



*St. Matthew's Community Church*

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**Welcome to:**  
***St. Matthew's Community Church***

Sunday September 28<sup>th</sup> 2025

**Prelude**

**Greetings and announcements:**

**Centering our Hearts for Worship/ Carry the Light of Christ into the Sanctuary**

**Call to Worship:** We gather in abundance away from the rush and the race, to celebrate the generous spirit that sings without fear, “may all have enough”. We gather to live into the work of God’s call. We gather in grace, awake to the sin of despair and degradation, awake to the chance to be more, and the possibilities seeded within. We gather to grow, to change moment by moment, in grace again and again. Amen.

**The Gloria Patri:**

**Hymn:** Choir - Get on Board Little Children  
More Precious than Silver

**Joys and Concerns:** *(see back page for last week's Joys and Concerns)*

**Pastoral Prayer/The Lord's Prayer:**

**Dedication of Tithes and Offerings/  
Doxology:** *#95 in Hymnal*

**Children's Sermon:**

**Scripture Reading:** 2 Corinthians 8:16-24 *NIV*

**Sermon:** That Time Again

**Hymn:** Choir – Jesus, Hold My Hand  
#399 Take My Life and Let It Be

*This Little Light of Mine*

**Benediction:**

**Postlude**

**This Month's Mission:**

Whitley County Energy Assistance

**Church Calendar:**

Emmaus 4<sup>th</sup> Day Group Wednesday's 2:00-2:45

Atoned 4 Practice: Wednesdays 6:00

Choir Practice: Tuesdays 6:30

Youth Group Sunday Evenings 6-7:15

St. Matthew's Women Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> 2pm in Church lobby

October 4<sup>th</sup> 11-2 Community Free Lunch

## **Prayer concerns, Joys, and Condolences, from last week:**

### **Prayers and Concerns:**

Devier Weicht  
Stephanie Trent  
Jan and Karen Miller  
Sandy Barkey  
Ed Kimble  
Howard Lowen  
Rick Kreps  
Phyllis Swick  
Barry Horner  
Scott McQueen  
Brenda Caibaios  
Micci's Camping trip  
Karen Stewart  
Mike Hyndman  
Scott Trout – Alice Nicolet's Son Heart Surgery  
Diane Jones  
Heather Rutledge – cancer  
Charlene Harter  
Kayla Pearson  
Doug Pearson – hospital  
Barb Howe  
Patty Gentile  
Linda Levett – cancer  
Barb Dahman - Nancy Austin's Cousin  
Pam Groff  
Bob Sefton  
Loni Creasy  
Alice Pontzius – cancer is back

### **Condolences:**

Don Koop family  
Chad Banks family

### **Joys and Celebrations:**