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THIS IS THE DAY

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26TH | 10:30am

A world premiere by M. Roger Holland II, celebrating the life and work of Rev. Dr. Louise Westfall, Central's beloved pastor on her retirement.

Central's Chancel Choir, under the direction of Charis Smith, will perform the work with full orchestra and conducted by the composer.

Welcome to Central Presbyterian Church, a community where you belong. Whether you're with us for the first or thousandth time, whether you're in doubt or are devout, no matter who you are, what experience you bring, or what questions you have, you are welcome here. God welcomes us all.

Hearing assistance devices are available from the sound booth.

Bold signifies congregation participation.

*Rising as able

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Prelude

Nocturne in G minor, Op. 37, No. 1 Frédéric Chopin
Mallory Bernstein, piano

Welcome

Louise Westfall

Introduction of New Member

Cynthia Petty by Letter of Transfer from First Presbyterian, Dallas, Texas

Gathering Music

arr. Wil Smith



God be the love to search and keep me, God, be the prayer to
move my voice; God be the strength to now up-hold me;
O Christ, sur-round me; O Christ, sur-round me.

Call to Worship

Erica MacCreagh

We are not alone. **We live in God's world.**

We believe in God: who has created and is creating,

Who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new.

We trust in the Spirit who calls us to be the Church:

To celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to live with respect for Creation, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us.

We are not alone.

Beloved, what is God's greatest desire for us?

That we love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength, and love our neighbors as ourselves.

*Hymn 307

God of Grace and God of Glory

The Prayers of the People

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

*The Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

[Please share signs of peace with one another]

**This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine! x3
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!**

Time with Younger Church

Children's farewell to Pastor Louise

Offering

To give via sms, please text "centraldenver" (no spaces) to 73256. You will be asked to enter your credit card info. Thank you for your gifts.

Scripture Reading

Psalm 118:1, Psalm 42, Philippians 4:13

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon

Louise Westfall

Into the Future (4): This is the Day

Moments for Silence

This is the Day (see right)

Charge and Blessing

...may the love of God, the grace of Jesus, and the living, lively Spirit accompany you on this day's journey and forevermore. Alleluia! Amen.

Thank you for worshiping with Central this morning. All are cordially invited to the Narthex/lobby for a celebratory lunch, sharing stories, expressing gratitude.

We are glad to be worshipping with you today

and hope you will explore the many opportunities for learning, serving, and community building at Central Presbyterian Church.

Free Sunday Parking | 8:00am - 1:30pm

Key Park is located across the street, with its main entrance on 16th Avenue.

Wells Fargo Center Parking Garage. You must get a parking validation ticket from an usher. When exiting garage insert your entry ticket into the exit column followed by the parking validation ticket.

Elderly and differently-abled individuals may park in the three staff parking spaces and the three handicapped parking spaces in front of the church.

Online Giving

Set up one-time or automatic giving for your offerings. www.centraldenver.com/give

Children in Worship

Central values having all generations worshipping together. All children are welcome in the worship space each and every Sunday. We enjoy and expect the joyful noises of children as they are a vibrant part of our faith community.

- Nursery Care for infants and toddlers is available from 9:30-11:45am
- Worship activity bags are available in the Narthex.

Contact Molly Brown at molly@centraldenver.com with questions or to be added to the Children, Youth and Families mailing list (weekly emails with events and more).

Join Us for Worship Online

For those who prefer to worship online or who are unable to join us in person, we continue to livestream our morning worship service at 10:30am: centraldenver.com/livestream. *Those without internet access are invited to listen to the morning service via phone by calling 1.339.207.6673 at the time of the service.*

Weekly Email Newsletter

The best way to stay informed about activities at Central is to subscribe to our weekly e-newsletter, which goes out every Thursday at 6:30pm. Sign up at: www.centraldenver.com/contact

The deadline for copy for the bulletin and the eVoice is 10am on Tuesday morning. Any submissions after this deadline will be featured in the following week's publication.



Ways to Connect

Serendipity Women's Group

Serendipity, an informal group open to all women, meets Thursday, February 13 at the home of Carol Farnsworth, 1:30-3:30. Our agenda is simple-- conversation and refreshments. RSVPs to carol.farnsworth@gmail.com or 720.838.5901.

Men's Night Out

Gather in participants' homes for conversation, food and drink, with Central men of all ages. Please contact Larry Armstrong 303.875.7808 or Larry@larrydarmstrong.com for more information.

Theology on Tap

Thursdays, 7:00pm

We get together at local breweries to enjoy fellowship and discuss questions of faith. Please contact Josh Trimble at trimjosh@gmail.com to be added to the email list.

Women's Bible Study

2nd Thursdays, 10:00am

Via Zoom

All women are welcome. Please visit centraldenver.com for access to the Zoom Link.

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