

United Church of Christ of California – California, MO
Rev. Russell Cobb
Mrs. Ellen Ash

Pastor
Pianist

The Fifth Sunday in Lent
April 3, 2022

** - All those who are able, please stand.*

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Jess Medlin Logan Milligan

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Friends, we are gathered to give thanks for all we have
received from God's good hands:

to praise God's holy name!

to acknowledge and confess our sins;

**to hear God's holy word; and to ask those things needful
for life.**

Let us draw near to God in all humility and celebrate God's
infinite goodness and mercy.

*Hymn No. 377 "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

*Prayer of the Day

**God of mercy, you are full of tenderness and compassion,
slow to anger, rich in mercy, and always ready to forgive.
Grant us grace to renounce all evil and to cling to Christ,
that in every way we may prove to be your loving
children; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.**

*Call to Praise

O Lord, open our lips!

And our mouths shall show forth your praise!

*Act of Praise – “Gloria Patri”

Invitation to Children’s Time

Hymn for Children “Jesus Loves Me”

Children’s Time

Carla Clennin

Special Music

Carmen Brown

Prayer for Illumination

Alan Chambers

Wise, all-knowing God, soften our hardened hearts that we may hear your voice in the reading of the Scriptures. Lead us and feed us as we travel through this Lenten wilderness towards the promised land. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson: Acts 10:34-40 p. 957

Second Lesson: II Corinthians 5:16-21 p.1006

Sermon **Jesus to Me...Prince of Peace**
John 14:27 & John 16:33

Hymn No. 408 “What a Friend We Have in Jesus”

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 No. 394 *“I’ve Got Peace Like a River”*

*Benediction

*Congregational Response – *“Go in Love”*

*Go in love, have no fear.
God will guide you, He is always near.
Go in love, take His hand.
God will hear you, He will understand.
May His light forever shine upon you;
May His peace be always in your heart.
Go in love, face each day.
God will lead you, He will show the way.
Go in love, and live in faith. Amen.*

*Postlude

A **Nursery** is available in the upstairs hallway, just outside the sanctuary. The attendant on duty is Taylor Ratcliff. The nursery volunteer is Courtney Cassil. 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.

Statement of Faith ~ Wednesday, April 6th

Addison Carr – daughter of Mollie Wolford
Addison has 1 brother - Aiden

Wednesday Evening Meal, April 6th ~ 5:45pm

Breakfast

Reception for Confirmation Class of 2022

April 6, 2022 ~ following the Lent service

All are welcome!

Giving Made Easy

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

Contact Steven Burger for more information.

Office Manager Position

United Church of Christ of California

We are sad to announce Renée Clifford, our church Office Manager, has put in her notice. We want to thank Renée for her years of commitment and work with our church.

If you are interested in the Office Manager position, it is a full time position with benefits, please contact one of the consistory members for additional information and a formal job description.

You can also email the consistory at consistory@calmo-ucc.org

Did You Know???

The Sunday School's fun party that is held in October with hayrides, hotdog and marshmallow roast, crafts, and games is paid by the Sunday School Opening offering & E-Giving monies. Thank you for supporting Sunday School!!!

Project Share & the Food Pantry Need Volunteers

The Food pantry needs volunteers on the first Wednesday of each month for pre-packing dry goods that each family receives. Please stop by at 9:00 a.m. if you are interested in helping.

Project Share is always seeking volunteers to sort clothes on Mondays and Tuesdays. They also need help working in the front of the store when they are open. Contact Lina Eddy at 573-480-5103 if you are interested in helping.

rightnow MEDIA

To get access to Right Now Media for you and your family
use the link or text to the number listed below.

Custom Registration Link –

<https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Account/Invite/CALUCC>

Text Registration Code – UCOC to 49775

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

6:00 p.m. Sundays at New Life Christian Center
A Christ-Centered 12 Step Support Group for Men & Women
"Overcoming Our Hurts, Hangups And Habits Together"

Sermon Notes

Jesus to Me...Prince of Peace
John 14:27 & John 16:33

**First Christian Church is hosting a Bible Study on
Tuesday nights at 6:30 p.m.**

On The Road Again: A Faith Journey by James W. Moore

Activities Calendar: April 3, 2022 ~ April 10, 2022

Sunday, April 3rd - Fifth Sunday in Lent

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

Monday, April 4th

7:00 p.m. – Sunday School Teachers & Officers

Tuesday, April 5th

9:00 a.m. – Prayer Cell

1:00 p.m. – Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, April 6th - Sixth Wednesday in Lent

5:45 p.m. – Fellowship Meal

6:15 p.m. – Bell Choir

6:30 p.m. – God's Singers

7:00 p.m. – Worship

Following worship – Confirmation Reception &

Sr. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 7th

6:30 p.m. – Stewardship Committee Meeting

Friday, April 8th

5:30 p.m. – Shrimp & Chicken Dinner at Salem UCC

Sunday, April 10th - Palm Sunday

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship – Rite of Confirmation

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Please pray for these . . .

