

United Church of Christ of California – California, MO
Rev. Russell Cobb **Pastor**
Mrs. Beth Dampf **Organist**
Mrs. Stacy Friedrich **Sr. Choir Director**

February 13, 2022 ~ The Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

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

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Lena Bieri Jess Medlin

Welcome and Announcements

Installation of the Consistory

**Allan Mortenson, Andy Burger, Laura Burger, Ronnie Kissick,
Alan Chambers, VanDee Miller, Ellen Ash, Carole Barbour**

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

*Call to Worship

The morning has dawned. The people are gathered.

The Spirit speaks. Hope is reborn.

We gather, remembering God's amazing promise:

Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes in the morning.

The joy has come.

Praise God!

*Hymn No. 382 "A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

*Prayer of the Day

Thank You, Lord, for who You are and what You do. Help us to speak about and to act upon Your perfect gifts, and Your wonderful works — every day, in ordinary ways and places. This we pray in the name of Jesus. 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

Anthem "We Will Walk in the Light"

Sr. Choir

Prayer for Illumination

Allan Mortenson

Lord God of heaven and earth, we ask you to send your Spirit upon us, that we may hear, speak, and do your Word. Make us agents of your love. Bless all people with your peace; through Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson: Psalm 147:1-7

Second Lesson: Ephesians 1:15-21

Sermon **Why We Do...Prayer & Praise**

Ephesians 5:19-20 & Colossians 3:16-17

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 “I Will Sing the Wondrous Story”

*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



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Wednesday Evening Meal, February 16th ~ 6pm

Baked Potato Bar & Dessert

There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for donating desserts & helping Letha in the kitchen with clean up, drying dishes & wiping tables down. Your help will be much appreciated!

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

Text Registration Code – UCOC to 49775

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

ROCK SOLID FINANCES

This class will provide sound financial strategies based on the truth of God's Word. We will cover topics on budgeting, debt management and managing money God's way by applying biblical principles.

Thursday, Feb. 17 at 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 23 at 6:30 p.m.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

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

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.

Sermon Notes

Why We Do...Prayer & Praise
Ephesians 5:19-20 & Colossians 3:16-17

Activities Calendar: February 13, 2022 ~ February 20, 2022

Sunday, February 13th

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship – Consistory Installation

Tuesday, February 15th

9:00 a.m. – Prayer Cell

1:00 p.m. – Women’s Bible Study

6:00 p.m. – Consistory Meeting

Wednesday, February 16th

1:00 p.m. – Women’s Guild

6:00 p.m. – Fellowship Meal

6:30 p.m. – Confirmation, ROK/God’s Singers
Bell Choir, Rock Solid Finance Class

7:30 p.m. – Sr. Choir

Sunday, February 20th

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

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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.

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 Zuidervaart	Collin Mouse	Carole Beth Bowlin
Jo Suggs	Chris Schoenthal	Kim (Yelton) Haesemeier
Judy Kilmer	Bill Schacht	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, Palm Springs, CA*)

Ryan Carel (*nephew of Leroy Schnieders, Seymour Johnson AFB, NC*)

Derek Meyer (*grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Fort Bragg, NC*)

Sunday ROK (Reaching Our Kids)

Today

after children's time till the end of the worship service
for Grades K-3rd grade.

We will have a Bible story video with Emily the Elephant,
talk about our Bible story, sing songs and have a snack.

All the kids in this age group are invited to come down to the
Fellowship Hall with Betty Cobb.

Sunday ROK will take place the second Sunday of each month.

You can pick up your child in the Fellowship Hall at the end of the
worship service.



