

United Church of Christ of California ~ California, Missouri
Rev. Russell Cobb Pastor
Mrs. Beth Dampf Organist

August 14, 2022 ~ Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

**All those who are able, please stand*

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Carson Kruger Camden Lawson

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

God has invited us to live faithfully in this life.

God has invited us to be transformed.

God has invited us to be loving participants in this world.

God has invited us to live joyfully in peace.

In life, in death, in life to come, we are God's.

Praise God!

*Hymn No. 546

“Revive Us Again”

*Prayer of the Day

Eternal God, draw near to us that we may draw near to you, and grant us the grace to love and to serve you that we may find in your will our true freedom; through Jesus Christ, the way, the truth and the life. 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

JoAnn Cantriel

Special Music

Kolten Fulks

Prayer for Illumination

Becky Schneider

Gracious Spirit, you have promised that where two or more are gathered in your name, there you will be also. Open our hearts and our minds to your Presence here in worship, in music and in the reading of your Holy Word and in our heartfelt prayers. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson:

I Peter 4:12-19

p. 1060

Second Lesson:

Revelation 19:1-9

p. 1084

Sermon

**Dream Big-Finish Strong:
The Beginning of the End
Revelation 17-20**

Hymn No. 362

"I Know Whom I Believe"

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. 206

“ He Lives”

*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

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

Sunday School~

The Story WHO DO YOU SAY THAT I AM?

What answer would you give Jesus if He asked You that question??? Look at the last three letters in the question. Where have you heard that before??? Come join the conversation during Sunday School this Sunday. We love seeing you!!!



CELEBRATE RECOVERY

5:00 – 7:00 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”

Rev. Cobb: rev.cobb@calmo-ucc.org; 573-489-7891 (cell phone)

Church office 573-796-4885 / Website: www.calmo-ucc.org

rhonda@calmo-ucc.org

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

Activities Calendar: August 14, 2022 ~ August 21, 2022

Sunday, August 14, 2022, Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

Tuesday, August 16, 2022

9:00 a.m. – Prayer Cell

1:00 p.m. – Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, August 17, 2022

9:00 a.m.- Women's Guild – cleaning day

Thursday, August 18, 2022

6:00 pm –4-year-old Playschool open house

Sunday, August 21st, Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School- Rally Sunday

10:30 a.m. – Worship – Youth Sunday

6:00 p.m. - High School Party at Pastor Cobb's House

Looking ahead.....

August 22nd- Men's Brotherhood-6:30pm

August 24th- Sr. Choir and Bell Choir Practice starts

August 27th- Salem UCC Ice Cream Social- 4:00-6:30pm

***MCMC Food Pantry is in need of Peanut Butter.
Your donations can be brought to the church or
dropped off at the Food Pantry.***

Jo and Charlie Suggs will be celebrating their 48th wedding anniversary August 17th. Jo is at Tipton Oak Manor confined to a wheel chair. If you would like to send a card, the address is 601 West Morgan Street, Tipton, MO 65081

Office Manager Backup- UCC of California

Rhonda is looking for someone to be a backup in the office if she needs to be gone or would be sick. If you are interested, please contact Rhonda or one of the consistory members for additional information.

Please pray for these . . .

Love & Justice in God's World

All Those Who Need Our Prayers, including:

Family and Friends of Paul Schacht

Becky Zuidervaat 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 & 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, Australia*)

Derek Meyer (*grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Monterey, CA*)

A coordinator is needed for the Wednesday night meals when they begin on **September 7th**. If you feel you would like to serve in this role, please contact a consistory member or Rhonda in the church office. Thank you for considering this opportunity.

Salem United Church of Christ

Annual Ice Cream Social

Saturday, August 27

Serving from 4:00-6:30 p.m.

**Located on the Salem church grounds
on HWY K, east of California**

Dining inside and outside, pick your pleasure.

**Ice Cream Drinks Chips Cake Sandwiches
(pulled pork, brats, hot dogs, & chicken salad)**

Cake Walk

Everyone welcome!

Come and enjoy an evening of fun, food and fellowship.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING NOTICE

August 28, 2022

**California United Church of Christ Sanctuary
following Worship**

A California United Church of Christ congregational meeting will be held on August 28, 2022, to discuss and approve the repair and replacement of window trim and coverings.

Quarterback Club Pork Steak Dinner BBQ

Sunday, August 28th from 11-1pm

California High School.

Tickets are \$15 each (no child's meal).

It will be Drive Thru only.

Pork Steak, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Corn and Dessert

Please see any High School or Middle School

Football player for tickets.

Sermon Notes -

*Dream Big-Finish Strong:
The Beginning of the End
Revelation 17-20*

Megan Carlock will be baptized at the First Baptist Church after worship today. Megan is the daughter of Elisha and James Carlock. Let us rejoice with Megan on her Baptism!



Sunday ROK (Reaching Our Kids)

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

We will have a Bible story video about The Jesus Stories,
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.

Senior Choir

Attention all singers! Practices for the Senior Choir will start on Wednesday, August 24th at 7:30pm in the sanctuary. If you are interested in being a part of a wonderful group of dedicated singers, please feel free to join us! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 573-291-1189. Hope to see you there!

