Rejoice in the Lord Always Zephaniah 3:14-20 12/15/24

"Sing aloud, O daughter of Zion; Shout, O Israel! Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem!" (Zeph 3:14a).

IT'S EASY: _____

IT'S HARD: _____

IT'S NOT JUST A HOLIDAY MATTER: _____

WHERE CAN WE FIND TRUE JOY? _____

"I will gather those of you who mourn for the festival, so that you will no longer suffer reproach. Behold, at that time I will deal with all your oppressors. And I will save the lame and gather the outcast, and I will change their shame into praise and renown in all the earth."

PREPARE YOUR HEART: _____

Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem! Zephaniah 3:14b

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WHERE JESUS IS:

"The Lord has taken away the judgments against you; he has cleared away your enemies. The King of Israel, the Lord, is in your midst."

Zephaniah 3:15

"And when the men had come to him, they said, "John the Baptist has sent us to you, saying, 'Are you the one who is to come, or shall we look for another?'" In that hour he healed many people of diseases and plagues and evil spirits, and on many who were blind he bestowed sight. ²²And he answered them, "Go and tell John what you have seen and heard: the blind receive their sight, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, the poor have good news preached to them. And blessed is the one who is not offended by me."

Luke 7:18-23

THE LORD:						
Not a feigned or momentary joy, but eternal joy						
Christ – Wh	o is)	and		_ and <u>today</u> _		

