



**Central Presbyterian Church**  
6300 Trinity Drive, Pine Bluff, Arkansas  
(870) 879-9074  
Sunday, May 10, 2015  
**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**



**GREET THOSE AROUND YOU IN THE NAME OF CHRIST**

**LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES**

**CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP**

**CHORAL PRELUDE #413**      *Come into God's Presence*  
Congregation & Choir, all verses

**CALL TO WORSHIP**      from Psalm 98

Bill: "Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into  
joyous song and sing praises! Sing praises to the LORD with the  
lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody!"

People: **"With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise  
before the King, the LORD!"**

Bill: "Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; the world and those who live in  
it!"

People: **"Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for  
joy at the presence of the LORD, for he is coming to judge the  
earth. He will judge the world with righteousness, and the  
peoples with equity!"**

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN #269**    *Lead On, O King Eternal!*

**FILLING THE BAPTISMAL FONT**

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

"God, our Creator, we pray for us all, with all our joys and sorrows, people  
Jesus came to serve. We confess our sins and ask for your forgiveness.  
Give healing and comfort to all who are in pain. Give faith and hope to all  
who are seeking. Grant us your forgiveness and give us good hope in  
you." (Silent Prayer) "In Jesus' name we pray, Amen."

**KYRIE ELEISON** ("Lord, Have Mercy")

*Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.*

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Bill: "Friends, hear and believe the Good News of Easter!"

People: **"Because of God's great love for us, our sins are forgiven.  
Amen!"**

**\*GLORIA PATRI** ("Glory be to the Father") *Hymnal #581*

### PROCLAIMING THE WORD

**TIME WITH OUR YOUNG ONES**

*Preschool-aged children may go to the nursery after the children's message. Children of  
kindergarten age and above may remain in worship.*

**ANTHEM**      *Treasure Each Moment*      Martin

**MINUTE FOR MISSION**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING**    Acts 10:44 - 48

**EPISTLE READING**      I John 5:1 - 6

**GOSPEL READING**      John 15:9 - 17

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

**SERMON**      David S. King

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**      The Scots Confession      see insert

**\*HYMN #465**      *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

### RESPONDING TO THE WORD

**CALL FOR THE OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY**      *Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God*      Carter

**\*DOXOLOGY** ("Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow") *Hymnal #607*

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

**SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS** (You are each encouraged to name those whom you love and for whom you pray.)

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD’S PRAYER** (We use the wording “debts and debtors.”)

**FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD**

**\*RECESSIONAL HYMN #526**     *Let Us Tongues and Talents Employ*

**\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE\*\***                             *When In Our Music God Is Glorified*     Stanford

**EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES**

*Go forth into the world rejoicing. Love and serve the Lord.*

**\* Those who are able, please stand.**

**\*\* Please be seated and remain for the postlude if you can.**

**Ushers: Nelson Buchanan             Lay Reader: Bill Detmers**



Welcome to Central Presbyterian Church where we come together **to celebrate God’s love, nurture growth, share our faith and serve the needs of others.** This Congregation opens wide its doors and our hearts and offers welcome to all in the name of Jesus Christ.

<b>Transitional Pastor</b> David S. King cell: 501-658-0944	<b>Secretary</b> Erin Shaw
<b>Choir Master/Organist</b> Marty Shell	<b>Nursery Attendant</b>
<b>Youth Sponsors</b> Marty Shell Amber Poss	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.centralprespb.com">www.centralprespb.com</a>
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Amanda Chandler	Education
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Nevada Mills	
Bill Detmers	Missions & Outreach
Jemmie Moseley	
Marty Shell	Worship & Music
<b>Pastor Nominating Committee</b>	
Kay Cromwell	
Lawrence Fikes	
Mike Kelley	
Denise Mosley	
Marty Shell (chair)	

*Announcements*

**The Evening Circle Will Meet** tomorrow, May 11, at 6:30 p.m., in the Perdue Library.

**The Monthly Fellowship Luncheon Will Be Held** Sunday, May 17, following morning worship. All are invited to join in this time of fellowship.

**The Session Will Meet** Sunday, May 17, following the luncheon, in the conference room.

**All Youth Who Are in Sixth Grade and up will meet** Sunday, May 17, from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. to prepare & rehearse for Youth Sunday.

**The Deadline for the June Issue of the Central Scene** is **Monday, May, 18**. Please turn in all articles, announcements, and meeting dates to the church office by the end of the day.

**Dave Will Be Taking a Couple Weeks of Vacation** the last half of May. Leading our worship on Sunday, May 24, will be Rev. Lance Jones, a retired minister who has served several Presbyterian churches in Arkansas. Our worship on Sunday, May 31, will be led by the youth of the church.

**Acts 10:44-48**

<sup>44</sup> While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. <sup>45</sup>The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, <sup>46</sup>for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, <sup>47</sup>"Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" <sup>48</sup>So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

**1 John 5:1-6**

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. <sup>2</sup>By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. <sup>3</sup>For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, <sup>4</sup>for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. <sup>5</sup>Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? <sup>6</sup>This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

**John 15:9-17**

<sup>9</sup> As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. <sup>10</sup>If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. <sup>11</sup>I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete.

<sup>12</sup> "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. <sup>13</sup>No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. <sup>14</sup>You are my friends if you do what I command you. <sup>15</sup>I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. <sup>16</sup>You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. <sup>17</sup>I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

**Proverbs 31:10-31**

<sup>10</sup> A capable wife who can find? She is far more precious than jewels.

