

Community Congregational Church of Chula Vista United Church of Christ



Fifth Sunday After Epiphany

**Worship On-Line
Sunday, February 6, 2022**

Prelude

Lionel Jasmin

Welcome

Rev. Liz Aguilar

Call To Worship: (From Psalm 65)

Leader: Praise is due to you, O God, in Zion;

People: and to you shall vows be performed,

Leader: O you who answer prayer! To you all flesh shall come.

People: When deeds of iniquity overwhelm us, you forgive our transgressions.

All: Happy are those whom you choose and bring near to live in your courts.
We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house, your holy temple.

Hymn of Praise: (NCH) #331

“Come My Way”

Verse 1:

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life:
Such a way as gives us breath;
Such a truth as ends all strife;
Such a life as conquers death.

Verse 2:

Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength:
Such a light as shows a feast;
Such a feast as mends in length:
Such a strength as makes a guest.

Prayer of Invocation:

Holy God, we thank you for this new day to worship you. While we long to worship you together in our beautiful sanctuary we ask that you transform our homes into a sanctuary. A place of worship, of peace, of healing, and of hope. Bless us, loving God, so that like the disciples we too can trust you with what seems to be the impossible. We ask this in Jesus's name. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Luke 5:1-11

5 Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God,

² he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets.

³ He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat.

⁴ When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch."

⁵ Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets."

⁶ When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break.

⁷ So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink.

⁸ But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!"

⁹ For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken;

¹⁰ and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people.”

¹¹ When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

Communion Homily

“With Obedience Comes Success”

Holy Communion

Greeting:

God is with us.
Here in this place;
at this time of sacred refreshment and renewal.
Called in grace and gifted in love.

Prayer:

**God, you know us better than we know ourselves.
You know our thoughts, our weaknesses,
our motivations, our sins.
And you love us still,
Forgive us when we don't believe such love is true or possible;
When we wonder how You could love us just as we are,
when we forget our intricate construction,
fearfully, wonderfully made,
In Your image!
Remove from our minds every thought which keeps us from you.
Break down the walls,
Push aside the pride,
and help us to trust anew.
And you love us still.
Amen.**

Invitation & Institution:

Called in grace and gifted in love,
Jesus gathered with his friends and shared a meal.

Bread of life,
cup of blessing.

“Do this in remembrance of me.”

This table is God’s offer of grace and an invitation to community.
Where forgiveness is found and we are called to be the body of Christ,

Affirmed in our shared mission,
And empowered for discipleship.

Come, share the feast!

Lord’s Prayer: (In Unison)

Words of Invitation:

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Prayer of Thanksgiving: (In Unison)

We give thanks to you, O God, for this meal.

Simple. Elegant. Refreshing. Re-creating.

May we hear the call: Love one another as you have loved us.

One body, many members, the body of Christ.

Amen.

Verse 1:

I can hear my Savior calling,
I can hear my Savior calling,
I can hear my Savior calling,
“Take thy cross and follow, follow Me.”

Verse 2:

I’ll go with Him thru the judgement,
I’ll go with Him thru the judgement,
I’ll go with Him thru the judgement,
I’ll go with Him, with Him all the way.

Refrain:

where He leads me I will follow
I’ll go with him,
with him all the way.

Benediction

Postlude

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