



Jerseyville United Methodist Church

Worship Service 12pm, Oct 26, 2025, 20th Sunday after Pentecost

❖ = *Those who are comfortable standing, please rise*

Prelude: "Give Thanks" (TFWS 2036)

Meditation:

“Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.” (Psalm 51:10)

❖ **Call to Worship**

Pastor: We humbly come to you with grateful hearts, Loving God.

People: Here are your children Loving God, ready to experience renewal!

Pastor: Discernment, determination, and commitment join us today.

People: Here are your children Loving God, ready to experience renewal!

Pastor: We offer you a living sacrifice by reaching and touching those in need.

People: Here are your children Loving God, ready to experience renewal!

Pastor: We bring our lives in presence and action as the offering you expect from us.

People: Receiving what we offer, you will transform all! Amen.

❖ **Hymn (TFWS 2022) “Great Is the Lord”**

Opening Prayer (Together):

Enduring God, we gather in this special and sacred space prepared to experience your presence. Help us to focus and to set this time apart for worship. Open our eyes and our ears to hear your word, especially when it seems so different from what we hear in the world. May this time transform us, so we can see you and hear you more clearly. With expectation, we pray. Amen.

Offering God's Tithes and Our Gifts

❖ **Doxology (UMH 95)**

Prayer of Dedication (Together)

Merciful and gracious God, you love us so completely that you gave of yourself so that we may be forgiven and have eternal life. Accept these gifts as a token of our gratitude towards you, and may our very lives be set aside for your purposes. We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Prayers and Joys of the People of God

The Lord's Prayer (UMH 895)

❖ **Hymn (TFWS 2073) "Celebrate Love"**

❖ Scripture Reading:Romans 12:1-2

Sermon Series: Counterculture

Week1: “Who Are You?”

Rev. Yoseb Jeon

New Member Celebration: Betty Murad

Prayer of Confession (Together):

Gracious God, we confess that we have too often conformed to the ways of this world. We chase approval, comfort, and success, forgetting who we are in Christ. Forgive us when we follow the crowd instead of your call. Renew our minds and transform our hearts so that our lives may reflect your mercy and truth. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

❖ **Hymn (TFWS 2120) “Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness”**

Benediction

Jerseyville UMC Announcements

PRAYER LIST

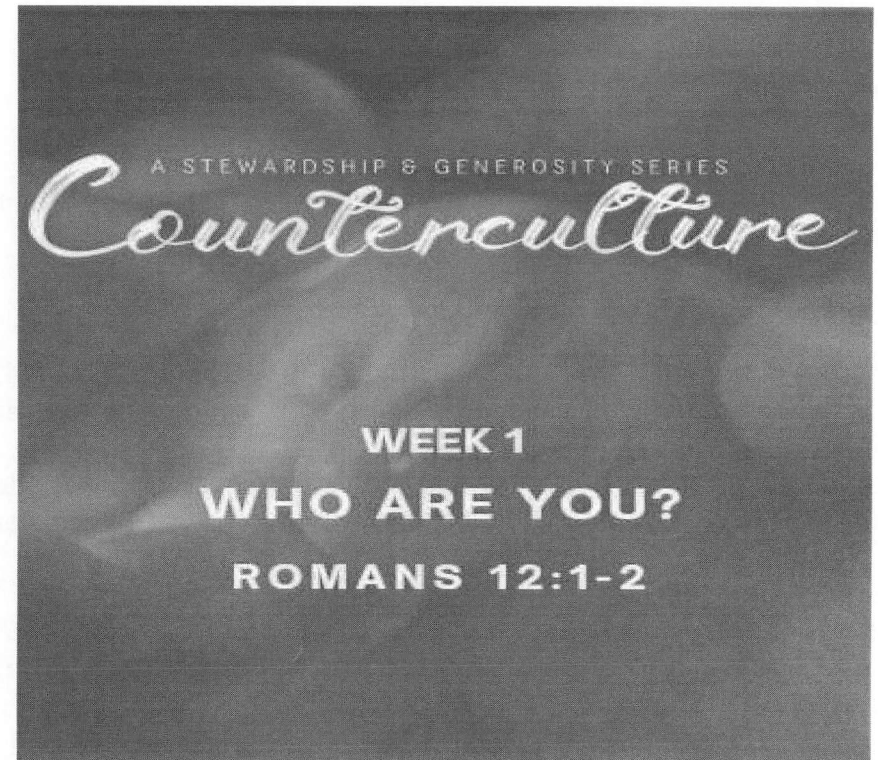
We are grateful to share that John has returned home and is continuing to recover. He is making steady progress, and we give thanks for the success of his surgery and the excellent care he has received. Please continue to lift John in your prayers, asking for complete healing, renewed strength, and patience as he continues his journey of recovery at home.

Please pray for the family of Bruce Goldberg - for Joanne, Dara and Andy, Thomas and Kate, Riley and Thea, his brother Drew, and all of us who were blessed to know Bruce. May God's comfort and peace surround them in this time of grief, and may Bruce's memory continue to shine as a light among us.

Worship on Zoom - Use your Zoom app, Click the link on jerseyvilleumc.org or call (646) 876-9923. Both the Zoom app & telephone have the same Meeting ID: 882 289 126

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Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost



Sunday Worship ~ 12:00 PM

Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world!

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