

Cottage Grove United Church of Christ is a Joyful Place to be... making connections, touching lives, and serving Christ.
We enter the Sanctuary to worship God. We leave the Sanctuary to serve with God.
(*All who are able in body and/or spirit are invited to stand)

We Gather to Worship

Gathering Music

“Awesome God”

JC Rock

By Rich Mullins - CCLI Song # 41099, CCLI License # 1913200

“The Power of Your Love”

By Geoff Bullock - CCLI Song # 917491, CCLI License # 1913200

Ringling of the Bell

Welcome

(If you wish, please type your online greetings/peace to one another in the chat/comment section.)

*An Opening Song of Praise

“Come, Now is the Time to Worship”

Lyric Sheet

By Brian Doerksen - CCLI Song # 2430948, CCLI License # 1913200

An Opening Prayer (*spoken together*)

Words on screen

We Listen for God’s Word

Gospel Reading

John 10:22-30

The Gift of Music

“We Believe”

JC Rock

By Matthew Hooper, Richie Fike, Travis Ryan - CCLI Song # 6367165, CCLI License # 1913200

We Learn from God’s Word

“Winter Resurrections”

Pastor Bryan Olson

*A Hymn of Faith

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

Lyric Sheet, NCH #439, vs. 1-4

We Bring Our Tithes and Offerings

An Invitation to Give In-person, Electronically, and by Mail

(In-person guests are invited to place their offerings in the box at the back of the sanctuary. For those who wish to give electronically, a QR Code will be shown during this time in the service where you can connect to CGUCC’s safe and secure online giving site directly by scanning the code with your mobile device.)

Offertory Response

“Give Thanks”

Lyric Sheet

By Henry Smith - CCLI Song # 20285, CCLI License # 1913200

Recognition of Mother’s Day and A Time to Give Thanks for our Mothers in Life and Faith

A Mother’s Day Prayer

A Gift Music for Mothers/Grandmothers

“Showers of Blessing”

Kyler Kropelnicki

By James McGranahan - One License Song # TLC-000334, One License # A-740865

We Offer Our Prayers

We Gather and Share Our Prayers and Thanksgivings

(If you would like to, please share your prayer requests online by typing them into the chat/comment section or sending a private message to Pastor Bryan at pastor@cgucc.org)

We Pray Together

The Lord’s Prayer (debts/debtors)

Words on screen

We Go Out to Live and Serve

*A Hymn As We Part

“Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”

Lyric Sheet, NCH #77, vs. 1-2

*We Receive A Blessing

*Music As We Leave

“Shine Jesus Shine”

JC Rock

By Graham Kendrick - CCLI Song # 30426, CCLI License # 1913200

NEXT STEPS...

- ☐ Remember that resurrection hope and power *can be found* in the “winter seasons” of our lives and ultimately are what can and will lead us through those seasons.
- ☐ Support our children, youth, and the church by making a financial donation to the **Kidz Ministry “I Love to Read” Read-a-thon (April 13-May 11)** to help raise money for the educational ministries of the church while promoting important reading skills and education at the same time.
- ☐ Attend the **Spring Church Picnic** following worship next **Sunday, May 18th**, and invite your family, friends, and neighbors to join you! There will be a lot of great food, fellowship, fun games for kids, and a cake/dessert walk for kids of all ages to go home with a sweet treat. Delicious fried chicken and beverages will be provided. If you are able, please bring a side dish, salad, and/or dessert to share.
- ☐ Donate a sweet treat for the cake/dessert walk at the Spring Church Picnic. Sign-up in the Gathering Room or contact the church office this week at 651-459-1501, office@cgucc.org.
- ☐ Volunteer to help with the games for the children at the Spring Church Picnic. Contact Pastor Bryan if you are interested.
- ☐ Register my child/children or grandchild/grandchildren for *Road Trip Vacation Bible School (July 28-31)*. Registration is FREE for all children ages 3 through 5th Grade.
- ☐ Give my financial tithes and offerings to the church **in person, electronically** (using the QR code or at www.cgucc.org), or **by mail** (7008 Lamar Ave S, Cottage Grove, MN 55016).

