United Church of Christ of California ~ California, Missouri	
David Kohler	Guest Pastor
Mrs. Beth Dampf	Organist
Mrs. Stacy Friedrich	Sr. Choir Director

November 6, 2022 ~ Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost All Saints' Sunday

*All those who are able, please stand

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles

Royce Everett & Brynna Hall

Choral Opening

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

When Chief Shepherd appears you will receive the Crown of Glory that will never fade away.

You younger people likewise be subject to your elders, And all you clothe yourselves with humility toward one another Because God is opposed to the proud, but he gives grace to the humble.

*Hymn No. 281

"Count Your Blessings"

*Prayer of the Day

God of all holiness, you gave your saints different gifts on earth but one holy city in heaven. Give us grace to follow their good examples, that we may know the joy you have prepared for all who love you. Amen.

*Call to Praise

O Lord, open our lips!

And our mouths shall show forth your praise!

*Act of Praise No. 493 "Gloria Patri" (Glory be to the Father)

Invitation to Children's Time

Hymn for Children "Jesus Loves Me"

Children's Time

Holly Bieri

Anthem "It Is Good To Praise The Lord" Sr. Choir

Prayer for Illumination

Carole Barbour

God, source of all light by your Word, you give light to the soul. Pour out on us the spirit of wisdom and understanding, that our hearts and minds may be opened to know your truth and your way. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

	Amos 8:1-12 p.795 Luke 10: 38-42 p. 903
Sermon	"My soul the 3 year old"
Hymn No. 552	"We Gather Together"

Kyrie "Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us"

Assurance of Pardon

Sisters and brothers, God has made a way where there was no way. In Christ Jesus, evil and death have been vanquished, and we live in a state of grace. Believe the gospel: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Amen.

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Any Christian who wishes to know the presence of Christ and share in the community of God's people is invited to receive the Sacrament. The inner circle contains white wine. The outer circles contain red grape juice. Communion Prayer The Lord be with you.
And with you also.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give God thanks and praise.

As we pray together -

The Lord's Prayer (*debts and debtors*) Breaking Bread and Pouring Wine

Sharing the Elements

(Please hold the elements until all have been served, so that we may all commune together.)

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

God, as we have received these gifts of bread and wine, we thank you for assuring us of your goodness and love, and that we are members of his body.

Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son, and bring us with all your people into the joy of your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Hymn No. 359

"Blessed Assurance"

*Benediction

*Congregational 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

Activities Calendar: November 6, 2022 ~ November 13, 2022

Sunday, November 6, 2022, Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost 9:30 a.m. - Sunday School (Christmas Program practice starts) 10:30 a.m. - Worship-Holy Communion Monday, November 7, 2022 7:00 p.m. - Sunday School Teachers and Officers Tuesday, November 8, 2022 9:00 a.m. - Prayer Cell Wednesday, November 10, 2022 6:00 p.m. - Fellowship Meal 6:30 p.m. - Bell Choir, ROK/God Singers, Confirmation, Bible Study 7:30 p.m. - Sr. Choir practice Sunday, November 13, 2022, Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost 9:30 a.m. - Sunday School 10:30 a.m. - Worship Looking ahead......November 14, Consistory 6 p.m.

November 15, Holiday Grief Share meeting 6:30 p.m. November 20, Totenfest Sunday November 21, Brotherhood 7 p.m. November 24 and 25, Thanksgiving Holidays- office closed November 27, First Sunday of Advent – Holy Communion

If you have interest in joining the church, please contact Pastor Russ or fill out a connection card and drop it in the offering plate.

A **Nursery** is available from 9:45am-11:45am in the upstairs hallway, just outside the sanctuary. The nursery volunteer is Julie Medlin. There are activity bags at the back of the sanctuary for children that stay in the worship service.

Need some help with hearing? See an usher at the back of the sanctuary to check out a hearing assisted unit for your personal use in the sanctuary and in the Friendship Hall. We have new units available.

