

United Church of Christ of California – California, MO
Rev. Russell Cobb **Pastor**
Sally Kirchhoff **Pianist**

June 27, 2021 ~ Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

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

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Jess Medlin Brenyn Robertson

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

Come, let us worship our God with joy and thanksgiving:
Everything in us says

Thank you!

At worship in this sacred place we say it again:

Thank you!

For your love, for your faithfulness;

Thank you!

Finish what you started in us, God. Your love is eternal—
stay with us, now, that we may say

Thank you!

***Hymn No. 48 “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”**

***Prayer of the Day**

You are great, O God, and greatly to be praised. You have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you. Grant that we may believe in you, call upon you, know you, and serve you, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and 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

Ginnie Medlin

Special Music

Sally Kirchhoff

Prayer for Illumination

Elizabeth Ash

Prepare our hearts, O God, to accept your Word. Silence in us any voices but your own, so that we may hear your Word and also do it; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson: II Corinthians 2:4-11 p. 1004

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

Sermon **Postcards for Life: Examination & Restoration**
II Corinthians 13

Hymn No. 325 “Just As I Am”

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. 244 “Father, I Adore You”

*Benediction

*Congregational Response “Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

*Blest be the tie that binds, our hearts in Christian love;
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.*

*Postlude



A **Nursery** is available in the upstairs hallway, just outside the sanctuary. The attendant on duty is Taylor Geiser. The volunteer helper is Julie Medlin.

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.

Activities Calendar: June 27, 2021 ~ July 4, 2021

Sunday, June 27th

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

Tuesday, June 29th

9:00 a.m. – Prayer Cell

1:00 p.m. – Women’s Bible Class (Meeting Room)

Sunday, July 4th

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship



It's time to reorder offering envelopes for 2022. We realize many members are now egiving and may no longer want the envelopes. If you received them last year, but do not want them for 2022 please contact the church office. Thanks.



Note: Sunday School offering can now be done through EasyTithe.

Mark your calendar!

**INSTALLATION SERVICE FOR
PASTOR RUSSELL COBB**

**Sunday, July 18, 2021
Service at 4:00 p.m. ~ Meal To Follow**

**Sign-up sheets for the meal will be in the
back of the sanctuary & downstairs
by the office.**

Rev. Cobb: rev.cobb@calmo-ucc.org; 573-489-7891 (cell phone)
Church office: 573-796-4885 Website: www.calmo-ucc.org
renee@calmo-ucc.org

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Custom Registration Link –

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

Text Registration Code – Text “RightNow CALUCC “ to 4141

THE STORY ~ Finding Your Story in God’s Story

“THE GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD”

thru August 22nd 9:30 a.m. ~ 10:30 a.m.

WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US

This is Your Story This is My Story

But most of all, this is the Greatest Story ever told.

THIS IS GOD’S STORY



Salem United Church of Christ

Shrimp & Chicken Dinner ~

July 16, 2021 ~ 6:30 p.m.

Please RSVP by July 12th to

Brenda Oesterly: 573-796-3013, 573-291-7165 or

oesterlyb@yahoo.com

*Proceeds from the dinner to help in cemetery
maintenance.*

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

7:00 p.m. Friday evenings ~ California City Hall
A Christ-Centered 12 Step Support Group for Men
“Overcoming Our Hurts, Hangups And Habits Together!”

Sermon Notes:

Postcards for Life: Examination & Restoration
II Corinthians 13

Please pray for these . . .

Love & Justice in God's World

The Family & Friends of Rashelle Reed

All Those Who Need Our Prayers, including:

Becky Zuidervaat Charlie Gabert Carol Wolfrum

Jo Suggs Chris Schoenthal Collin Mouse

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 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, Fort Bragg, NC*)

**12th ANNUAL MONITEAU COUNTY
BACK TO SCHOOL FAIR!!**

Our congregation has been asked to collect boxes of tissues for the Back to School Fair. If you would like to donate, **please bring tissue boxes by Sunday, July 18th**. A box will be available in the lobby for your donation. Thank you.

