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CENTENARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, October 21, 2018

8:30 am

FOCUS FOR WORSHIP:

When it comes to gift giving, are you one of those people who thinks deeply about the gift you want to give? Do you ponder what the person really likes, or think about how the gift will bring joy to their lives? Do you spend time looking, no, seeking the perfect gift? I invite you to think similarly about the gifts you give to your church. Don't think of your gift as just money in the collection plate. Don't think of it as a duty or a responsibility. Instead, I want you to think about your giving with the intentionality I described above. Think of your gifts as ministry multipliers. Your giving to the church makes ministry happen, period. Think of how your gifts to the church bring joy to our Sanctuary through our worship ministries, or how they teach the next generation of believers that Jesus loves them. In worship today, we will hear what gifts of significance can do toward furthering our mission and living our vision for Centenary.

~ 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.

Centenary
UNITED METHODIST
WINSTON-SALEM

LET US WORSHIP

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost • 8:30 am • October 21, 2018
The Reverend Dr. P. Glenn Kinken III, *preaching*
Tamara M. Pollock, *liturgist*
Dee Hettinger, *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

LAITY SERVICE AWARD

PASSING THE PEACE

SCRIPTURE
Mark 12:38-44

As he taught, Jesus said, "Watch out for the teachers of the law. They like to walk around in flowing robes and be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, and have the most important seats in the synagogues and the places of honor at banquets. They devour widows' houses and for a show make lengthy prayers. These men will be punished most severely." Jesus sat down opposite the place where the offerings were put and watched the crowd putting their money into the temple treasury. Many rich people threw in large amounts. But a poor widow came and put in two very small copper coins, worth only a few cents. Calling his disciples to him, Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put more into the treasury than all the others. They all gave out of their wealth; but she, out of her poverty, put in everything—all she had to live on." (NIV)

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

SERMON "Gifts of Significance"

SONG

JOYS & CONCERNS

MISSION 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.

Order form

Name of person(s) ordering poinsettia:

In memory of:

In honor of:

Total Number of Plants Ordered _____ Total \$ _____ (\$20 per plant)

Method of Payment (must be attached to order from):

Cash _____ Check _____

Card Number _____ Exp. _____
(Visa, Mastercard, Discover, American Express)

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

Centenary



Stephen
Ministry

and

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

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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."

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)/jpeggram@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.

CONTACT US

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



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

9:00 am

11:00 am

Simplify Worship

Rejoice! Worship

Traditional Worship

Memorial Auditorium

Sanctuary

Sanctuary

Wednesdays

7:00 pm

Roots Revival

Memorial Auditorium

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

The flowers in the Chancel are given in loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sylvester Douglas, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Kyle Millaway, Jr. by their family.

Sympathy is extended to Sharon Dowell and Scott Livengood in the death of their father, Romulus Odell (Pete) Livengood on October 3, 2018.

We welcome new members Neal & Susan Grubbs, Jane Irwin, Tiki Smith, and Kay Rogers.

IN MEMORIAM

Robert Louis Strickland
September 21, 2018

The ministers and members of Centenary Church extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved family and pray they may know the comfort and peace of our Heavenly Father.

STARTING POINT

Today • Dining Room • 5:00 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.

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 or 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 am 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 pm 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.

October 21

8:30 am	Simplify Worship (Memorial Auditorium)
9:00 am	Rejoice! Worship (Sanctuary)
10:00 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	Worship (Sanctuary)
11:00 am	Love Thy Neighbor (LTN) set up
Noon-2:00 pm	LTN & Medical Clinic

October 28

8:30 am	Simplify Worship (Memorial Auditorium)
9:00 am	Rejoice! Worship (Sanctuary)
10:00 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	Worship (Sanctuary)
12:00 pm-10 pm	Join us for our annual all youth trip to Carowinds & super scary Scarowinds. Be sure to bring your things with you to worship as we will be leaving right after the 11am service. Please bring your \$60 for your tickets, \$10 for dinner and any extra money you might want.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Constant prayer . . .

"I'm so blessed by knowing that (my Stephen Minister) is praying for me all the time....I got, from her, a different kind of love and a different kind of relationship. It's so much more than a trusted friend. It's really deciding to open your arms to explore the love of Christ."

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.

Dr. Gary Chapman

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 • Today • 8:00 am-12:30 pm

Centenary is hosting an Engagement Fair today. Ministries and programs 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. Plan to stay after worship to learn where you can serve and be involved. Light refreshments are 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

DAYBreak participants enjoy making cards with shaving crème & food coloring. They turn out beautifully. They are packaged 5 cards (blank inside) for \$10. A few jars of chocolate chip cookie mix are also available for \$8 each. Contact Debbie Pilson (ext. 1345)/dpilson@centenary-ws.org.

The Respite Care participants love music. If you would like to come and play music and/or lead a sing-a-long, you would be most welcome. Participants also enjoy easy art projects, learning about someone's hobby, and fun exercise. Contact Debbie if you know someone who may be interested in sharing their gifts and talents.

ROOTS REVIVAL

October 24 • 7 pm • Memorial Auditorium

Roots Revival is a midweek worship service grounded in Americana/roots-based music featuring Martha Bassett and friends. This week Rev. Jeremy Pegram will preach using Sue Joyce's "Distraction" and Jim White's "Jailbird". 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)/ jpeggram@centenary-ws.org.

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

October 2 - October 8

Worship Attendance

Worship in the Park	503
Centenary Live Stream	122
Roots Revival	62
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Total	687

Contributions

Offering	\$41,343
Special Gifts	23,847
Centenary Fund	200
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Total	\$65,390

CENTENARY LEADERSHIP CONNECTIONS

Reception Desk • 336-724-6311

Use Extensions Below Staff Listing
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RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

October 9 - October 15

Worship Attendance		Contributions	
11:00 am Traditional	351	Offering	\$53,087
9:00 am Rejoice!	102	Special Gifts	14,678
8:30 am Simplify	45	Centenary Fund	285
Nursery & Children's Worship	47		
Centenary Live Stream	126		
Roots Revival	59		
		Total	\$68,050
<hr/> Total	730		
		Sunday School	190

Harvest Gifts

Canned Meats (beef stew, chicken,
smaller canned hams)

Canned Potatoes/Yams or bags of rice

Vegetables

Macaroni and Cheese

Canned Fruit

Brownie or cookies mix

Please do not bring items such as exotic foods or broth or
consommé. Also, please check the expiration date-if it is
expired, we are required to throw it away.

Be sure to return your bag to worship on November 18.

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A Stephen Ministry Congregation



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