

**CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**Worship Service – June 27, 2021**

Revised Common Lectionary Readings  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost/Ordinary Time  
Year B

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27  
Psalm 30  
2 Corinthians 8:7-15  
Mark 5:21-43

**Prelude**

**Welcome and Opening Prayer**

Almighty God, In Jesus Christ you show us the breadth of your power and depth of your love. You listen to our cries of lament and our shouts of joy. In him we are fully known, and fully loved. In Christ you have reached out to us; in our worship may we reach out to you. Amen.

**Call to Worship**

Psalm 30:4, 11

Sing praises to the LORD, O you his faithful ones,  
**give thanks to God's holy name.**

You have turned my mourning into dancing;

**you have taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy.**

**Hymn**

*Morning Has Broken*  
The Presbyterian Hymnal, #469

**Confession\***

Mark 5:28

*"...for she said, 'If I but touch Jesus' clothes, I will be made well.'"*

**Holy God, you shower us with blessings, with chances to know your grace. Still, O Lord, we twist your promises and pray for blessings we can own. You call us to leave our selfish ways and follow your call to compassion. Still, O Lord, we choose shallow belief over transformative faith. You have told us that your love is enough, that the waters of mercy will not run dry. Still, O Lord, we choose fear instead of trust, hiding behind the illusion that we can survive on our own.**

**Forgive us, Holy One, and by your forgiveness, strengthen us to rise and walk in your name.**

*(personal confession)*

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**Assurance and Passing of the Peace**

2 Corinthians 8:9

*"For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich."*

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. **Thanks be to God**  
May the Peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

**Scripture**Mark 5:21-43**Sermon***What We Bring***Hymn***You Say*

Linda Tente, soloist

**Offering and Doxology**

2 Corinthians 8:12, 15

*“For if the eagerness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has – not according to what one does not have.”*

Let us eagerly give of what we have – our time, talents, and tithes – that “the one who had much did not have too much, and the one who had little did not have too little.”

**Prayer of Dedication**

Holy God, thank you for giving us a joy for generosity and a love for those in need. Pour our your Spirit upon these gifts and upon our lives that all may be agents of the Good News of your kingdom. Amen.

**Announcements****Prayers of the People\***

O God, in these summer days, in this season of ordinary time, we ask that you would make our lives verdant with growth. We long for your restoration and your healing. We long for you to make all things new. We lay before you all our hopes, desires and fears, knowing that you lovingly receive them all.

For the places in our lives, our church and our society that are dry and thirsty, we pray for healing waters. For the places in our lives, our church and our society that are flooded with to-dos and overwhelmed by injustice and inequality, we pray for a receding of the waters, that we would be empowered and emboldened to act with justice, love and peace.

All this talk of fire and flood raises our awareness of the parts of our nation preparing for wildfires and hurricanes this summer. We pray your protection on all people living through the effects of climate change. We pray your courage and discipline to be able to make changes that will prevent deep suffering in the future.

For the needs of this community, we pray now, offering, in the silence of our hearts, the names of those in our midst who are suffering and need your sustaining love. For our friends and families...for Barbara, Chuck, Dot, Val, Miriam, Jennifer and her father Ron and mother Sandy, Rachel’s aunt Debbie, Linda’s uncle Chester, Maria, Maxine, Anne...

Shape us into people of bold hope that rest firm on the promise of a new heaven and new earth. Enable us to serve you wherever we are planted, not only in the everyday tasks at hand, but in the larger visions of justice, love, and peace for which we work. We pray all of this in the name of Jesus Christ who taught us to pray, saying:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by 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 forever. Amen.

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**Hymn**

*God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending*  
*Glory to God Hymnal, #716*

**Charge and Benediction**

**Postlude**