

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

September 8, 2024

*Spreading the message of God's Love, in our church and in our community,
through caring for each other.*

+ Please stand as you are able where this symbol appears.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Sarah Todd

Call to Worship

+Praise Hymn *To God Be the Glory* (72)

+Invocation and Lord's Prayer

+Response Hymn *Change My Heart, O God*

Children's Moment

Sarah Todd

The Church at Prayer

Prayers of the People

Rev. Tom Cici

The Lord's Supper

Communion Hymn *Holy Ground* (112)

Sharing the Lord's Supper

All believers are invited to the Lord's Table. Partake as you are ready.

Offering Invitation and Offertory

+Doxology *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* (46)

Offertory Prayer

We Share the Word

Scripture Daniel 5:13–19a, 22–28

Marian Cici

Sermon Tell It in a Clear Way

Rev. Tom Cici

Invitation to Discipleship

+Hymn of Discipleship *They'll Know We Are Christians* (494) vs. 1,2 & 3

Benediction and Response

+Response Hymn *Soon and Very Soon*

Ministers: All participants in Centennial
Message: Rev. Tom Cici
Admin. Assistant: Jerry Fitzgerald
Musicians: Joe and Gwen Peebles
Elder: Sarah Todd
Deacons: Marian Cici, Julie Dawson
Greeters: Chloe and Emi Todd

Continuing Prayers

Kelly Bestful, Jeff Kanchak, Randy Seibert, Bridget Pleines, Tammy, Lisa Behl, Tim, Kris Carius, Shelley Lanham, Leonard Bates, Greg Firkus, Sarah Hiatt, Marty Fry, Taylor, Charlie Middleton, James, Neil, Cameron Cook, Angie Simpson, Jackie Steinhilber, Megan Brown, Mannie Martinez, Gery Conlin, Ann Burmaster, Cole, Ron Geske, Pam, Dick Tarter, Scott Griffith, Jessica, Marsha, Pete Rasmussen, Robin, Fern Scaggs

Prayers for CCIW congregations and ministries this week:

FCC White Hall, IL; FCC Winchester, IL; Iglesia Cristana de Milwaukee, WI; St. Paul's Church Dearborn, MI; Men's Retreat @ Crystal Lake, MI

**Our challenge for the week –
Pray this prayer every day –**

Gracious and Loving God, help us to recall looking at nature through a “child’s eyes” and what those wonderful experiences reveal. May we see Your sacredness and self-expression in this beautiful world.

[Wait and listen]

**Our Children's Worship Center (old library) is available in
the sanctuary for kids.**

September 9, 2024 – September 15, 2024

<u>Monday, September 9</u> Trustees: 11A-GH	<u>Thursday, September 12</u> TOPS: 5:15P-Isaiah
<u>Tuesday, September 10</u> CWF meeting: 9:30A-FH	<u>Friday, September 13</u>
<u>Wednesday September 11</u> Adult Bible Study: 10:30A-FH	<u>Saturday, September 14</u>
Bridge: 12P-GH Choir: 6:30P-choir loft	<u>Sunday, September 15</u> Adult Bible Study: 9A-FH Worship 10:15A

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self-expression.