

**Central United Methodist Church  
of Colorado Springs**

*"A Place to Begin...Belong...Become"*

**THE CENTRAL FAMILY OF FAITH  
GATHERED IN PRAISE AND CELEBRATION**

**Sunday, January 30, 2022, 10:00 am**



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PRELUDE

"Excerpts from Andante" G.F. Handel"

Kim Crom

WELCOME

Pastor Eunjoo Yi

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Sara Murdaugh

Leader: May none of God's wonderful works keep silence,

**People: night or morning.**

Leader: Bright stars,

**People: high mountains,**

Leader: the depths of the seas,

**People: sources of rushing rivers.**

Leader: May all these break into song

**People: as we sing to Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

Leader: May all the angels in the heavens reply

**All: Amen! Amen! Amen!**

Leader: Power, praise, honor, eternal glory to God,

**People: the only giver of grace.**

**All: Amen! Amen! Amen!**

\* HYMN

"Morning Has Broken

Hymnal, No. 145

1. Morning has broken like the first morning; blackbird has spoken like the first bird.  
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!
2. Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven, like the first dewfall on the first grass.  
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, sprung in completeness where his feet pass.
3. Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning born of the one light Eden saw play!  
Praise with elation, praise every morning, God's recreation of the new day!

A THANK-YOU FROM OUR YOUTH

CHURCH OPPORTUNITIES

Sara Murdaugh

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Sara Murdaugh

OUR PRAYERS

Pastor Eunjoo

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**



SCRIPTURE Jeremiah 1:4-10 & 2 Corinthians 1:19-21 (NIV) Reader: Sara Murdaugh

**Jeremiah 1:4-10** “The word of the Lord came to me, saying, ‘Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.’ ‘Alas, Sovereign Lord,’ I said, ‘I do not know how to speak; I am too young.’ But the Lord said to me, ‘Do not say, ‘I am too young.’ You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you. Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you,’ declares the Lord. Then the Lord reached out his hand and touched my mouth and said to me, ‘I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and kingdoms to uproot and tear down, to destroy and overthrow, to build and to plant.’”

**2 Corinthians 1:19-21** “For the Son of God, Jesus Christ, who was preached among you by us—by me and Silas and Timothy—was not ‘Yes’ and ‘No,’ but in him it has always been ‘Yes.’ For no matter how, many promises God has made, they are “Yes” in Christ. And so through him the ‘Amen’ is spoken by us to the glory of God. Now it is God who makes both us and you stand firm in Christ. He anointed us”

HYMN “Amen Hymnal” TFWS,, No. 2072  
Amen, Amen, Amen, Amen, Amen

MESSAGE Be God’s ‘Yes’ Pastor Eunjoo

HYMN “My Faith Looks Up to Thee” Hymnal, No. 452

1. My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Calvary, Spirit divine!  
Now hear me while I pray, take all my guilt away, O let me from this day be wholly thine!
2. May thy rich grace impart strength to my fainting heart, my zeal inspire!  
As thou hast died for me, O may my love to thee pure, warm, and changeless be, a living fire!
3. While life’s dark maze I tread, and griefs around me spread, be thou my guide;  
bid darkness turn to day, wipe sorrow’s tears away, nor let me ever stray from thee aside.
4. When ends life’s transient dream, when death’s cold, sullen stream shall o’er me roll;  
blest Savior, then in love, fear and distrust remove; O bear me safe above, a ransomed soul!

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory “Amazing Grace” arr. D. Wagner Kim Crom

\*Doxology “Alleluia” Hymnal, No. 186  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

\*Blessing the Offering Pastor Eunjoo

\*HYMN “Here I Am, Lord” Hymnal No. 593

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry. All who dwell in dark and sin  
my hand will save. I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people’s pain. I have wept for love of them.  
They turn away. I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?

*Refrain*  
*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night*  
*I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.*

\*BENEDICTION Pastor Eunjoo

POSTLUDE “March in C” H. Purcell Kim Crom

(Please remain seated until the music has stopped. The service is still being streamed live on zoom.)

\*Standing for those who are able



**WELCOME TO  
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WELCOME TO OUR FAMILY OF FAITH – A warm greeting is extended to all who are visiting with us today. We are delighted that you chose to worship with us this morning. It is our prayer that this service will be a source of comfort and inspiration to you. If we can be of assistance, please don’t hesitate to let us know.