Love & Justice in God's World

Our Confirmands:

Ashton Bolinger, Addison Carr, Heston Gatlin
Adler Koestner, Amelia Motley, Chase Trimble,
Cody Schneider, Margaret Heimericks

All Those Who Need Our Prayers, including:

Becky Zuidervaat	Collin Mouse	Kim (Yelton) Haesemeier
Jo Suggs	Chris Schoenthal	Paul Schacht
Judy Kilmer	Bill Schacht	

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 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, Palm Springs, CA*)
Ryan Carel (*nephew of Leroy Schnieders, Seymour Johnson AFB, NC*)
Derek Meyer (*grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Monterey, CA*)

**Finke Theatre Presents
The Living Lord's Supper**

April 8th & 9th – 7:00 p.m.

In Person & Live Stream Tickets: www.finketheatre.com

Salem United Church of Christ

Shrimp and Chicken Dinner

April 8, 2022 ~ 5:30-7:00 pm

Dine-in or Carry-out

(Pavilion available for outdoor dining)

Meal includes: shrimp or chicken, cheesy potatoes, slaw,
dessert and drink.

Please RSVP by Monday, April 4 to

Brenda Oesterly

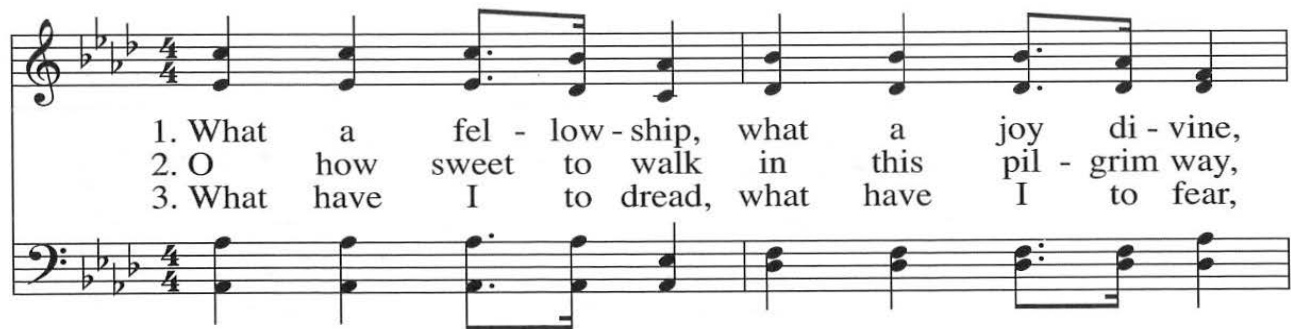
Home: 573-796-3013 ~ Cell: 573-291-7165

email: oesterlyb@yahoo.com

Freewill donations for the meal.

Looking forward to seeing our friends and family on
this special night.

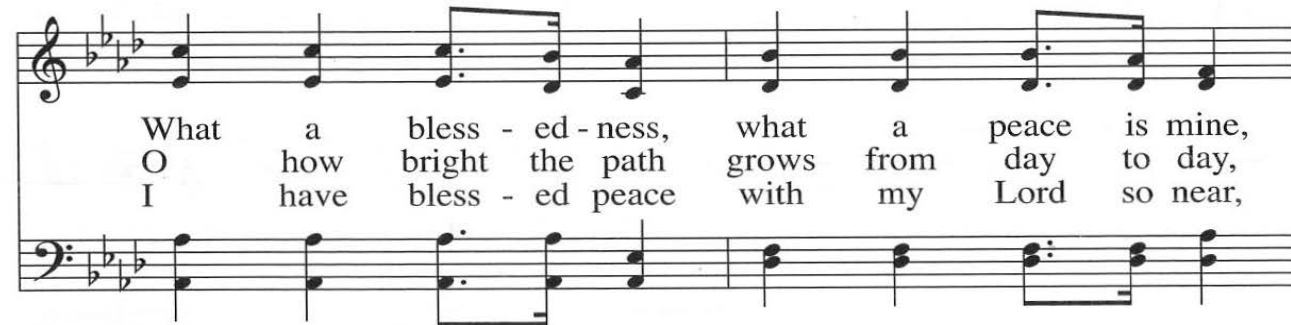
Leaning on the Everlasting Arms



1. What a fel - low - ship, what a joy di - vine,
2. O how sweet to walk in this pil - grim way,
3. What have I to dread, what have I to fear,



