#### **United Church of Christ ~ California, Missouri**

Rev. Russell Cobb Mrs. Beth Dampf Pastor Organist

#### **July 20, 2025 – Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

\*All those who are able, please stand.

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Brynna Hall & Charley Medlin

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart

I will tell of all your wonderful deeds.

I will be glad and exult you.

I will sing praise to your name, O Most High! Amen.

\*Hymn No. 377 "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

\*Prayer of the Day

Forgiving God, we come to you into Your presence knowing we have fallen short of Your desire for us. We have neglected the call and claim You have on our lives as individuals and as a community of faith. We ask for another chance to make all things new again, that we may better follow the way, the truth, and the life. In the name of Your Son we pray. Amen.

\*Call to Praise

O Lord, open our lips!

And our mouths shall show forth your praise

\*Act of Praise - "Gloria Patri" (printed on laminated card in hymnal)

Invitation to Children's Time

Hymn for Children "Deep and Wide"

Deep and wide, Deep and Wide There's a fountain flowing deep and wide; Deep and wide, Deep and wide There's a fountain flowing deep and wide.

Children's Time

Ginnie Medlin

Special Music "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring"

Mary Burger & Roberta Pate

Prayer for Illumination

Kris Ingram

Father, light within our hearts the flame of your Holy Spirit. Open our eyes to the reading of your word. Open our ears to the hearing of your word, and open our minds that we might know your word. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson: John 14:23-27 p. 939

Second Lesson: Ephesians 2:13-18 p. 1018

Sermon Bearing the Fruit of God's Spirit: Peace Galatians 5:22-23

Hymn No. 312 "O God of Love, O King of Peace"

Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles' Creed (printed on laminated card in hymnal)

**Prayers of Intercession** 

The Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors)
(printed on laminated card in hymnal)

Invitation to the Offering

### The Offering of Our Gifts and Ourselves Offertory

\*Response "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" (printed on laminated card in hymnal)

- \*Prayer of Dedication
- \*Hymn No. 398 "Down in My Heart"
- \*Benediction
- \*Congregational Response "Here I Am, Lord"

  Here I am, Lord, Is it I, Lord?

  I have heard You calling in the night,

  I will go, Lord, if You lead me,

  I will hold Your people in my heart.
- \*Extinguishing of the Candles
- \*Postlude

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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.

#### Activities Calendar: July 20, 2025 ~ July 27, 2025 Sunday, July 20, 2025 Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship

**Tuesday, July 22, 2025** 

9:00 a.m. - Prayer Cell

Sunday, July 27, 2025

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship

August *Tidings*News Due by
Friday, July 25th

Looking ahead ~

July 28th – Brotherhood 7 p.m.

July 29th - Special Consistory Meeting 6 p.m.

July 31st - VBS meeting 6:30 p.m.

August 2<sup>nd</sup> – Fair Parade

August 3<sup>rd</sup>- Communion

Worship Services at the Fairgrounds

August 5th- Sunday School Teacher and Officer Meeting

August 11th- Consistory Meeting

August 17th – Rally Sunday for Sunday School

August 20th - Women's Guild

First Day of School

August 23rd - Salem Ice Cream Social

August 25th -Brotherhood



#### **Food Pantry Items Needed**

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

#### Please pray for these . . .

Love & Justice in God's World

Campers this Week: Easton Motley, Nora Wolford, Brynna Hall, Bethany Lewis (friend of Brynna), Max Robertson, Norah Everett, Mya Porter (friend of Norah)

#### 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, Italy)

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

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

#### Moniteau County Alliance for Kids Back to School Fair July 29th 4 to 6 pm

Open to all students attending school in Moniteau County. This will be a drive-thru fair to supply school supplies and materials to students of Moniteau County for FREE!

#### Calling all VBS leaders and volunteers!

Come join your VBS Co Directors for VBS 2026

Thursday, July 31 at 6:30 to review our 2025 VBS, ideas for next year and choose our 2026 VBS

Curriculum.

#### Seeking a 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.

#### **NEED HELP WITH EXTRA CHORES?**

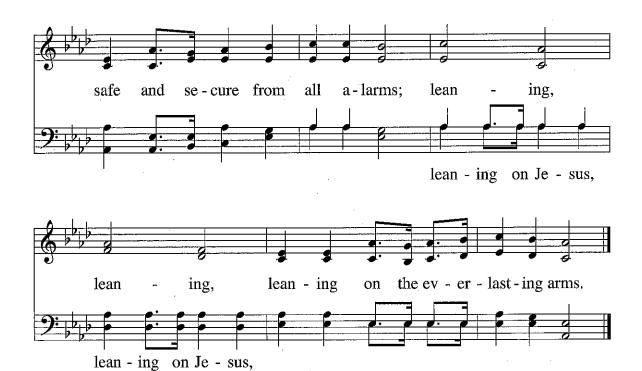
High school youth are available to help anyone in the congregation to raise money for their future mission trip. They can mow lawns, pull weeds, plant flowers, anything to help. Just let Kris or Dyan Ingram know when, where, and what needs to be done and they will contact the high school youth and their families. Donations are appreciated.

#### **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!

#### Leaning on the Everlasting Arms





#### O God of Love, O King of Peace



#### Down in My Heart





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