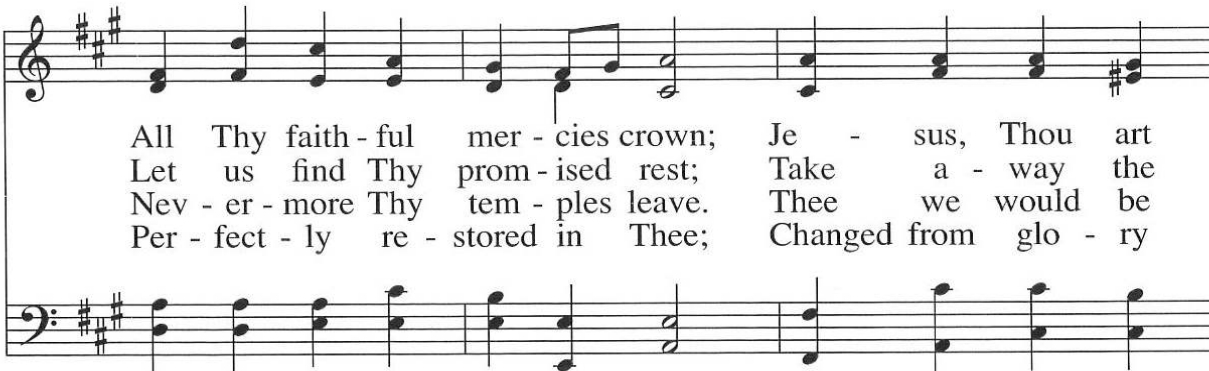
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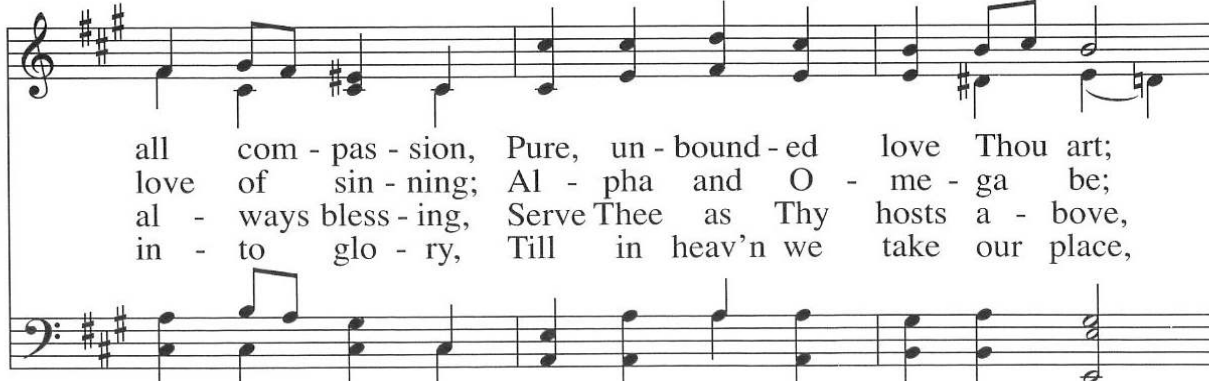
1. Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling, Joy of heav'n, to
2. Breathe, O breathe Thy lov - ing Spir - it In - to ev - 'ry
3. Come, Al - might - y to de - liv - er, Let us all
4. Fin - ish, then, Thy new cre - a - tion; Pure and spot - less



earth come down, Fix in us Thy hum - ble dwell - ing,
trou - bled breast; Let us all in Thee in - her - it,
life re - ceive; Sud - den - ly re - turn, and nev - er,
let us be; Let us see Thy great sal - va - tion



All Thy faith - ful mer - cies crown; Je - sus, Thou art
Let us find Thy prom - ised rest; Take a - way the
Nev - er - more Thy tem - ples leave. Thee we would be
Per - fect - ly re - stored in Thee; Changed from glo - ry



all com - pas - sion, Pure, un - bound - ed love Thou art;
love of sin - ning; Al - pha and O - me - ga be;
al - ways bless - ing, Serve Thee as Thy hosts a - bove,
in - to glo - ry, Till in heav'n we take our place,

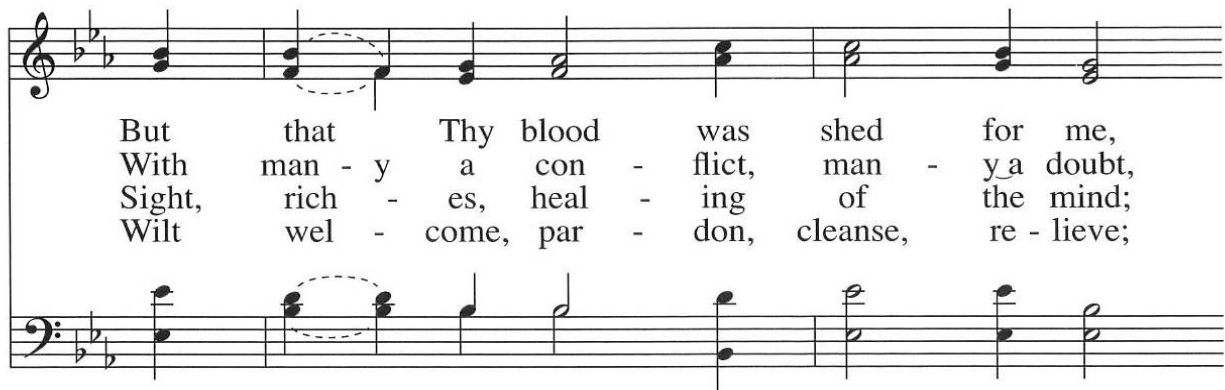
Vis - it us with Thy sal - va - tion,
 End of faith, as its be - gin - ning,
 Pray, and praise Thee with - out ceas - ing,
 Till we cast our crowns be - fore Thee,

En - ter ev - 'ry trem - bling heart.
 Set our hearts at lib - er - ty.
 Glo - ry in Thy per - fect love.
 Lost in won - der, love, and praise. A - men.

Just As I Am



1. Just as I am, with - out one plea
2. Just as I am, though tossed a - bout
3. Just as I am, poor, wretch - ed, blind;
4. Just as I am, Thou wilt re - ceive,



But that Thy blood was shed for me,
With man - y a con - flict, man - y a doubt,
Sight, rich - es, heal - ing of the mind;
Wilt wel - come, par - don, cleanse, re - lieve;



And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee,
Fight - ings and fears with - in, with - out,
Yea, all I need in Thee to find,
Be - cause Thy prom - ise I be - lieve,



O Lamb of God, I come! I come! A - men.

Father, I Adore You

1. Fa - ther, I a - dore You, Lay my life be -

fore You, How I love You.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It features a treble and bass staff for the voice part, and a treble and bass staff for the piano accompaniment. The key signature is one flat (Bb) and the time signature is 4/4. The piano part includes chord markings: C, F, 3, Gm, C, and F. The lyrics are: '1. Fa - ther, I a - dore You, Lay my life be - fore You, How I love You.'

2. Jesus
3. Spirit

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.

