

WORSHIP LEADERS

Jamelle Godlewski, Guest Speaker
Kayden Harris, Liturgist

Thank you to Jamelle Godlewski for serving as our
Guest Speaker this morning.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congregational Meeting:

Our annual congregational meeting will be on Wednesday
November 8th at 6PM on Zoom. If you would like to join let
one of the consistory members know, so we can get you the
information you need to join.

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Welcome to St. John's United Church of Christ



**We are happy to welcome everyone
attending St. John's United Church of
Christ. May God Bless you with His
abundant love.**

ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost
October 29, 2023 10:15 am

PRELUDE *"Here I Am, Lord"*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (Follow along silently)

Leader: Our hearts are lifted up toward God.

People: God created all that is!

Leader: We celebrate that great love of God.

People: God gifted us with God's only son, Jesus the Christ.

Leader: Rejoice and be glad today!

People: Our hearts and spirits praise God for all God's blessings. AMEN.

OPENING HYMN

"I'll Fly Away"

MORNING PRAYER (Follow along silently)

Lord of light and hope, be with us this day as we have gathered to hear your word. Help us open our hearts to the commandments to love, even when loving is difficult. Give us the courage to be people who will commit their whole lives in your service. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

HYMN

"Blessed Assurance"

SCRIPTURE READING Esther 7:1-6

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"Courage from Encouragement"

Jamelle Godlewski

DEDICATION OF OUR GIFTS

"Doxology"

#625

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayers of the People – Kelly Harris

Pastoral, The Lord's Prayer (Debts, Debtors)

BENEDICTION

Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength. Go forth into this aching, hurting world with God's love, offering healing, hope, and peace to all. Go in peace and may God's peace surround you always. AMEN.

POSTLUDE **"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"**