

3829 Grand Avenue  
Des Moines, IA 50312-2807

office@dmcpcc.org  
515-279-3658

**Church Office Hours**

Monday—Thursday  
8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Friday  
8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

**5th Sunday  
after Epiphany**

**Feb. 10, 2019, 10:15 a.m.**

**Scriptures:**

Isaiah 6:1–8 and  
Luke 5:1–11

**Sermon:**

*Gone Fishing*  
Rev. Wallace W. Bubar

**Hymns:**

4 *Holy God,  
We Praise Your Name*  
175 *Seek Ye First*  
726 *Will You Come  
and Follow Me*  
432 *How Clear Is  
Our Vocation, Lord*

**Music:**

Chancel Choir

**Nametag reminder...**

Nametags are on the boards in the narthex – remember to put your nametag on each Sunday for worship. It not only helps those who are visiting, but also our own member’s memory!  
*Thank you, from the Membership & Worship committees.*

Top stories...



Attend an El Salvador Delegation *Lunch & Learn* on Feb. 10. We’ll dine on papusas!



Signup soon! These monthly meals on the Fourth Fridays are filling up fast!



Call the office to reserve tickets for the Drake women’s basketball game, Feb. 24.



Central’s deacons are offering the annual diaper drive! Please bring toddler sizes (4, 5, 6 & pull-ups) and adult-sized diapers to the 39th Street Lobby



*El Salvador Delegation Lunch & Learn on February 10*

Members of the Our Sister Parish Medical Delegation will be at Central for the worship service and a “lunch and learn” at 11:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. We’ll dine on a papusa lunch, while members of the recent Medical Delegation will talk about their experiences on the weeklong mission trip back in October. A slide show presentation will be shown and we’ll learn about a possible Central delegation going to El Salvador this summer.

**Kathy and Mike Bassett** were part of the October delegation, which included: 3 physicians, a chiropractor, a physical therapist, 3 nurses and 4 support staff. They were joined in El Salvador by a Salvadoran doctor, 6 translators, the Our Sister Parish Pastoral Team and drivers. They consulted with nearly 700 patients during 4 1/2 days of clinics.



**February 24, 2pm, is Drake Women’s Basketball game** 

On Sunday, February 24, at 2:00 p.m., at the Knapp Center, we’ll enjoy a fun afternoon with friends from Central. Come, cheer on the Drake Bulldogs women’s basketball team against the Indiana State Sycamores. We’ve reserved a block of tickets – \$10/ticket (if we reach 20 reserved seats, cost is \$5/ticket). Reserve your ticket now; contact the church office at 515-279-3658 or [segge@dmcpcc.org](mailto:segge@dmcpcc.org).



**Sign up now for Fourth Fridays monthly dinners!**

What are Fourth Fridays? It is a terrific way to stay connected, re-connect or just have a fun night of good food and good discussion. Anyone can sign up to host a fourth Friday at your home or at the **Greg Halterman/ Miguel Vargas** home.

Christian Education Director **Greg Halterman** will provide the pizza and salad and the host provides the beverages and dessert. Fourth Fridays takes place year-round and is available for anyone who wishes to participate. Sign up online, at [www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0848a9aa22a2fc1-fourth](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0848a9aa22a2fc1-fourth).

**Upcoming @Central****Friday, February 8**

Noon Church closes

**Sunday, February 10**

9:00am Education Hour

9:00am Chancel Choir rehearsal

10:15am Worship

11:15am Fellowship Time

**Monday, February 11**

6:00pm Board of Deacons

**Tuesday, February 12**

9:30am Staff meeting

5:00pm Power Read

7:00pm Christian Education Committee

**Wednesday, February 13**

10:00am Bible Study

5:00pm Shelter meal served @CISS

5:00pm LOGOS children

6:00pm Youth

6:30pm LOGOS Dinner &amp; High School

7:30pm Chancel Choir rehearsal

**Thursday, February 14**

8:45am Morgen Bells

4:00pm Audio team meets

**Friday, February 15**

Noon Church closes

**Sunday, February 17**

9:00am Education Hour

9:30am Chancel Choir rehearsal

10:15am Worship

11:30am Congregational Meeting &amp; Lunch

**Monday, February 18**

5:30pm Session meets

**Tuesday, February 19**

9:30am Staff meeting

5:00pm PowerRead

**Wednesday, February 20**

10:00am Bible Study

5:00pm LOGOS

6:30pm Knitting group

7:30pm Chancel Choir

**Thursday, February 21**

8:45am Morgen Bells

9:00am *Cent-inel* articles deadline**DMARC needs diapers!**

In February, Central's deacons are offering the annual diaper drive! **So far, we have 1,071 diapers in the 39th Street Lobby!** The mountain is growing, but we need your help! Please bring toddler sizes (4, 5, 6 & pull-ups) and adult-sized diapers and place them in the grocery cart.



