United Church of Christ of California ~ California, Missouri

Rev. Russell Cobb

Pastor

Mrs. Beth Dampf

Organist

Mrs. Stacy Friedrich

Sr. Choir Director

June 8, 2025 ~ Pentecost Sunday

*All those who are able, please stand

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles

Camden & Sutton Lawson

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Spirit of the living God, visit us again on the day of Pentecost.

Come, Holy Spirit!

With rushing wind that sweeps away all barriers, with tongues of fire that set our hearts aflame,

Come, Holy Spirit!

With love that leaps the boundaries of race and class, with power from above to make our weakness strong,

Come, Holy Spirit!

*Hymn No. 5 "Praise the Lord, His Glories Show"

*Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, come to us in the fire of your love, and set our minds on the things of the Spirit, that we may bear the Spirit's fruit in love and joy and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. 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)

(printed on laminated card in hymnal)

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

Kendra Hall

Anthem "Overflow with Hope"

Sr. Choir

Prayer of Illumination

Allan Mortenson

Come, Holy Spirit, open our minds and hearts as we hear these sacred scriptures. May they be a lamp to our feet and a light to our path. Guide us in the way of Christ's peace. Raise us now, and at the last, to that eternal life that is promised in Jesus Christ. In his precious Name, we pray. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson: Psalm 148:1-6 p. 546 Second Lesson: Revelation 22:1-9 p. 1086

Sermon Obeying God's Vision: Angels Among Us
Daniel 6

Hymn No. 390 "It Is Well with My Soul"

Kyrie "Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us"

(printed on laminated card in hymnal)

Words of Assurance

Dear friends, receive forgiveness for your lives. Be renewed and strengthened by the Spirit this day and always.

Thanks be to God! Amen.

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Any Christian who wishes to know the presence of Christ and share in the community of God's people is invited to receive the Sacrament.

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.

Let us pray....

The Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors)

Breaking Bread and Pouring Wine

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Almighty God, we thank you for your great mercy given to us in this sacrament, whereby we are made partakers of Christ and all his benefits. So enrich us by the Holy Spirit that the life of Jesus may be made manifest in our mortal body, and all our days may be spent in your love and service; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

^{*}Hymn No. 556 "Surely the Presence of the Lord Is in This Place"

^{*}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

Activities Calendar: June 8, 2025 ~ June 15, 2025

Sunday, June 8th - Pentecost Sunday

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship - Holy Communion

Monday, June 9th

6:00 p.m. - Consistory

Tuesday, June 10th

9:00 a.m. - Prayer Cell

Wednesday, June 11th

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study at the Ingram's for High School Youth

Sunday, June 15th

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship

Looking ahead ~

June 15th – Father's Day

June 17th - Lake Area Community Orchestra at UCC 7 p.m.

June 18th - Women's Guild 1pm.

- Bible Study at the Ingram's for High School Youth at 7pm

June 19th - California Care Worship 9:30 a.m.

June 22-June 26th - Bible School 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

June 23 – Brotherhood at First Christian Church 7 p.m.

Sunday ROK (Reaching Our Kids) TODAY

after children's time until the end of the worship service for **Grades K-3rd grade**. We will have a Bible story video, 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.

Tundra Treats for VBS

Donation list is downstairs on the table in foyer area. Items should be dropped off by Saturday, June 21st. All donations are greatly appreciated.

Please pray for these . . .

Love & Justice in God's World

All Those Who Need Our Prayers, including:

Becky Zuidervaart 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,

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

Blake Street (*grandson of Jenine Baker, Basic Training, Ft. Still, OK*) , WA)

Hayden Grant (grandson of Kathy Grant, Air Force, Okinawa, Japan)

Derek Meyer (grandson of Elaine & Eldred Proctor, Army, Italy)

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

Blake Street (grandson of Jenine Baker, Basic Training, Ft. Still, OK)

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.

High School Youth –Bible Study at the Ingram's House

Wednesdays, June 11th and June 18th at 7:00 p.m. Bring snacks, drinks and friends!

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 30th, will no longer be available.

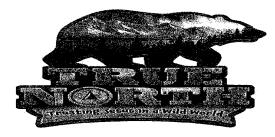
Sound Booth

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!

Seeking a Nursery Attendant-Kya Peck has decided to resign her position as our Church Nursery Attendant.

The Consistory will be taking applications for a Nursery Attendant. Hours are from 9:15 am to 11:30/Noon @ \$40 every Sunday. Applications and job description can be picked up in the church office.

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Church office: 573-796-4885; Website: www.calmo-ucc.org
rhonda@calmo-ucc.org



United Church of Christ Presents VBS 2025:
True North- Trusting Jesus in a Wild World
101 North Oak Street California, MO
Sunday, June 22nd – Thursday, June 26th
6:30 – 8:30 PM

For Ages 3 thru 5th Grade

Please register early, if possible, we are ordering VBS shirts this year.

Register Online at: calmo-ucc.org or use the link below For further assistance contact Church office: 796-4885 Co-Directors: Ronda Mortenson & Toni Kueffer



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 17th.

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

St. Mary's Hospital Auxiliary's 67th Annual Ice Cream Social

Wednesday, June 18

11:00 to 6:00 pm

St. Joseph Cathedral's Cana Hall Jefferson City, MO

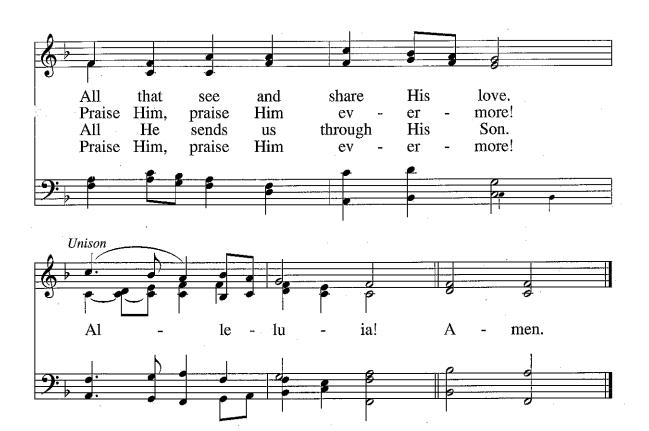
Proceeds benefit Patient Care Services at St. Mary's Hospital

Food Pantry Items Needed

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

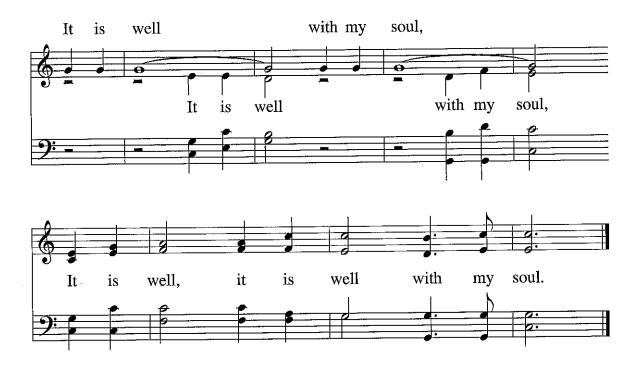
Praise the Lord, His Glories Show





It Is Well with My Soul





Surely the Presence of the Lord Is in This Place



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.

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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.

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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.

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KYRIE

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