Stacy Friedrich, California UCC Choir Director

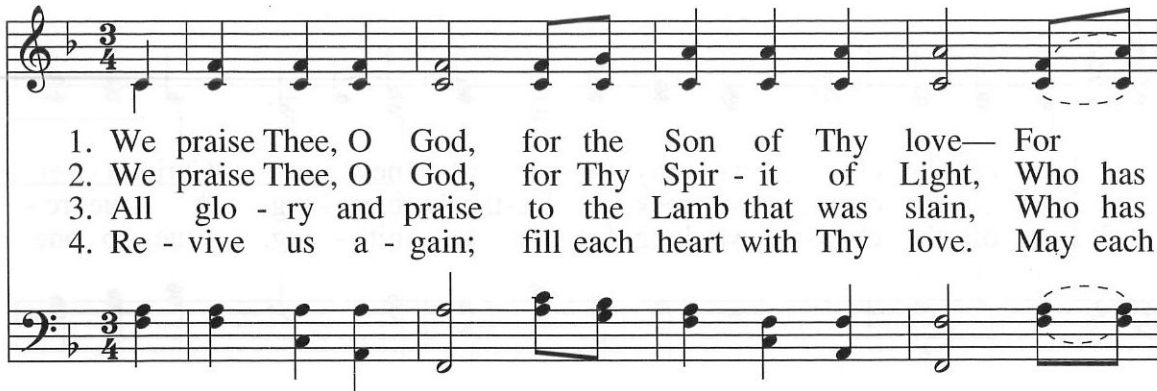


Bell Choir

**Bell practice will start Wednesday, August 24th at 6:30pm.
New Bell members are always welcome!**

Becky Schneider, Bell Choir Director

Revive Us Again



1. We praise Thee, O God, for the Son of Thy love— For
2. We praise Thee, O God, for Thy Spir - it of Light, Who has
3. All glo - ry and praise to the Lamb that was slain, Who has
4. Re - vive us a - gain; fill each heart with Thy love. May each



Je - sus, who died and is now gone a - bove.
shown us our Sav - ior and scat - tered our night.
borne all our sins and has cleansed ev - 'ry stain.
soul be re - kin - dled with fire from a - bove.



Hal - le - lu - jah! Thine the glo - ry! Hal - le - lu - jah! A - men! Hal - le -



lu - jah! Thine the glo - ry! Re - vive us a - gain. A - men.

I Know Whom I Have Believed



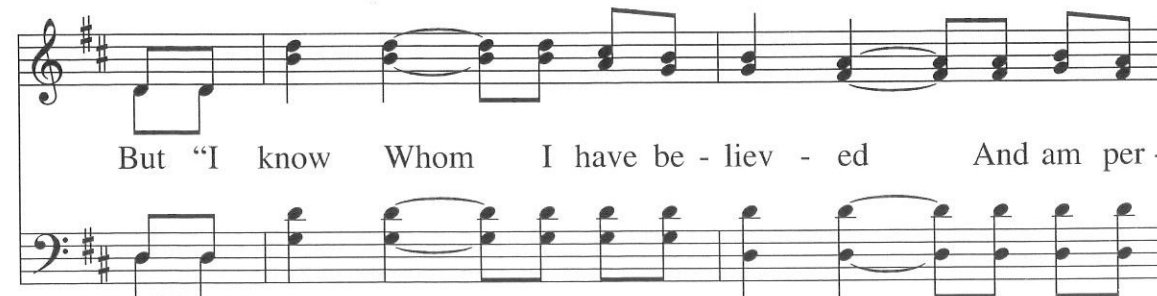
1. I know not why God's won - drous grace To
 2. I know not how this sav - ing faith To
 3. I know not how the Spir - it moves, Con -
 4. I know not when my Lord may come, At



me He hath made known; Nor why, un - wor - thy,
 me He did im - part; Nor how be - liev - ing
 vinc - ing men of sin; Re - veal - ing Je - sus
 night or noon - day fair; Nor if I'll walk the



Christ in love Re - deemed me for His own.
 in His Word Wrought peace with - in my heart.
 through the Word, Cre - at - ing faith in Him.
 *vale with Him Or "meet Him in the air."

