



Jerseyville United Methodist Church

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

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Fourth Sunday in Kingdomtide www.JerseyvilleUMC.org

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

Prelude: "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus" Betty Murad

❖ Call to Worship *Psalm 143:1,2,5,6 NIV*

Leader: Lord, hear my prayer, listen to my cry for mercy;

People: In your faithfulness and righteousness come to my relief.

Leader: Do not bring your servant into judgment,

People: For no one living is righteous before you.

Leader: I remember the days of long ago;

People: I meditate on all your works and consider what your hands have done.

Leader: I spread out my hands to you;

People: I thirst for you like a parched land.

❖ Hymn #364 "Because He Lives"

Opening Prayer *Hugh Cameron, Scotland, 20th Century*

Almighty God, in a world of change you placed eternity in our hearts and gave us power to discern good from evil. Grant us sincerity, that we may persistently seek the things that endure, refusing those which perish, and that, amid things vanishing and deceptive, we may see the truth steadily, follow the light faithfully, and grow ever richer in that love which is the life of all people; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Offering God's Tithes and Our Gifts

❖ Doxology #94

❖ Prayer of Dedication

Prayers and Joys of the People of God

The Lord's Prayer #895

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 1:12-20

Epistle Reading: Ephesians 4:1-7

Sermon: "A Life Worthy of Our Calling"

❖ Hymn: #600 "Wonderful Words of Life"

❖ Benediction & "Shalom to You"



Worship on Zoom - Our worship services continue to be offered on Zoom. Use your Zoom app or Call (929) 205 6099 Both have the same Meeting ID: 822 2530 1496. If you would like to receive the order of worship ahead of time to join us online, please speak to our pastor. Printed sermons are also available by mail, or on our website.

Church Conference- Our Church Conference will take place at 9 am on Saturday, November 6 on Zoom. To prepare for this meeting our PPR Committee will meet after Worship on Sunday, Sept 26.

CROP Walk - The CROP Walk will again take place virtually this year. We are free to walk on our own, as long as our CROP Walk is completed by October 17. Register or find More Information at: www.crophungerwalk.org/freeholdnj Donations are also sought. Please make your check payable to CWS/CROP and mail it to Rev Pat Medley, 22 Story Court, Freehold, NJ 07728

Flood Bucket - Please help UMCOR restock all the flood buckets that were used in response to Hurricane Ida. See the enclosed flyer to learn how. When complete, please bring your bucket to our Church with you. Deadline for your gift is Reformation Day, October 31