Notice the "Connection Cards" in the pews. They are for our guests or anyone that has a prayer request or needs more information about the church. Please place it in the offering plate.

Online giving is available. Follow the E-Giving link on our website: calmo-ucc.org to give today or set recurring gifts.

Christmas program practice for the Christmas Eve program begins today. Letters have been sent home with your children at ROK and Sunday School with a detailed schedule. Please contact Lauren Lawson for Nursery/Pre-K through Kindergarten and either Ellen Ash, Connie Bestgen or Beth Dampf for grades 1-12.

Everyone is welcome to participate!

GRIEF SHARE – SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

The Holiday Season is just around the corner and for many this is the first holiday after the loss of a loved one or it might be the second, third or more. During this season you may be facing some tough emotions during family events, social parties, yearly traditions and these can blindside you. You can lessen these by knowing what to expect and being prepared. Join us for "Surviving the Holiday's" on **November 15th at 6:30 pm**. Please let us know you will be joining us by contacting the church office. This will allow us to have enough survival guides on hand.

Sermon Notes - "My soul the 3 year old"

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Please pray for these ...

Love & Justice in God's World

For the Family and Friends of Ellen Martin, Conner Ernst, Richard and Mary Manning, Bill Fentors, Vickie Bearden, and Jeanne Miller

Our Confirmands:

Cooper Brandes, Ella Burger, Emily Burger, Bella Fulks, Hunter Hall, Caleb Howard, and Hadley Milligan

All Those Who Need Our Prayers, including:

Becky Zuidervaart Bill Schacht Kim (Yelton) Haesemeier Jo Suggs Chris Schoenthal Judy Kilmer

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

Martin Knipker (son of Kenny Knipker) Dwight Bowlin (grandson of Jack & the late Carole Bowlin, Fort Campbell,

KY)
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 Oak Harbor, WA)
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, 29 Palms, CA)
Derek Meyer (grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Monterey, CA)
Brett Street (grandson of Jenine Baker, Army, Ft. Elmendorf, AK)
Damion Street (grandson of Jenine Baker, Army, Munich, Germany)

<u>Wednesday Evening Meal – Nov. 9, 6:00 p.m.</u> Chicken Pot Pie, Vegetables, Fruit and Hot Rolls

Nursery Attendant

The Consistory is looking for a Nursery Attendant. They are looking for someone to be available from 9:45 to 11:45 and this would be a paid position. If you know of someone that enjoys children and can be available for two hours each Sunday morning, please let the church office know or any Consistory member.

We will continue to use our Nursery volunteers for the time being. If you are on the schedule to volunteer, please let the church office or one of the Consistory members know if you **can't** volunteer from 9:45 to 11:45. Always looking for new volunteers as well, so if you would like to, just let the church office know. The Nursery has recently had some updates. Stop by and check out the improvements. We are committed to making our young children one of our top priorities.

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Old Magazines

Sunday School is looking for old magazines that can be used to cut out pictures of people, animals and food for the 2-3 year old class. If you have any to discard, there is a box in the foyer downstairs to place them in.

For the month of November, the Historical Committee would like to create a display of church family veterans in the memorial cabinet downstairs. If you have a veteran family member and would like his or her picture displayed, bring their military picture to the church office. Along with the picture, please provide their name and years of service. The pictures will be returned in December. Poínsettía Order Form

The plants will be red with gold foil & a white bow. (6" pot)

If you would like to have a poinsettia placed in the sanctuary in memory or honor of a loved one, we have those available for \$12.00 each. Please provide the following information.

By (Name)

Phone _____

In Memory of_____

or

In Honor of _____

Please have this information to the church office, along with a check for \$12.00 made payable to the U.C.C. of California, by <u>Monday, November 28th.</u>





We Gather Together



Blessed Assurance







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 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.

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KYRIE

Minister: Lord, have mercy upon us. Congregation: Lord, have mercy upon us. Minister: Christ, have mercy upon us. Congregation: Christ, have mercy upon us. Minister: Lord, have mercy upon us. Congregation: Lord, have mercy upon us.