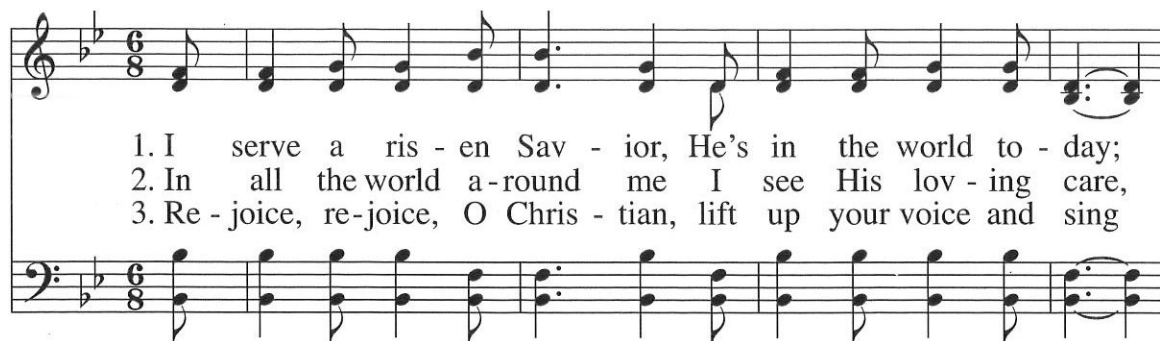


But "I know Whom I have be - liev - ed And am per -

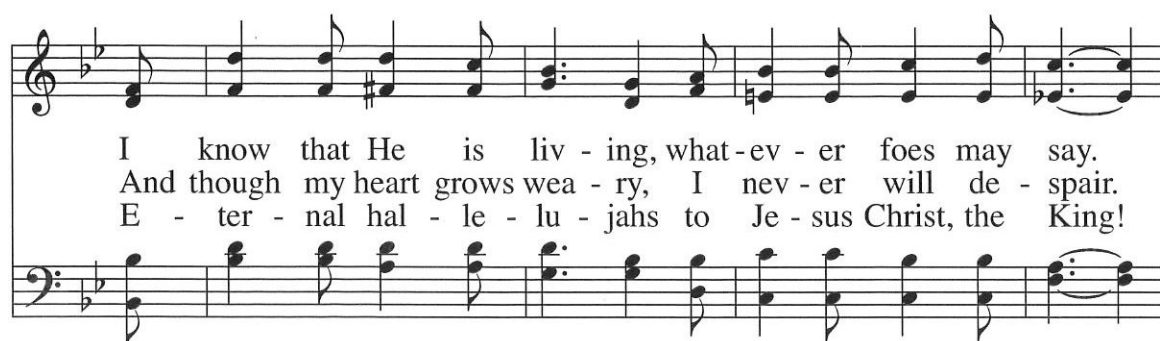
suad - ed that He is a - ble To keep that which I've com-

mit - ted Un - to Him a - gainst that day."

He Lives



1. I serve a ris - en Sav - ior, He's in the world to - day;
2. In all the world a - round me I see His lov - ing care,
3. Re - joice, re-joyce, O Chris - tian, lift up your voice and sing



I know that He is liv - ing, what - ev - er foes may say.
And though my heart grows wea - ry, I nev - er will de - spair.
E - ter - nal hal - le - lu - jahs to Je - sus Christ, the King!



I see His hand of mer - cy, I hear His voice of cheer,
I know that He is lead - ing through all the storm - y blast;
The hope of all who seek Him, the help of all who find;



And just the time I need Him, He's al - ways near.
The day of His ap - pear - ing will come at last.
None oth - er is so lov - ing, so good and kind.

He lives, He lives, Christ Je - sus lives to -

He lives, He lives,

This system contains the first two staves of the musical score. The treble staff begins with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a common time signature. The melody starts with a quarter note G4, followed by a half note A4, and then a quarter note B-flat4. The bass staff begins with a key signature of two flats and a common time signature. The accompaniment starts with a quarter rest, followed by a half note G3, and then a quarter note A3. The lyrics 'He lives, He lives, Christ Je - sus lives to -' are written below the treble staff, and 'He lives, He lives,' are written below the bass staff.

day! He walks with me and talks with me a -

This system contains the third and fourth staves of the musical score. The treble staff continues the melody with a half note B-flat4, followed by a quarter note C5, and then a quarter note D5. The bass staff continues the accompaniment with a half note G3, followed by a quarter note A3, and then a quarter note B-flat4. The lyrics 'day! He walks with me and talks with me a -' are written below the treble staff.

long life's nar - row way. He lives, He

He lives,

This system contains the fifth and sixth staves of the musical score. The treble staff continues the melody with a half note E5, followed by a quarter note D5, and then a quarter note C5. The bass staff continues the accompaniment with a half note G3, followed by a quarter note A3, and then a quarter note B-flat4. The lyrics 'long life's nar - row way. He lives, He' are written below the treble staff, and 'He lives,' are written below the bass staff.

lives, He lives, sal - va - tion to im - part! You

This system contains the seventh and eighth staves of the musical score. The treble staff continues the melody with a half note B-flat4, followed by a quarter note C5, and then a quarter note D5. The bass staff continues the accompaniment with a half note G3, followed by a quarter note A3, and then a quarter note B-flat4. The lyrics 'lives, He lives, sal - va - tion to im - part! You' are written below the treble staff.

ask me how I know He lives? He lives with-in my heart.

This system contains the ninth and tenth staves of the musical score. The treble staff continues the melody with a half note E5, followed by a quarter note D5, and then a quarter note C5. The bass staff continues the accompaniment with a half note G3, followed by a quarter note A3, and then a quarter note B-flat4. The lyrics 'ask me how I know He lives? He lives with-in my heart.' are written below the treble staff.

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.
Minister: Christ, have mercy upon us.
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