down and the seas will roar at the sound of your name.

I sing for joy at the work of Your hands, Forever I'll love You, forever I'll stand,

Nothing compares to the promise I have in You.

#### \*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

Pastor

#### POSTLUDE

Band

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**NEXT SUNDAY: 9-11 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Memorial Service**

**Special Combined Service at 9:30 in the Sanctuary**

Sermon: “Not Letting Evil Win” - Scripture: Romans 12:9-21

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**We welcome all to worship today.** If you are a visitor, we invite you to stop by our Visitors Welcome Station.

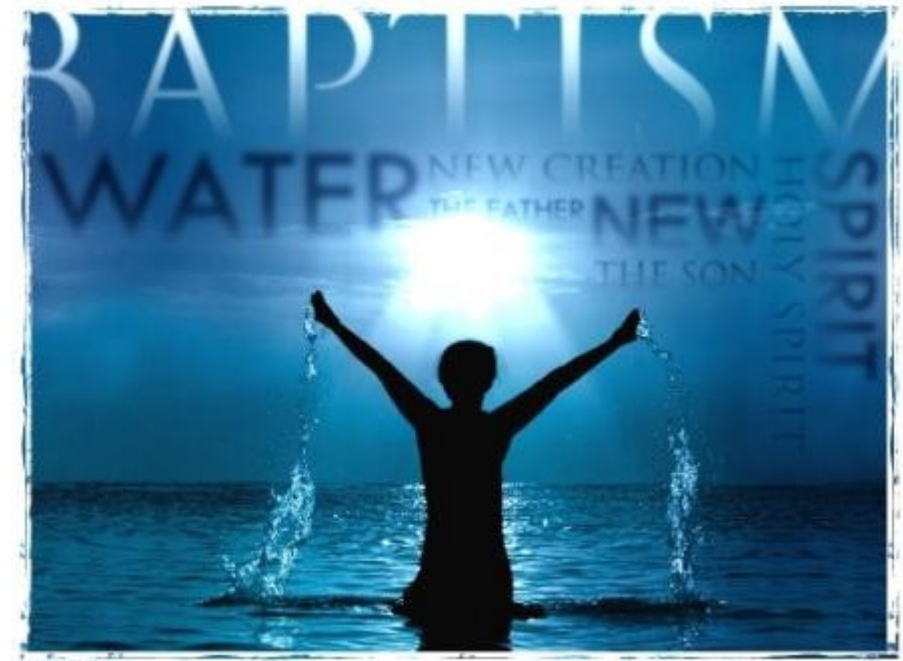
**Access & Parking:** Our elevator is at the west entrance; handicapped parking is nearby off Franklin St. Other parking is across Mary St. from the church, around the Family Life Center and at Edgar & Michigan Streets. We may also use Deaconess Hospital and Berry Plastics’ lots.

**Nametags** help members and visitors. Wear yours each Sunday; then leave it on a rack for next Sunday. If you need one, notify the church office.

**Have you remembered Central in your will?** Bequests show ultimate caring. You may designate your gift as you wish. Undesignated bequests go half to Endowment (earnings of which support building maintenance & local missions) and half to fund major needs.

**2011 CHURCH GOAL:** Growth in Membership, Discipleship, and Service through Radical Hospitality, Passionate Worship, Intentional Faith Development, Risk-Taking Mission and Service, and Extravagant Generosity.

## Central United Methodist Church September 4, 2011



**“The Baptism Barrier”**

**Acts 8:26-37**