

I Am the Good Shepherd (John 10:11-18)

“I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep.”

(John 10:14-15)

The purpose of Jesus' life on earth, his ministry, teaching, death, and resurrection is to bring us to a close relationship with God and himself. He uses this metaphor of a shepherd. The good shepherd who lays down his life for his sheep unlike the hired ones is the image he draws for himself. It is not just representing who he is but also who he is to us and who we are to him. From such care and love from the shepherd, we get to know him and listen to his voice. Just as the Father knows Jesus and Jesus knows the Father, our shepherd knows each one of us and we know our shepherd as well. Is there anyone who does not know him yet? Let them know that he wants to get to know them.

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

Blessings,
Youngjae

Green Up, Clean Up
This Saturday, April 20
9:00am – Noon

Bring your rakes, shovels, gloves, and garden tools to work on the church and parsonage gardens. A pizza lunch will follow.



Breakfast put on by the Jonesville United Methodist Men
This Sunday, April 21st!

Join us in Fellowship Hall at 10:30am.

Scrambled eggs, French toast, home fries, link sausage, bacon,
coffee, tea, milk, juice.

Adults \$8.00, Children \$4.00, Family maximum \$24.00

Join Us in our Methodist Community

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 21, 2024

Service Time: 9:30 am

Technology Volunteers: Images – Holly Greene, Colin Nowak; Stream – Tony Furnari
Greeter: Norm Young **Ushers:** Walt & Paula Golden

PRELUDE

Casey Gray

CHURCH BELL (7 TIMES)

* **OPENING HYMN #128** *He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought*
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!

* **OPENING PRAYER (In unison) BOW 399**

O God, our shepherd, our gate, our lamb:
In the resurrection of your Son, you have brought us into your pasture.
Guide us to your clear streams, and tame the wolf at our gate;
Through Christ our Lord. Amen. Alleluia.

* **SHARING PEACE OF CHRIST**

Together

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Pastor Youngjae

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

Barb Pettengill

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

All Things Bright and Beautiful by Sondra K. Tucker
Chancel Bells (Director: Tim Antonacci)

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

Barb Pettengill

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

Pastor Youngjae

PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYER SONG #136

The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want

* **SCRIPTURE LESSON**

John 10:11-18

Barb Pettengill

SERMON

I Am the Good Shepherd

Pastor Youngjae

* **CLOSING HYMN #381**

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

* **BENEDICTION**

Pastor Youngjae

* **POSTLUDE**

Casey Gray

* All those who are able are invited to stand.

** Hymns are in The Faith We Sing

Instructions for Online live – streaming appear at the end of this message.

Our prayer list for this week:

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

Eugene Martin – father of Keith Martin

† Charlene Donald Mary Ann Campe – friend of Pat Stone

Sue Zutterling -friend of Ginny Rae Moran Delegates of General Conference

Raju Malla - friend of Carol Neu, deployed to Croatia.

Harold Gwin – brother of Jan Volk Donna – niece of Pat Stone

Jerri – daughter of Carol Vroman Eric Kathe's mother

† Family of Judith Hutchinson Family of Charlotte Taber Family of Joe Lieberman

† Family of Waner Holman † Gene Tashman

Kristen – daughter of Carol Bates' former colleague

P Joan Lemke – sister of Carol Vroman Sarah Brownell Pat Brownell – Mother of Sarah

† PJ Furnari Vinny Furnari – Anthony Furnari's uncle † Kenny Lewis – PJ Furnari's dad

Family of John Himbele – PJ Furnari's uncle † Helen Wolf Donna – cousin of Charlene Donald

Family of Kelli Kenyon – daughter of Donna Family of Joan Lawrence

† Marilyn & Frank Overstrom Doris Turner – sister of Judy Mead

Amy Carruthers – friend of the Brownells

Family of Laken Riley – nursing student Charlie Kissh – friend of Carol Vroman

Gail Oakes – requested by Barb Phillips Friend of Gail Oakes – requested by Barb Phillips

Pastor David Lockwood † Family of Bob Vawter

Joseph Kott – friend of Carol Vroman Will – son of Carol Vroman

† Ella Sherman Dan Phillips Jason – son of Anita Comtois † Anita Comtois

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

Wayne Sherman – brother of Charlene Donald † Dot Habura

Randy – nephew of Anita and Bob Comtois † Randy Gifford † Karen Armitage

† Roger Mead † Dee & Waner Holman † Linda Reinker † Pat Vautrin

† Carole & George Collins 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 April 14

Weekly Giving: \$6,635

Year to date Giving: \$80,146

Would you like to become a member of Jonesville UMC?

Please sign up on the new member sheet on the table outside the Office door. At a time to be decided, you will meet with Pastor Youngjae for a new membership class and then join the church.

Chicken & Biscuits Dinner

Saturday, April 20th (4:30-6:30)

Menu: Freshly baked biscuit topped with chunks of chicken in a thick homemade gravy, peas, cranberry sauce, and dessert.

Eat-in or Take-Out

Tickets: Adults \$15, Seniors/children (5-10) \$8

Purchase tickets at the door. This is a church fundraiser for local missions.

*Gluten-free is available while supply lasts.

Alplaus United Methodist Church



**Regional
Food Bank**

Mission of the Month for April

The Regional Food Bank was created by a group of food pantry coordinators and anti-hunger advocates in 1982. Foods are collected from food industry and distributed to nearly 900 charitable agencies throughout 23 counties in the northeast. The food provided helps to feed over 350,000 people monthly.

Donations are always needed. You may make online payments on our website or send a check payable to Jonesville UMC to the Church Office with Regional Food Bank on the memo line.



Early Morning Prayer

6am Monday – Saturday in the Sanctuary

Followed by breakfast on Saturday!



Join Us for Ping Pong

Wednesday Evenings

4 to 7pm

Fellowship Hall

Come when you can to relax and have some fun!

Adult Sunday School

Our Daily Bread

Daily Devotion Booklet or online at odb.org

After coffee hour at 11am in the Upper Room

CELEBRATING OUR 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF JUMC IN 2026

This is a wonderful opportunity for you to join the Task Force for ideas and help with the planning!

Contact Barb Phillips.

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.

Instructions for Online live - streaming

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.