

“My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one.” – John 17:15 (NIV)

AUGUST 2010 PRAYER CALENDAR

1. For Today's Worship Leaders
2. For all weather victims
3. For good health
4. For our Pastor Magee and his family
5. For God's world and its leaders
6. For those celebrating August birthdays and anniversaries
7. For each on our Circle-of-Prayer list – one-by-one
8. For Today's Worship Leaders
9. For our fall programs to begin
10. For our Church Council
11. For our ministry partner, the Ukrainian Christian Church
12. For all military personnel
13. For friends
14. For family
15. For Today's Worship Leaders
16. For a new school year
17. For our church – St Matthias
18. For our homebound
19. For law enforcement officers
20. For our many blessings
21. For a prayerful spirit
22. For Today's Worship Leaders
23. For Christian unity
24. For those who are hungry
25. For patience
26. For our ministry partner, dePaul School
27. For the oil spill aftermath
28. For the unemployed
29. For Today's Worship Leaders
30. For our loyal volunteers, thank you!
31. For joy in our heart

DEVOTION CORNER

Enough with Change

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. *Hebrews 13:8*

Do you ever get tired of change? A retired, wheelchair-bound music professor was visited frequently by a friend. Every time the professor was visited, he was asked the same question, “Well, what’s the good news?” The elderly man would pick up his tuning fork, tap in on the side of the wheelchair, and say, “That’s middle C! It was middle C yesterday; it will be middle C tomorrow; it will be middle C a thousand years from now.”

We need a middle C for our lives. We so easily can lose sight of Christ when we take our eyes off Him and sin. Relationships change. Health changes. The weather changes. Neighborhoods change. Yet the God who ruled the earth yesterday is the same God who rules it today. Same power. Same love. Same Lord Jesus