



God of the Living  
Jan Richardson  
"Now God is God not of the dead, but of the living;  
for to God all of them are alive."  
Luke 20:38

## GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

OPENING VOLUNTARY                      OH HOW BLESSED                      HEALEY WILLAN

LESLIE BOYETTE, INTERIM ORGANIST

*(As the opening voluntary begins, please use the time to center yourself for worship.)*

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.  
And also with you.*

## RINGING OF THE BELL

CHORAL INTROIT                      CANTATE!                      MARY LYNN LIGHTFOOT

JERUSALEM CHOIR; RACHEL STEWART, DIRECTOR; KAREN BROWN, ACCOMPANIST

Come, let us sing! *Cantate!* Sing a new song!  
*Cantate Domino! Alleluia!* Sing a new jubilant song.  
*Benedicamus, dicamus gratias, Hosanna in excelsis!*  
*Gaudeamus hodie, alleluia!*

✦ OPENING SENTENCES                      FROM PSALM 145

*Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;  
There is no end to God's greatness.  
One generation shall praise your works to another  
And shall declare your power.*

MAIA KLEIN

✦ HYMN No. 645                      SING PRAISE TO GOD WHO REIGNS ABOVE                      MIT FREUDEN ZART

Please join in reading or singing those parts of the service printed in **bold**.

✦ When this symbol precedes an element of the service, please rise in body or spirit.

## For the younger ones among us:

All Saints Sunday is a time to remember those people from the church who are no longer with us. Some of them died in the past 12 months; others of them lived over 150 years ago, when this church was started. We give thanks for their lives, and for what they did to prepare the way for you and your family today. Did you know somebody who has died? Say a prayer of Thanksgiving for their lives.



## ✦CALL TO CONFESSION

MOLLY MCGINNIS

## ✦PRAYER OF CONFESSION

COMPANION TO FEASTING ON THE WORD

Eternal God, in every age you have raised up people to live and die in faith. Forgive our indifference to your will. You have commanded us to speak but we have been silent. You have called us to do what is just but we have been fearful. Have mercy upon us. Keep before us faithful people for us to follow so that, living with courage and with love, we may inherit the kingdom promised in Jesus Christ, and reign with him forever . . .

*(Silence for personal prayer and reflection.)*

## ✦KYRIE

WAYFARING STRANGER

You are the Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ giv-er of mer-cy! \_\_\_\_\_ You are the Christ, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ giv-er of mer-cy! \_\_\_\_\_ You are the Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ giv-er of mer-cy! \_\_\_\_\_

## ✦ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## ✦PASSING THE PEACE

## ✦RESPONSE

HYMN NO. 327, STANZA 3

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Eternal are thy mercies Lord, eternal truth attends thy word. Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Thy praise shall sound from shore to shore, till suns shall rise and set no more.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

## PROCLAIMING THE WORD

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

### FIRST READING

HAGGAI 1:15B - 2:9

PAGE 904 OT, PEW BIBLE

### ANTHEM

BLOW YE THE TRUMPET

KIRKE MECHEM

CHANCEL CHOIR

Blow ye the trumpet, blow, blow. Sweet is thy work, my God, my King.  
I'll praise my maker with all my breath, O happy the one who hears.  
Why should we start and fear to die? With songs and honors sounding loud.  
Blow ye the trumpet, blow, blow. Lovely appearance of death.

### SECOND READING

PSALM 98

PAGE 561, OT, PEW BIBLE

### SERMON

DAVID COZAD

## RESPONDING TO AND SEALING THE WORD

## ✦HYMN No. 371

NEW SONGS OF CELEBRATION RENDER

RENDEZ À DIEU

## ✦AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

FROM A DECLARATION OF FAITH

The church has its ongoing story with God.  
The church's story with God did not end with the latest events recorded in Scripture.  
Across the centuries the company of believers has continued its pilgrimage with the Lord of history.  
It is a record of faith and faithlessness, glory and shame.

We confess we are heirs of this whole story. We are charged to remember our past, to be warned and encouraged by it, but not to live it again.  
Now is the time of our testing as God's story with the church moves forward through us.  
We are called to live now as God's servants in the service of people everywhere.

## GRATITUDE, HOSPITALITY, AND GENEROSITY

### OFFERTORY SENTENCE

*(Please sign the Friendship Pad found at one end of your pew, and pass it along.)*

### MUSIC AT THE OFFERTORY

ELEGY  
GENEVA HANDBELL CHOIR

WILLIAM PAYN

### ✦ AT THE PRESENTATION

DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDETH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise God all creatures here below.  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host. Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

### INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

### GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND NECROLOGY

*The Lord be with you.*

*And also with you.*

*Lift up your hearts.*

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

*Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.*

**It is right to give God thanks and praise . . .**

NECROLOGY: CHUCK BOWEN, FLOYD RHODES

### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

### COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

*(If you require gluten-free elements, please go to the center station to the second set of servers.  
If you wish to be served in your pew, indicate your desire to an usher.)*

### MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

PIE JESU

TOM SHELTON

NAZARETH CHOIR; RACHEL STEWART, DIRECTOR, RICK WORNAT, ACCOMPANIST

*Pie Jesu; dona eis requiem. Pie Jesu Domine.*

*Agnus Die, qui tollis peccata mundi, sempiternam.*

Merciful Jesus, give them rest.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, give them eternal rest.

### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

### ✦ HYMN No. 326

FOR ALL THE SAINTS

SINE NOMINE

### ✦ CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

### ✦ CHORAL RESPONSE

THE PEACE OF THE EARTH  
CHANCEL CHOIR

GUATEMALA

The peace of the earth be with you, the peace of the heavens too;  
The peace of the rivers be with you, the peace of the oceans too.  
Deep peace falling over you. God's peace growing in you.

### CLOSING VOLUNTARY

O GOD, THOU FAITHFUL GOD

KARG-ELERT

Today's handbell anthem, *Elegy*, was written for Dwight Manard who died of AIDS in the early 80's. Composer Bill Payn says, "He was actually one of the first to die of this dreadful disease. When I perform this piece with my own choir I often dedicate it to all who have been affected by the HIV virus or who have died of AIDS. The piece displays many emotions and is a representation of Dwight and his feelings before and during the process of death. Therefore, you will hear anger, resentment, fear, hope, and finally a sense of peace...resignation, if you will. Two main themes serve as a thread throughout the piece, and join the sections together. I wrote this piece in Rooke Chapel at Bucknell University in a matter of days (usually it takes me six months). Dwight was a wonderful colleague and we both had a passion for expecting excellence and musical performances from our bell choirs. I miss him greatly, and perhaps *Elegy* is one manner in which his spirit still lives within us.

### 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.

## WORSHIP NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our liturgists today are Michelle Hwang, Molly McGinnis, and Maia Klein.

Our lector today is David York.

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## MEMBERS IN PREPARATION FOR ORDINATION AS TEACHING ELDERS

Sarah Paulsen  
Erin Burt

## WELCOME VISITORS

Welcome to Central! We are glad you are here! All are invited to worship God in this place. Wherever you are on the journey of faith, may Central be a community in which you can be nurtured and supported along the way and a place where you may serve and be served in the spirit of Christ. Contact David Cozad at [dcozad@cpcatlanta.org](mailto:dcozad@cpcatlanta.org) to learn more about life at Central. We hope to see you again soon!

Last day to order  
Christmas Greens to  
support our Youth Ministry is Sunday,  
November 13. Don't put it off!



DEDICATION SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 13

[www.cpcatlanta.org/stewardship](http://www.cpcatlanta.org/stewardship)

## THOSE SERVING DURING WORSHIP TODAY

### Ushers

Beth Grashof, captain ▪ Corie Cox  
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### Deacons of the Day

Em McNair ▪ Paul Greene

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### Counters

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The Bliss Family  
Melanie, Jason, Ally, and Tyler  
Trudy Loper and Carys Barr

### Bell Ringer

Julia Hayes

### Choir Guild

Kathy McCloud

## FROM FEAR TO FORGIVENESS: JOURNEY OF HOPE

Presented by: Cindy McMahon

Date: Nov. 13, 12:30 p.m. in Taylor  
Conference Room

Cindy Henry McMahon's family history is a slide show of the turbulent South: a thwarted lynch mob on a Georgia preacher's front porch; the integration of Mercer University; Birmingham, 1963; Martin Luther King, Jr.'s march in Selma; Koinonia Farm and the germination of Habitat for Humanity. Join Cindy for a reading and discussion of her book, *Fresh Water from Old Wells*, and her personal journey from fear and anger-through cities, small towns, and crossroads throughout the South-to a place of forgiveness. Signed copies Cindy's books will be available for sale.

## MOM'S NIGHT OUT

For Moms of our youngest Centralites, the Event Committee is sponsoring a Mom's night out. Leave the kids at home and join us for dinner on **November 15, 2016** and some adult time with fellow Moms of Central's younger members. For further information and to RSVP contact Mary Elizabeth Davis, [marvelizabeth.pope@gmail.com](mailto:marvelizabeth.pope@gmail.com).

## THIS WEEK AT CENTRAL

### Sunday, November 6

12:15 p.m. Peace Vigil  
12:15 p.m. Fellowship Lunch  
12:45 p.m. Jerusalem Choir  
6:00 p.m. Youth Hangout  
6:00 p.m. Events Dinner at Tava

### Monday, November 7

No events scheduled

### Tuesday, November 8

9:30 a.m. Worship Staff  
1:30 p.m. Revelation Ringers

### Wednesday, November 9

5:30 p.m. Geneva Handbell Choir  
5:30 p.m. Budget Meeting  
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

### Thursday, November 10

7:30 p.m. Young Adult Gathering  
*Midway Pub*

### Friday, November 11

No events scheduled

### Saturday, November 12

1:00 p.m. Confirmation Retreat

### Sunday, November 13

9:00 a.m. Children's Choirs  
9:00 a.m. Youth Handbell Choir  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages  
9:45 a.m. Kiva  
9:45 a.m. Updates from Kate Tabor  
11:00 a.m. Worship for the Lord's Day  
Dedication Sunday  
David Cozad preaching  
12:15 p.m. Peace Vigil  
12:15 p.m. Fellowship Lunch  
12:15 p.m. Global Mission  
12:30 p.m. Presentation by Cindy McMahon  
*Taylor Conference Room*  
12:45 p.m. Jerusalem Choir  
6:00 p.m. Youth Hangout



Our seasonal tour of the culinary treats of ethnic cuisine continues. This Fall, we have chosen a South Asian theme with a visit to Tava - Indian Bistro. Join

us today at 6:00 pm at the restaurant located at 1685 Church Street, Suite 110, Decatur, GA 30033. This event is a perennial favorite so sign up early. Please also use the sign up genie on the website to sign up so that we know you are joining us.