

Welcome to Cottage Grove Church and to our services of worship today. This morning we are celebrating the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. This is the table of the Lord set for all who are trusting in the mercy of Christ for the forgiveness of sin and who are seeking to live according to his commandments. If you are visiting with us and are a professing member in good standing of an evangelical church, we cordially invite you to commune with us. Plan to stay for coffee and fellowship following the service. Recordings of our services are available on our website or on compact disk which can be ordered by calling the church office or by 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 • August 25, 2019	
Morning Worship • 9:30 a.m.	
Prelude	
*Call to Worship and Prayer	
*Celebration Hymnal 319	Near the Cross
*Declaration of Trust and God's Greeting	
Summary of the Law of God	
Assurance of Pardon	
Congregational Prayer	
Offering	Cottage Grove General Fund
*Celebration Hymnal 337	Nothing but the Blood
Scripture	John 6: 43 – 59 (pew Bible, p.1657)
Text	John 6: 53
Sermon	THE GREATEST EVENT IN OUR LIVES
Prayer of Application	
The Lord’s Supper	
Communion Formulary	
The Consecration	
The Lifting of our Hearts to the Lord	
Pastor: Lift up your hearts.	
Congregation responds: We lift them up to the Lord.	
Serving of the Elements	
*Psalter Hymnal 422	O Jesus, Joy of Loving Hearts
*Benediction	
*Closing Song • Celebration Hymnal 657	Cleanse Me
*Postlude	

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

Evening Worship • 5:30 p.m.	
Prelude	
*Call to Worship and Prayer	
Celebration Hymnal 77 • Worthy of Love and Praise	
*Declaration of Trust and God's Greeting	
*Celebration Hymnal 78	I Love You, Lord (with repeat)
*Celebration Hymnal 79	My Jesus, I Love Thee
*Confession of Faith	The Apostles’ Creed (Psalter, p. 3)
Song of Praise • Celebration Hymnal 766	At the Name of Jesus
The Prayers of God's People	
Offering	Calvinist Cadet Corps
*Psalter Hymnal 170	Almighty God, Thy Lofty Throne
Scripture	Romans 2: 1 – 16 (pew Bible, p. 1748)
Heidelberg Catechism, Lord’s Day 4	Psalter, p. 11
Sermon	THE JUST JUDGE
Prayer of Application	
*Psalter Hymnal 157	There Where the Judges Gather
*Benediction	
*Psalter Hymnal 490	Praise Ye the Lord, Ye Hosts Above
*Postlude	

Today at Cottage Grove	
9:30 a.m. Morning Worship. Pastor Joel Nederhood, preaching.	
Offering: Cottage Grove General Fund. Lord’s Supper.	
11:00 a.m. Deacons meet.	
11:00 a.m. Consistory meets	
5:30 p.m. Evening worship. Pastor Cary Gephart, preaching.	
Offering: Calvinist Cadet Corps, the organizing and ruling body for Cadet Clubs. They are an independent agency and do not receive any direct support from the denomination. Their main function is to provide educational material for Cadets and Counselors and assist clubs in many ways.	

This Week at Cottage Grove	
Wednesday, August 28	
6:30 – 7:45 a.m. Men’s Prayer Breakfast at Sheffield’s Restaurant (1027 Sheffield Ave., Dyer, IN).	
Thursday, August 29	
10:00 a.m. Mission Committee meets.	

Next week at Cottage Grove	
Sunday, September 1	
9:30 a.m. Morning Worship. Dr. Cornel Venema, preaching. Sermon title: RUTH MEETS HER KINSMAN-REDEEMER. Offering: Cottage Grove General Fund.	
5:30 p.m. Evening worship. Dr. Cornel Venema, preaching. Sermon title: A TRUE KINSMAN-REDEEMER IN BETHLEHEM. Offering: Cottage Grove Education Fund.	
Join us for a Bonfire Night immediately following the evening worship service! Please bring one of the following to share: hot dogs/buns, ingredients for s'mores, pudgy pies, chips and dip, dessert. If you have hot dog forks and/or pudgy pie makers, please bring those too! Feel free to invite family and friends, dress casual for the worship service, and make sure to bring a lawn chair! If you have questions, contact Mark U at (708) 955-5221.	
Deadline for the September/October Profile . Please e-mail the church office or place items in the mailbox by the church office. Your contributions of articles, news items and pictures will be most welcome. See Dave & Gail V K with questions.	

Our Church Family	
Continue to pray for Marge K at Symphony in Crestwood.	
Pray for Marlene U who is on hospice care at home. Continue to pray for Darald and Marlene U in their various health issues.	
Phyllis V M as she is confined to her home at Village Woods.	
Will V M is recovering after receiving a pacemaker.	
Pray for Joanne Z as she is confined to her home.	

