

Joyful in Hope – 99– August 4, 2020
(thoughts and ideas to encourage and challenge)

“Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.”
Romans 12:12

Good morning, Heritage,

Headed home this morning. Had a nice visit with Janine’s parents and brother’s family. Had a nice birthday. Enjoyed several nice bike rides and long walks on the American Tobacco Trail. Survived Hurricane Isaias. Touched base with our niece, Rebbekka. Joined with you all for Zoom Worship, after the fact . . . Looking forward to getting home, a wedding, canoe trip, getting some more done around the house. Worship under the trees next Sunday.

Here are some encouraging words for this week, from Isaiah 2:

The Mountain of the Lord
This is what Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem:
² In the last days the mountain of the Lord’s temple will be established
as the highest of the mountains;
it will be exalted above the hills,
and all nations will stream to it.
³ Many peoples will come and say, “Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord,
to the temple of the God of Jacob.
He will teach us his ways,
so that we may walk in his paths.”
The law will go out from Zion,
the word of the Lord from Jerusalem.
⁴ He will judge between the nations
and will settle disputes for many peoples.
They will beat their swords into plowshares
and their spears into pruning hooks.
Nation will not take up sword against nation,
nor will they train for war anymore.
⁵ Come, descendants of Jacob,
let us walk in the light of the Lord.

Join us tomorrow for ‘Heritage Prays’ on Zoom.
