

United Church of Christ of California ~ California, Missouri
Rev. Michael Matheny Pastor
Mrs. Beth Dampf Organist

June 14, 2026 ~ Third Sunday after Pentecost

**All those who are able, please stand*

The Bell

The Prelude

Lighting of the Candles Camden & Sutton Lawson

Gathering Chorus No. 236 “Where the Spirit of the Lord Is”

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit! Ignite our hearts with joy and confidence!

People: For God has done wondrous things for us.

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit! Fill us with the power of the rushing wind that we may faithfully serve you in all that we do.

People: For Christ has called each of us and blessed us!

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit! Be with us today.

People: Help us to boldly proclaim Christ Risen. AMEN.

*Hymn No. 247 “Come, Thou Almighty King”

*Prayer of the Day

God of wind and fire, embolden us this day to receive your power. Help us to proclaim the wondrous things that you have done and continue to do in our lives. Give us strength and courage to share the Good News of your love and your presence. For we ask this in Jesus’ Name. 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 “B-I-B-L-E” (sing twice)

The B-I-B-L-E,

Yes, that’s the book for me;

I stand alone on the Word of God,

The B-I-B-L-E

Children’s Time

Holly Bieri

Special Music “*Of Thee I Sing, America*”

Hadley and Ada Milligan, Bella Fulks,

Hunter and Brynna Hall and Jess Medlin

Prayer of Illumination

Carla Clennin

Gracious God, give us humble, teachable, and obedient hearts, that we may receive what you have revealed, and do what you have commanded. Amen.

Scripture Lessons

First Lesson: John 14:15-18 p. 939

Second Lesson: Acts 2:1-4 p. 948

Sermon “Pentecostalism”

Hymn No. 227 “Breathe on Me, Breath of God”

Pastoral Prayer

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

Invitation to the Offering

*Response *“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”*

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn No. 228 *“Spirit of God Descend Upon Me”*

*Benediction

*Congregational Response *“They’ll Know We Are Christians”*

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,

And we pray that all unity may one day be restored:

And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love,

Yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.

*Postlude

Activities Calendar: June 14, 2026 ~ June 21, 2026

Sunday, June 14th

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship- R.O.K. downstairs after Children’s Time

Tuesday, June 16th

9:00 a.m. – Prayer Cell

7:00 p.m. – Lake Area Orchestra Concert

Wednesday, June 17th

1:00 p.m. – Women’s Guild

Sunday, June 21st- Father’s Day

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship

6:30 p.m. – Bible School

Looking ahead ~

June 21-June 25th – Bible School 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

June 22 – Brotherhood at First Christian Church 7 p.m.

Please pray for these . . .

Love & Justice in God's World

Family and Friends of *Diane Jobe*

All Those Who Need Our Prayers, including:

Alan Meyer, Anjanette Volkart, Becky Zuidervart, Alan Chambers,
Joyce Rohrbach, Judy Kilmer, Cindy Ash, Kris Bieri, Jackie Heather

California Care: Jimmy Ford, Amanda Volkart, Ida Barry

Valley Park: Jane Burger, Carole Schroeder, Patricia Friedrich

Heisinger Bluffs: Charles Goode

Tipton Oaks: Jo Suggs

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

Martin Knipker (*son of Kenny Knipker, Naval Base, San Diego, CA*)

Dwight Bowlin (*grandson of the late Jack & Carole Bowlin, Fort Campbell, KY*)

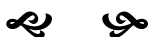
Madelynn Perry (*granddaughter of Jan Anderson, army - Europe*)

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

Blake Street (*grandson of Jenine Baker, Army, Ft. Drum, NY*)

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Ushers: Jay Bestgen and Tara Meisenheimer

Greeters: VanDee and Patrick Miller



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From the Search Committee...

Again this week we are looking to scripture for guidance.

**Jeremiah 3:15** emphasizes the heart of a pastor: "So I will give you shepherds after my own heart, who will feed you with knowledge and understanding". A pastor should guide the congregation toward spiritual growth and a closer relationship with God.

## **Sunday ROK (Reaching Our Kids)-TODAY**

after children's time till the end of the worship service All the kids 4 years old and up are invited to come down to the Fellowship Hall with Ronda Mortenson. You can pick up your child in the Fellowship Hall at the end of the worship service.

*Phase two of the flooring project is happening this week. The floor by the back meeting room will be closed off.*

### **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 16th.**

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

St. Mary's Hospital Auxiliary's 67<sup>th</sup> Annual Ice Cream Social

**Wednesday, June 17**

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,** **Cereal** is the food item requested. There is a box in the downstairs foyer to place your food items.

## **Vacation Bible School**

**June 21<sup>st</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>** 6:30 to 8:30 pm

Ages 3 years to 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

Register at [calmo-ucc.org](http://calmo-ucc.org)

A Nursery is available in the upstairs hallway, just outside the sanctuary. The nursery attendant is **Emma Bestgen**. 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.

