### United Church of Christ of California – California, MO Rev. Russell Cobb Pastor Mrs. Beth Dampf Organist

February 7, 2021 ~ Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Meredith Wolford Hazel Wolford

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

How good it is to gather together to praise our God!

It is a joyous thing to sing and speak God's praises!

Let your hearts be glad and your spirits rejoice!

May we with joy and thanksgiving, give our attention to God's word and love for us. Amen.

Hymn "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Prayer of the Day

Loving God, you have called forth disciples and prophets to live and speak your word. Give us ears to hear, lives to respond, and voices to proclaim the good news of salvation, which we know in our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

Invitation to Children's Time

Hymn for Children "Jesus Loves Me"

Children's Time Pastor Russ

Anthem "Let the Flame Burn Brightly" Sr. Choir

Holy Spirit, we praise you for enabling us to answer Christ's call to follow him. Continue to lead us, so that with our hearts, words, and bodies, we may act in accord with Jesus Christ, our crucified and risen Savior. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson: Psalm 32:1-7
Second Lesson: Luke 6:17-26

Sermon

**Living on God's Mountain: The Secret to True Happiness** 

Hymn "Amazing Grace"

Christians, what do you believe?

(Apostles' Creed) I believe in God the Father, Almighty...

Prayer of Intercession

The Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors) Invitation to the Offering

Response "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn "All Praise to Him Who Reigns Above"

Benediction

Response "God Be with You Till We Meet Again"

God be with you till we meet again; By His counsels guide, uphold you, With His sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.

Till we meet . . . till we meet; Till we meet at Jesus' feet;

Till we meet . . . till we meet; God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude

#### Wednesday Evening Meal, February 10<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:00 p.m.

Chili, Baked Potato Soup, Sandwiches, Dessert

#### Activities Calendar: February 7<sup>th</sup> ~ February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021

#### Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup>

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship

11:30 a.m. – CARE Callers meeting in Friendship Hall immediately following the worship service

5:00 p.m. – High School Youth Group (Super Bowl Party)

at the church

#### Tuesday, February 9th

9:00 a.m. - Prayer Cell

#### Wednesday, February 10th

6:00 p.m. – Fellowship Meal

6:30 p.m. – Confirmation, Bell Choir, ROK / God's Singers

7:30 p.m. - Sr. Choir

#### Thurday, February 11th

6:30 p.m. – Grief Share Class

#### Saturday, February 13th

California Care Center Memorial Service (Friendship Hall)

#### Sunday, February 14th

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship

7:00 p.m. - High School Youth Group

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#### **CARE Callers Needed**

CARE stands for Contact, Assist, Relate, & Encourage. A CARE caller keeps in contact with 5-7 individuals/families throughout the year. You might call them, text them, write them, or just visit with them at church to see how they are doing and if there is anything the church needs to be praying for in their lives. I have 30 families/individuals that need someone to CARE for them. Please contact Pastor Russ if you are interested. You can also come to the meeting right after church today in the Friendship Hall.

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Sermon notes					
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#### Please pray for these . . .

Love & Justice in God's World

Our Confirmands (2020-2021):

Kya Peck, Hayden Kilmer, Michelle Sedgwick, Brooks Volkart, Colin Kruger, Bennett Gatlin, Kinleagh Monroe

#### All Those Who Need Our Prayers, including:

Becky Zuidervaart Charlie Gabert Carol Wolfrum

Jo Suggs Billy Meyer Chris Schoenthal

Judy Kilmer Bill Schacht Kim (Yelton) Haesemeier

#### All Those Serving in the U.S. Military, including:

Craig Hall (Air Force, stationed at Dyess AFB, Abilene, TX)

Martin Knipker (son of Kenny Knipker)

Dwight Bowlin (grandson of Jack & Carole Bowlin, Fort Bragg, NC)

Dakota Meyer (grandson of Billy Meyer, Ft. Carson, Colorado Springs, CO)

Madelynn Perry (granddaughter of Jan Anderson, army – Europe)