**Help with a virtual diaper drive!** This year, DMARC has set a goal of raising \$5,000 to purchase diapers and your donation to this drive (ending Feb. 28, 2019) will help meet this goal. Your cash contributions allow DMARC to purchase the most diapers possible thanks to its purchasing power. (Normal store packs are .28 cents per diaper, *versus* DMARC's diaper cost of .15 cents each.) **So far, our total donations for the first week in February are at \$295!** To purchase diapers, go online with link below and designate Central Presbyterian Church as the *Affiliated Congregation*:

[www.dmarcunited.org/donate/virtual-drive/central-presbyterian/](http://www.dmarcunited.org/donate/virtual-drive/central-presbyterian/)

**Central's special match:** a generous member has agreed to match all of our diaper donations. So, let's make a mountain of diapers for DMARC! Questions? Contact **Carl Voss**, [carlvoss@mac.com](mailto:carlvoss@mac.com) or 515-314-2814.

**Reminder of upcoming annual congregational meeting and luncheon**

On Sunday, February 17, at 11:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall, we'll have lunch catered by Becky Smith, with a free-will offering received. Highlight of the annual meeting will include a slideshow of 2018 highlights. The meeting agenda items are:

- The Nominating Committee report/election of officers:

*Ruling Elders, Class of 2022*

Joanne Haakinson	Chris Henderson	Cynthia Lidgett
Beth Triebel	Kent Zimmerman	

*Board of Deacons, Class of 2022*

Karin Eshelman	Charlie Flippen	Lynn Mankins
Randi McNally	Dan Tripp	Katie Waggett
Hillary Fort (Class of 2020 unexpired term)		

*Nominating Committee*

Molly Clause	Barb Getting	Kate Mead
Joan Middleton	Emily Rademacher	Carl Voss

- Pastor's 2019 Terms of Call approval/vote

*The Rev. Wallace W. Bubar, Moderator & Mary Eggers McCarroll, Clerk of Session*

**LOGOS parents dinner invitation**

On Wednesday, February 27, at 5:15 p.m., LOGOS' parents are invited to meet at Teddy Maroon's for dinner with other adults! This bi-annual, get-together is open to all parents of children and youth in our Wednesday evening LOGOS program.

If you'd like to come, please RSVP to Wallace Bubar, at 515-279-3658 or [wububar@dmcp.org](mailto:wububar@dmcp.org), so we reserve enough seats. Thank you.



3829 Grand Avenue  
Des Moines, IA 50312-2807  
office@dmcpc.org  
515-279-3658

**Church Office Hours**

Monday—Thursday  
8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.  
Friday  
8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

**Giving easy with EFT**

Your giving, our unity and work, all are making an impact. You give and important things happen. Lives are changed. **To start giving** your pledge or contribution using Electronic Funds Transfer, go online to:

<https://wp.dmcpc.org/give>. Choose “one-time” donation or “recurring ongoing gifts” for monthly or annual web giving. Don’t forget to fill out a pledge card so we know you signed up for recurring.

**Also, you can now use the new I Give Electronically card found in the pew holders when the Sunday offering plate is passed.**

Thank you!



**Like us on Facebook**

Please like and share our posts and events!

Go to: [www.facebook.com/centralpresdm/](http://www.facebook.com/centralpresdm/)



**Souper Suppers reminder**

Our next Souper Supper is **tentatively** set for Sunday, March 3, 2019, at 5:00 p.m., with [St. Paul’s African Methodist Episcopal \(AME\) Church](#). We will need about 20-30 people to attend from Central’s congregation. Please, RSVP to our church office staff, at 515-279-3658, or [segge@dmcpc.org](mailto:segge@dmcpc.org).



**The good news is spreading!** Late last week, the Presbyterian News Service of the PC(USA), picked up our article about the January 6th Souper Supper event at Central. To read this news, click the link below:

[www.presbyterianmission.org/story/in-the-breaking-of-bread-their-eyes-were-opened/?fbclid=IwAR3EHhsefptuT5yFfZaxPSAvzxtlhyMdyE3Gq0Kbkh\\_C14LrGs64H\\_tyzM](http://www.presbyterianmission.org/story/in-the-breaking-of-bread-their-eyes-were-opened/?fbclid=IwAR3EHhsefptuT5yFfZaxPSAvzxtlhyMdyE3Gq0Kbkh_C14LrGs64H_tyzM)



**Shrove Tuesday pancake supper is March 5**

From 5:00 to 7:00 p.m., all are invited to Fellowship Hall, when the men of Central will cook pancakes and all the fixin’s for our annual Shrove Tuesday pancake supper.

