

Centenary United Methodist Church 2300 W. Friendly Ave. Greensboro, NC 27403 February 12, 2023

Reverend Kelley Groce, Pastor

Anita Trumpler-Rich, Music Director

Welcome friends, family, and visitors. May your hearts be touched by the
Holy Spirit as we join in worship with devotion, songs, and prayer.
Our Mission: To experience God's life-changing love and take God's love into the world.
Our Vision: To be a church where everyone is involved in ministry.

Gathering Music Les Cloches, Op. 50 Albert Chandelier James Esterline, Piano

Announcements for Ministry and Mission

Choral Call to worship Here I Am to Worship Choir

Call to Worship

Invocation

†Hymn: When Morning Gilds the Skies UMH 185

†Litany for Christian Unity UMH 556

Joys and Concerns of Congregation

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Anthem We Are God's People Leech/Brahms Choir

Scripture: 1 Peter 2: 2-10

Sermon: "We Need to Keep Each Other Company in All Times" Rev. Kelley Groce

†Affirmation of Faith: A Statement of Faith of the Korean Methodist Church UMH 884

†Gloria Patri

†Hymn Christ is Made the Sure Foundation UMH 559 (1&4)

We Worship with God's Tithes and our Offering.

Offertory Grace Alone Choir

†Doxology

†Hymn God Be with you till We Meet Again UMH 672 (1&4)

†Benediction

†Postlude Postludium Flor Peeters

†Please stand as you are able and silence your cell phones.

"Our thanks to James Esterline for playing the Gathering Music in today's worship!"

As you engage your 'Prayer Life' this week, please remember these prayer concerns: If you have a prayer concern or praise, please contact the church office at 336-299-9643, or call Kelley at the parsonage 336-285-5081. Let us know if the concern may be shared with the congregation.

Prayer Requests: Gretchen Crabtree. Howard Fulcher. Betty Pleasants. Dave Blackman. Susan Carrick. Sheridian Wacker. Lori Johnson. Lori Eaton. Peggy Harris. Diane, Jim & Scott Stanley. Anne Murr. Trudy Sillmon. Don & Clara Ellis. Aly Saunders. Rachel Dykes. Till West (David Groce's aunt). Tricia Wurst (Faye Elliott's sister)

Announcements and Calendar of events

February Birthdays - Milton McFarland (1). Lori Johnson (8). Allison Skenes (11). David Baugh, David Sillmon, Jr. Barbara Wolfe (13). Bob Smith (15). Ann Atchinson (16). Charles Wisekal (21). Peggy Harris (23). Jim Turnage (25). John Pugh (27). Susan Lee, Cynthia Michael (28).

Undie Sunday. The first Sunday of each month. Needed black and white socks for men and women. New packaged underwear for men and women, all sizes.

February 12th- Today- Souper Bowl Sunday. Valentine Lunch and program after worship.

All are Welcome!

February 13th- 6pm – Zoom Meeting with Wesley CDC in Fellowship Hall.

February 16th – 6:30pm Centenary Starlight Book Club at Lucky 32.

February 18th – 8am to 10am Community Breakfast and Clothes Closet.

February 19th – 2pm Ad Council in the Conference Room.

February 22nd – Drive Thru Ashes 8am to 9:30am, 12pm to 1pm and 5pm to 6pm. Volunteers needed. There is a signup sheet for volunteers in the narthex.

February 26th- 3:30pm Centenary Concert Series in Sanctuary.

Wednesdays at 6:45pm- Choir Practice. All are welcome to join. See Anita if you have any questions.

Sunday School at 9:45am – in the Fellowship Hall. Study: Season 3 of "The Chosen".

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Light Up the Sanctuary Campaign continues. If you would like to contribute to the cause-please gift to **Light Up the Sanctuary Campaign and designate as such**.

The Altar Flower Calendar is posted. There are dates still available. The cost is \$65.00/Sunday if we order from the florist. If you are interested in a less expensive option, please call the church office (336-299-9643).

Reminder: As we enter the time of the year when we can have inclement weather, please be aware that we will post Centenary closings on Fox 8 and WXII 12.