Dylan Ash (son of Lanny & Ellen Ash, stationed at Camp Lejeune, NC)

Hayden Grant (grandson of Kathy Grant, Air Force, Pensacola, FL)

Kyle Hofstetter (son of Scott & Jill Hofstetter, stationed at San Diego, CA)

Alexander Ives (nephew of Pamela Hill, Army – Fort Bragg)

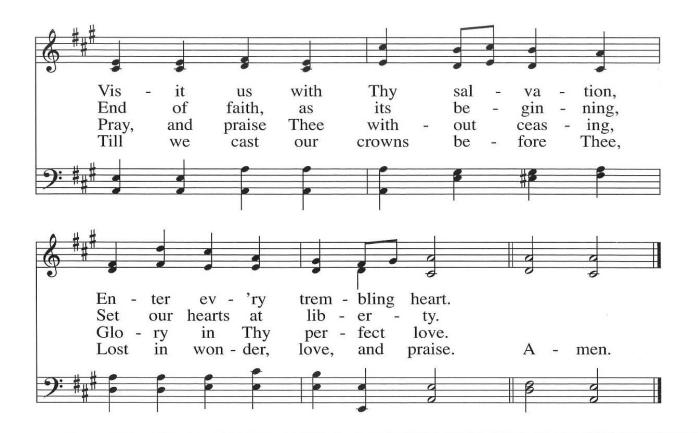
Cory Friedmeyer (grandson of Charles Goode, Marines – Africa)

Ryan Carel (nephew of Leroy Schnieders, Seymour Johnson AFB, NC)

Derek Meyer (grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Fort Bragg, NC)

#### Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

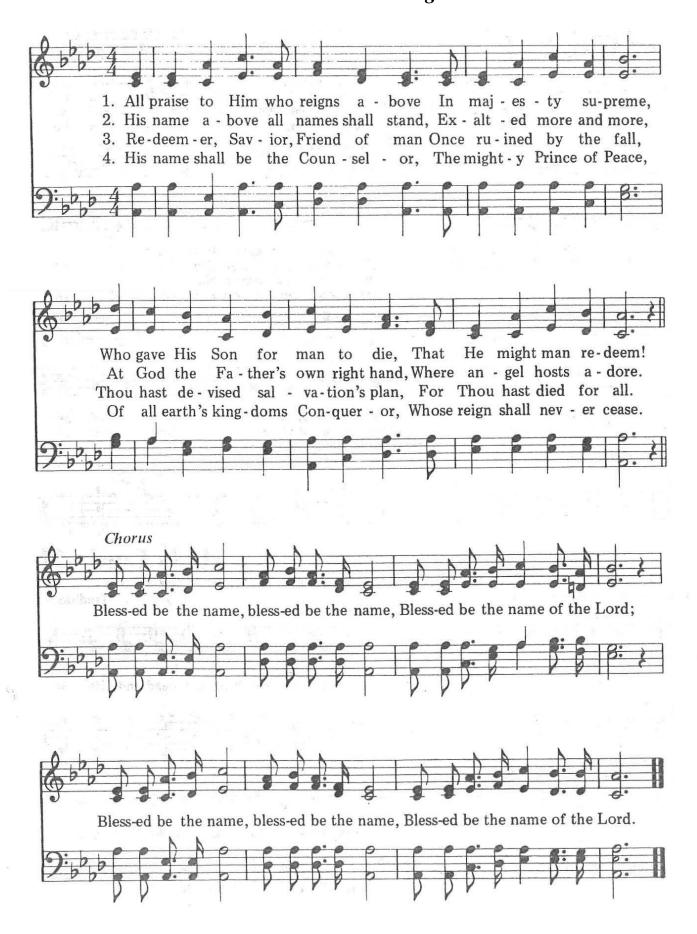




#### **Amazing Grace**



#### All Praise to Him Who Reigns Above



# THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he arose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the one Holy universal Christian Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

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## GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
And to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now,
and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power,
and the glory for ever. Amen.

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### DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.