Pastor Eddy Gervais – July 2nd & 3rd, 2022

Now He was telling them a parable **to show that at all times they ought to pray and not become discouraged**, saying, "In a certain city there was a judge who did not fear God and did not respect *any* person. Now there was a widow in that city, and she kept coming to him, saying, 'Give me justice against my opponent.' For a while he was unwilling; but later he said to himself, 'Even though I do not fear God nor respect *any* person, yet because this widow is bothering me, I will give her justice; otherwise by continually coming she will wear me out." And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unrighteous judge said; now, will God not bring about justice for His elect who cry out to Him day and night, and will He delay long for them? I tell you that He will bring about justice for them quickly. However, when the Son of Man comes, will He find faith (on-going pursuit is faith) on the earth?" Luke 18:1-8 (NASB)

1. Tell the Lord your _____ in prayer.

Turn to me and be gracious to me, for I am lonely and afflicted. The troubles of my heart are enlarged; bring me out of my distresses. Look at my misery and my trouble, and forgive all my sins. Psalm 25:16-18 (NASB)

2. Come to the Lord _____ through prayer.

"Keep knocking" Luke 11:9-11 (NASB)

"Rejoicing in hope, persevering in tribulation, devoted to prayer" Romans 12:12 (NASB)

"Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it with an attitude of thanksgiving..." Colossians 4:2 (NASB)

"Pray without ceasing" 1 Thessalonians 5:17 (NASB)

3. The Lord will _____ an answer because of your prayer.

For your own notes:

Daily Bible Readings

Mon-<u>Luke 18:1-8</u>//Tue-<u>Psalm 25:12-21</u>

Wed-<u>Luke 11:5-13</u>//Thu-<u>Psalm 17:6-9</u>

Fri-1John 5:11-15//Sat/Sun-Romans 8:26-30

Memory Verse:

"So I say to you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you." Luke 11:9 (NASB)

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Weekend Service Times:

Sat. at 6:15 p.m. & Sun. at 10:30 a.m. & 12:15 p.m.