

ORDER OF WORSHIP JANUARY 24, 2021 - 9 AM

PRELUDE

OPENING WORSHIP SONG "Will You Come and Follow Me"

Emma Patrimonio, Vocalist, Lori Yost, Musician

Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?

Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?

Will you let my love be shown, will you let my name be known,

Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?

Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?

Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?

Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?

Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?

Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call me name.

Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.

In your company I'll go where your love and footsteps show.

Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

Rev. Kathleen Edwards Chase, Lead Pastor

O God, be merciful to us and bless us.

Show us the light of your countenance and come to us.

Let your ways be known upon the earth.

Your saving health among all nations.

Let the peoples praise you, O God:

Let all the peoples praise you.

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,

For you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the nations upon earth.

Blessed be the one, holy and living God.

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, forever. Amen.

VIDEO HOPE & FAITH

Krista Ramirez & Karen Mazur

SONG "Lord of the Dance"

I danced in the morning when the world was begun,

And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,

And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth,

At Bethlehem I had my birth.

Dance, then, wherever you may be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,

And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be, And I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he

I danced for the scribe and the pharisee,

But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me.

I danced for the fishermen, for James and John

They came with me and the Dance went on.

Dance, then, wherever you may be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,

And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be, And I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he

They cut me down and I leapt up high;

I am the life that'll never, never die; I'll live in you If you'll live in me -I am the Lord Of the Dance, said he.

SCRIPTURE LESSON Mark 1:14-20

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, ¹⁵and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news." ¹⁶As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. ¹⁷And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." ¹⁸And immediately they left their nets and followed him. ¹⁹As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. ²⁰Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE "Call Waiting"

Rev. Kathleen Edwards Chase, Lead Pastor

INSTRUMENTAL REFLECTION

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

CLOSING HYMN "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

I have decided to follow Jesus, I have decided to follow Jesus,

I have decided to follow Jesus, back, no turning back, no turning back

The world behind me, the cross before me; The world behind me, the cross before me;

The world behind me, the cross before me; No turning back, no turning back

Though none go with me, still I will follow, Though none go with me, still I will follow;

Though none go with me, still I will follow; No turning back, no turning back

Will you decide now to follow Jesus? Will you decide now to follow Jesus?

Will you decide now to follow Jesus? No turning back, no turning back

BENEDICTION

VIDEO

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Schedule: Virtual only worship at 9 AM. You can watch the recorded service anytime on our website.

Virtual Congregational Meeting & Vote: Join us on zoom today at 5:30 PM for presentation of and vote on the budget.

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81874804533?pwd=VVZ6MWVzSEgyNW1sTGF1RXVFck9Mdz09

Meeting ID: 818 7480 4533 Passcode: 53780

After Worship Study/Discussion (Chat) Zoom Video Conference Calls Continue Through February 21

As an opportunity to go deeper in the sermon message, ask questions, state your 'wonderings,' and connect with others in the congregation, we invite you to a 30-minute study/discussion called- Chat. We will start 15 minutes after worship ends. You are welcome to get on the Zoom conference call at 10 AM to meet new people, catch up with old friends, etc. We will begin shortly after 10. All are welcome.

Join Zoom Meeting

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