

simple • authentic • worship



CENTENARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, October 14, 2018

8:30 am

#### **FOCUS FOR WORSHIP:**

In the list of most important things in your life where does your relationship with God rank? We claim that our relationship with God is primary in our lives, but then we place a higher priority on other things. The challenge to our practice of discipleship is to keep our focus on what God wants for our lives and not what the world would have us desire. As we worship together, I pray that you will join me in making a commitment to put God and God's will for our lives first.

~ The Reverend Dr. P. Glenn Kinken III

Thank you for worshipping with us today.

#### **OUR VISION**

Striving to be a vibrant Christian community, loving God and loving neighbor downtown and throughout the region.



#### LET US WORSHIP

Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost • 8:30 am • October 14, 2018
The Reverend Dr. P. Glenn Kinken III, preaching
Tamara M. Pollock, liturgist
Ondra Walker, lector

#### THE COMMUNITY GATHERS

We welcome you to worship today! Our deepest desire is that you have come to encounter the living, loving God and find yourself knowing His great love for you.

**GATHERING MUSIC** 

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING THE PEACE

SCRIPTURE Mark 10:17-31 As Jesus started on his way, a man ran up to him and fell on his knees before him. "Good teacher," he asked, "what must I do to inherit eternal life? Why do you call me good?" Jesus answered. "No one is good–except God alone. You know the commandments: 'You shall not murder, you shall not commit adultery, you shall not steal, you shall not give false testimony, you shall not defraud, honor your father and mother." "Teacher," he declared, "all these I have kept since I was a boy." Jesus looked at him and loved him. "One thing you lack," he said. "Go, sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me." At this the man's face fell. He went away sad, because he had great wealth. Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it is for the rich to enter the kingdom of God!" The disciples were amazed at his words. But Jesus said again, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." The disciples were even more amazed, and said to each other, "Who then can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but not with God; all things are possible with God." Then Peter spoke up, "We have left everything to follow you!" "Truly I tell you," Jesus replied, "no one who has left home or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields for me and the gospel will fail to receive a hundred times as much in this present age: homes, brothers, sisters, mothers, children and fields-along with persecutions-and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last first." (NIV)

This is the word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

SERMON "In God We Trust"

**SONG** 

**JOYS & CONCERNS** 

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

OFFERING OUR GIFTS/SONG

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**CLOSING SONG** 

BENEDICTION

### Poinsettias for Advent & Christmas

Once again, you have an opportunity to recognize your loved ones as we decorate our church for the holidays. Poinsettias can be purchased for \$20 each and will be available for pick up after worship on December 30, 2018. Orders with payment must be received by November 18, 2018.

Name of person(s) ordering poinsettia:

In memory of:

Card Number

(Visa, Mastercard, Discover, American Express)

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In honor of:		
Total Number of Plants Ordered	Total \$	(\$20 per plant)
Method of Payment (must be attached	to order from):	
Cash Check		

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Order forms can be dropped off in the Business Office or mailed to:

Centenary UMC Attn: Poinsettias PO Box 658 Winston-Salem, NC 27102

Please include completed order form with payment

For questions, please contact Kristy Eaton (336-724-6311 ext.1341)/keaton@centenary-ws.org.

When paying online, make sure you:
• select Christmas Poinsettias
• choose memorial or honorarium under the Options
• include the name under the Notes section

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## Shining Light

ON MENTAL HEALTH

**PRESENT** 

Dr. Gary Chapman

Author of "The 5 Love Languages"

Dr. Chapman will speak on:
"Understanding Apology and Forgiveness"
based upon the book
"When Sorry Isn't Enough,"
co-written with Jennifer Thomas.

THURSDAY | NOVEMBER 8 | 7:00PM | SANCTUARY



646 West Fifth Street | Winston-Salem, NC 27101

#### WELCOME GUESTS, VISITORS & FRIENDS

The congregation and staff of Centenary welcome you to today's worship. It is our honor to have you with us today. If we can be of assistance to you, please visit with one of our friendly ushers, located by the Narthex entrance. They will gladly answer your questions and help you with any needs you may have during your visit.