From Mission Committee	
Do you have any used Bibles, books, or Christian materials that may teach, inform, or enrich others? We will continue collecting these materials for Forest Preserve Bible Church until the end of August. Please deposit these in the box under the shelf by the library, marked " Used Christian Material ". Thank you!	
Are you still saving the cancelled stamps from your envelopes? We would appreciate them! Please deposit them in the designated box near the library.	

Announcements	
Our Wifi domain is CGC-Guest, and the password is Cottagegrovecrc.	
The Church Office will be closed through August 30. Please contact your district elder or deacon if you have any pastoral needs.	
The Deacons gratefully acknowledge your generous gifts to the Benevolence Fund. Currently there are few benevolence needs. Prayerfully consider redirecting your gifts to the Education Fund.	

Pages for a new **Church Directory** are on a table in the Fellowship Hall. Please check the information for your family and

note any corrections. If you are not a member of Cottage Grove, but would like to be included in the directory, please add that information to the sheets or phone the church office during the week.

Requested Announcements

Saturday, September 7. Lansing Christian School's **Annual Steak Fry** will be held from 4:30-7:00 pm, in the gym. Join us for a delicious meal of steak, salad, potatoes, corn on the cob and dessert! Cost: freewill offering benefiting the General Fund. Questions? - Please call school at 708-474-1700

Saturday, September 14, 8:30 a.m. – 12 noon. Key Note Speaker Kendra Broekhuis, worship leader Claire Ratliff, and Egyptian ministry leader Nervana join Bible League Volunteers in providing you a special morning at Orland Park CRC. Tickets available online at bibleleague.org/tickets through Sept 8. Brochures are available at bibleleague.org/retreat19. For more information, see Evelyn Zoeteman.

Friday, September 27. Lansing Christian School's Fall Festival & Auction. Come for supper at Food Court which opens at 5:00 p.m. and stay for the Live Auction which begins at 6:00 p.m. Silent auctions will start at 6:30 p.m. Don't miss our "Gift Card Grab"! Games for the children will begin at 6:00 p.m. Bring the entire family for a fun-filled evening and support Christian education at LCS. For more information, call the school office at 474-1700.

Saturday, September 28. Annual Elim Dutch Festival. Your donations make the annual Dutch Fest a success! Donations of new handmade craft items are being welcomed now through September. Homemade baked goods will be accepted the week of the event. Questions? Contact Laura at 708-293-6509 or Laura.Schnyders@elimcs.org. All proceeds directly benefit children and adults with disabilities.

Thursday, October 3, 6:30 p.m. Make plans to attend the 36th **Annual PASS Banquet** at Odyssey Country Club in Tinley Park, Illinois. This year's theme is: *Extreme Ownership*. We will have Rev. Cory Musgrave of New Beginnings Church in Fairfield, IL as our keynote speaker. Musgrave was the pastor who prayed on the Illinois House floor after the decision was made to allow abortions up to 40 weeks of pregnancy. He prayed that God would "judge Illinois for the sanctioned destruction of the innocent unborn." Join with us and Rev. Musgrave as he shares about extreme ownership, embracing who we are and the work that God has given us to do. To reserve your spot, please call 708/614-9777 ext. 121 or go to passnetworkforlife.org/custom/donate. We anticipate a great turnout! **Please reserve your spot by September 15!**

Men of A-Chord Call Out: Are you interested in singing with this great group of men? We would love to have you come alongside us and enjoy singing for the Lord. The Men of A-Chord season will start, Wednesday, August 28, 2019 @ 7:30 pm at our **new**

rehearsal location at Oak Glen United Reformed Church (2244 Indiana Ave., Lansing, IL). You don't have to be a soloist or an accomplished singer. Please consider coming out for a practice. You will be welcomed "richly" and warmly. For more information contact Max Mejan @ 708-846-3574 or Justin Rich @ 219-588-5471.

In Service		
	August 25	September 1
Organist AM	Jan H	Nancy V
Pianist AM		
Organist PM		
Pianist PM	Barb U	Angie U
Greeters AM		Frank & Chris V
Greeter-South AM	Alex H	Mark U
Greeters PM	Bob T	Judy S
Nursery AM	Edie G Beth E	Kathy K Daniel K
Ushers		Mark U Bob T
Video AM	Alex H	Mark U
Video PM	Neil V	Neil V
AM Cookies	Grace H	Lee M
Sound Operator	Jon K	Marv S

Deacon Districts		Elder Districts	
A-D	Neil V	A-G	Rick U
E-H	Mark U	H-S	Will V Z (Dec-Apr)
I-P	Ken B	H-L	Hank B (Apr-Nov)
Q-S	Bob T	M-S	Will V M (Apr-Nov)
T-V	Rich D	T-Z	Rich K
W-Z	Alex H		



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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