

Today's Scripture Reading



Hebrews 7¹¹⁻²⁸

Now if perfection had been attainable through the Levitical priesthood—for the people received the law under this priesthood—what further need would there have been to speak of another priest arising according to the order of Melchizedek rather than one according to the order of Aaron? For when there is a change in the priesthood, there is necessarily a change in the law as well. Now the one of whom these things are spoken belonged to another tribe, from which no one has ever served at the altar. For it is evident that our Lord was descended from Judah, and in connection with that tribe Moses said nothing about priests.

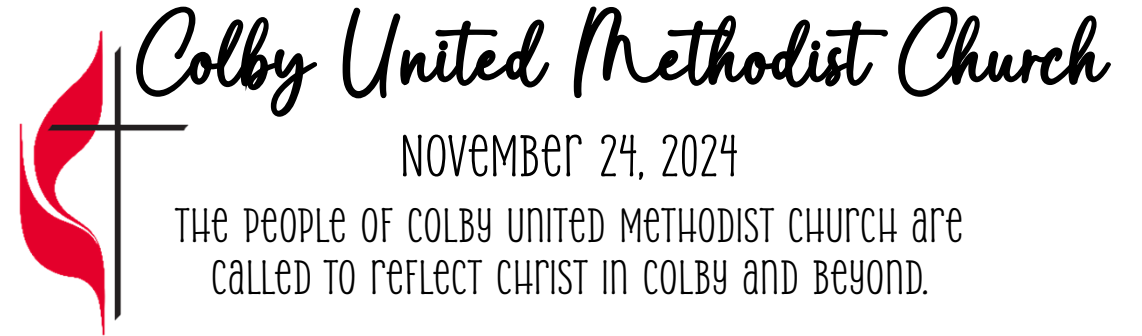
It is even more obvious when another priest arises, resembling Melchizedek, one who has become a priest, not through a legal requirement concerning physical descent but through the power of an indestructible life. For it is attested of him, “You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek.”

There is, on the one hand, the abrogation of an earlier commandment because it was weak and ineffectual (for the law made nothing perfect); there is, on the other hand, the introduction of a better hope through which we approach God.

This was confirmed with an oath, for others have become priests without an oath, but this one became a priest with an oath because of the one who said to him, “The Lord has sworn and will not change his mind, ‘You are a priest forever’” accordingly Jesus has also become the guarantor of a better covenant.

Furthermore, the former priests were many in number because they were prevented by death from continuing in office, but he holds his priesthood permanently because he continues forever. Consequently, he is able for all time to save those who approach God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. Unlike the other high priests, he has no need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins and then for those of the people; this he did once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints as high priests humans, who are subject to weakness, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect forever.



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Order of Worship

Prelude		Pianist
Welcome & Announcements		Liturgist
Opening Songs	"Thanksgiving Song" "Thanksgiving Day & Every Day"	Psalty Singers
† Call to Worship & Opening Hymn	"Majesty, Worship His Majesty" UMH #176	
† Opening Prayer		Liturgist
† Lifting Joys & Concerns in Prayer		Pastor Rodgers
Prayer Song	"It Is Well with My Soul" (vs 1, chorus 2x) UMH #377	
Lifting Prayers		Pastor Rodgers
Lord's Prayer		UMH #895
Scripture Reading	Hebrews 7 ¹¹⁻²⁸	Liturgist
Children's Message		Pastor Rodgers
† Special Music	"Give Thanks and Sing!"	Chancel Choir
Message		Pastor Rodgers
Doxology & Offertory Prayer		#94/Liturgist
Closing Hymn	"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"	UMH #57
† Closing Prayer & Benediction		Pastor Rodgers
Postlude		Organist/Pianist

Liturgist: Lynette Andregg
Organist/Pianist: Pat Ziegelmeier
Special Music: Chancel Choir directed by Dr. Philip Shuman

Call to Worship

All Sing "Majesty, Worship His Majesty" #176

Come, let us bow down and worship the King of kings, the Lord of lords.

At His birth the angels proclaimed it.

He is the Wonderful Counselor, Lord of lords, King of kings, the Prince of Peace.

Through His teachings and His life, we have learned how to live like God.

By His death and resurrection, we have been saved

and claimed by God as witnesses to God's eternal love.

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WEEKLY COLBY UMC ACTIVITIES

SUN @ 9:00 AM	SUNDAY SCHOOL
SUN @ 9:00 AM	FELLOWSHIP COFFEE HOUR
WED @ 10:15 AM	HELPING PAWS
THURS @ 8:00 AM	MEN'S BREAKFAST (MOKAS)
THURS @ 12:30 PM	BIBLE STUDY
THURS @ 9:00 AM	QUILTING GROUP

PASTOR'S SCHEDULE

Day Off: Monday
 Office Hours: Tues-Fri: 9-12PM
 Afternoons: Pastoral Visitation
 Saturday: Requested Visitation

Last Week

Attendance: 99
 General Offering: \$3,968
 Weekly Need: \$6,670

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FUNDS

Raised to Date: \$259,541
 Goal: \$300,000

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