We welcome all our visitors as special guests. At the conclusion of today's worship, we invite you to speak to one of our ministers who will be in the Narthex or transept exits. We want to address any questions you may have and provide you with pertinent information about Centenary. Should you get home and have an immediate question, please text 336-682-8591.

We invite you to visit with us again soon.

#### FELLOWSHIP

There is always something happening at Centenary and we invite you to join us. Learn more about Centenary offerings by visiting centenary-ws.org. You may also find us on Facebook by searching "CentenaryMethodist."

#### **CONTACT US**

To learn more about life at Centenary, contact the church office (336-724-6311) and ask to speak with a minister.

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

We are eager to share Centenary's story with you. If you are interested in learning about church membership, please contact Rev. Jeremy Pegram (336-724-6311 ext. 1361)/jpegram@centenary-ws.org to schedule a time to meet.



#### WATCH

Each Sunday morning, our 11:00 am worship service is broadcast on the Internet through our Live Stream. Visit www.centenary-ws.org. Once there, scroll to the bottom of the home page and click on either the Live Stream cloud logo or the Live Stream button.

#### HEARING LOOP

Our Sanctuary is fitted with a Hearing Loop system. Please switch your hearing device to T-coil. If you need a listening device, please contact one of our ushers.

#### RENOVATION WORSHIP SCHEDULE

#### Sundays

8:30 am Simplify Worship Memorial Auditorium 9:00 am Rejoice! Worship Sanctuary 11:00 am Traditional Worship Sanctuary

#### Wednesdays

7:00 pm Roots Revival Memorial Auditorium

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

The flowers in the Chancel are given in loving honor of our mother, Barbara Long Welch and in loving memory of our father, Edwin L. Welch, Sr., by their children, Lynn Welch Brannock and family, and Ed and Sue Welch and family.

#### STARTING POINT

#### October 21 • Dining Room • 5:30 pm

Begin your journey to Centenary membership with *Starting Point*, a 90-minute class that will give you the information needed to form a deep connection to the church and complete the membership process. Centenary clergy and staff will be in attendance, so they can get to know you and you can get to know them. This 90-minute session, with dinner, will offer information about Centenary's history, mission and vision. You will also learn how you may engage in missions and ministries and take a tour of the facility. To register for *Starting Point*, please contact Stacy Holley (ext. 1359)/ sholley@centenary-ws.org or visit centenary-ws.org/sign-up. Childcare is available with a reservation: please arrange when you register to attend.

#### DEVELOPING LAY LEADERSHIP

Centenary's Nominations Committee is developing the lay leadership list for next year. If you have an interest in serving as a member of one of our administrative of program ministry committees, or know of a church member who would be excellent to serve the church in this capacity, please email your suggestion to Dr. Kinken. Please type Nominations in the subject line of your email.

#### **BUILDING ENTRANCES**

#### Building Entrance at 1960s Building Atrium Closed

As we continue to prepare for our building renovation, the entrances to the church that will be available have changed. The entrance to the building on 4½ Street that brings you into the atrium of the 1960s building is no longer open. Instead, we have re-opened the 4½ Street entrance that brings you into the building between the Parlor and the Dining Room. As you make your plans for Sunday morning worship, we hope you will keep these changes in mind so that your visit will be as pleasant as possible.

#### Nursery Drop-off and Pick-up

All nursery rooms are in their renovation space in *The Hub* on the second floor. This is just up the steps from *Glad Tidings*. As always, we will have nurseries for infant through pre-kindergarteners from 8:30 through the end of the 11 am worship service.

#### Children's Worship during 9:00 & 11:00 Service

Each week, our kindergarten through third graders are invited to children's worship during the 9 am & 11 am services. Kids start the service with their parents and then, part-way through the service, are invited to Room 216 with our children's ministry staff for a special time of worship created especially for them. We return before the service is over. Pews are reserved in the front of Sanctuary. Children should be picked up there when the service has finished. Contact Rev. Kate May (ext. 1331)/kmay@centenary-ws. org.

