



We would like to cover each Rochelle school in prayer during the 2018—2019 school year. Would you, please, help us by adding

G.R.A.C.E.

to your prayer list?

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Join us on Sunday!

9 a.m. Traditional Service—Jeff Glen, Worship Leader

11 a.m. The Gathering (Contemporary) Service— Scott Swartz, Worship Leader

Legends

David & Goliath

August 26, 2018

14th Sunday After Pentecost

9 a.m. Traditional Service



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Youth Group

FRIDAY NIGHT YOUTH GROUP/GAME NIGHT

Friday, August 31st 6:00 p.m.—10:00 p.m.

We will be having Youth group/game night at the church in the youth room. All youth going into grades 6-12 can come and worship, learn about God’s love, play games, eat dinner, and have fun in fellowship.



CROP WALK FUNDRAISER DINNER— CANCELLED

The CROP Walk Dinner (originally scheduled for Wednesday, September 5th) has been cancelled. We look forward to dinners in our newly remodeled kitchen. The CROP Walk will take place on Sunday, September 23rd.

Today’s Radio Ministry is sponsored by Mary Gustafson with prayers for all of the people listening and not able to be in the sanctuary for worship today.



Today’s Flower Ministry is sponsored by Gus & Armande Vasilopoulos in celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary on August 23rd and in becoming great-grandparents.

Benevolent Fund

As you leave Communion, you’ll find baskets available for your donation to our Benevolence Fund. The fund helps Rochelle area residents with food, utilities, medications, and other assistance. Many in our community benefit from the generosity of this congregation. Please know, however, that you never have to give to receive the Sacrament. Jesus has already paid the price.

August 26, 2018

Order of Worship

Prelude

“I Am Thine, O Lord”
“Prayer”

GATHER

*Opening Hymn #110

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

Opening Prayer

Special Music

“Amazing Grace”

Rochelle Schools Orchestra

Blessing of the Backpacks

*Passing the Peace

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer/The Lord’s Prayer

LISTEN

Scripture

1 Samuel 17:3-11, 32-37, 48-50

Message

“Legends: David & Goliath”

Rev. Rob Hamilton

RESPOND

Offertory

“Jesus Calls Us”

*Doxology #95

*Prayer of Dedication

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

We celebrate an open table. Regardless of your background, if you’re seeking to love Jesus as best you can, you are welcome to come. Small children may participate at the discretion of their parents or they may come forward for a blessing from our Pastor. Gluten-free elements are also available from the station attended by our Pastor. All stations are unfermented grape juice.

ENGAGE

*Closing Hymn #717

“The Battle Hymn of the Republic”

*Parting Blessing

Postlude

“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

***Please Stand**