

Communion Music ***Open My Eyes, That I May See***  
arr. Michael Johnson  
David Williams, organ

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body of Christ.  
**All: The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our Communion  
in the blood of Christ. Amen.**

Benediction

Recessional ***This Little Light of Mine*** Traditional

Postlude ***Voluntary*** arr. David Paxton  
David Williams, organ



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*The Cradle Cross and rose on the altar today are in honor of  
Libby Danielle Baum, born to Nick & Shelby Baum on  
August 23rd, 2020.*



# Central Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ)  
Decatur, Illinois  
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***Sunday, August 30, 2020***



**Michael E. Karunas**  
Senior Minister

**Don Martin**  
Minister of Music

**Tina Miller**  
Associate Minister of  
CE and Family Life

**David Martin**  
Youth Director



**Sermon Outline**  
***“You Are... the Light of the World”***

Light

- 1) From God
  - First thing created in Genesis
  - Light needed to do everything else
- 2) Gives Guidance
  - Exodus – God led people with a pillar of fire
  - Light gives hope in darkness
- 3) Jesus is the Light
  - He is our hope
  - He is our deliverance from spiritual bondage to eternal freedom
  - Example – Feast of Tabernacles*
- 4) Light reveals
  - John 3 – conversation with Nicodemus
  - Light exposes things for what they are
  - Light reveals without judgment
  - If there is judgment, it comes from us  
(based on what light reveals)

We are the Light of the World

- Jesus’ mission is our mission
- Faith is not private or personal (only)
- To be a follower is to inherit the calling of Christ

To be a Light of the World

- Give hope and comfort to those in darkness
- Give guidance to those lost
- Reveal a way to the Light without judgment



**Matthew 5:14-16 (NRSV)**

<sup>14</sup> “You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. <sup>15</sup> No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. <sup>16</sup> In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

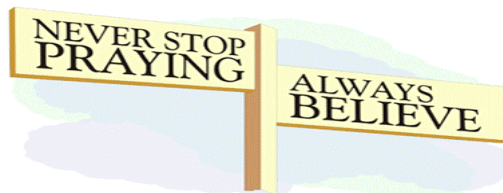
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# Prayer List



Last updated 8/28/2020

## Members

Howard Cravens  
Eleanor Spracklen  
Louise Boline  
Jean Booher  
Lawrence Turner  
George Kuhns  
Barbara Tyler  
Karma Lynn Carpenter  
David Miller  
Unique Hess  
Joan Smith  
Evelyn Sanders  
Don Boyd  
Gretchen Barron  
Linda Kuhns  
Bob Bischoff  
Pat Ash

## Members in Nursing Home & Assisted Living

Arlene Penn (Imboden Creek)  
Zettie Stern (Imboden Creek)  
Claudine Nichols (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Warren & Azalee Berner (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Laura Sperry (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Roe Skidmore (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Irwin Soliday (Primrose)  
Norma Brown (Lincolnshire)  
Billie Harmon (Randall Residence)  
Marilyn Riley (Randall Residence)  
Max Sperry (Randall Residence)  
Dottie Scholes (Hickory Pt Christian Village)  
Shirlee Johnson (Hickory Pt Christian Village)  
Elaine Hynds (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Wanda Poisel (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Loren Glasscock (Hickory Pt Christian Village)

## We Pray for Those in the Military:

Rob Aikman, Bobbie Backes, Noah Burkham,  
Phillip Johnston, Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary,  
Brandon Trail, Trysten Hall, Lucas Ward,  
Katy Taylor

## Friends & Family

Misty Mochel (friend of Marci Baumann)  
Gary & Diane Lockwood (Friends of Nancy Ellen Taylor)  
Amy Blackburn (friend of Marci Baumann)  
Barb Disney (Friend of Penny Rutherford)  
Shannon Francisco (Friend of Bob Smith)  
Bryanna Shaw (Friend of Maria Jacobs)  
Timothy Littrell (friend of the Lintons & the Bednars)  
Brook Stewart (Parents friend of Jim & Pamela Bednar)  
John Burton (Nephew of Carrie Funk)  
Janet May Carpenter (mother of Karma Lynn Carpenter)  
Mark Boline (son of Louise Boline)  
Jonas Fagin (grandson of Al & Chris Fagin)  
Gerald Spencer II (father of Ashely Sparks)  
Richard & Ruth Albin (cousins of Nancy Ellen Taylor)  
Keith Bess (friend of Gregg & Linda Foltz)  
Bob Dorsey (friend of Jim Bednar)  
Anne Hostetler (friend of many CCC members)  
Jeff Pritts (son of Eleanor Pritts)  
Michael Moran (son in law of Larry & Marla Winkleblack)  
Catherine Bower (friend of Jerry Bean)  
Carter Goodman (nephew of Greg & Gale Barnes)  
Andy Harbeck (friend of Donna Dash)  
John Allen (friend of Donna Dash)  
Melissa Phelps (friend of Derald Hartley)  
Jill Bolin (Larry & Marla Winkleblack's daughter)  
The Family of Mark Richert (friend of Donna Dash)  
Chuck & Linda Doehring (cousins of Joy Adams)