

Welcome to the Sunday Worship (Sun 27th Jan 2019)

Gen 29:32 *The Lord has surely looked upon my affliction...*

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to worship

Opening Hymn: *O Worship the King*

Responsive reading: 821

Praise & Worship: Pratikshya & Dr. Joel

Announcements: Brother Samip Baruah

Intercession

Offertory hymn: *More about Jesus*

Doxology & Prayer by usher

Bible reading: Gen 29: 15-35 by Dr. Elsa

Hymn: *Turn your eyes* before sermon

Sermon: *God blesses the rejected*

Closing Hymn: *Is it a thing most wonderful*

Benediction



Blessed fellowship at yesterday's picnic with family & friends. Kudos to Marilyn & Sarah for fun filled games & Mr. Matthew for organizing great food.



- Pratikshya's grandfather Mr. Nayan Behera
- Mr. Paschal & Suraj who have been very sick



Keswick breakfast on the 2nd of February
Tickets priced at 100 ₹ each



30th Sarabjit & Salome



One of the greatest forms of direction in your life is rejection

Sermon Notes: *God blesses the rejected*

Leah was so hated that God opened up her womb. He blessed her because she was hated. She had Reuben (behold a son) Simeon, (Obedient, listening) Levi (joined in harmony) and Judah (praise). Each one of them are given names that represent her struggles to be accepted.

Leah was difficult to love This was true of Rachel but Leah looked as if God did not spend enough time on her.

The second lesson we can learn from Leah is how to handle Disappointment. Obviously, Leah was experiencing disappointment, who among us has never experienced disappointment?

The final lesson we can learn from Leah is how to make a good decision. This is a tough lesson to learn, because often it is in a time of disappointment that we make wrong and bad decisions. What was the good decision Leah made? She made the decision to praise the Lord.