# Where the Spirit of the Lord Is

Where the Spir - it of the Lord is, there is

The first system of the hymn features a treble and bass staff in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats. The melody in the treble staff begins with a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4 and Bb4, then a half note C5. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords.

peace. Where the Spir - it of the Lord is,

The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. The treble staff has a quarter rest followed by quarter notes G4, A4, and Bb4, then a half note C5. The bass staff continues with chords.

there is love. There is com - fort in life's

The third system continues the melody and accompaniment. The treble staff has a quarter rest followed by quarter notes G4, A4, and Bb4, then a half note C5. The bass staff continues with chords.

dark - est hour, there is light and life, there is help and

The fourth system continues the melody and accompaniment. The treble staff has a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4 and Bb4, then a half note C5. The bass staff continues with chords.

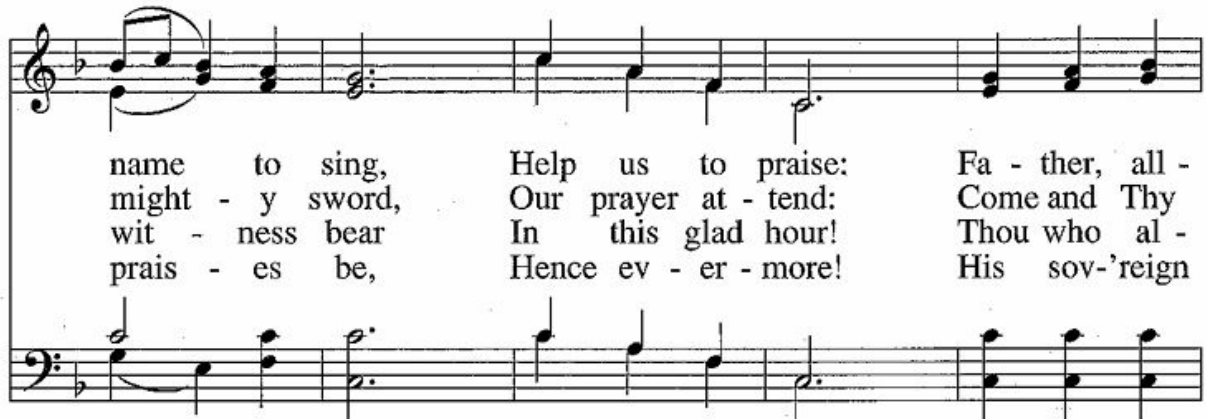
pow - er in the Spir - it, in the Spir - it of the Lord.

The fifth system concludes the hymn. The treble staff has a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4 and Bb4, then a half note C5. The bass staff continues with chords. The final notes are held over with a fermata.

# Come, Thou Almighty King



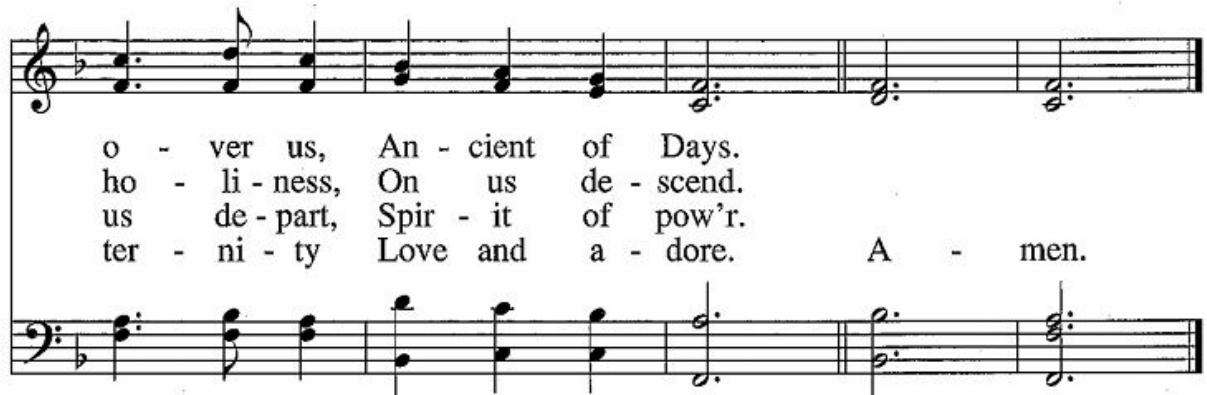
1. Come, Thou Al - might - y King, Help us Thy  
2. Come, Thou In - car - nate Word, Gird on Thy  
3. Come, Ho - ly Com - fort - er, Thy sa - cred  
4. To the great One in Three E - ter - nal



name to sing, Help us to praise: Fa - ther, all -  
might - y sword, Our prayer at - tend: Come and Thy  
wit - ness bear In this glad hour! Thou who al -  
prais - es be, Hence ev - er - more! His sov-'reign



glo - ri - ous, O'er all vic - to - ri - ous, Come and reign  
peo - ple bless, And give Thy word suc - cess— Spir - it of  
might - y art, Now rule in ev - 'ry heart, And ne'er from  
maj - es - ty May we in glo - ry see, And to e -



o - ver us, An - cient of Days.  
ho - li - ness, On us de - scend.  
us de - part, Spir - it of pow'r.  
ter - ni - ty Love and a - dore. A - men.