<sup>11</sup> The heart of her husband trusts in her, and he will have no lack of gain.

<sup>12</sup> She does him good, and not harm, all the days of her life. (over)

<sup>13</sup> She seeks wool and flax, and works with willing hands.

<sup>14</sup> She is like the ships of the merchant, she brings her food from far away.

<sup>15</sup> She rises while it is still night and provides food for her household and tasks for her servant girls.

<sup>16</sup> She considers a field and buys it; with the fruit of her hands she plants a vineyard.

<sup>17</sup> She girds herself with strength, and makes her arms strong.

<sup>18</sup> She perceives that her merchandise is profitable. Her lamp does not go out at night.

<sup>19</sup> She puts her hands to the distaff, and her hands hold the spindle.

<sup>20</sup> She opens her hand to the poor, and reaches out her hands to the needy.

<sup>21</sup> She is not afraid for her household when it snows, for all her household are clothed in crimson.

<sup>22</sup> She makes herself coverings; her clothing is fine linen and purple.

<sup>23</sup> Her husband is known in the city gates, taking his seat among the elders of the land.

<sup>24</sup> She makes linen garments and sells them; she supplies the merchant with sashes.

<sup>25</sup> Strength and dignity are her clothing, and she laughs at the time to come.

<sup>26</sup> She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue.

<sup>27</sup> She looks well to the ways of her household, and does not eat the bread of idleness.

<sup>28</sup> Her children rise up and call her happy; her husband too, and he praises her:

<sup>29</sup> "Many women have done excellently, but you surpass them all."

<sup>30</sup> Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman who fears the LORD is to be praised.

<sup>31</sup> Give her a share in the fruit of her hands, and let her works praise her in the city gates.

Treasure Each Moment

Treasure each moment,  
Live every day.  
Drink from the cup  
That god fills with His grace.  
In sorrow and laughter,  
Joy and in strife,  
Treasure each moment of life.

Treasure each moment,  
Time does not wait,  
Touch those around you  
And feel their embrace,  
In hard times and plenty,  
God will provide.  
Treasure each moment of life.

Treasure each moment sent from above,  
Live in thanksgiving,  
Reflecting God's love.  
In springtime and winter,  
Come rain or shine,  
Treasure each moment of life.



Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God

Create in me a clean heart, O God;  
Create in me a clean heart, O God;  
Create in me a clean heart, O God;  
And renew a right spirit within me.

CENTRAL PRAYER CONCERNS FOR WEEK OF MAY 10, 2015

MEMBERS:  
**Bernice and Gene Lackey**  
**Brianna Rodriguez**  
**Mary Wooten**  
**Donna McCaleb**  
**Mildred Gaunt**  
**Logan Mosley**

**Hester Insley**  
**Mary Kientz**  
**Valerie Reichen**  
**Bea Magee**  
**Nell Horne**

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES:  
**Doris McCoy**, mother of Kay Cromwell  
**Randy Shell**, brother of Marty Shell  
**Lois Tucker**, neighborhood friend of the Mosley family  
**Georgiana Burnside**, daughter of Amanda Chandler's co-worker  
**Jennifer Place**, friend of Laura & Zac Cosner  
**Rhett Lunningham**, nephew of David Judkins  
**Pam Panks**, mother of Bubba VonTungeln's friend  
**Elaine Powers**, friend of Brianna Rodriguez  
**Judy Buchanan**, wife of Nelson Buchanan  
**Rev. Jim Miller**, friend of the church  
**Perry Reynolds**, friend of the Jane & David Judkins  
**Betty Neal**, mother-in-law of Dana Neal  
**Lori Partridge**, friend of Rose VonTungeln  
**Mary Ward**, mother of Dana Neal  
**Annette Knuckles**, co-worker of Tommy Dunlap  
**Joshua Chambliss and family**, nephew of Rose and Suzy VonTungeln  
**Juliet Walker**, sister of Bubba VonTungeln's co-worker  
**Judy and Larry Fetters**, friends of Rose VonTungeln

**Ryker Cheek**, nephew of Bubba VonTungeln  
**Dad and Stepmom of Vance and Jennifer Freeman**, cousins of Amanda Chandler  
**Betty Seymore**, aunt of Pat Drewett  
**Mary McBee**, friend of Karen & David Perdue  
**Johnny & Ginger McCaleb**, son and daughter-law of Donna McCaleb  
**Brooke Wells**, granddaughter of Connie & Bill Detmers  
**Monica Milligan**, mother-in-law of Michael VonTungeln  
**Wanda Vining**, mother-in-law of Pat Drewett  
**Cathy Risinger**, sister of Kay Cromwell  
**Helen Gaunt**, sister-in-law of Mildred Gaunt  
**Joe Ward**, uncle of Dana Neal  
**Dan Loomis**, former pastor  
**Matthew Stoddard**, nephew of Amanda Chandler's co-worker  
**John Hensley**, friend of Laura and Rick Pierce  
**Kristina Ward**, friend of Amanda and Michael Chandler  
**Franklin Ward**, uncle of Dana Neal  
**Cissy Bailey**, sister-in-law of Betty Coles

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FELLOW PRESBYTERIANS:  
**First, Hot Springs**  
**Hispanic New Church Development, Springdale**

OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD