

Welcome to Cottage Grove Church and to our worship services. If you are visiting, please sign a guest book at the back of the sanctuary or near one of the entrances and join us for coffee after the morning service so that we can get better acquainted. Recordings of our services are available on our website or on compact disk by calling the church office or using the order form located next to the guest book in the narthex. May the Lord bless you richly as you hear His word and join in worship.

**The Lord's Day • July 8, 2018**  
**Morning Worship • 9:30 a.m.**

Prelude  
 \*Call to Worship and Prayer  
 \*Psalter Hymnal 314: 1 – 3 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*  
 \*Declaration of Trust and God's Greeting  
 \*Psalter Hymnal 315: 1 – 4 *O Worship the King, All Glorious Above*

The Law of God  
 Psalter Hymnal 452: 1 – 4 *Have Thine Own Way, Lord*  
 Assurance of Pardon  
 Congregational Prayer  
 Offering *Cottage Grove General Fund*  
 \*Celebration Hymnal 682: 1 – 3 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

Scripture *Matthew 6: 10b (pew Bible, p. 1504)*  
 Text *Matthew 6: 10b*  
 Sermon *"YOUR WILL BE DONE, ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN"*

Prayer of Application  
 \*Psalter Hymnal 463: 1 – 3 *He Leadeth Me*  
 \*Benediction  
 \*Psalter Hymnal 463: 4 *He Leadeth Me*  
 \*Postlude

\*Please stand if able. **Bold** denotes projected items.

**Evening Worship • 5:30 p.m.**

Prelude  
 \*Call to Worship and Prayer  
 \*Psalter Hymnal 410 *Come to the Savior Now*  
 \*Declaration of Trust and God's Greeting  
 \*Confession of Faith *The Apostles' Creed*  
 (metrical – sung to Psalter Hymnal 251)

The Prayers of God's People  
 Offering *World Renew*  
 \*Psalter Hymnal 321 *O Day of Rest and Gladness*

Scripture *Romans 4: 9 – 12 (pew Bible, p. 1751)*  
 Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 25 *Psalter, p. 32*  
 Sermon *THE SACRAMENTS*  
 Prayer of Application

\*Song of Response *Comfort, Comfort Now My People*  
 \*Benediction  
 \*Closing Song *Let It Be Said of Us*  
 \*Postlude

**Today at Cottage Grove**

- 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship. Pastor Joseph Brinks, preaching. Offering: Cottage Grove General Fund.
- 11:00 a.m. ALL AGES are encouraged to attend our **Summer Sunday School Family Event**. Join us for a Sunday School Sing-a-long and a great video appropriate for all ages! Our first video is: *Creatures That Defy Evolution, Part 2. Enter the fascinating world of animals to reveal sophisticated and complex designs that shake the traditional foundation of evolutionary theory.* Enjoy refreshments after the morning worship service then return to the sanctuary for a time of singing and the video.
- 5:30 p.m. Evening worship. Pastor Cary Gephart, preaching. Offering: World Renew provides diaconal care and aid at home and abroad, assisting the distressed and needy in Christ's name.

**This Week at Cottage Grove**

- Monday, July 9**
- 7:00 p.m. **VBS Staff meeting**. Teachers/assistant teachers will receive their training materials, t-shirts, and spend some time in training with the department leaders.

**Tuesday, July 10**

- 6:30 p.m. All are welcome to join us in **Prayer for our Council and VBS**.
- 7:00 p.m. **Council** meets. A copy of the agenda is posted on the library bulletin board.

**Wednesday, July 11**

- 6:30 – 7:45 a.m. **Men's Prayer Breakfast** at Sheffield's Restaurant (1027 Sheffield Ave., Dyer, IN).

**Thursday, July 12**

- 12 Noon. **Bulletin deadline.**

**Next week at Cottage Grove**

**Sunday, July 15**

- 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship. Pastor Joseph Brinks, preaching. Sermon title: "AND FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS, AS WE ALSO HAVE FORGIVEN OUR DEBTORS". Offering: Cottage Grove General Fund.
- Our missionary Kevin and Kaori Laverman will be visiting with us. Kevin will have a Mission Moment during the service and we will have a **Potluck Lunch at 11:30 a.m.** Please plan to join us and sign up on the bulletin board so we know how many will attend and what kind of dish you will bring.
- 5:30 p.m. Evening worship. Pastor Joseph Brinks, preaching. Sermon title: "AND LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION BUT DELIVER US FROM THE EVIL ONE". Offering: Calvin Christian School.

**Friday, July 20**

- 6:30 p.m. **VBS Flyer Distribution Night**. Please join us for a walk through the neighborhood surrounding church to place information on doors regarding VBS and our church. Light refreshments will follow our walk.

**Coming Events**

**VBS Genesis 1: Space Probe - JULY 30 - AUGUST 3.**

**Prayer Partners.** Signup sheets for classroom teacher/assistant teacher **prayer partners** are on the VBS table. Prayer Partners do not need to be present at VBS. We are looking for people who will commit to praying for a teacher/assistant teacher throughout the week of VBS and also for their preparation. You will be given a card with the name and phone number of the teacher, so that you can encourage them throughout the week and see if they have any special concerns. Please consider signing up for one or more classroom teacher/assistant teacher. **Your prayers are essential for this ministry!**

**Saturday, August 4 – Save the Date! Annual Church Picnic.**

## Our Church Family

Congratulations to Joanne V who will celebrate her 83<sup>rd</sup> birthday on July 9; to Lee M who will celebrate her 80<sup>th</sup> birthday on July 10; to Arlene V Z who will celebrate her 82<sup>nd</sup> birthday on July 11; and to Willard V Z who will celebrate his 82<sup>nd</sup> birthday on July 14.

“Thank you so much for the delicious meals provided following the birth of Eleanor. It was such a help to not have to worry about cooking for a while. We are so blessed to be part of a church who loves and cares for us! May God bless you and keep you.” In Christ, the G’s.

## From Mission Committee

**Neighbor Love Idea:** Remember a friend or neighbor's birthday or anniversary with a card or small gift.

**Thank you** to all who brought items for PACIFIC GARDEN MISSION. If you are willing to deliver our gifts to the Mission, please contact Carol or Gail.

## Announcements

- Our **Wifi** domain is CGC-Guest, and the password is Cottagegrovecrc.

## Requested Announcements

**Monday, July 9,** 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. **PASS** (Pregnancy Aid South Suburbs) is having a fundraiser at Aurelio's (601 E. 170th Street, South Holland). Please take a coupon from the library bulletin board or go to Aurelio's website to download a coupon there. [www.helppass.org](http://www.helppass.org). Thank you for all the support you have given to PASS in the past and in the future. We can't do all that we do without the help of supporters like you.

**Thursday, July 19,** 6:30 p.m. – **Lansing Christian School Bean Bag Tournament Fundraiser.** There will be food available for the whole family. Online registration deadline is Friday, July 14. \$40.00/team for online registration, and \$60.00/team for onsite registration. For more information and to pre-register, go to <http://www.lansingchristian.org/donate/beanbag.cfm>.

**Friday, September 14,** 7:00 p.m. The Illiana Division of Bible League International Volunteers hosts **Selah** in concert at Bethel CRC (3500 Glenwood Lansing Road). Limited seating – purchase your tickets online at [bibleleague.org/selah](http://bibleleague.org/selah). Proceeds and donations serve the under-resourced church to transform lives through God's Word.

**Friday, November 2.** Providence Life Services 58th Annual Ministry Celebration at Shedd Aquarium (1200 Lake Shore Drive,

Chicago). Reserve Online or call (708) 342-8108 to reserve your seat.

**Calvin Christian School** in South Holland, IL currently has a few available spots in our PK3 & PK4 programs as well as in 2nd grade. Interested families should contact Tanya Harper, Director of Enrollment, at 708.331.5027.

## In Service

	July 8	July 15
Organist AM		Jan H
Pianist AM	Beth H	
Organist PM		Joanne H
Pianist PM	Barb U	
Greeters AM	Hank & Adele B	Doris H
Greeter-South AM	Ken B	Will V M
Greeters PM	Ken & Bonnie B	Alex & Grace H
Nursery AM	Grace H Zeke H	Ria B Peyton G
Ushers	Ryan S Rich K Carl E	Terry W Rick U Hank B
Video AM	Ken B	Will V M
Video PM	Neil V	Neil V
AM Cookies	Ria B	Cele B
Holland Home Driver	Arlene L	Judy S
Sound Operator	Bob T	Marv S

## Deacon Districts

A-D Ryan S  
E-H Mark U  
I-R Ken B  
S-U Rich D  
V-Z Bob T

## Elder Districts

A-G Rick U  
H-S Will V Z (Dec-Apr)  
H-L Hank B (Apr-Nov)  
M-S Will V M (Apr-Nov)  
T-Z Rich K



Empowered by  
**GOD'S SPIRIT,**  
 we are called to  
 COMMUNICATE Christ in word and deed  
 CONNECT new and established believers in fellowship  
 COME together around God's word, His table, and in prayer  
 CULTIVATE disciples for His service.

We are Proclaiming  
**JESUS CHRIST**  
 in South Holland  
 and Beyond for the  
**GLORY OF GOD!**

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