

St. James Presbyterian Church: *Morning Worship*

August 9, 2020

Welcome and Call to Worship

Prayer for the Day

Opening Hymn: #1 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*

Prayer of Confession

**God of mercy, you call us to live as your children,
but we're not listening.**

You call us to follow, but we choose our own path.

**You call us to serve, but we like being served and being
comfortable.**

**You call us to repent of our sins,
but we're not ready to give them up.**

**Forgive us for contributing to the fires of our world without giving it a
second thought.**

Forgive us for ignoring your voice when it calls to us.

**Forgive us for caring more about our desires than about being
faithful to you.**

**Change our hearts, clear our eyes, and open our ears, that we may
know you're calling to us and inviting us to truly see, and love,
your world. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, we pray. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

Sung Prayer for Illumination: #698 *Take O Take Me as I Am* (sing twice)

Scripture Reading: Matthew 14:22–33

Sermon: *Get Out of the Boat*

Musical Reflection: *The God of Love My Shepherd Is*

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Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name; your kingdom come;
your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.**

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever.
Amen.**

Closing Hymn: #66 *Every Time I Feel the Spirit*

Benediction

Do you have prayer concerns to share or needs that are not being met? Please contact the church office at 918-299-9988, comment or message us on our Facebook page, or email officemanager@stjamesjenks.org.

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Grace and peace to all; thank you for worshipping with us!