Ministers	All the members of the congregation		
Senior Pastor	Eunjoo Yi	Chancel Choir/Praise Band Director	Jon Ainsworth
Pastor Emeritus	Judy Owsley	Nursery Supervisor	Tami Hawkins
Quiet Disciple	Mike Wheat	Nursery Caregivers	Chelsea Bosick & Lani Bosick
Office Manager	Marie Nieto	Sensory Room	Melissa James
Bookkeeper	Cheryl James	Facility Manager	John Cox
Bell Choir Director	Priscilla Tracy	Worship Production Team	Rod Rockwell & John Cox

## WE ARE LOYAL TO OUR CHURCH BY OUR

**PRAYERS:** Maxine Rummel, Cerne Rieves' brother Bill; Jan Adams; Bill & Cindy Lee; Janet Dunbar's mother, Doreen; Lillian Bauserman, Lee Helmbrecht, victims of Marshall fire; victims of Corona Virus; protection of all our Central family, our community, our nation, and the Korean Peninsula; First Responders and medical service providers; leaders of government and churches

**Serving in mission:** Kutela Katembo, Missionary in Angola, Africa

**PRESENCE:** Sanctuary: 47, Fellowship 5 and Online 22 **Total: 74**

<b>GIFTS:</b>	Jan 23	Jan 16	Jan 9	Jan 2	Dec 26
	\$2,557.00	\$6,673.00	\$2,995.00	\$2,009.30	\$4,588.01

**SERVICE:** Thank you to Matt, Brad, and Melissa for accompanying the youth to Great Wolf Lodge.

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**AN INVITATION TO MEMBERSHIP:** If anyone would like to join as a member, please contact Pastor Eunjoo. She will arrange a group meeting or one-on-one sessions for (re)affirmation of faith. We will receive new members on **March 13th**.

**JANUARY MISSION FOCUS:** **Our Special Missionary: *Kutela Katembo*** Our church is blessed to be able to support Kutela Katembo, an energetic agriculturist missionary in Angola, Africa. Kutela is in charge of the Quessua Agriculture Center that supports the surrounding community and a school.

He shared several fun and inspiring stories in his latest newsletter: building fish tanks and making fish food, helping Mama Israel replace her rabbits lost in a fire, and partitioning the 'piggery' to keep the pigs from fighting!

If you'd like to make a contribution, please make your check payable to Central UMC, designated Kutela. Your gifts go far in helping Kutela and his community.

**HOW MANY CANS CAN A FOOD CART CONTAIN** if each can can contain some fruit? A silly tongue twister ... or a serious call for help? The pantry at Mercy's Gate needs **canned fruit**, and other non-perishable food and hygiene items. *Let's see how many cans a cart can contain!!* You may bring donations to the cart in the entry any time during February. Thanks for caring!

## Planning Ahead:

Tuesday, February 1 <sup>st</sup> , at 9:30 am:	Bible Study
Wednesday, February 2 <sup>nd</sup> , at 7 pm:	Bell Choir
Tuesday, February 8 <sup>th</sup> , at 6 pm:	Finance Meeting
Tuesday, February 8 <sup>th</sup> , at 7 pm:	Council Meeting
Sunday, February 13 <sup>th</sup> , at 10:00 am:	Missions Celebration Sunday/Scout Sunday
Monday, February 14 <sup>th</sup> , at 6 pm:	Trustees Meeting
Monday, February 21 <sup>st</sup> , at 4:30 pm:	Stewardship Meeting

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**MESSENGER:** If you pick-up your Messenger, please look for it in the hallway.

**MISSIONS CELEBRATION SUNDAY ON FEBRUARY 13!!** Each year our Missions Ministry Team selects one Sunday to celebrate all that this congregation has done for others and to provide the 'facts' about how much has been given. It's inspiring to see the summary of our giving. Pastor Eunjoo has invited Rev. Judy to preach. Plan to join the celebration!

**ANNUAL FUNDRAISER FOR FAMILY PROMISE/IHN:** This year's "Hope Home Hearts Celebration" will be held at Boot Barn Hall, 13071 Bass Pro Drive, on Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, at 2pm. You may attend in person and enjoy hors d'oeuvres and desserts, games, raffle baskets and a keynote address by Steve Posey, Colorado Springs Community Development Manager. Attending online is also available. Reservations (\$75 in-person / \$50 online) by February 7<sup>th</sup>. If you're interested in attending and supporting Family Promise, please contact Rev. Judy (719-237-9395 / [bjowsley@msn.com](mailto:bjowsley@msn.com)). Several of us will be going together.

**SIMON PETER STUDY:** An ordinary fisherman, Simon Peter, left everything to follow Jesus. Poor, uneducated, quick-tempered, and full of doubts and fears, Peter was an ordinary guy who heard and followed God's extraordinary call. In this 12-week study, we are expanding our acquaintance with Peter and discovering how his story can enrich our own journey. **It's not too late!!** YOU are invited to join the lively discussion led by Rev. Judy, at church or on Zoom, Tuesday mornings, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. The book, "Simon Peter" by Adam Hamilton, is available in the church office (\$10). Questions? Contact Rev. Judy, 719-237- 9395, [bjowsley@msn.com](mailto:bjowsley@msn.com).

**ATTEND CHURCH:** Those not vaccinated must still wear masks. Masks are optional for anyone who is fully vaccinated. Everyone must continue to practice social distancing between non-household groups. You are invited to worship in the sanctuary, the fellowship hall, the parking lot or at home by Zoom (on computer or by phone). For parking lot worship, tune to **88.5 FM** on your car radio.