United Church of Christ of California - California, MO

Rev. Russell Cobb

**Pastor** 

Mrs. Beth Dampf

**Organist** 

Mrs. Stacy Friedrich

Sr. Choir Director

#### February 14, 2021 ~ Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Hadley Milligan Carson Kruger

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

My soul magnifies the Lord;

my spirit rejoices in God my Savior.

The Mighty One has done great things.

Holy is God's name!

Hymn "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

Prayer of the Day

We praise you, Eternal God, for the wonder and splendor of your vast creation. We gather to be your church in worship. We thank you for all who are called to be disciples of Jesus Christ and seek your guiding presence and your power in our lives. Send your Holy Spirit upon us, that we may praise you and serve you with love and courage in all the world. Amen.

#### **Installation of the Consistory**

#### Lexi Hall, Tammy Kilmer, Allan Mortenson, Andy Burger, Ronnie Kissick, Laura Burger, Alan Chambers, VanDee Miller

Greeting
Introduction
Presentation
Covenant by the Consistory

Covenant by the Congregation

Members of this household of faith, you have heard the promises of our sisters and brothers in Christ, who have answered God's call to service. Do you promise to love them, honor their leadership, and assist them that together we may be a faithful church of Jesus Christ?

#### We do, relying on God's grace.

Prayer of Installation
Declaration
Greeting of Christian Love

Invitation to Children's Time

Hymn for Children "Jesus Loves Me"

Children's Time Kendra Hall

Anthem "Seekers of Light" Sr. Choir

Prayer for Illumination Mary Burger

God of our hearts, speak. Your servants are listening. We sit on the edge of our seat for a life giving Word. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson: Ephesians 5:8-16 Second Lesson: Colossians 4:2-6

Sermon Living on God's Mountain –
Shaking & Shining for Jesus – Matthew 5:13-16

Hymn "Jesus Bids Us Shine"

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 "They'll Know We are Christians"

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

The flowers that grace the sanctuary are placed in memory of the birthday of **Ruth Clennin**, by Carla Clennin.

## Wednesday Evening Meal, February 17<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:00 p.m.

#### Breakfast

#### Activities Calendar: February 14, 2021 ~ February 21, 2021

#### Sunday, February 14th

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship

7:00 p.m. - HS Youth Group

#### Tuesday, February 16th

9:00 a.m. - Prayer Cell

### Wednesday, February 17<sup>th</sup> – Ash Wednesday

1:00 p.m. - Women's Guild

5:45 p.m. – Fellowship Meal

6:20 p.m. - Bell Choir

6:30 p.m. - God's Singers

7:00 p.m. – Worship (Sr. Choir practice following worship)

#### Thurday, February 18th

6:30 p.m. - Grief Share Class

#### Sunday, February 21st

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

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

#### Pre-K Sunday School Class

**Pre-K Sunday School class** is meeting again with Betty Cobb & Elizabeth Ash leading the class for the next few weeks.

#### **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.

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Sermon

Living on God's Mountain –
Shaking & Shining for Jesus - Matthew 5:13-16

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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)

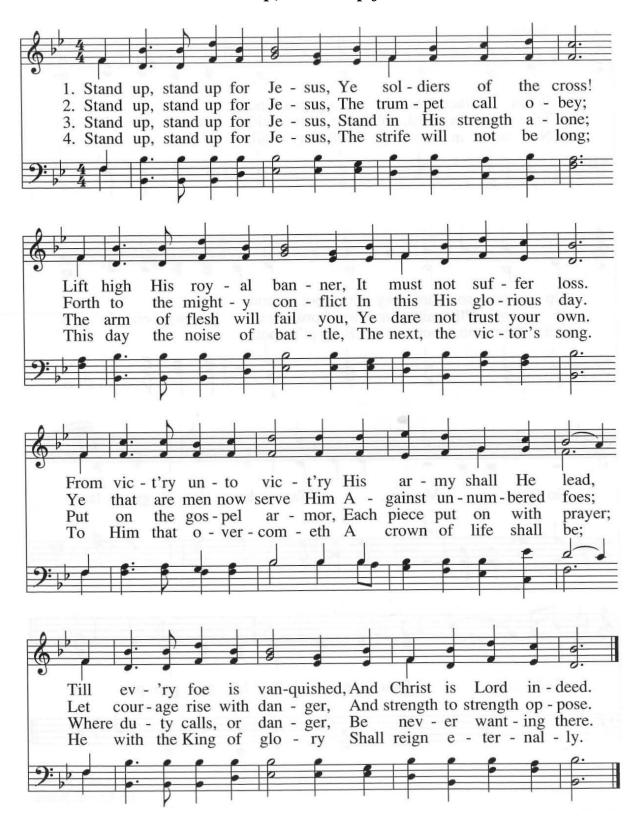
Alexander Ives (nephew of Pamela Hill, Army – Fort Bragg)

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)

#### Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus

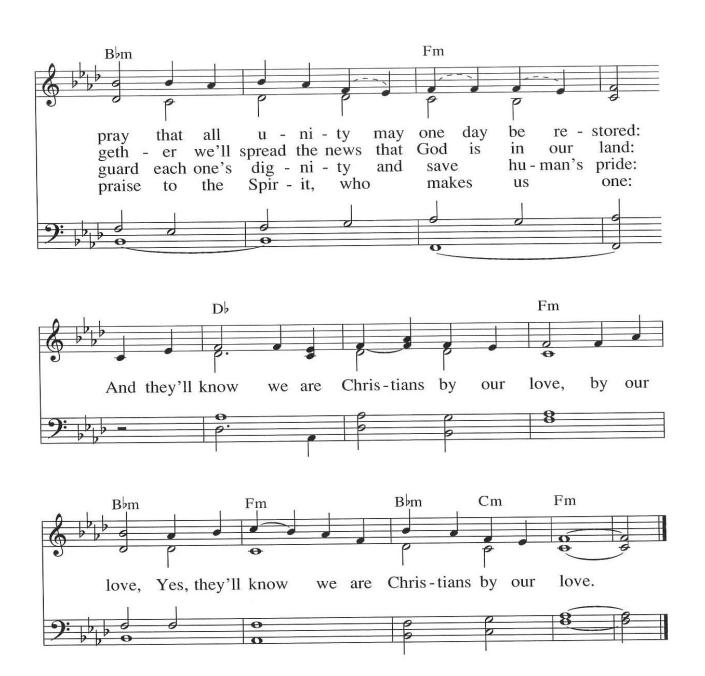


#### Jesus Bids Us Shine



They'll Know We are Christians





# 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.