



**United Church of Christ of California ~ California, Missouri**  
**Rev. Mike Williams** **Boone Hospital Chaplain**  
**Mrs. Beth Dampf** **Organist**  
**Mrs. Stacy Friedrich** **Sr. Choir Director**

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**May 4, 2025 ~ Third Sunday of Easter**

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

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles

Grayden & Rynley Gatlin

Choral Opening

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. 353** "Be Thou My Vision"

**\*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.**

\*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 “Do Lord”

*Do Lord, Oh do Lord, Oh do remember me,*

*Do Lord, Oh do Lord, Oh do remember me*

*Do Lord, Oh do Lord, Oh do remember me*

*Way beyond the blue*

Children’s Time

JoAnn Cantriel

Anthem “In Christ Alone”

Sr. Choir

Prayer of Illumination

Mary Burger

**Holy 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.**

Scripture Lessons

*First Lesson:* Daniel 2:24-30 p. 762

*Second Lesson:* Matthew 24:36-44 p. 859

Sermon **A God Who Reveals Mysteries**  
**Daniel 2:31-49**

Hymn No. 368 “Trust and Obey”

Kyrie “Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us”

## Declaration of Forgiveness

You are God's Beloved. You delight God's heart. Believe this good news, my friends!

**The Spirit of God rests upon us, anointing us with mercy and peace. Thanks be to God! Amen.**

## THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

*The Sacrament of Holy Communion is open to all who seek to receive the Gift of God in Jesus Christ. This table is spread for you and for all.*

## Communion Prayer

The Lord be with you.

**And with you also.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*As we pray together -*

The Lord's Prayer (*debts and debtors*)

## Breaking Bread and Pouring Wine

## Sharing the Elements

## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving

**Eternal God, you have called your people from east and west and north and south to eat at the table of Jesus Christ. We thank you for Christ's presence and for the spiritual food of Christ's body and blood. By the power of your Holy Spirit, keep us faithful to your will, that we may be the servant church of the servant Christ, in whose name we rejoice to pray. Amen.**

\*Hymn No. 354      “Open My Eyes, That I May See”

\*Benediction

\*Congregational Response “Pass It On” p. 465

*It only takes a spark to get a fire going,  
And soon all those around can warm up in its glowing;  
That’s how it is with God’s love, once you’ve experienced it:  
You spread His love to everyone, you want to pass it on.*

\*Postlude

### **Food Pantry Items Needed**

Each month the Food Pantry is requesting a different food item. For the **month of May, Peanut Butter** is the food item requested. There is a box in the downstairs foyer to place your food items.

Evangelism Committee will meet today following worship downstairs in the meeting room.

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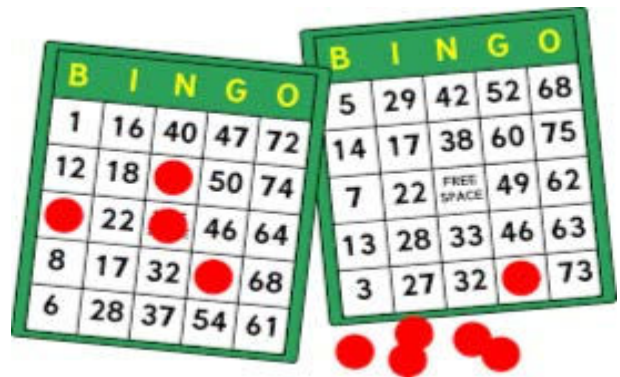
*[rhonda@calmo-ucc.org](mailto:rhonda@calmo-ucc.org)*

# ALL CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT TONIGHT

Potluck supper.  
Come any time after 5:30,  
eat at 6:00,  
followed by entertainment and  
bingo (prizes for the winners).

Bring your favorite dishes to share. Drinks and table service provided  
by the Brotherhood.

*LET'S HAVE A FUN FAMILY  
GET TOGETHER!*



## **Sunday ROK (Reaching Our Kids) - Sunday, May 11th**

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

We will have a Bible story, 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.