#### Our Renovation Space

As we anticipate the beginning of our exciting renovations, the children's ministry is in its renovation space. All nurseries, Sunday school classes, choir rehearsals, and children's worship are located in *The Hub*, on the second floor, just up the steps from *Glad Tidings*. We hope you'll join us for the beginning of our great renovation adventure.

#### Children's Choirs

Join us on a Wednesday evening as we have music opportunities for children 2 years-5th grade. Dinner is at 5:30 in the auditorium, and all choir rehearsals will begin at 6 pm in *The Hub* in the children's ministry renovation space. For questions about choir, contact Rev. Kate May (ext. 1331)/kmay@centenary-ws.org.

#### YOUTH MINISTRY

#### October 14

8:30 am	Simplify Worship (Memorial Auditorium)
9:00 am	Rejoice! Worship (Sanctuary)
10:00 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	Worship (Sanctuary)
2:00 pm	Rise Against Hunger (Memorial Auditorium)

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Noon-2:00pm	ITN & Medical Clinic

#### CONGREGATIONAL CARE

#### Trust . . .

"Soon after meeting my Stephen Minister, I quickly sensed I could trust him. Part of that trust came from knowing he was trained to help people through their problems. He made me feel comfortable by not prying for information but instead, just letting me share what was on my mind. Any question he did ask fit our conversation appropriately. Probably the best thing he did for me was not judging me for my past decisions; rather, he was there to help me move forward."

Could you or someone you know benefit from a Stephen Minister's help through a difficult time? If so, contact Judy Ingram (336-407-3986), Phil Ashley (336-766-0196), or Rev. Craig Ford (ext. 1353). Trained and caring help is available through Centenary's Stephen Ministry.

#### Congregational Care Thursday • November 8 • 7:00 pm • Sanctuary

Stephen Ministry and Shining Light on Mental Health invite you to an evening with Dr. Gary Chapman, author of The 5 Love Languages. Dr. Chapman will be speaking on "Understanding Apology and Forgiveness" based on his book, *When Sorry Isn't Enough*, co-written with Jennifer Thomas. His book will be for sale in Glad Tidings books and gifts.

#### Group Exercise Class Saturday Mornings • 9:30-10:30 am

Come experience REFIT®, a fitness community, with instructor Betsy Richter. The vision of REFIT® is to create a fitness experience that changes people from the inside out, and this vision is accomplished by focusing on the heart as a muscle AND a soul. People don't have to get fit in order to be fit at REFIT® –our workouts are designed for everybody regardless of age, shape, size or ability. REFIT® creates a powerful, uplifting fitness experience that lasts well beyond the workout. We will meet most Saturdays in the Dining Room. Enter through the 4 ½ Street entrance. For questions: please contact Rev. Jeremy Pegram (ext. 1361)/jpegram@centenary-ws.org.

#### Engagement Fair Front Lawn • October 21 • 8:00 am-12:30 pm

On commitment Sunday, Centenary is hosting an Engagement Fair. Ministries and programs will have displays on the front lawn for our membership and guests to peruse and learn about the many opportunities to be engaged in the life of the church. Come early and plan to learn where you can serve and be involved. Light refreshments will be provided throughout the morning. May we pledge our time and talents to the glory of God. For questions, contact Rev. Jeremy Pegram (ext. 1361)/jpegram@centenary-ws.org.

#### MISSIONS

#### Loaves and Fishes • October Food Items of the Month

Loaves and Fishes offers support and sustenance to our neighbors each Tuesday morning, and your donations help keep our food pantry stocked. For the month of October, we are collecting mac & cheese and green beans. Please bring your food donations to the Missions bins, located just inside the 4 ½ Street Entrance.

#### Samaritan Inn

On the second Friday of each month (except December), Centenary provides six overnight volunteers to Samaritan Ministries' homeless shelter. Volunteers arrive at 6:15 pm on Friday and help serve dinner to guests, receive an orientation and participate in nightly devotions, socialize with and/or play games with guests, and then take two-hour shifts in pairs watching the security monitors overnight. Volunteers will get some sleep, help serve breakfast, and be done before 7:30 am on Saturday. If you would like to participate in this ministry visit centenary-ws.org/sign-up. For more information, please contact Rev. Jeremy Pegram (ext. 1361)/jpegram@centenary-ws.org.