# Breathe on Me, Breath of God

1. Breathe on me, Breath of God, Fill me with  
2. Breathe on me, Breath of God, Un - til my  
3. Breathe on me, Breath of God, Till I am  
4. Breathe on me, Breath of God, So shall I

The first system of music consists of a treble and bass staff in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. The melody is in the treble staff, and the bass line is in the bass staff. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff.

life a - new, That I may love what Thou dost  
heart is pure, Un - til with Thee I will one  
whol - ly Thine, Till all this earth - ly part of  
nev - er die, But live with Thee the per - fect

The second system of music continues the melody and bass line from the first system. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff.

love And do what Thou wouldst do.  
will, To do and to en - dure.  
me Glows with Thy fire di - vine.  
life Of Thine e - ter - ni - ty. A - men.

The third system of music concludes the piece. The melody and bass line end with a double bar line. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff.

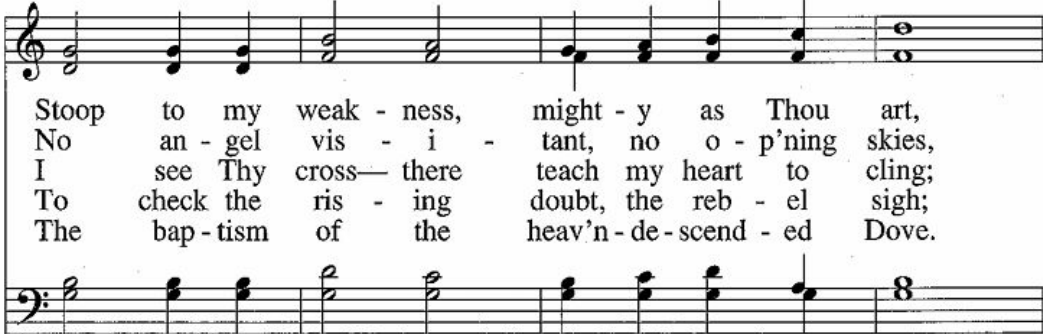
# Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart



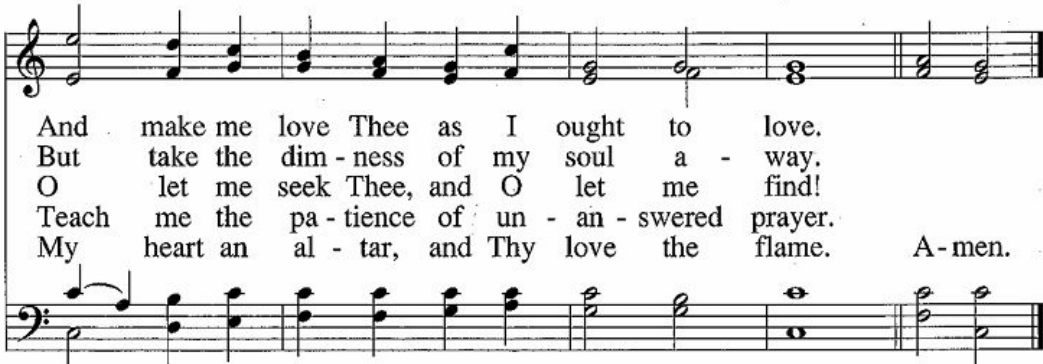
1. Spir - it of God, de - scend up - on my heart;  
2. I ask no dream, no proph - et ec - sta - sies,  
3. Hast Thou not bid us love Thee, God and King?  
4. Teach me to feel that Thou art al - ways nigh;  
5. Teach me to love Thee as Thine an - gels love,



Wean it from earth, through all its puls - es move;  
No sud - den rend - ing of the veil of clay,  
All, all Thine own: soul, heart, and strength, and mind;  
Teach me the strug - gles of the soul to bear;  
One ho - ly pas - sion fill - ing all my frame;



Stoop to my weak - ness, might - y as Thou art,  
No an - gel vis - i - tant, no o - p'ning skies,  
I see Thy cross— there teach my heart to cling;  
To check the ris - ing doubt, the reb - el sigh;  
The bap - tism of the heav'n - de - scend - ed Dove.



And make me love Thee as I ought to love.  
But take the dim - ness of my soul a - way.  
O let me seek Thee, and O let me find!  
Teach me the pa - tience of un - an - swered prayer.  
My heart an al - tar, and Thy love the flame. 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.*  
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