As we usher in the season of Lent, the fun event will include Dixieland jazz and Zydeco music, Mardi Gras beads and pancakes

with all of your Central friends. **WARNING:** This event contains a lot of delicious food and happy upbeat music; severe toe-tapping or dancing about may occur!

**Ash Wednesday services are Wednesday, March 6, 12:15 & 7:00 p.m.**



Two service times will be offered to begin the Lenten season:

- At 12:15 p.m., Wednesday, March, 6 a service will be held in Cownie Chapel **with a soup & salad lunch** in the East Parlor following the service.
- At 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, service will be held in the Sanctuary with the Chancel Choir singing.

Both services will last approximately 30 minutes and will include Scripture, contemplative prayer and music, with the imposition of ashes.

**AMOS update on Public Measure “A”**

As a member of AMOS (A Mid-Iowa Organizing Strategy), Central is proud and encouraged that our recent house meetings produced priorities that are included in the Public Measure “A.” On Tuesday, March 5, 2019, Des Moines voters will have the opportunity to vote on this measure, which authorizes an imposition of a 1% local sales and services tax on the portion of the incorporated area of the City of Des Moines.



Public Measure “A” will generate an estimated \$37 million in annual revenue for the City of Des Moines to be distributed as follows: 50% towards property tax relief, and 50% towards improving streets, neighborhoods and public safety. AMOS has shared our members’ priorities with the City Council, which they have incorporated in the plan: expanding library hours, expanding children’s mental health services, addressing abandoned and dilapidated homes, improving rental housing conditions and improving streets, sidewalks, and sewers. For more information, look for Central members **Carl Voss** and **Susan Stroope** in the East Parlor after worship on Sunday.

3829 Grand Avenue  
Des Moines, IA 50312-2807  
office@dmcpc.org  
515-279-3658

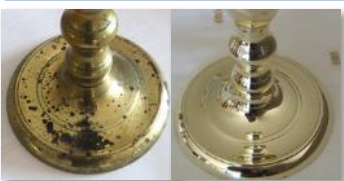
**Church Office Hours**

Monday—Thursday  
8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.  
Friday  
8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.



Take note of these winter activities @Central:

- Feb. 17..... 11:30am..... Congregational Meeting & lunch
- Feb. 24..... 2:00pm ..... Drake Women’s Basketball Game outing
- Feb. 27..... 5:15pm ..... Parents Dinner
- March 1 ..... World Day of Prayer
- March 2 ..... 6:30pm ..... CROSS Ministries Trivia Night & Silent Auction
- March 3 ..... 5:00pm ..... Souper Supper (tentative date)
- March 5 ..... 5:00pm ..... Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper
- March 6 .. 12:15/7:00pm .. Ash Wednesday services
- March 6 ..... 12:45pm ..... Ash Wednesday soup & salad lunch



**A little elbow grease and a few volunteers would do the trick!**

If you would be willing to help polish the brass cross, candleholders and flower vases for Central’s chancel, please contact the church office at 515-279-3658 or [segge@dmcpc.org](mailto:segge@dmcpc.org). Thank you!

**Auction items needed...**

Westminster Presbyterian Church is hosting the *Trivia Night and Silent Auction* as a fund raiser for CROSS Ministries. Their three goals are to raise \$10,000; increase awareness of CROSS; and provide a fun evening of fellowship and friendly competition. Join in the fun by:

1. **Donating a silent auction item**—deadline to deliver these to Westminster, is Sunday Feb. 24, 2019.
2. **Signing up to lead a table of eight for the evenings competition.**
3. **Signing up to attend and just observe the fun.**

We need everyone’s support to make this evening a success!

WE WILL BE OUT OF THIS WORLD WITH OUR STAR WARS/SPACE THEME. WE WELCOME YOU TO MAKE YOUR TABLE THEME AND ATTIRE EXTRA-TERRESTIAL FOR THE NIGHT!

CROSS MINISTRIES  
5TH ANNUAL  
TRIVIA  
NIGHT

AND SILENT AUCTION

SATURDAY,  
MARCH 2

DOORS OPEN AT 5:30 P.M. FOR THE SILENT AUCTION  
AND GAMES BEGIN AT 6:30 P.M.

PRIZES FOR BEST TABLE DECORATIONS!

PRIZES FOR BEST SNACKS!

---

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 4114 ALLISON AVE., DES MOINES

SIGN UP AS A GROUP OR AN INDIVIDUAL!

\$12.00 PER PERSON OR \$85.00 TABLE OF 8

OUR EVENT IS LIMITED TO 30 TABLES SO MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS EARLY!

---

SIGN UP AND LEARN MORE AT [WWW.WESTPRES.ORG/TRIVIA](http://WWW.WESTPRES.ORG/TRIVIA)

CALL 515-274-1534 OR E-MAIL [LANDERSON@WESTPRES.ORG](mailto:LANDERSON@WESTPRES.ORG)