#### DAYBREAK/RESPITE CARE

#### Respite Care Needs Volunteers

One volunteer says "the satisfaction I receive from my time spent at DAYBreak far outweighs the efforts I put into the program. I realize I am always "in the moment" with the participants. This is their gift to me. I don't think about what happened yesterday or what I need to get done tomorrow. I am happily focused only on my friends at DAYBreak."

There are no special skills required to volunteer with the Respite Care ministry...just a caring and loving heart. A couple hours in the mornings or afternoon once a week would help out tremendously. Sharing in the conversation, helping to serve lunch, or just sitting quietly with a participant are gifts you could share. Contact Debbie Pilson (ext. 1345)/ dpilson@centenary-ws.org if you are interested in learning more about the program or know someone who could benefit.

#### SENIOR ADULTS

#### Senior Adult Luncheon October 18 • Joannie Moser Park • 11:45 am

The October meeting of the senior adults will be held and the Joannie Moser Park in Lewisville. The Picnic area in Lewisville is surrounded by beautiful Oak trees which should be very in the month of October. The program will be presented by two of the outstanding singers in the Chapel class, Jerry Warren and Aubrey Kirby. who will be accompanied by June Stegall. This will be a very enjoyable senior adult luncheon so please plan to join us. Register by emailing chasmonroe@yahoo.com or phoning 336-773-0446

#### Today • Memorial Auditorium • 2-4 pm

Centenary is hosting a meal-packing event. We will gather in Memorial Auditorium. Using an assembly line like process, we will be packaging 20,000 meals, so we need your help! There are jobs for everyone tall and small. The only requirement is that if you are younger than 6th grade you bring a grown up with you. We also need 5-7 people to come at 1 pm and help us unload our materials from the truck into the auditorium, and 2-3 people as part of the clean up crew at 4 pm

If you are available to help unload the truck, or be a part of the clean up crew, please email Ashley Maner at amaner@centenary-ws.org. Let's gather together as the family of God and make a tangible difference in the lives of God's children! Contact Rev. Kate May (ext. 1331)/kmay@centenary-ws.org for questions or more information about this great family mission opportunity.

#### ROOTS REVIVAL

#### October 17 • 7 pm • Memorial Auditorium

Roots Revival is a midweek worship service grounded in Americana/roots-based music featuring Martha Bassett and friends. This week Roots Revival Stage welcomes Presley Barker, teenage guitar prodigy, who has performed at the Grand Ole Opry. The concert will begin at 7:00 pm. Learn more at www.rootsrevivalws.com or contact Rev. Bret Cogan (ext. 1334)/bcogan@centenary-ws.org or Rev. Jeremy Pegram (ext. 1361)/jpegram@centenary-ws.org.

#### MISSION 5K

#### Saturday • November 3

On November 3, Centenary will participate for the fourth year in a row in the Mission 5K benefitting the Winston-Salem Rescue Mission. Come out and walk or run to support a great local mission and make an impression on the community. To register, visit centenary-ws.org/sign-ups. We have a new Centenary Running Shirt this year, so upon registration email Stacy Holley (sholley@centenary-ws.org) to arrange your shirt pick up. You may also visit the Missions' booth at the Engagement Fair to register and pick up your Centenary Running Shirt. If you have any problems or questions, contact Rev. Jeremy Pegram (ext. 1361)/ jpegram@centenary-ws.org.

#### CENTENARY LEADERSHIP CONNECTIONS

#### Reception Desk • 336-724-6311

Use Extensions Below Staff Listing Minister on Call (Prompt 2)

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# STEWARDSHIP CENTENARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Commitment Sunday • October 21

All Worship Services

8:30 am 9:00 am 11:00 am Simplify Worship Rejoice! Worship Traditional Worship

Memorial Auditorium Sanctuary Sanctuary

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