



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

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**June 2, 2024 ~ Second Sunday after Pentecost**

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

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Emily King & Grayden Gatlin

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!**

How great the glory of God!

**Finish what you started in us, God.**

Your love is eternal—stay with us, now, that we may say

**Thank you!**

\*Hymn No. 255 “Wonderful Words of Life”

\*Prayer of the Day

**Gracious and healing Spirit, breathe upon us, enliven us,  
and strengthen us. Fill us with the joy of your Presence in  
worship today. May we see your face among us and lift our  
voices to praise you. Come, Holy Spirit, come!**

\*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 “Down in My Heart” p. 398 1<sup>st</sup> verse

Children’s Time Anny Roll

Special Music Hunter Hall

Prayer of Illumination Brad Friedrich

**O God, you are the source of all that is good. Grant that by your inspiration we may think those things that are right, and by your loving guidance that we may do them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

Scripture Lessons

*First Lesson:* I Corinthians 1:18-25 p. 991

*Second Lesson:* I John 5:6-12 p. 1067

Sermon **Transformation: The Book of Romans**  
**Church Words – Romans 1:1-17**

Hymn No. 362 “I Know Whom I Have Believed”

*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. 327 “There Is Power in the Blood”

\*Benediction

\*Congregational Response “I’ve Got Peace Like a River” p. 394

*I’ve got peace like a river,  
I’ve got peace like a river,  
I’ve got peace like a river in my soul*

\*Postlude

### Activities Calendar: June 2, 2024 ~ June 9, 2024

#### Sunday, June 2, Second Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

#### Monday, June 3

7:00 p.m. – Sunday School Teacher and Officers Meeting

#### Tuesday, June 4

9:00 a.m. – Prayer Cell

#### Friday, June 7

6:00 a.m. – Men’s Bible Study at the Crossroads

#### Sunday, June 9, Third Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

#### *Looking ahead ~*

*June 17<sup>th</sup> – Consistory 6:00 p.m.*

*June 18<sup>th</sup> – Lake Area Community Orchestra Concert, 7:00 p.m.*

*June 19<sup>th</sup> – Women’s Guild 1:00 p.m.*

*June 23-27<sup>th</sup> – Bible School*

*June 24<sup>th</sup> – Men’s Brotherhood, 7:00 p.m.*

**Annunciation Catholic Church Picnic**

**Today, June 2, 2024**

**Family Style Dinner 11:00 AM – 6:00 PM**

**Fried Chicken & Smoked Pork Dinner**

**Adults: \$15 Kids 5-12: \$5 Under 5: Free**

**Carry Out Available**

**First Christian Church Annual Pork Steak Fundraiser**

**Sunday, June 9th**

11:30 to 1:30 pm

Pork Steak, Potato Salad, Baked Beans, Drink & Dessert

Free will donation with suggestion of \$12

Hot Dog Meal-free will donation with suggestion of \$5

Hot Dog, Potato Chips, Drink & Dessert

All proceeds support Church Camp and Community Outreach

Carry out available

**Sunday ROK (Reaching Our Kids)**

**Sunday, June 9th**

after children's time until the end of the worship service for **Grades K-3rd grade**. We will have a Bible story video with BibleForce Heroes, 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 takes place the **second Sunday of each month**. You can pick up your child in the Fellowship Hall at the end of the worship service



**THE LAKE AREA COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA COMES TO  
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, CALIFORNIA**

The Lake Area Community Orchestra will present a  
Summer Concert at California United Church of Christ  
**On Tuesday, June 18th.**

The performance will begin at 7 pm. Admission is FREE.

**Summer Concert Schedule**

**May 28** St. Michael's Catholic Church, Russellville

**June 4** Ha Ha Tonka, Camdenton

**June 11** Eldon Air Park, Eldon

**June 25** West lake Christian Church, Laurie

**July 9** Hope Lutheran Chapel Sokoll Building, Osage Beach

**July 16** First Christian Church, East Capitol Ave, Jefferson City

**July 23** Lake Ozark Christian Church, Bus. 54, Lake Ozark

**July 30** High School Performing Arts Center, Versailles

*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      Jaden Perry (*Janice Anderson's grandson*)

**All Those Serving in the U.S. Military, including:**

Martin Knipker (*son of Kenny Knipker*)

Dwight Bowlin (*grandson of the late 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, Great Lakes Naval Base, North Chicago, IL*)

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

Damion Street (*grandson of Jenine Baker, Army, Munich, Germany*)

## Building Access & Camera Update

We are nearing the full implementation of the building access and camera project. We have been testing the system and distributing access “fobs” (electronic key) to any member that may want one. Contact the church office if you want your personal access. For many of you, there won't be any noticeable change as we will have the lower doors opened for planned activities like Sunday School, Church services, Wednesday night meals, Church programs, weddings and other events. For those who do not want or have a fob can be let in during office hours by simply using the call button outside. We are planning to go live with the system **tomorrow, June 3<sup>rd</sup>**. The Consistory thanks you for your support, patience and adapting as we move forward.



Head back to the place where Jesus grew up  
and hear all about it from Mary!

**Register at:** [myvbs.org/calmoucc](http://myvbs.org/calmoucc)

**VBS dates:** June 23<sup>rd</sup> -27<sup>th</sup>

**VBS times:** 6:30 – 8:30 pm

**For more information, call:** 573-796-4885

A **Nursery** is available in the upstairs hallway, just outside the sanctuary. The nursery volunteer is **Julie Medlin**. 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.

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# Wonderful Words of Life

1. Sing them o - ver a - gain to me— Won - der - ful words of  
 2. Christ, the bless - ed One, gives to all Won - der - ful words of  
 3. Sweet - ly ech - o the gos - pel call— Won - der - ful words of

Life; Let me more of their beau - ty see—  
 Life; Lis - ten well to the lov - ing call—  
 Life; Of - fer par - don and peace to all—

Won - der - ful words of Life. Words of life and  
 Won - der - ful words of Life. All the won - drous  
 Won - der - ful words of Life. Je - sus, on - ly

beau - ty, Teach me faith and du - ty:  
 sto - ry, Show - ing us His glo - ry:  
 Sav - ior, Sanc - ti - fy for - ev - er:



Beau - ti - ful words, won - der - ful words,

Won - der - ful words of Life; Life.

# 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 -

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

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

# There Is Power in the Blood

1. Would you be free from the bur - den of sin? There's  
 2. Would you be free from your pas - sion and pride? There's  
 3. Would you be whit - er, yes bright - er than snow? There's  
 4. Would you do serv - ice for Je - sus, your King? There's

pow'r in the blood,                      pow'r in the blood;  
 pow'r in the blood,                      pow'r in the blood;  
 pow'r in the blood,                      pow'r in the blood;  
 pow'r in the blood,                      pow'r in the blood;

Would you o'er e - vil a vic - to - ry win?                      There's  
 Come for a cleans - ing to Cal - va - ry's tide—                      There's  
 Sin - stains are lost in its life - giv - ing flow—                      There's  
 Would you live dai - ly His prais - es to sing?                      There's

won - der - ful pow'r in the blood.

There is pow'r, pow'r, won-der-work - ing pow'r In the  
there is pow'r,

blood of the Lamb; There is  
In the blood of the Lamb; There is

pow'r, pow'r, won - der - work - ing pow'r In the  
pow'r, there is pow'r,

pre - cious blood of the Lamb.

## 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.*

**Congregation: Christ, have mercy upon us.**

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