Season of Pentecost (11/11—11/17)

Theme: Claim Your Inheritance

Preparing: Psalm 98

Waiting: A time of silent resting in the presence of God.

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Tuesday Luke 12:32-34

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Friday 1 Thessalonians 4:1-12

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Pondering and Praying:

What word or phrase is attracting your attention?

Re-read the passage and sit quietly with that word or phrase.

Why might the Holy Spirit have drawn you to this word or phrase?

Where might it intersect with your life right now?

Is there an invitation in it from God for you?

Offer to God what has stirred in your heart, as you have rested and reflected in his presence.

Going:

The good news we share with one another is the gospel's declaration that no matter where we are in life, we are the recipients of God's limitless grace. We can have peace, joy, assurance, comfort, hope, tranquility, confidence, and companionship with our Creator and beyond that, life eternal. With a life bank full of such gifts we are indeed rich. And yet... I feel anxious, alone, fearful, faithless, without joy, and sometimes without hope. I feel this way because I have forgotten and lost grip on the inheritance that God gives me anew every morning.... May God grant grace and wisdom to do so more and more today and every day of your life. Claim your inheritance and live as God's beloved child today.—Rueben P. Job

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