## Activities Calendar: May 4, 2025 ~ May 11, 2025

### Sunday, May 4th, Third Sunday of Easter

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship- *Evangelism Committee meeting following worship*

5:30 p.m.- Family Night sponsored by Brotherhood

### Monday, May 5th

6:30 p.m. – Sunday School Teacher and Officers Meeting

### Tuesday, May 6th

9:00 a.m. – Prayer Cell

### Wednesday, May 7th

5:30 p.m. – Bell Choir

No God's Singers and Sr. Choir practice

### Sunday, May 11th - Mother's Day

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

*Looking ahead ~*

*May 12<sup>th</sup> – Consistory 6:00 p.m.*

*May 18<sup>th</sup> – Senior Sunday*

*May 21<sup>st</sup> - Women's Guild*

*May 25<sup>th</sup> - Memorial Service at Evangelical Cemetery*

## UCC High School Upcoming Events

MAY <b>13</b>	<b>Concessions for CHS Baseball</b> Sign up for a shift: 4:45–6:30 OR 6:30–8:15
MAY <b>29 &amp; 30</b>	<b>Church Garage Sale Drop-Off Days</b> Congregation drops off donations & HS prices the items
MAY <b>31</b>	<b>Church Garage Sale &amp; Bake Sale</b> Time: 7am–1pm (HS students manage and sell items w/ parent supervision)

QUESTIONS? DYAN INGRAM    TEXT @ 714-417-3926    @CALIMOYOUTHGROUP

*Please pray for these . . .*

Love & Justice in God's World

*Family and Friends of Emmette Hall, Loretta Brauner, Jean Stahl,  
Mary Dick and Jackie Brown*

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

Becky Zuidervaat      Bill Schacht      Jenine Baker  
Alan Chambers      Courtney Cassil      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 (*spouse- Jasmine Ash and son of Lanny & Ellen Ash, Great Lakes Naval Base, North Chicago, IL*)  
Derek Meyer (*grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Monterey, CA*)  
Damion Street (*grandson of Jenine Baker, Army, Munich, Germany*)  
Blake Street (*grandson of Jenine Baker, Basic Training, Ft. Still, OK*)  
Hayden Grant (*grandson of Kathy Grant, Air Force, Okinawa, Japan*)  
Derek Meyer (*grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Monterey, CA*)  
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## **Camp Aurora**

### **Summer 2025 Dates**



**Senior High Camp      July 6 - 12**

**Junior High Camp      July 13-18**

**Junior Camp              July 20-25**

**Primary Camp            July 27-30**

Sunday School will pay ½ of Early Registration Fee for Member and One Friend. Contact Cinda Scheidt for more information.



## Sound Booth

The Consistory would like to thank the current volunteers (Ronnie Kissick, Andy Burger, Kaiden and Kole Ingram, and Carla Clennin for their service to our Audio and Visual needs. The service they offer ensure those present at church can hear clearly and those online have access to the service and sound. In order to best serve our church family, we would like to ask for 1-2 more volunteers to allow a rotation and have people available for special services. Please reach out to any Consistory Member to get the details on how you can help out!

## Library

There are several items from the Library that are being purged. Old cds, cassette tapes, and other materials. If you are interested in reviewing them or would like to take some, feel free to do so. Anything left after June 30<sup>th</sup>, will no longer be available.

## *Communion*

Beginning today, **Sunday, May 4th**, the Sacrament of Holy Communion will be on the first Sunday of each month.

A **Nursery** is available just outside the sanctuary. The nursery attendant is **Kya Peck**. 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.

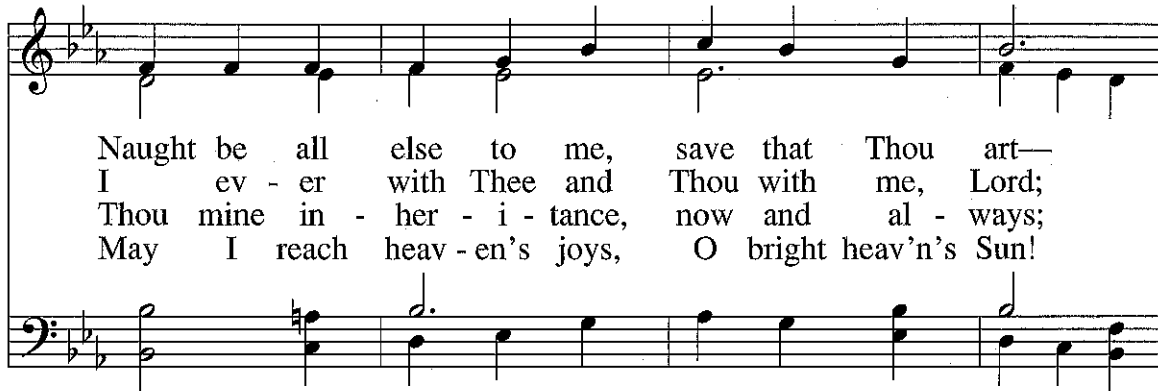
**Notice the “Connection Cards” in the pews.** They are for our guests or anyone that has a prayer request or needs more information about the church. Please place it in the offering plate.

