

Today's Scripture Reading



Luke 18¹⁻⁸

Then Jesus told his disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up. He said: "In a certain town there was a judge who neither feared God nor cared what people thought. And there was a widow in that town who kept coming to him with the plea, 'Grant me justice against my adversary.'

"For some time he refused. But finally he said to himself, 'Even though I don't fear God or care what people think, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will see that she gets justice, so that she won't eventually come and attack me!'"

And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. And will not God bring about justice for his chosen ones, who cry out to him day and night? Will he keep putting them off? I tell you, he will see that they get justice, and quickly. However, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on the earth?"

#Reflection Points

Sign up to receive weekly events, happenings, and prayer lists each Thursday.

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Welcome to Worship!

October 8, 2023

The people of Colby United Methodist Church are called to reflect Christ in Colby and beyond.

Jesus' Prayer Life

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Order of Worship

19th Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude	“Just As I Am” & “What a Friend”	Shirley & Pat
Welcome & Announcements		Liturgist
Opening Song	“Give Me Joy in My Heart” & “Father Abraham”	Psalty Singers
† Call to Worship		Liturgist
Opening Hymn	“More Like You”	TFWS #2167
† Opening Prayer		Liturgist
† Lifting Joys & Concerns in Prayer		Pastor Rodgers
Prayer Song	“Cares Chorus”	TFWS #2215
Lord’s Prayer		UMH# 895
Scripture Readings		Liturgist
Children’s Message		Pastor Rodgers
† Special Music	“Be Thou My Vision”	Chancel Choir
Message		Pastor Rodgers
Doxology & Offertory Prayer		#94/Liturgist
† Closing Hymn	“When We All Get to Heaven”	UMH #701
† Closing Prayer & Benediction		Pastor Rodgers
Postlude	“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”	Shirley & Pat

Call to Worship:

From dens of slavery, through burning deserts, people of faith came forth.

**From lives encompassing both wealth and impoverishment,
we come to this place of worship.**

Hear the great lessons of faith, offered to you through the centuries. We have not hidden the struggles from you but invite you to place yourselves on the pathways of hope.

**Though our individual lives may differ,
we all come seeking God’s loving guidance and forgiveness.**

Welcome to this house of God, a place of continuing hope and courage.

Bless each one of us, O Lord, that we may fully receive your word and seek your will for our lives. AMEN.

Weekly Colby UMC Activities

Sun @ 9:00 am	Sunday School
Sun @ 9:15 am	Choir Practice
Wed @ 11:30 & 4	Helping Paws
Thurs @ 8:00 am	Men’s Breakfast (Moka’s)
Thurs @ 12:00 pm	SOAP study (zoom)
Thurs @ 1:00 pm	SOAP Bible Study
Thurs @ 9:00 am	Quilting Group

Pastor’s Schedule

Day Off: Monday
Office Hrs.: Tues–Fri: 9–12pm
 Afternoons – Pastoral Visitation
Saturday: Requested Visitation

Last Sunday

Attendance last week: 97
 General Offering: \$5,319
 Weekly need: \$6,501

Capital Campaign Funds

Raised to date: \$169,797
 Funds available: \$32,186
 Goal: \$300,000

Organist: Pat Ziegelmeier
Pianist: Shirley Malcolm
Special Music: Psalty Singers & Chancel Choir

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