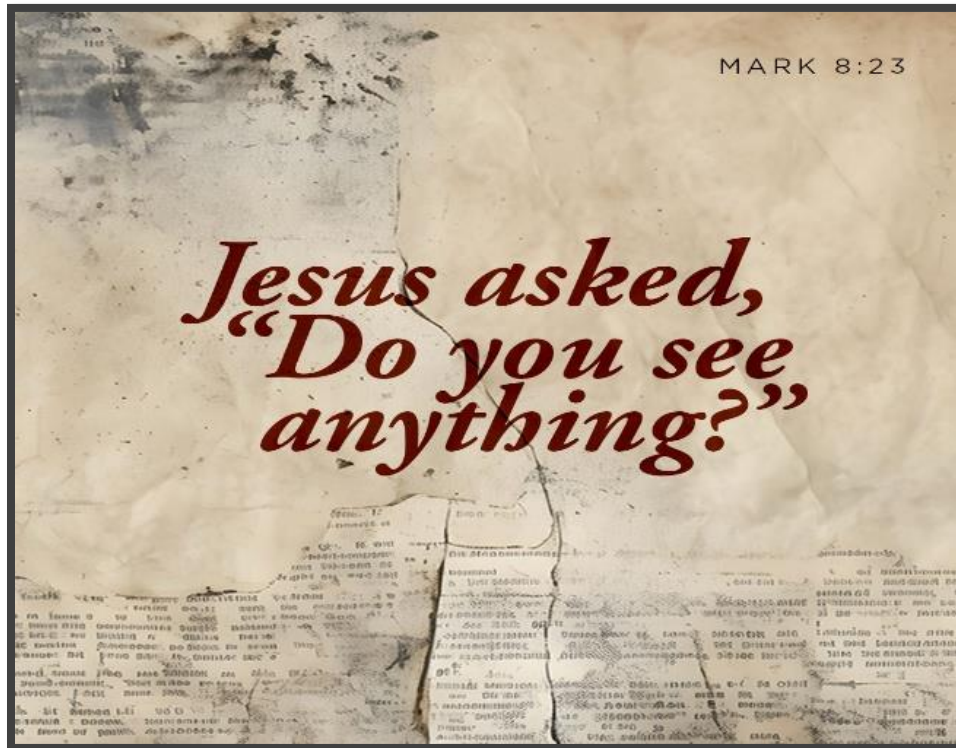




The Questions Jesus Asked:
"Do You See Anything?"
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ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE / COUNTDOWN

*OPENING PRAISE AND WORSHIP

10,000 Reasons

See screens

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor

WELCOME OF GUEST

Pastor

PASSING THE PEACE

Pastor

*HYMN OF PRAISE

To God Be the Glory (v. 1-3)

UMH #98

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

A Modern Affirmation

Liturgist

Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true church, apostolic and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:

ALL:

We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power, and love, whose mercy is over all His works, and whose will is ever directed to His children's good.

We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of man, the gift of the Father's unfailing grace, the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death.

We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and find strength and help in time of need.

We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI

UMH #70

OLD TESTAMENET READING 1 Samuel 16:7 (NKJV)

Liturgist

"But the Lord said to Samuel, "Do not look at his appearance or at his physical stature, because I have refused him. For the Lord does not see as man sees; for man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart."

Liturgist: This is the word of God for the people of God.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Pastor

CHILDREN'S PRAYER

Dear Jesus, Thank You for seeing us, knowing us, and loving us. Please help us see other people the way You see them. Help us notice those who are lonely, hurting, or left out. Give us kind eyes, loving hearts, and helping hands. Help us share Your love with everyone we meet. Amen.

GOSPEL READING: Mark 8:22-25 (NKJV)

Liturgist

"Then He came to Bethsaida; and they brought a blind man to Him and begged Him to touch him. So, He took the blind man by the hand and led him out of the town. And when He had spit on his eyes and put His hands on him, He asked him if he saw anything. And he looked up and said, "I see men like trees, walking." Then He put His hands on his eyes again and made him look up. And he was restored and saw everyone clearly."

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Congregation: Thanks be to God.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER: Rebecca Stumbaugh

See screens.

PRESENTATION OF PRAYERS AND PRAISE

Pastor

Prayer cards are on the information table. If you have a prayer request that you would like to share with the congregation, please fill out a card and pass it toward the center aisle as we are singing the Hymn of Preparation. The pastor will collect them during the hymn and pray over the cards at the chancel rail.

*HYMN OF PREPARATION

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

UMH #349

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON

Pastor

Title: The Questions Jesus Ask

Theme: Seeing People Through Jesus' Eyes

Question: "Do you see anything?"

Main Idea: Jesus restores our spiritual vision so we can see Him more clearly, see ourselves more honestly and see others with His compassion.

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND SACRIFICES (Celebrating Our Gifts)

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Gracious God,

You have given us eyes to see, hearts to love, hands to serve, and resources to share. Receive these gifts and use them to open eyes, heal lives, welcome strangers, serve neighbors, and share the good news of Jesus Christ. Help us see every gift as an opportunity to participate in Your work. May all that we give and all that we are bring honor and glory to You. In Jesus' name, Amen.

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND SACRIFICES

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings

UMH #95

*HYMN OF CELEBRATION

He Touched Me (v. 1-2)

UMH #367

*COMMISSION / BENEDICTION

Pastor

As you leave this place, remember the question Jesus asked: "Do you see anything?" May Jesus open your eyes to see Him in every season. May Jesus give you courage to see yourself honestly and receive His transforming grace. May Jesus give you compassion to see the lonely, the wounded, the forgotten, and the lost. Do not see people as problems, interruptions, labels, or trees walking around. See them as people created in the image of God, loved by Christ, and worthy of compassion. Go with open eyes, open hearts, and open hands. In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit...and all of God's children said...Amen.

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Freely, Freely (verses 1 & 2)

UMH #389

* Please stand as you are able.

*The flowers are given to the Glory of God
and in gratitude for God's blessings
by
Donna & Bob Corson.*