

What is this? A new teaching – with authority!

“They were all amazed, and they kept on asking one another, ‘What is this? A new teaching—with authority! He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey him.’ ” (Mark 1:27)

“They were astounded at his teaching” (1:22) “They were all amazed” (1:27) These are the recurrent response to Jesus’ ministry in Mark. Unlike the scribes, his teaching was not just about delivering information, but transforming people’ lives. The story introduces a person possessed by an unclean spirit who came to obey Jesus and was healed. They said, “What is this? A new teaching -with authority!” Where did such a power come from? What is the nature of the authority? Have you ever experienced such a transformation in your life, or have you seen it in someone around you?

Come and join us in our Jonesville UMC Sunday Morning Service at 9:30am or meet us in the streaming service at Jonesvilleumc.org at the same time.

Blessings,
Youngjae

Join Us in our Methodist Community

**Fourth Sunday after Epiphany
January 28, 2024
Service Time: 9:30 am**

Technology Volunteers: Images – Tony Furnari; Stream – Burt Theurer
Greeter: Norm Young

PRELUDE

Casey Gray

CHURCH BELL (7 TIMES)

*** OPENING HYMN #61** *Come, Thou Almighty King*
LIGHTING OF ALTAR CANDLES

***WORDS OF WELCOME**

Pastor Youngjae

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you
And also with you
The risen Christ is with us
Praise the Lord!

* **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #884** (From Korean Methodist Church)

* **SHARING PEACE OF CHRIST** Together

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Amy Pelc

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS Laurie Runnerstrom

Leader: As God has blessed us so we also should bless others.

People: With love and gratitude, we bring our gifts to the Lord.

OFFERTORY *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*
Chancel Bells (Director: Tim Antonacci)

* **DOXOLOGY #94 & PRAYER OF DEDICATION** Laurie Runnerstrom

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS Pastor Youngjae

PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYER SONG #2133** *Give Me a Clean Heart*

* **SCRIPTURE LESSON** Mark 1:21-28 Laurie Runnerstrom

SERMON *What is This? A New Teaching – with Authority!* Pastor Youngjae

* **CLOSING HYMN #2140**** *Since Jesus Came into My Heart*

* **BENEDICTION** Pastor Youngjae

* **POSTLUDE** Casey Gray

* All those who are able are invited to stand.

** Hymns are in The Faith We Sing

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Our prayer list for this week:

Pray for those with active Alcohol or Substance Use Disorders and their families that they will find recovery.

Protect the recovery of those with Alcohol or Substance Use Disorders

Protect the recovery of family members who suffered the effects of living with or loving someone with an addiction.

Pray for those who suffer mental illness

† **Larry & Cynthia Stoll** – death of Cynthia's father

Lloyd Austin – Secretary of Defense

Bill Hughes, Tonya and Landon – relatives of Kathy Burton

Will Vroman – son of Carol Vroman

† **Richard and Piret Kelly** – death of Richard's sister

† **Family of Dan Warren** **Joan Lemke** – sister of Carol Vroman.

Family of Ellen Nash – longtime volunteer with the food pantry

Family of Erica Mushorn -relative of Judith Hutchinson

Michael Blanchard, our first STAHL speaker **Bob MacDonald** – friend of Carol Vroman

Marcial Reyes † **Julie Hecht** **Natalie Maxwell** – former member

Raquel - daughter of a friend of Carol Bates **Lucas** – grandson of Carol Vroman's friend

† **Vicki Vanderveen** **Family of Kenneth Voelker** – brother-in-law of Laural Hayes

Jason – son of Anita Comtois †**Anita Comtois** †**Larry Stoll**
Jason Irwin & his family – cousin of Kayla Culver **Steve** – husband of sister of Anita Comtois
Those who suffer from PTSD **Gia Lemerise** – friend of Tami Farron
Prayers for Peace, Protection and resolution in the Ukraine †**Janice Catuccio**
† **Pat Vautrin** **Wayne Sherman** – brother of Charlene Donald †**Dot Habura**
Randy – nephew of Anita and Bob Comtois †**Frank & Marilyn Overstrom** †**Randy Gifford**
† **Karen Armitage** †**Roger Mead** †**Dee & Waner Holman** †**Linda Reinker**
†**Carole & George Collins** †**Bob & Mary Vawter** **Brittney Decker** – by Sandy & Jim Decker
Those affected by Covid-19 **Men & women in our armed services & their families**

