Driftless Ministries July 14, 2024 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost Sunday

PRELUDE Marla Withey (RET), Tom Baker (RET/NH), Janna Thew (LP)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER OF PREPARATION:

Come, let us open our hearts to God's compassionate love. Let us celebrate God's mercy and justice. AMEN.

HYMN #89

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

CALL TO WHORSHIP:

L: We rejoice and praise Your holy name today, O Lord,

P: Because you have kept us from a destructive path.

L: We give thanks because Your word gives us hope,

P: And we reflect on Your word at all times.

L: You are the Source of deep seated faith,

P: And our spirits are refreshed in your presence! Amen!

OPENING PRAYER:

You, loving God, are the ground of our being and the river of life; you both steady our roots and draw them to seek the living waters.

You are like the sunlight enticing us taller and like the breeze rustling our leaves. You are with us through hard seasons of summer heat, and in the nights when winter's frost ice the landscape your love warms and sustains us. You are everything to us. O let our gratitude be great, let our praise be plentiful, let our worship be wonder-full! Through Christ Jesus your ever-living Son. Amen

SCRIPTURE READINGS Jonah 3

HYMN #70 GLORIA PATRI

MESSAGE Preach It?!? Rev. Drew Filkins

MUSICAL REFLECTION

OUR CONCERNS AND PRAISES

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen

HYMN #156

I Love to Tell the Story

BENEDICTION

HYMN TO TAKE WITH YOU HYMN #672 God Be With You Til We Meet Again

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ON THE CALENDAR

- Today: Bible Study, 8:30 am @ Liberty Pole Fellowship Time, 9 am @ Retreat Board Meeting, 11:30 am @ New Hope
- Monday: Basement Quilters, 9 am @ Liberty Pole
- Wednesday: Food Pantry Open, 5 6:30 pm @ New Hope
- Thursday: Food Pantry Open, 9-11 am @ New Hope
- Sunday: Ladies' Group, 10 am @ Retreat
- Sunday: Fellowship Time 10:15 am @ Liberty Pole

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