

(Topics, Lead-in, and Lead-in Devotional Reading below)

Ask

Matthew 7:7-11; Luke 11:5-13

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C7 Unison F Gm9 F/A Bb C sus C

1. Our Fa - ther's wis - dom, pow'r, and love Are
 2. Come bold - ly here with each con - cern. You'll
 3. His an - swer may be yes or no, But
 4. Now God, be - yond these pass - ing needs, Your

Dm BbM7 C sus C C6 Dm C9/E F F/A

up to an - y task, So hon - or Him with
 not be turned a - way. Just talk with plain and
 all who come are blessed. A - wait His way and
 great - er will be done. I need, I ask Your

Bb Bb/D F Bbadd9 F/A Bb F/C C7 F

child - like faith. You please Him when You ask.
 hon - est words, And trust Him as You pray.
 time, as - sured You will re - ceive His best.
 rich - est gift: The Spir - it of Your Son.

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TOPICS: Prayer; Tunes, Folk

LEAD-IN: *And He said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and goes to him at midnight and says to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves, because a friend of mine has come to me from a journey and I have nothing to serve him'; and from inside he answers and says, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been shut and my children and I are in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' I tell you, even if he will not get up and give him anything just because he is his friend, yet because of his shamelessness he will get up and give him as much as he needs.*

"So I say to you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives, and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks, it will be opened. Now which one of you fathers will his son ask for a fish, and instead of a fish, he will give him a snake? Or he will even ask for an egg, and his father will give him a scorpion? So if you, despite being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him?"
(Luke 11:5-13, NASB)

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

Ask Your Father

Luke 11:5-13

My all-wise,
almighty,
all-loving

Father,
help me bring all my concerns to You with
plain, simple words and
a childlike faith.

You never sleep,
You are never inconvenienced, and
Your supply is endless.

No request is
too big for Your power or
too small for Your love.

Help me to bring them all.

But at the same time, gradually reshape my heart to
ask more wisely and
seek the better gifts.

Teach me to pray as Your human Son prayed,
focused on You,
wanting only Your glory,
trusting You simply and completely.

Trusting You means
wanting what You want.

You want me to come with all my needs,
but You also want our relationship to grow.

Reshape my desires and concerns that I might want to
know You more,
share Your heart,

live Your love, and
breathe Your Spirit,
the Spirit of Your holy, beautiful Son,
Jesus.

This is what I really want.
This is what I really need.

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