# Be Thou My Vision

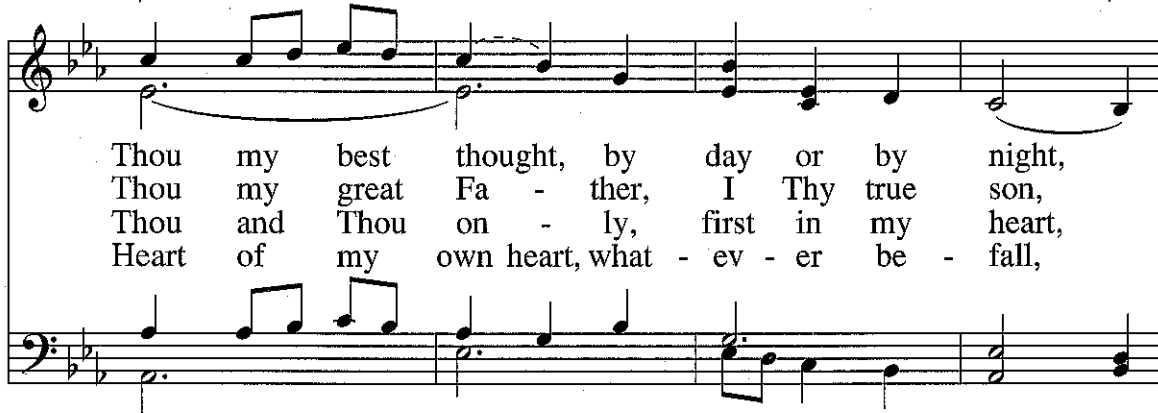
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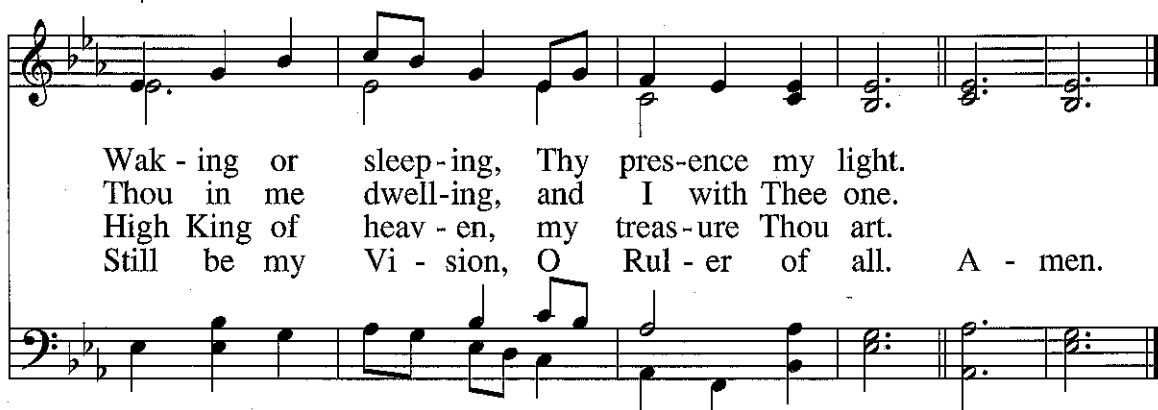
1. Be Thou my Vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;  
2. Be Thou my Wis - dom, and Thou my true Word;  
3. Rich - es I heed not, nor man's emp - ty praise,  
4. High King of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won,



Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art—  
I ev - er with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;  
Thou mine in - her - i - tance, now and al - ways;  
May I reach heav - en's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!



Thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
Thou my great Fa - ther, I Thy true son,  
Thou and Thou on - ly, first in my heart,  
Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,

