

**CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**Worship Service – July 11, 2021**

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

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19  
Psalm 85:8-13  
Ephesians 1:3-14  
Mark 6:14-29

**Prelude**

**Welcome and Opening Prayer\***

Holy and Triune God, yours is the justice that calls powers to account; yours is the love that calls sinners to repent; yours in the mercy that forgives us and grants us eternal life; yours is the power that begins eternal life now.

Lead us in the truth of your Beloved, that we might rejoice in the great mystery you have revealed, that you are gathering up all things in heaven and earth in Christ. Gather us now, as we worship you. Amen.

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**Call to Worship**

Psalm 85:8-13

Let me hear what God the Lord will speak, for he will speak peace to his people,

**Surely the Lord's salvation is at hand for those who fear him.**

Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet; righteousness and peace will kiss each other.

**Righteousness will go before the Lord, and will make a path for his steps.**

**Hymn**

*Will You Come and Follow Me (The Summons)*  
Glory to God Hymnal, # 726

**Confession\***

Ephesians 1:4

*"...just as God chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him..."*

**Lord, we know that you call your people to lives of service and works of justice. Forgive us, O Lord, when we keep our lives just loud enough to drown out your call. Forgive us, O Lord, when we keep our days just busy enough to convince ourselves that we have a righteous excuse.**

**We know that you work for the healing of all that is broken in the world. Heal us, O Lord, of our blindness by your grace. Forgive us, O Lord, that we may be freed and led by your Spirit to try again.**

*(personal confession)*

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**Assurance and Passing of the Peace**

Ephesians 1:7, 13

*"In Christ we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us...in him you also, when you had heard the word of truth...were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit."*

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

**Scripture**Mark 6:14-29**Sermon**Rev. Shannan Vance-Ocampo, guest preacher**Hymn**

*O Love That Will Not Let Me Go*  
Indelible Grace Hymnbook

**Offering and Doxology**

Ephesians 1:11

*"In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance..."*

Out of the great inheritance of grace and love we have received through Christ, let us give generously of what we have been given.

**Prayer of Dedication****Celebration of the Lord's Supper**

Invitation to the Table

Affirmation of Faith      *The Nicene Creed*

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.  
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God  
from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was  
buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his Kingdom  
will have no end.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the  
Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; We acknowledge one  
baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*The Lord be with you. **And also with you.***

*Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.***

*Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.***

*...Great is the mystery of faith:*

**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

*...We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray together with boldness:*

**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.**

Breaking of Bread and Communion of God's People

*Taste and See*

**Hymn**

*Stand By Me*

**Charge and Benediction**

**Postlude**

*\*We are grateful for Rev. Shannan Vance-Ocampo being with us this morning. Shannan is the General  
Presbyter of our Presbytery, the Presbytery of Southern New England.*