



In Our Prayers This Week



Throughout the week, please keep these people in your daily prayers. As a model for prayer, consider going through the **A.C.T.S. of prayer**. **Adoration**: praising God for who He is. **Confession**: confessing your sins to God, especially those that weigh on your heart. **Thanksgiving**: thanking God for specific blessings. **Supplication**: asking God for help.

For those who are homebound • Val Rakey, Paul and Barb Jones, Sharon Estes, Ann Paschal, Wanda Bollinger, Randy Skaggs, Doug Arnold, Doris Bayuk.

For healing and continued recovery • Evelyn Boyd, John Hart (friend of Sherry Glaeser, whose cancer has returned and also has leukemia), Jerry Scherer (friend/cousin of the Ruzickas, hospitalized for heart issues), Emmalyn Ganey (Cathy Dew's granddaughter, ill), Pastor Jim Kirk, Jesslynn (Rick and Cindy Hutson's granddaughter, whose son, Benson, was born in critical condition), Mike Fitzsimmons (chronic prostatitis), Sue Schweiss (Cathy Dew's sister, back problems), Sue Steiger (cancer), the Schwent family, Steve Beckham (undergoing surgery for Parkinsons on November 7), Pat Doenges (recovering from surgery).

For those celebrating birthdays in September • Bonnie Keir (September 1), Wayne Phillips (September 2), Pat Wibbenmeyer (September 4), Pastor Craig Reiter (September 5), Paula Dustman (September 9), Millicent Manasco (September 14), Connie Skaggs (September 15), Terry Bollinger (September 30).

For those celebrating wedding anniversaries in September • Frank & Annette Rolfe (September 15), Dan & Rose Kastrup (September 18), Randy & Linda Ruzicka (September 28).

For those who mourn.

For local, state, and national elected officials • that they uphold goodness and work humbly for those they serve.

For our community • that more people believe the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

For our circuit congregations.

For our church family • that we are transformed in Christ to share the hope of eternal life.

For missionaries • Angela Steinbacher.

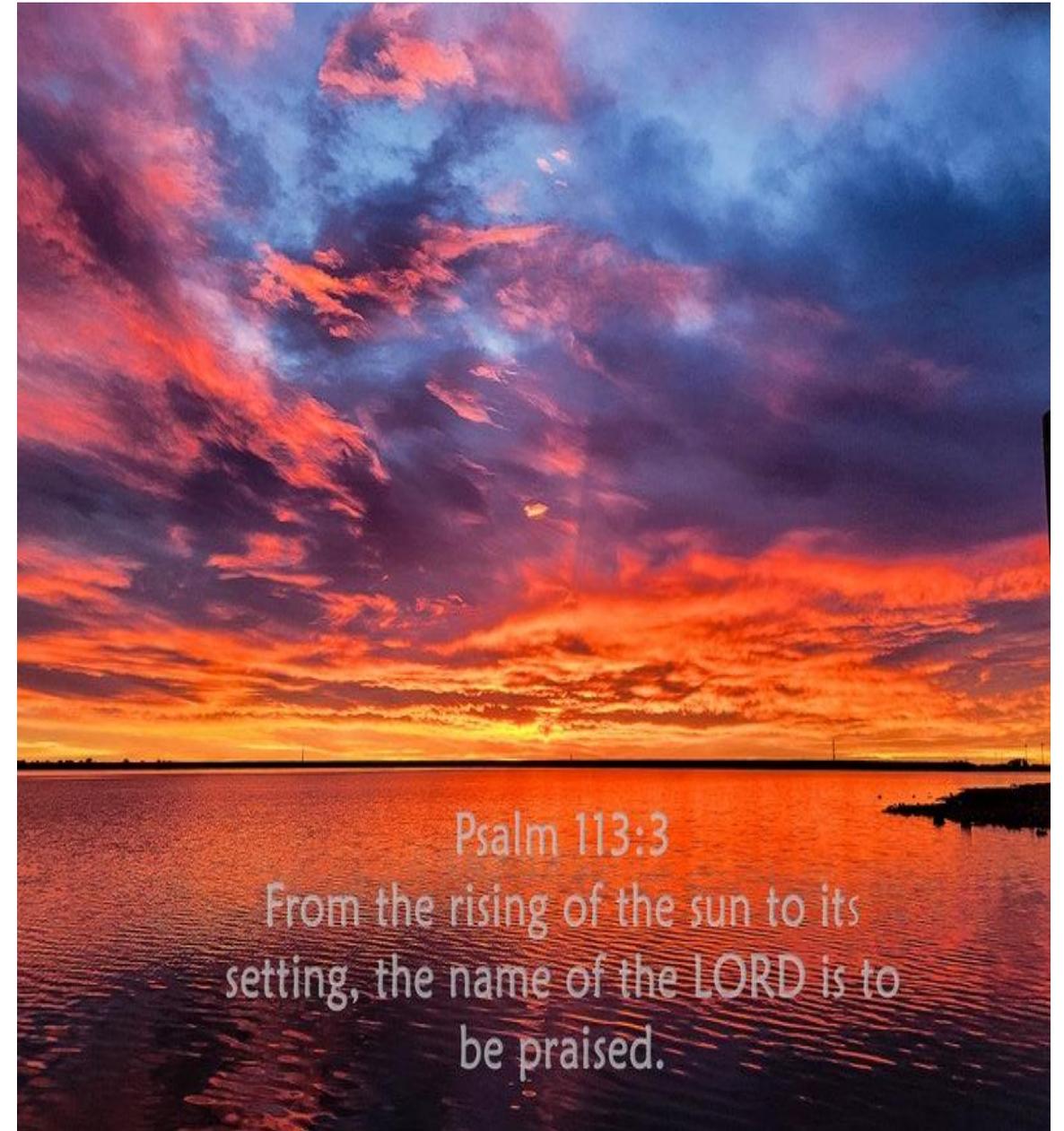
For all prayer requests not listed here.

