# Monmouth Grace Ministry Sunday Worship Fourth Sunday After The Epiphany February, 2 at 10:30 am Order of Worship

## **Gathering**

#### Welcome & Announcements

- 1. Our Church's goal for 2025 is to read the entire Bible. If you require a schedule to assist you in participating, please do not hesitate to let us know.
- 2. Let us keep Mr. Larry Edwards, and his family, Judy Bornemann, Robert Geddis's Family in our thoughts and prayers.
- 3. Join us for the SOK group meetings every last Sunday of the month, immediately following our fellowship. All are cordially invited.
- 4. Offering report for 2024 can be requested using the following link: <a href="https://forms.gle/Y9t2rkRV8Ks18Oxf7">https://forms.gle/Y9t2rkRV8Ks18Oxf7</a>
- 5. Korean School starts on 2/8 (Sat). Please use the link <a href="https://forms.gle/ASpNczadgjjiG9zD7">https://forms.gle/ASpNczadgjjiG9zD7</a> for registration.

### **Praise and Prayer**

\*Opening Praise: Hear The Sound

Here I Am To Worship

## Call to Worship

Leader: This is God's day, and we are invited to be a part of it.

People: This is God's invitation: to come and see what God is doing in the world.

Leader: This is what God is doing: bringing good news to the poor,

People: And proclaiming release to the captives, Leader: Recovering sight for those who are blind People: And letting the oppressed go free. Leader: Let us join in, and let us worship God. People: Let us celebrate God's day. Amen!

Hymn: "I Surrender All" UMH 354

Worship Prayer: Steve Staudinger

## Proclamation, Response, and Thanksgiving

## Scripture Reading John 4:5-21

5 So he came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of ground Jacob had given to his son Joseph. 6 Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well. It was about noon.

7 When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, "Will you give me a drink?" 8 (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.)

- 9 The Samaritan woman said to him, "You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?" (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.[a])
- 10 Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water."
- 11 "Sir," the woman said, "you have nothing to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water? 12 Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did also his sons and his livestock?"
- 13 Jesus answered, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, 14 but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life."
- 15 The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water so that I won't get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water."
- 16 He told her, "Go, call your husband and come back."
- 17 "I have no husband," she replied.

Jesus said to her, "You are right when you say you have no husband. 18 The fact is, you have had five husbands, and the man you now have is not your husband. What you have just said is quite true."

- 19 "Sir," the woman said, "I can see that you are a prophet. 20 Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain, but you Jews claim that the place where we must worship is in Jerusalem."
- 21 "Woman," Jesus replied, "believe me, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem.

This is the Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God!

Children's Corner Labenyimoh Patrick

**Praise** "Jesus Loves Me This I know"

Sermon "The Samaritan Woman" Labenyimoh Patrick

**Holy Communion** 

\*Presentation of Offering

**Sending Forth** 

\*Closing Hymn "It Is Well With My Soul" UMH 377

\*Benediction