JOURNEY WITH US AS WE JOURNEY WITH JESUS.

IOURNEYWISE

MEETING HIM WHERE HE BEGAN

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Tell us one good thing!



What stood out to you in your reading this week?



JESUS WITH US

Week 2, Day 13

Simeon's Prophecy About Jesus

Read: Luke 2:25-35

THEME

Jesus Brings Salvation & Judgment

What is in your heart? It will all be revealed in the end. The message of Simeon's prophecy is that faithfulness and devotion are rewarded, but they can't be faked. Those who put their faith and hope in Christ will be rewarded far beyond anything they can imagine. But those who have put their faith in human authorities or in themselves will be revealed.



STOP & DISCUSS

- Have you ever had to wait on God for something? If so, explain.
 - How is hope related to faith?
 - How do you faithfully wait for God?

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- How has God answered prayers in your life?
- What were the fulfillments of those prayers like? Were they exactly what you expected? Were they different somehow?
 - Are you waiting for anything to be revealed to you right now? If so, what?

STOP & DISCUSS

How should we live our lives knowing that Jesus could return any moment?

How does it make you feel to know that one day the contents of your heart will be revealed?

How do we get to a place where we're not afraid of judgment on the last day?

Live it

If the first coming of Jesus revealed the faithful from the unfaithful, how much more will Christ's second coming? If Christ were to appear today, how would your heart respond? Would you rejoice in his coming? Would you shrink back in fear? No day is better to get your heart right with the Lord than today. What do you need to repent of today?



Next Week's Readings: Days 15 - 21