If you desire a prayer request to be printed in the bulletin, please let Pastor Craig or the church office know by email or phone by noon on Wednesday. Other prayer requests may still be prayed for during the church service by writing the request on the attendance card and folding your card in half. Additionally, if you would like a prayer request removed, please talk to Pastor Craig, or contact the church office. Please note that if no update is given after a month, the prayer request will be removed from the list.



WE ARE TRANSFORMED IN CHRIST
TO SHARE THE HOPE OF ETERNAL LIFE.

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 25, 2022



Psalm 113:3

From the rising of the sun to its
setting, the name of the LORD is to
be praised.



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Welcome to Holy Cross! We're glad you're here!

We extend a cordial welcome to all our guests and visitors with us today. We pray the Holy Spirit will strengthen your faith through your worship and send you on your way rejoicing! We invite you to come back and worship with us again soon.

We welcome Pastor Kyle Castens from Immanuel, Crystal City, as our guest pastor, while Pastor Craig is serving at Immanuel this morning.

The flowers on the altar today are given by the Biscayarts to thank and praise God for our worship.

“Cross-Word” newsletters for October and the “Portals of Prayer” books (October—December) are in the members’ mailboxes in the narthex. Extra copies of the newsletter and large print copies of “Portals of Prayer” are available from the desk in the back of the sanctuary.

A BIG “Thank you!” to those who helped at the Oktoberfest. It was great exposure to our community and to the visitors. Next up is the Ste. Genevieve Christmas Holiday Festival on December 3 and 4.

Church mowers, we now have a lawn mower in the garage by the Outreach Center. You will need to bring gas. Mowing the lawn this week (September 25—October 1): Dan Sullivan. We need someone to mow the church lawn each week during the summer and fall. Please sign up on the sheet on the table in the back of the sanctuary. In addition to the church lawn, our new Outreach Center lawn also needs to be mowed. Thank you!

OUR FATHER'S BUSINESS

SUNDAY September 25	TUESDAY September 27	NEXT SUNDAY October 2
9:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE	10:30 AM TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS	9:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE
BIBLE CLASS after the service		BIBLE CLASS after the service

Your Financial Support of Your Church	Sept. 18, 2022	Year-to-Date
Weekly Budget Requirement	\$3,044	\$109,584
Actual Offerings—including online offerings (budget)	\$4,333	\$106,455
Ahead/Behind Budget Requirement	\$1,289	-\$3,129
% Ahead/Behind	42.3%	-2.9%

Would you like to give flowers for the altar? Upcoming dates available are: **October 16; November 13; Advent poinsettias: December 4, 11, 18.** Sign up on the flower chart on the wall by the kitchenette above the water fountain. Print your name and occasion clearly. Please put \$20 in an envelope marked “Flower Fund.” Place it in the offering plate.

Watering the flowers this week (September 25—October 1): Bonnie Zerwig. We need someone to water the flowers outside in front daily each week during the summer and fall. Please sign up on the sheet on the table in the back of the sanctuary. Thank you to all who volunteer!

Pork Sausage Supper at Uniontown, Mo., next Sunday, October 2, in the Grace Fellowship Hall (school basement). Dine in or take out from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Cost: \$12 for adults and \$6 for children. Menu: whole hog pork sausage, parsley potatoes, green beans, sauerkraut, applesauce, and dessert.

Building Relationships • Inviting someone to church does not require special training, gifts, or title. It needs only Christ’s love in us and a willingness to go outside our self-preoccupation and say to someone, “Do you regularly attend a local church? If not, would you like to visit mine? I’d like to have you come with me.”