

Kenmore United Methodist Church Food Pantry

Commonly needed items: Canned tuna or meats, Rice, Cereal, Spaghetti sauce & pasta, Peanut butter, canned vegetables and soups.

Please continue to bring your food offerings each Sunday. Betty Murphy is our volunteer who transports your donations, and we're grateful for her ministry!

Weekly Coffee Hours: There are two ways you can help!

Sign up to **DONATE** refreshments, like cookies or fruit. OR...

Sign up to **HOST**, meaning set-up and cleanup.

BOTH are essential to this ministry of hospitality.

The signup sheets are in the Narthex. Any questions?

Mary Lou Frost is our Hospitality Coordinator. E-mail Mary Lou at mlfrost@verizon.net or call her at (716) 694-6136

Join us for **Thursday morning prayer** in the chapel at 8:30am each week for 1/2 hour of devotions.

Use the Beard Ave. entry.

Church Calendar:

Tuesday May 28th

Finance Team Meeting 5:30pm

Church Council Meeting 6:30pm



You are
welcome
here.



Central Park United Methodist Church

216 Beard Ave. ~ Buffalo NY 14214

May 19th, 2024

Pentecost Sunday

Website: centralparkcomplex.com

E-Mail: help@centralparkcomplex.com

Clara's Closet Website: clarasclosetbuffalo.org

Rev. Mary A. Kelly, Pastor

Mr. Matthew Caputy, Minister of Music
Lector/Eucharistic Minister: **Mr. Will Kelly**
Videographer: **Ms. Betty Murphy**

*We are a Christ-centered community of faith and love,
reaching out to all.*

Cover Art: 'Pentecost', by Mary Jane Miller 2008

The flowers at the altar today are made by Jackie Paterniti, and are given by Dennis & Shirley Byczynski, in love & honor of our Central Park friends and family.

Prelude: “Von fremden Ländern und Menschen” Robert Schumann

+Call to Worship: 2024 Abingdon Worship Annual

In rushing winds and tongues of fire...

the Church is born.

In courage found and faith renewed...

the Church gains strength.

In visions seen and dreams made real...

the Church blesses the world.

In hopes rekindled and fears released...

the Church leads the way.

In rushing winds and tongues of fire...

Come, Holy Spirit, come.

+Opening Hymn: “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” Hymnal #384

Opening Prayer: 2024 Abingdon Worship Annual

God of wind and flame, ignite a fire in our hearts

and fill us with your courage and power.

On this day of Pentecost,

may our young people see visions

and our elders dream dreams.

Blow open the doors of our shut up hearts

and send us not the world

to spread the good news of your saving love. Amen.

A Time for Children

Ms. Danielle Matthews

Special Music: “God So Loved the World” John Stainer

Mary Kelly, soprano

Shirley Byczynski, alto

Listen, the voice of God is calling...

Speak, Lord, for your servants are listening.

The Epistle: Romans 8:22-27 pew Bible page#158

+The Gospel: John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15 pew Bible page #110

The Message The Rev. Mary A. Kelly

+Hymn: “Spirit Song” Hymnal #347

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Anthem

C. Dickinson

“O The Blessedness Is Great”

+Blessing our Gifts

Holy Communion

Hymnal #15

Baba Yetu Mr. Kakela Kolanda

Baba Yetu uliye mbinguni, Jina lako litukuzwe; Ufalme wako ufike, Utakalo lifanyike Duniani kama mbinguni. Utupe leo mkate wetu wa kila siku, Utusamehe makosa yetu, Kama nasi tunavyowasamehe waliotukosea. Usitutie katika kishawishi, Lakini utuopoe maovuni.

Amina.

The Lord’s Prayer

Hymnal #895

+Closing Hymn: “Every Time I Feel the Spirit” Hymnal #404

+Benediction

+Postlude: Aus Meines Herzens Grunde - Fughette J.C. Bach

+denotes standing, as you are able.

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Save the Date!



Chicken BBQ Dinner
and Strawberry Festival
Thursday June 13, 2024 4-7pm



We'll need LOTS of volunteers so please
mark your calendar today.
Tickets are now available.



Please join us after worship today in the Parlor
for Coffee Hour and fellowship.
Our hosts today are Pat & Alecia Ford.