## Joy! Lutheran Church

August 23-August 29, 2020

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Reaching our neighbors with Christ's love so all lives are changed.



Join us for worship next Sunday, August 30th for the last week of our "Waiting On The World To Change" sermon series, exploring how we can be people of action, making a difference in the world, even when it seems our world will never change. This week is focused on embracing generosity.



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# ORDER OF SERVICE AUGUST 23, 2020

**PRELUDE** 

**WELCOME** 

Lion And The Lamb

Raise A Hallelujah

**PRAYER** 

SHARING OF THE PEACE

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Stacey Van Zeyl

MESSAGE Mark Borgetti, Lead Pastor

For The One

**COMMUNION** 

LORD'S PRAYER

You, You Are Good

**BENEDICTION** 

### WAITING ON THE WORLD TO CHANGE WEEK 2: SHOW COMPASSION

**Big Idea:** Jesus had a universal concern for those who suffered that transcended the rules of the ancient world. His compassion for the poor and the sick led to institutions for lepers, the beginning of modern-day hospitals. The Council of Nicea decreed that wherever a cathedral existed, there must be a hospice, a place of caring for the sick and poor. That's why even today, hospitals have names like "Good Samaritan," "Good Shepherd," or "Saint Anthony." They were the world's first voluntary, charitable institutions.

### **Application & Reflection:**

- 1. What are some ways in the past you have showed compassion to others?
- 2. How can showing compassion to others change the world?
- 3. How may God be calling you to show compassion in the future?

<u>Prayer:</u> Lord God, we give You thanks for the example of Jesus of how to show compassion to others. Help us find ways to relieve suffering in our world and show others God's love and compassion through our acts of kindness. Amen.

| Year to Date - 7/31/20 *                           | ,              | YTD<br>Actual | ΥT | D Budget | Ah | ead/(Behind)<br>Budget |
|--|----------------|---------------|----|----------|----|------------------------|
| Total Offerings **                                 | \$             | 60,392        | \$ | 57,878   | \$ | 2,514                  |
| Total Expenses                                     | \$             | 61,185        | \$ | 69,099   | \$ | (7,913)                |
| Offering Less Expense =                            | \$             | (793)         | \$ | (11,221) | \$ | 10,428                 |
| Mortgage Balance                                   | \$1,690,702    |               |    |          |    |                        |
| Thrivent Choice Receipts smile.amazon.com receipts | \$635<br>\$159 |               |    |          |    |                        |

<sup>\*</sup>Fiscal Year 7/1/20—6/30/21

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