# United Church of Christ of California ~ California, MissouriRev. Russell CobbPastorMrs. Beth DampfOrganistMrs. Stacy FriedrichSr. Choir DirectorRev. Howard EllisGuest Pastor

May 1, 2022 ~ Third Sunday of Easter

\*All those who are able, please stand

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Caleb Howard Carson Kruger

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

Like the disciples who met the risen Christ,

we come hoping for unexpected appearances of God's love.

We come with our questions and doubts, and listen for Christ to appear in our midst saying:

#### "Peace be with you."

Let us worship God, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** 

\*Hymn No. 413 "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

\*Prayer of the Day

Gracious God, through the gift of your endless and eternal love, you have established your kingdom here on earth. Send your Holy Spirit to open our eyes that we may see it, enter it and live its reality this day and all our days. Amen.

<ul> <li>*Call to Praise</li> <li>O Lord, open our lips!</li> <li>And our mouths shall show forth your praise!</li> <li>*Act of Praise No. 493 "Gloria Patri" (<i>Glory be to the Father</i>)</li> </ul>									
Invitation to Children's Time									
Hymn for Children "Jesus Loves Me"									
Children's Time	Jo Ann Cantriel								
Anthem "A	nd So We Sing"	Sr. Choir							
Prayer of IlluminationMary BurgerHoly and righteous God, you raised Christ from the dead and glorified him at your right hand. Open our minds to understand the scriptures, that we may have faith and know the joy of believing. Amen.									
Second Lesson:	Acts 9:1-20 John 21:1-19	p. 955 p. 945							
Sermon									
<ul> <li>Hymn No. 361 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"</li> <li><i>Christians, what do you believe?</i></li> <li>(Apostles' Creed) I believe in God the Father, Almighty</li> </ul>									
Prayer of Intercession									
The Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors)									
Invitation to the Offer	ing								

\*Response "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*Hymn No. 22 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

#### \*Benediction

\*Congregational Response – "Shalom"



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\*Postlude

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

#### **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.

#### **Did You Know**???

Sunday School pays \$139 for RightNow Media each month. That's a great bargain for all our members & friends!!! It has videos for preschoolers to adult in categories from cartoon, life support, & Biblical interests. Thank You for your support!!!

#### **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.

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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"

#### <u>Activities Calendar: May 1, 2022 ~ May 8, 2022</u> <u>Sunday, May 1<sup>st</sup> Third Sunday of Easter</u>

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship

#### Tuesday, May 3rd

9:00 a.m. – Prayer Cell

1:00 p.m. - Women's Bible Study

#### Wednesday, May 4th

6:30 p.m. - God's Singers & Bell Choir

7:30 p.m. - Sr. Choir

#### Thursday, May 5th

12:05 p.m. – National Day of Prayer

(Moniteau County Courthouse)

#### <u>Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup></u>

9:00 a.m. – Veggie Tales (Friendship Hall)

#### Sunday, May 8th Sunday - Mother's Day

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship Looking ahead ~

> $May 5^{th}$  – National Day of Prayer, 12:05 p.m. May 7<sup>th</sup> – Veggie Tales, 9:00 a.m.  $May 22^{nd}$  – Senior Recognition Sunday (during worship)

# *Please pray for these*...

Love & Justice in God's World

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

Becky Zuidervaart Bill Schacht Jo Suggs Judy Kilmer

Kim (Yelton) Haesemeier Chris Schoenthal Paul 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, Austrailia) Ryan Carel (nephew of Leroy Schnieders, Seymour Johnson AFB, NC) Derek Meyer (grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Monterey, CA)



# **Camp Aurora Summer 2022 Dates**

Senior High Camp July 3rd—July 9th Junior High Camp July 10th—July 15th Junior Camp July 17th—July 22nd Primary Camp July 24th—July 27



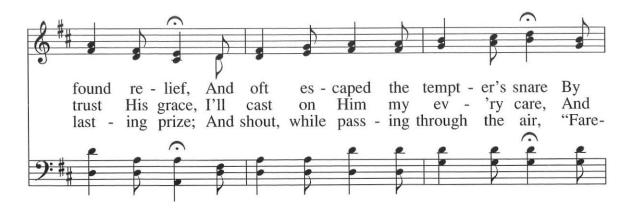
The California Ministerial Alliance invites you to join us on Thursday, May 5 for prayer at the Moniteau County Courthouse. Prayer will begin at 12:05 at the flag pole (in case of rain we will meet inside).

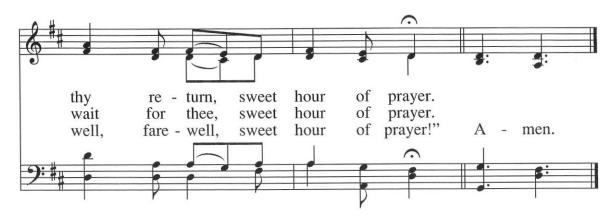
Pastors will lead in prayers and praises to God for our county, our communities and country with special thanks to all of our law enforcement officers. Lunch is provided for soldiers and vets, firefighters, emergency responders and all who serve in the Courthouse and City Hall.

If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land. -<u>2 Chronicles 7:14-15</u>

#### Sweet Hour of Prayer





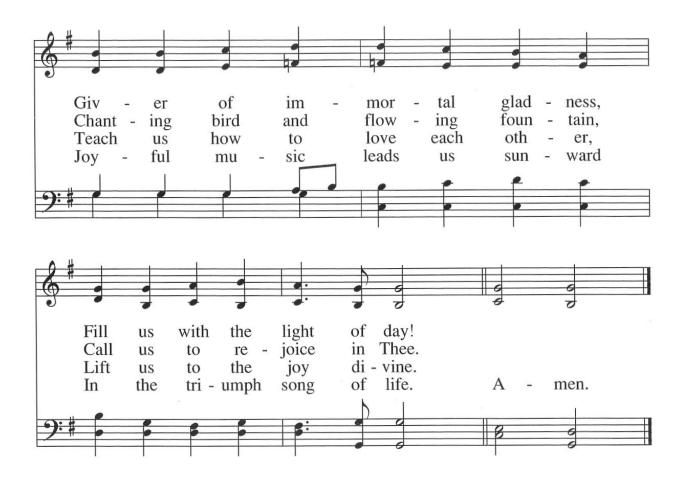


My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Thee, Thou Lamb of 1. My faith looks to up Strength to my Thy im - part 2. May rich grace griefs And a life's dark maze Ι tread, 3. While death's cold, When 4. When ends life's tran - sient dream, θ ior di - vine! Now hear me Cal - va - ry, Sav -Thou hast faint - ing heart, My zeal in - spire; As Thou my guide; Bid dark - ness round me spread, Be Blest Say - ior. Shall o'er me roll, sul - len stream 0 e Oh, let while I pray; Take all my guilt a - way; me love to Thee Pure, warm, and died for me, Oh, may my let Wipe sor-row's tears a - way; Nor me to day; turn re-move; Oh, bear me in love, Fear and dis - trust then. this day Be whol - ly from Thine. fire. change - less be, A liv ing er stray From Thee a side. ev soul. A - men. a-bove, A ran - somed safe 8

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee





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.	وی چ 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.
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. ళ అ	<b>GLORIA PATRI</b>	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.