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In our church, no matter who you are or where you are  
on life's journey, you are welcome here!*

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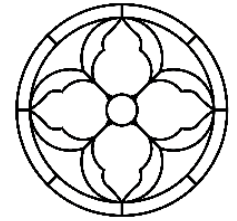
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## **Central Square Congregational Church, UCC**

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*"We are a Christian Community of people  
who are reaching out to our neighbors,  
at home and abroad,  
sharing our faith and our resources."*



# SABBATH

what does "keeping the sabbath" mean to me?

## Sunday, August 21, 2022

*Please Note: This service is subject to change by the guidance of the Holy Spirit*

*\* Denotes please rise in body or spirit.*

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## Prelude

## Welcome and Announcements

### Invitation to Fellowship

*(If you are new or visiting, please include your address, phone number, and e-mail address when you sign the fellowship pad at the end of the pew so that we may properly welcome you to our community.)*

## Introit

### \*Call to Worship

One: We may be thirsty and parched,  
like an un-watered garden,  
so we come into God's presence:

**All: The Divine One is a spring of water!**

One: We may be weary from worry and work  
so we come into God's presence:

**All: The Holy One offers us Sabbath rest!**

One: We may be lost or confused  
so we come into God's presence:

**All: The Wise One offers us welcome and guidance!**

One: We may be bent over with struggle or pain  
So we come into God's presence:

**All: The Healing One empowers us to stand strong!**

### \*Opening Prayer (based on Psalm 138)

O God of all goodness,  
you welcome us, forgive us and heal us.  
You seek us out from places where we have hidden from you.  
You crown us with steadfast love and mercy.  
Reveal yourself to us in this moment.  
Let us know your presence so that we may bless you:  
Bless you, O God! Bless your holy name! Amen.

## \*Opening Hymn

Hebrew Bible Reading: **Psalm 103:1-8**

Gospel Reading: **Luke 13:10-17**

## Musical Offering

## Sermon

## \*Hymn

## Prayers

### Celebrations and Concerns

#### Moment for Meditation

**The Lord's Prayer** (Please use the wording that is most meaningful for you.)

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.*

*Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.*

*Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our sins,  
as we forgive those who sin against us.*

*And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.*

*For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.*

## \*Closing Hymn

## Closing Words

## Postlude

*God is still speaking,*  
**UNITED CHURCH  
OF CHRIST**



**Mustard Seeds  
Prayer List of the People**

For the week of August 21, 2022

*Please note: Prayer requests should be submitted by calling the Church Office at: (508) 697-6016 or by e-mail to: [office@cscucc.com](mailto:office@cscucc.com).*

**Continued prayers for all veterans and those who are serving on active duty in the military both in the United States and abroad.**

- Prayers for the Ciaramitaro family on the sudden loss of Heather's brother, Adam Lee (8/8)
- Prayers for students everywhere as they prepare to return to school, and for those that have experienced bullying. (8/7)
- Prayers for Peter Glass as he recovers from surgery and COVID. (8/7)
- Continued prayers of health and healing for those church members and local residents who are suffering from COVID (8/7)
- Prayers for families that have strained relationships. (7/31)
- Prayers of comfort for Dot Hull and the Hull family on the passing of Kneeland (Neal) Hull on 7/21. (7/24)
- Continued prayers of health and healing for Tami Kurahara. (7/17)
- Prayers of health and healing for Joel Doniger, and for comfort and strength for the Doniger family. (7/3)
- Prayers for Jac and their partner Brooke. (6/28)
- Prayers for members of Gloria Weinrebe's family who are suffering many health issues. (3/28)
- Prayers of support and continued healing for Mike Bundock (3/16)

We, the church, are in constant prayer for our church family, our community, our nation and our world. We are in need of prayer, all of us. It is what brings us together!

**DATES TO  
REMEMBER**



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| Sunday, August 21   | Worship (10 am)<br>Bottle and can drop off for Nic Cannizzo (10:45am – 11:30 am) |
| Monday, August 22   | Crafters (10am)  |
| Thursday, August 25 | Food Pantry (10am-1pm)<br>Staff Meeting (10am)                                   |
| Sunday, August 28   | Worship (10am)   |

The church office is open Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 9am-1pm or by appointment. Please call 508-697-6016 to make an appointment or to speak with Rev. Beth. You can also contact Rev. Beth by email at [csccpastor@hotmail.com](mailto:csccpastor@hotmail.com).

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