

Kingston Springs United Methodist Church

February 6, 2022

Greeting and Announcements Rev. Kelli Hamilton

Prelude Kingsfold Stephan Dudash

Introit Oh How I Love Jesus Choir

Call to Worship Jack Arnold

Gentle and patient

God, you are calling.

Careful and persistent

God, you are calling.

In grieving and in praise

God, you are calling.

Through dawn and midday

God, you are calling.

Unexpected and planned

God, you are calling.

In a still small voice and in power

God, you are calling.

Spontaneous and prepared

God, you are calling.

Willing or protected

God, you are calling.

Our God is eager to share with us, wherever we are in our journey.

May we be diligent to listen.

God, you are calling.

Hymn Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult UMH 398

Jesus calls us o'er the tumult

of our life's wild, restless sea;

day by day his sweet voice soundeth,

saying, "Christian, follow me!"

As of old the apostles heard it
by the Galilean lake,
turned from home and toil and kindred,
leaving all for Jesus' sake.

Jesus calls us from the worship
of the vain world's golden store,
from each idol that would keep us,
saying, "Christian, love me more!"

In our joys and in our sorrows,
days of toil and hours of ease,
still he calls, in cares and pleasures,
"Christian, love me more than these!"

Jesus calls us! By thy mercies,
Savior, may we hear thy call,
give our hearts to thine obedience,
serve and love thee best of all.

Anthem Cry of My Heart Choir

Prayers of the People: Joys and Concerns
Leader: Lord, in your mercy, People: **Hear our prayers.**

Children's Message Rev. Kelli Hamilton

Scripture Reading Luke 5:1-11 Jack Arnold

Sermon If You Say So Rev. Kelli Hamilton

Offertory Prayer Jack Arnold

Offertory I Have Decided to Follow Jesus Choir

Doxology UMH 95

Prayer of Confession

God, your voice calls out to us daily, but we often don't hear it, or when we do hear the nudge of your Spirit, we don't know how to respond.

We let fear, busyness, and the empty nets of our lives prevent us from hearing you and responding in faith. Forgive us. Open our hearts and minds to not only hear your voice calling out to us, but to follow your voice, trusting our lives to you.

Words of Assurance

Hear the good news. God never stops calling out to us. God calls us forgiven. God calls us loved. God calls us disciples of Jesus. **Thanks be to God!**

The Great Thanksgiving

UMH 15

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere... and so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ...

...as we proclaim the mystery of death:

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here...

...all honor and glory is yours, now and forever. 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Prayer after Receiving

Hymn Where He Leads Me I Will Follow

UMH 338

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."

Refrain

Where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow;
I'll go with him, with him all the way.

I'll go with him through the garden,
I'll go with him through the garden,
I'll go with him through the garden,
I'll go with him, with him all the way.
(Refrain)

I'll go with him through the judgment,
I'll go with him through the judgment,
I'll go with him through the judgment,
I'll go with him, with him all the way.
(Refrain)

He will give me grace and glory,
he will give me grace and glory,
he will give me grace and glory,
and go with me, with me all the way.
(Refrain)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Commission and Blessing

Rev. Kelli Hamilton

Benedictory Song

Day by day, day by day,
O dear Lord, three things I pray:
To see Thee more clearly,
Love Thee more dearly,
Follow Thee more nearly,
Day by day (repeat)
(End) Day by day—day by day by day by day by day.

Call to Worship written by Joanie Thurman Williams, and posted
on Consider Your Call. Offering Prayer, Prayer of Confession and
Words of Assurance written by Rev. Kelli Hamilton.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING - TUESDAY, FEB. 15, 6:30p

SAFE SANCTUARY TRAINING - SUNDAY, FEB. 20

Following the morning worship service, we will have training in our Safe Sanctuary Policy for all volunteers who serve with children and youth in our church ministries.

CALEB EARP & LAUREN HOLLOHAN BABY SHOWER - FEB. 27

Join us in showering Caleb and Lauren as they prepare for the arrival of their baby boy. We'll gather in the Fellowship Hall after the worship service. They are registered at Target and Amazon.

KELLI'S EMAIL CHANGE

Due to the merging of the Tennessee and Memphis United Methodist Conferences to form the Tennessee-Western Kentucky Conference, effective January 31, my email is kelli.hamilton@twkumc.org.

MONTHLY GIVING

Through November, it takes \$168,500 to run the church and its programs.

Through November, the church has received \$137,100 from all sources.

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