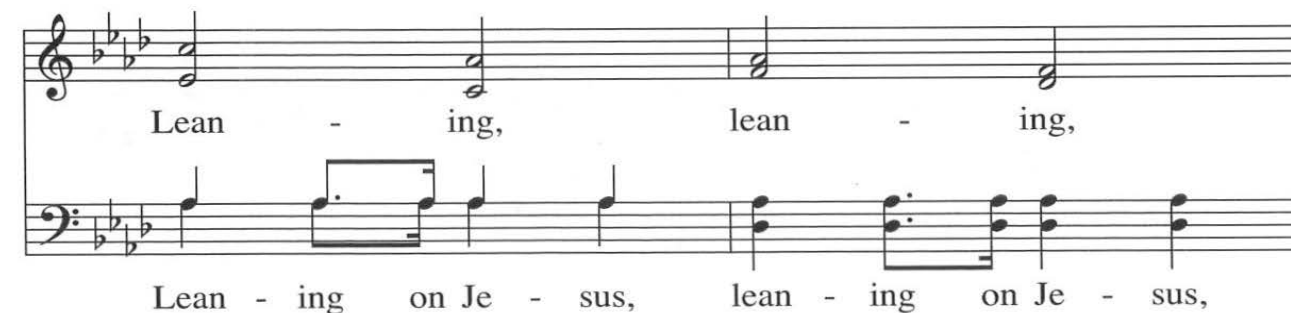
Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms;



What a bless - ed - ness, what a peace is mine,
O how bright the path grows from day to day,
I have bless - ed peace with my Lord so near,



Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.



Lean - ing, lean - ing,
Lean - ing on Je - sus, lean - ing on Je - sus,

safe and se - cure from all a - larms; lean - ing,

lean - ing on Je - sus,

This musical system consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower staff is in bass clef. Both staves are in the key of B-flat major (two flats) and 4/4 time. The melody is written in the upper staff, and the bass line is in the lower staff. The lyrics are written below the staves, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across measures.

lean - ing, lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.

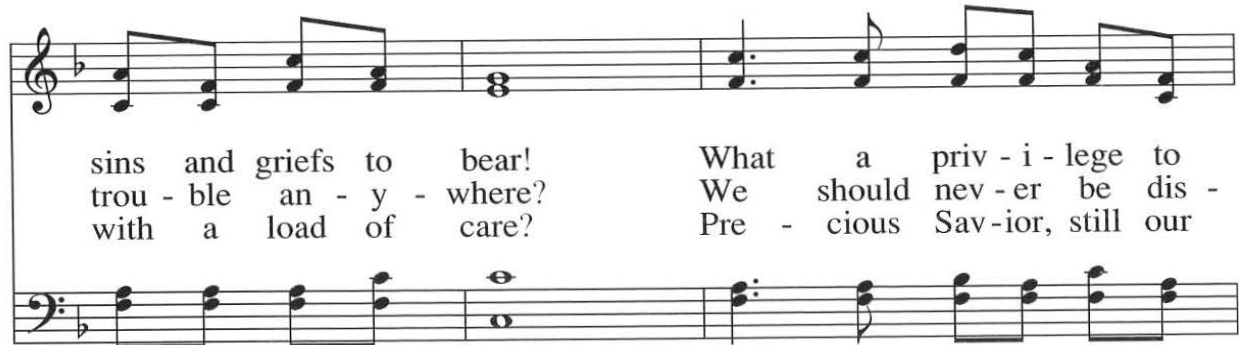
lean - ing on Je - sus,

This musical system also consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, in the same key and time signature as the first system. The melody continues in the upper staff, and the bass line continues in the lower staff. The lyrics are written below the staves, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across measures.

What a Friend We Have in Jesus



1. What a friend we have in Je - sus, All our
2. Have we tri - als and temp - ta - tions? Is there
3. Are we weak and heav - y la - den, Cum - bered



sins and griefs to bear! What a priv - i - lege to
trou - ble an - y - where? We should nev - er be dis -
with a load of care? Pre - cious Sav - ior, still our



car - ry Ev - 'ry - thing to God in prayer! Oh, what
cour - aged; Take it to the Lord in prayer! Can we
ref - uge, Take it to the Lord in prayer! Do thy



peace we of - ten for - feit, Oh, what need - less pain we
find a friend so faith - ful, Who will all our sor - rows
friends de - spise, for - sake thee? Take it to the Lord in

bear, share? prayer! All be - cause we do not car - ry
 Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry weak - ness;
 In His arms He'll take and shield thee,

Ev - 'ry - thing to God in prayer!
 Take it to the Lord in prayer!
 Thou wilt find a sol - ace there. A - men.

I've Got Peace Like a River

1. I've got peace like a riv - er, I've got peace like a
2. I've got joy like a foun-tain, I've got joy like a
3. I've got love like an o - cean, I've got love like an

The first system of the song is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of two staves, treble and bass. The melody is in the treble staff, and the bass line is in the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the staves.

1.
riv - er, I've got peace like a riv - er in my
foun-tain, I've got joy like a foun-tain in my
o - cean, I've got love like an o - cean in my

The second system continues the melody and bass line. It includes the first ending bracket, which leads to a repeat of the first line. The lyrics are written below the staves.

2.
soul. I've got riv - er in my soul.
soul. I've got foun-tain in my soul.
soul. I've got o - cean in my soul.

The third system continues the melody and bass line. It includes the second ending bracket, which leads to a repeat of the second line. The lyrics are written below the staves.

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.



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.



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.



KYRIE

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