## **MEDITATION FOCUS**

Let us break through this world's oppression by walking humbly with God, allowing His mercy to shape our actions, His justice to guide our steps, and His divine peace to fill our hearts.

PRELUDE "In the House" by Crowder

\*OPENING PRAISE

**SONG** "Shine, Jesus, Shine" FWS #2173

SONG "Blest Are They" FWS #2155

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader:

Come, all who seek freedom and wholeness. What does the Lord require of us?

People:

To do justice, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with our God.

Leader:

In a world weighed down by oppression and fear, Christ calls us to rise in love.

People:

Blessed are the humble, the merciful, and the pure in heart who heal the world's wounds.

Leader:

The Spirit moves through us, tearing down walls that separate and chains that confine.

People:

We open our hearts, minds, and spirits to let God's love shape our actions and God's mercy guide our steps.

Leader:

Let us worship the One whose peace overturns oppression and whose grace sets us free.

People:

For God's justice reigns, God's mercy heals, and God's peace endures forever.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

#### LORD'S PRAYER

### **ALL GOD'S CHILDREN**

Children, their parents, grandparents and other adults are welcome to join us at the front of the sanctuary.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Lee & Mollie Newton

"Hallelujah" by Leonard Cohen

OFFERING "More Precious Than Silver" FWS #2065
OFFERING SONG by Elevation Worship/Brandon Lake
"Craves Into Cordons"

"Graves Into Gardens"

SCRIPTURE Micah 6:6-8 & Matthew 5:1-12

MESSAGE Pastor Brian Comiskey

"Breaking Through with Blessing"

MESSAGE SONG "Come to the Alter" by Elevation Worship

SONG "Majesty, Worship His Majesty" UMH #176
BENEDICTION



The Flowers on the Altar this Sunday are in loving memory of Bryan D. Miller who passed on 10/17/2010 and our grandson, Adam Bryan Miller Who arrived in Heaven on 5/16/1999. Both are missed very much by me and my family. Shirley Miller

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#### **WE'RE GOING TO THE MOVIES TODAY!!**

A group of us will be heading out to Midland this today to see "Truth & Treason" Movie starts at 6 p.m(\$8.75). Dinner first at Lucky's Steak House. Be at the church back parking lot at 3:30 if you would like to join us.



ON NOVEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup> WE WILL BE REMEMBERING ALL OF THOSE WHO HAVE WENT BEFORE US IN THE LAST YEAR. JUDY WILL BE MAILING LETTERS OUT TO THOSE WHO'S SERVICES WE HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN. IF YOU HAVE SOMEONE YOU HAVE LOST IN THE

LAST YEAR AND WOULD LIKE THEIR NAME AND PICTURE UP ON THE SCREEN FOR THAT SUNDAY. PLEASE CONTACT JUDY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

OUR EXTRA MILE GIVING FOR OCTOBER WILL GO FOR PRESCHOOL CHILDCARE OPERATIONS

CHURCH & COMMUNITY
FAMILY FUN DAY!

[105 E. 7<sup>TH</sup> St.] OCT. 25<sup>TH</sup>





FREE SUPPER 4-5:30 P.M.

IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL







# Clare United Methodist Church October 19, 2025 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost



# **CLARE UMC'S MISSION:**

Making Disciples of Jesus by Helping People Know God, Grow in Faith, and Share Christ's Love.