



Crucifixion of Saint Peter - Caravaggio (1601)
Cerasi Chapel, Santa Maria del Popolo, Rome

GENESIS CHURCH

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost - August 30, 2026

Call To Worship the LORD

Hearing of the Word: Psalm 26 (NLT)

Prayer of Adoration

Songs of Adoration and Praise

Immortal, Invisible (Hymnal #25)

Holy, Holy, Holy (Hymnal #262)

Be Thou My Vision (Hymnal #382)

Prayer of Confession

Teaching of the Word

“Put Me On Trial, LORD, and Cross-Examine Me”

I. “You must influence them; do not let them influence you!”
(Jeremiah 15:15-21)

II. “...you must give up you own way, take up your cross, and follow me.”
(Matthew 16:21-28)

III. “Bless those who persecute you...pray that God will bless them.”
(Romans 12:9:21)

IV. Really Love

Prayer of Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Supper

Song of Response

They’ll Know We Are Christians by Our Love (Hymnal #284)

Community Life

Next Sunday, Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost. 10 am
Please prepare by reading and meditating on these lectionary texts:
Psalm 119:33-40 • Ezekiel 33:7-11 • Matthew 18:15-20 • Romans 13:8-14

Sunday, September 20, Genesis 20th Anniversary!
Come celebrate the Lord’s faithfulness to us as a local church in the Greater Iowa City Area - planted to be a church of “new beginnings” for those outside of Christ and His Church and for those who are looking for a fresh start with Christ and His Church.

Saturday, September 26, Fields of Faith, 8-10 am.
Come join in harvesting produce for our community!
2554 Cemetery Road NW, Oxford

Thanks-giving

As an act of worship, may we give generously, as the Lord has been generous to us.
Thank you for your faithful giving!

Prayers of Supplication

The Lord’s Prayer (KJV)

“Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.”

- Matthew 6:9-13 (KJV)

Blessing and Sending

“All glory to the only wise God, through Jesus Christ, forever. Amen.”

- Romans 16:27 (NLT)

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