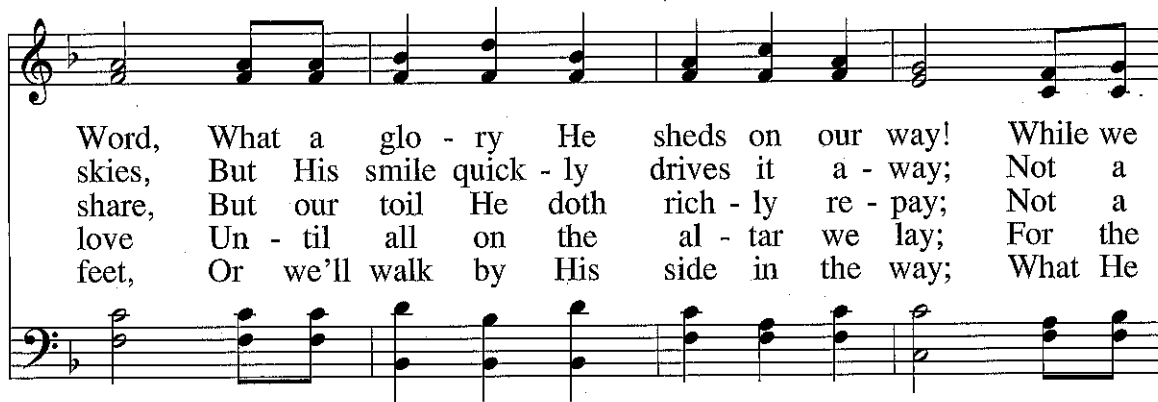


Wak - ing or sleep - ing, Thy pres - ence my light.  
Thou in me dwell - ing, and I with Thee one.  
High King of heav - en, my treas - ure Thou art.  
Still be my Vi - sion, O Rul - er of all. A - men.

# Trust and Obey



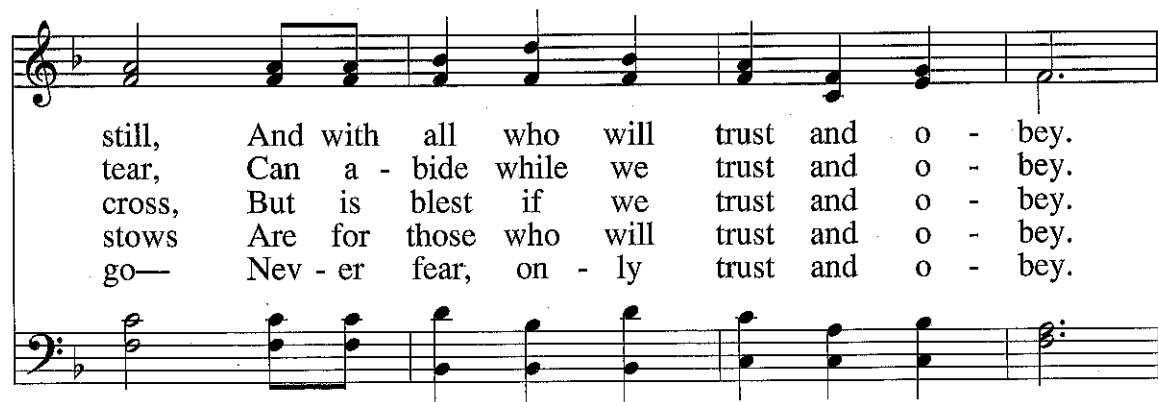
1. When we walk with the Lord In the light of His  
 2. Not a shadow can rise, Not a cloud in the  
 3. Not a burden we bear, Not a sorrow we  
 4. But we never can prove The delights of His  
 5. Then in fellowship sweet We will sit at His



Word, What a glory He sheds on our way! While we  
 skies, But His smile quick - ly drives it a - way; Not a  
 share, But our toil He doth rich - ly re - pay; Not a  
 love, Un - til all on the al - tar we lay; For the  
 feet, Or we'll walk by His side in the way; What He



do His good will He a - bides with us  
 doubt nor a fear, Not a sigh nor a  
 grief nor a loss, Not a frown nor a  
 fa - vor He shows And the joy He be -  
 says we will do, Where He sends we will



still, And with all who will trust and o - bey.  
 tear, Can a - bide while we trust and o - bey.  
 cross, But is blest if we trust and o - bey.  
 stows Are for those who will trust and o - bey.  
 go— Nev - er fear, on - ly trust and o - bey.

Trust and o - bey— For there's no oth - er way To be

hap - py in Je - sus But to trust and o - bey.

# Open My Eyes, That I May See

1. O - pen my eyes, that I may see Glimps-es of truth Thou  
 2. O - pen my ears, that I may hear Voic - es of truth Thou  
 3. O - pen my mouth, and let me bear Glad - ly the warm truth

hast for me; Place in my hands the won-der - ful key  
 send - est clear; And while the wave - notes fall on my ear,  
 ev - 'ry-where; O - pen my heart and let me pre-pare

That shall un - clasp and set me free.  
 Ev - 'ry-thing false will dis - ap - pear. Si-lent-ly now I  
 Love with Thy chil - dren thus to share.

wait for Thee, Read-y, my God, Thy will to see. O - pen my

\*eyes, il - lu - mine me, Spir - it di - vine! A - men.

## 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.**  
*Minister: Lord, have mercy upon us.*  
**Congregation: Lord, have mercy upon us.**