

Coldspring United Methodist Church

The Best Resolution

1st Sunday After Christmas

December 26, 2021



Prelude

As you enter or leave our worship area today, you are invited to leave an offering in the plate at the table. We do not plan to pass the plates.

Greeting and Announcements

Pastor Dan Darby

If you are our guest today, please fill out a guest card located in the pew holder and place it in the offering plate or give it to the pastor. If you are viewing the service on-line, please text HELLO to 936-298-5005. You will then be given the opportunity to tell us who you are.

*Call to Worship

Carri Clark

There is no God like our God -
Who gives strength to the weak,
But breaks the power of the mighty;
Who gives food to the famished,
But makes those already full work hard for their bread.
Who raised the poor from the dust,
But humbles the proud and arrogant.
There is no God like our God!

*Hymn

"Your Grace Is Enough"

W&S No. 3106

1. Great is your faithfulness, O God. You wrestle with the sinner's heart. You lead us by still waters into mercy. And nothing can keep us apart.

Chorus:

So remember your people, remember your children, remember your promise, O God. Your grace is enough, your grace is enough your grace is enough for me. Your grace is enough, your grace is enough, your grace is enough for me.

2. Great is your love and justice, God. You use the weak to lead the strong. You lead us in the song of your salvation, and all your people sing along.

Chorus:

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Chorus Tag:

So remember your people, remember your children, remember your promise, O God. Your grace is enough, your grace is enough your grace is enough for me. Your grace is enough. Heaven reaching down to us. Your grace is enough for me. God, I see your grace is enough. I'm covered in your love. Your grace is enough for me, for me.

Student Scripture Reading

Philippians 3:7

1. In Christ alone my hope is found, he is my light, my strength, my song. This Cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease! My Comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

2. In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe. This gift of love and righteousness scorned by the ones He came to save.'Til on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied; for every sin on Him was laid. Here in the death of Christ I live.

3. There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain. Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again! And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me. For I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

4. No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me. From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny. No power of hell, no scheme or plan can ever pluck me from His hand. 'Til He returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand.-

Student Scripture Reading

Philippians 3:8-9

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, open the eyes of my heart; I want to see you, I want to see you. Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, open the eyes of my heart; I want to see you, I want to see you. To see you high and lifted up, shining in the light of your glory. Pour out your power and love as we sing. Holy, holy, holy.

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To see you high and lifted up, shining in the light of your glory. Pour out your power and love as we sing. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. I want to see you.

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, open the eyes of my heart; I want to see you, I want to see you. Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, open the eyes of my heart;

Student Scripture Reading

Philippians 3:10-11

Joys & Concerns

Prayer Carri Clark

The Sermon *"The Best Resolution"* Trent Graves

1. As I went down to the river to pray, studyin' about that good ole way and who shall wear the starry crown, good Lord, show me the way. O sisters, let's go down, let's go down, come on down. Come on, sisters, let's go down, down to the river to pray.

go down, let's go down, come on down. Come on, brothers, let's go down, down to the river to pray.

2. As I went down to the river to pray, studyin' about that good ole way and who shall wear the robe & crown, good Lord, show me the way. O brothers, let's

5. As I went down to the river to pray, studyin' about that good ole way and who shall wear the robe & crown, good Lord, show me the way. O sinners, let's go down, let's go down, come on down. Come on, sinners, let's go down, down to the river to pray.

*Announcements Pastor Dan Darby

*Our Vision and Mission Statement

As we Serve, Witness, and Worship...we will be the reflection of Jesus Christ, without barriers

*Benediction Trent Graves

*Postlude

Prayer Concerns

(Please remember the following in your prayers.)

Jody Anderson	Jim Kahle
Esther Best	Kenneth Lew
Robin Binnig	Daniel Lilley
Sherry Blattel	Kara Ogg
Pam Bolton	Olatunde Oniya
Robyn Bouelle	Rita Orlando
Sharon & Wayne Brignac	Margaret Pennington
Roger Capers	Dr. Kenneth Peters
Janette Cleveland	Jessie Rae
Mary Ann Courvelle	Gene Roeseler
Fred Creel	Elizabeth Ross
Amber Denison	Betty Sherman
Lawrence Dirden	Jennifer Sichley
Fredell Edens	Don & Kathy Sinclair
Ken Garza	Truitt Thomson
Hannah Gesford	Joe Turner
Shawn Gottschalk	C.H. Underwood
Rod Goodwin	Ashton Vienne
Stephanie Hall	Mary Ward
Sharon Harrison	Jade Wilson
Kathy Huffman	Baylee Windt
Vicki Jowell	

1st Time Visitors

Text HELLO to 936-298-5005

CHURCH CALENDAR December 26, 2021– January 1, 2022

SUN.	YOUTH LED ONE SERVICE 9:45 a.m. Sunday School all ages 11:00 a.m. Worship Service Sanctuary/ Livestream Worship Service
MON.	OFFICE CLOSED
TUE.	NEWSLETTER DEADLINE 1:00 p.m. Share the Bread Meeting
FRI.	OFFICE CLOSED AT NOON
SAT.	9 a.m. -12 p.m. Scouts Pinewood Dirby Workday
SUN.	Holy Communion Sunday 8:30 a.m. Worship Service 9:45 a.m. Sunday School all ages 11:00 a.m. Worship Service Sanctuary/ Livestream Worship Service

United Methodist Women

All Welcome!



Tuesday, January 11, 2022, 10 am

Everyone Is Invited

United Methodist Men's
Prayer Breakfast



- Wednesday, January 12th
- Hot Coffee @ 6 am
- Delicious Breakfast @ 7 am
- Fellowship Hall



Friday, January 21, 2022; 9:30 am
CUMC Fellowship Hall – all welcome