† **Attend JUMC** **P: Praise for answered prayer**
Please share any joys and concerns that you may have by emailing the Church Office
jville@nycap.rr.com

Giving to the Church

As of January 21

Weekly Giving: \$3,626

Year to date Giving: \$15,014

Mission of the Month for January FEASST

FEASST, Family Emergency Assistance of Southern Saratoga County, is a coalition of faith communities, partnered with CAPTAIN Community Human Services to work together to meet the needs of those facing crisis. Our Family Assistance Program provides one-time, emergency financial assistance for individuals and families experiencing a hardship or crisis that could leave them without heat, shelter, or other essential needs.

Please consider donating on our website or sending a check payable to Jonesville UMC to the church with FEASST noted on the memo line.

Adult Sunday School

Our Daily Bread

Daily Devotion Booklet or online at odb.org
After coffee hour at 11am in the Upper Room

The class will also be on Zoom each week with the following link.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89658662290?pwd=cWFLYzJMYk03bFdzdDhLNWhndmR3UT09>

Meeting ID: 896 5866 2290

Passcode: 211187

One tap mobile

+16469313860,,89658662290#,,,,*211187# US

+19292056099,,89658662290#,,,,*211187# US (New York)

Calling all bakers to bake cookies.....



**The Cookie Walk
Sunday February 11th
In Fellowship Hall following the worship service**

Bakers, please see the signup sheet in fellowship hall.

STAHL Committee

Still in search of

- an end table or nightstand
- privacy screen

If you have any you'd like to lend/donate to the Hope Reading Room contact P.J. Furnari.
Thank you!

**An Evening at Camp
February 3 at Shenendehowa UMC**

Annual Fundraising Dinner to support the long-term future of Skye Farm Camp & Retreat Center. There will be dinner, awards, skits, and camp songs! Chicken and pork dinner with potatoes, mac n' cheese, veggies, rolls, and dessert served buffet style. Tickets start at \$25 each, with the option to include a larger gift. Please RSVP at roger.grout518@gmail.com

Bloom, a Women's Night Out

Starpoint Church – 14 Jarose Pl off Grooms Road - is holding two identical experiences on February 10 at 12pm and 4pm. Must make a \$10 deposit for each attendee, that will be given back when you check in. There will be food, fun and a nostalgic setting that will bring you back to times when it was just you and Barbie playing without a care in the world! Jennifer Howes from Graystone Church in Monroe, Georgia is the guest speaker – “How to be a Jesus Girl in a Barbie World!” Register at starpoint.church/bloom

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The video of this service will be available shortly after the live-streaming service is over.

- Go to www.jonesvilleumc.org
- On the right-hand side at the top of the page, you will see "Quick Links".
 - If you are accessing via a smartphone, scroll all the way to the bottom to see the "Quick Links"
 - If you are accessing via a tablet, scroll all the way to the bottom to see the "Quick Links", or turn your tablet horizontal and "Quick Links" will be on the top right.
- This brought you to a new page on the www.jonesvilleumc.org website.
- Follow the instructions listed under JUMC Live Videos
 - Click on the "JUMC Live Videos" link

- A new tab in your browser will open and you will be brought to the Jonesville Facebook page
 - You will see a list of videos published by JUMC
 - The top video will be the most recent church service. If you are accessing it on Sunday morning between 9:30 - 10:30, we will be live.
- Click on the video at the top of the list (top left if you are accessing via a computer) - depending on the device you are using (laptop, tablet, or phone). It will have the most recent or current date.
- Remember that the video starts with pre-service announcements that change every 10 seconds. There is a timer to tell you how long until the service starts.
- Look for an icon of an arrow pointing to the top/bottom corner and click on it to open the full screen.