

Daily Morning Message

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Daily Lectionary Readings Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22
 Genesis 9:8-17
 Ephesians 1:3-6

Today's Scripture Verse: *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. (Ephesians 1:3-4)*

What it means: The exuberant blessing begins the "epistle of unity" to the Ephesians, which is jubilant in faith that the grace of God has created a fellowship of love that is from the very beginning of all that is.

Our time of reflection: Today we might think about the idea that we are chosen to be members of the Christian family. But we are not the only people who are chosen. This is the great mystery of faith – that we belong to one another, because the love of God is unlimited in the world.

