



**Central United Methodist Church**

Oskaloosa, Iowa

**March 5, 2023**

**Second Sunday in Lent  
WELCOME TO WORSHIP!**

Thank you for joining together today to praise God!

**\* Please Rise as you are able**



**PRELUDE**

**WELCOME**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 121 :1-8

**\*WORSHIP IN MUSIC #103**      *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

**CHILDREN'S TIME**      Pastor Chad

**JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**PRAYER TIME/THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**SCRIPTURE**      John 3:1-17

**\*WORSHIP IN MUSIC**      *Revelation Song*

**MESSAGE**      *Born of the Spirit*      Pastor Chad Lierman

**\*\*HOLY COMMUNION**

**\*WORSHIP IN MUSIC #370**      *Victory in Jesus*

**BENEDICTION**

**BENEDICTION SONG #389 v. 1**      *Freely, Freely*

**POSTLUDE**



† There are many opportunities in 2023 to **sponsor a KMZN radio broadcast**. Broadcasts are \$125 and can be in memory or honor of a person or event.

† E.P.I.C. Youth Group will meet tonight from 6-7:30pm. Supper will be served!!

† There will be a special **Charge Conference meeting** held here at the church on Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am in which a vote will be taken regarding the possibility of our church's disaffiliation from the United Methodist denomination.

**\*\*Some notes regarding Communion at Central United Methodist Church**

- United Methodists celebrate an "open table"; you do not need to belong to this congregation or denomination to receive communion, but simply desire to draw close to God through faith in Jesus Christ.
- If you cannot come forward, please let an usher know, and the elements will be brought to you where you are seated.
- When we share the cup and bread persons may stand or kneel as they are comfortable.
- Persons are also free to commune in spirit through prayer, at the communion rail or in your pew, without receiving the bread and cup.
- Children are welcome at the Lord's Table. The decision on when children are ready to receive communion is left to the discretion of their parents/guardians.
- Sunday School teachers and others with duties immediately following the service are invited to come forward for communion with those first served, so you may then go to prepare for your class or other duties.

ACOLYTES: Jackson Lahner & Asher Edel

LECTOR: Curt Legvold

A/V BOOTH: Brian VandeRee, Reggie Dodd, Karen Ventura

USHERS: Dale Baltimore, Andy Holmberg, Mike Maxwell  
Don Andersen, Alan DeBruin

**Sunday, March 5**

- ❖ 9:30 am Worship Service/ FM 99.5 KMZN/Facebook Live
- ❖ 10:30 am Fellowship Time/Sunday School
- ❖ 11:35 am Teacher Appreciation Lunch - Youth Room
- ❖ 1:30 pm Funeral Service for Jim Zimmerman
- ❖ 6:00 pm E.P.I.C. Youth Group

**Monday, March 6**

- ❖ 8:30 am Little Creations Preschool
- ❖ 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study - Fellowship Hall

**Tuesday, March 7**

- ❖ 8:30 am Little Creations Preschool
- ❖ 9:30 am Women's Bible Study
- ❖ 10:00 am Men's Bible Study
- ❖ 7:00 pm Al Anon

**Wednesday, March 8**

- ❖ 8:30 am Little Creations Preschool
- ❖ 6:00 pm Finance Committee
- ❖ 6:30 pm Board of Trustees
- ❖ 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, March 9**

- ❖ 7:15 am Jumpstart
- ❖ 8:30 am Little Creations Preschool

**Friday, March 10**

- ❖ 8:30 am Little Creations Preschool

**Saturday, March 11**

Exodus 17:1-7 Psalm 95



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