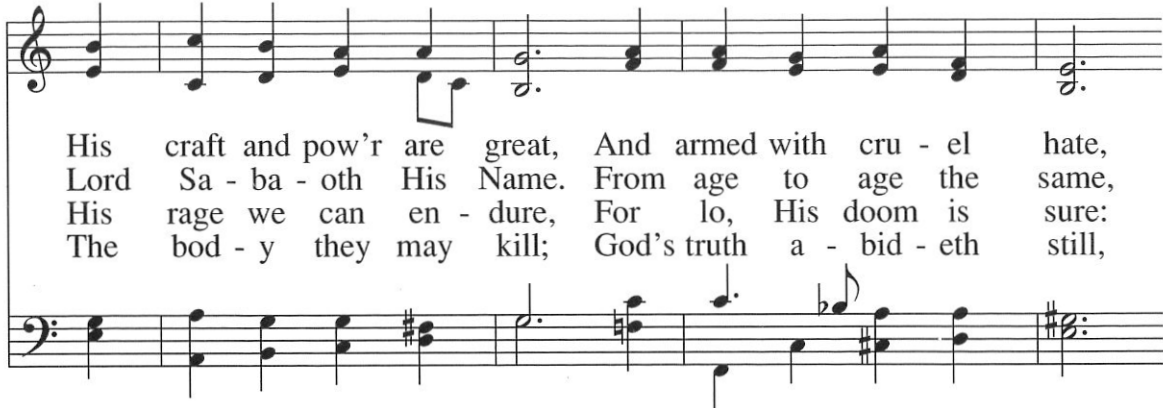
A Mighty Fortress is Our God

1. A might - y for - tress is our God, A
2. Did we in our own strength con - fide, Our
3. And though this world, with dev - ils filled, Should
4. That word a - bove all earth - ly pow'rs, No


bul - wark nev - er fail - ing; Our help - er He a -
striv - ing would be los - ing, Were not the right man
threat - en to un - do us, We will not fear, for
thanks to them, a - bid - eth; The Spir - it and the

mid the flood Of mor - tal ills pre - vail - ing.
on our side, The man of God's own choos - ing.
God hath willed His truth to tri - umph through us.
gifts are ours Through Him who with us sid - eth.

For still our an - cient foe Doth seek to work us woe;
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Je - sus, it is He;
The prince of dark - ness grim, We trem - ble not for Him;
Let goods and kin - dred go, This mor - tal life al - so;



His craft and pow'r are great, And armed with cru - el hate,
Lord Sa - ba - oth His Name. From age to age the same,
His rage we can en - dure, For lo, His doom is sure:
The bod - y they may kill; God's truth a - bid - eth still,

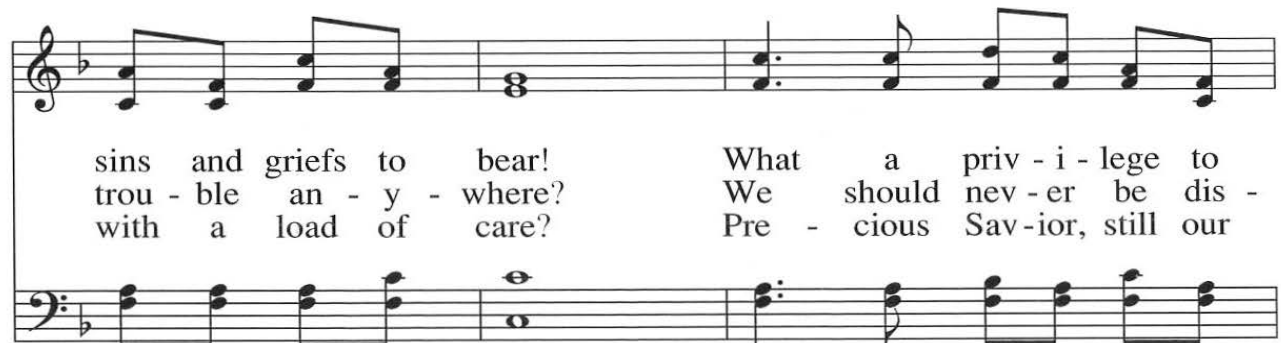


On earth is not his e - qual.
And He must win the bat - tle.
One lit - tle word shall fell Him.
His king - dom is for - ev - er. A - men.

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, All be - cause we do not car - ry
share? Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry weak - ness;
prayer! 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 Will Sing the Wondrous Story

1. I will sing the won-drous sto - ry Of the Christ who died for me,
 2. I was lost but Je - sus found me, Found the sheep that went a - stray,
 3. I was bruised but Je - sus healed me; Faint was I from man - ya fall;
 4. Days of dark - ness still come o'er me, Sor - row's paths I oft - en tread,

How He left His home in glo - ry For the cross of Cal - va - ry.
 Threw His lov - ing arms a - round me, Drew me back in - to His way.
 Sight was gone, and fears pos - sessed me, But He freed me from them all.
 But the Sav - ior still is with me; By His hand I'm safe - ly led.

Refrain

Yes, I'll sing the won-drous sto - ry Of the
 Yes, I'll sing the won-drous sto - ry

Christ who died for me, Sing it with the saints in
 Of the Christ who died for me, Sing it with

glo - ry Gath-ered by the crys-tal sea.
 the saints in glo - ry, Gath-ered by the crys-tal sea.

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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