

# FALL TABLE GROUPS



Weeks of October 9th through November 13th

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Order of Worship  
2 October 2022  
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

## **We Gather to Worship God**

Welcome  
Worship in Song  
Call to Worship  
Worship in Song

## **We Listen to the Word**

Prayer  
Sermon: "Persistent Prayer"

## **We Come to the Table**

Prayer of Confession and Consecration  
The Lord's Prayer  
We Eat and Drink Together  
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song  
Prayer

## **We Go to Live in the Reign of God**

Community Life  
Gossiping the Good Stuff  
Doxology  
Blessing and Sending

### **Luke 18: 1-8 (NIV)**

<sup>1</sup> Then Jesus told his disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up. <sup>2</sup> He said: "In a certain town there was a judge who neither feared God nor cared what people thought. <sup>3</sup> And there was a widow in that town who kept coming to him with the plea, 'Grant me justice against my adversary.' <sup>4</sup> "For some time he refused. But finally he said to himself, 'Even though I don't fear God or care what people think, <sup>5</sup> yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will see that she gets justice, so that she won't eventually come and attack me!'" <sup>6</sup> And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. <sup>7</sup> And will not God bring about justice for his chosen ones, who cry out to him day and night? Will he keep putting them off? <sup>8</sup> I tell you, he will see that they get justice, and quickly. However, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on the earth?"

We are delighted to have Rev. Dr. Steven Grosvenor return to Table Life Church to preach! Pastor Steve was the lead pastor at Table Church (Formerly First Church of the Nazarene of New Cumberland) from 1985 until 2016 when he retired from pastoral ministry. Steve is married to Cathy of 53 years and they have two children: Shawn and Cindy. Shawn and his wife Bethany live in Florida and have 3 children. Cindy lives with her husband, Nate Wagner, and two daughters in Harrisburg, PA.