



The Vine UMC

Worship Guide November 24, 2024

Week 6: Soul Reset by Rev. Junius Dotson

Topic: "Living in the Light"

Opening Prayer: Series Prayer Inspired by the book Soul Reset, Rev. Junius Dotson

Gracious God, we come to you weary and burdened, seeking your rest. Forgive us when we try to do it all in our own strength and neglect the care of our souls. Help us to reset our lives, placing you at the center. Restore what is broken in us and guide us in your peace. Teach us to lift each other up and walk together in your grace. May we find strength and wholeness in you, living as your faithful disciples. In your loving name, we pray. Amen

Call to Worship:

Leader: Have mercy on us, O God, according to Your steadfast love;
according to Your abundant mercy, blot out our transgressions.

People: Create in us clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us.

Leader: Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, and cleanse us from our sin.

People: Create in us clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us.

Leader: In humility, we come seeking Your grace; in hope, we lift our hearts to You.

All: Create in us clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Amen.

Songs of Praise:

1) "This Little Light of Mine" Sam Cooke

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GQTV8EP_Vm0

2) "Marvelous Light" Charlie Hall

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vPU-F6hPYwI>

Optional Song of Your Choice: Find a song that you can meditate to sing.

Prayer of Illumination (All say together):

Guide us, O God, by your Word and Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find wisdom, and in your will discover your peace, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Sermon of the week: Watch The Vine UMC Sermon on Facebook or Youtube, "Living in the Light"

Song of Reflection:

"Amen" Madison Ryann Ward

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MIgwshWC7eo>

Closing Hymn:

"I Want to Walk As A Child of Light" UMH 206

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R3uP6AY-WRA>

Benediction:

Go now into the world, knowing that God did not send the Son to condemn, but to save. Live in the light of Christ, sharing His love and grace with all. And may the peace of God, the light of Christ, and the power of the Spirit guide you always.

Additional Notes:

Join a Branch (Small Group):

Our mission to be "A Movement of Living Love," is a call to each community member to join in a sacred endeavor, to become part of a transformative movement that seeks to change lives and, ultimately, the world. We aim to create not just a church but a vibrant, living

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