

Daily Morning Message
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Lectionary Readings *Psalm 34:1-8*
 1Kings 2:1-9
 Matthew 7:7-11

Today's Scripture Verse: Ask, and it will be given you, search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. (Matthew 7:7)

What it means: These are not words about receiving material rewards. In the context, Jesus is talking about spiritual seeking. His approach is to invite believers to trust that what they need spiritually from God will come to them through humbly asking and seeking.

Our time of reflection: God, we pray for faith that your Spirit will sustain us when we turn to you. Grant us the awareness that we are beloved in your sight, and that you give good things – the gifts of the Spirit - to those who place their trust in you.

