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Pollocksville Presbyterian Church

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Order of Worship

11:00 a.m.

January 24, 2021

Prelude "O Day of Peace" ~ Hymn #450 The Presbyterian Hymnal ~ Proulx

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (*Responsive*) (Source- *Psalm 62 Adapted*)

God alone is our rock and our salvation.

We will not be shaken!

Trust in God at all times, O people.

We will pour out our hearts to God, our refuge.

In this time of worship, let us turn our lives to God and accept the good news.

We will listen for Christ's call and follow him.

Prayer of Invocation

*The Peace of Christ

Leader: ...The peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

*Opening Hymn "We're Marching to Zion" *See Insert*

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (*Unison*) (Source- *Presbyterian Church in Canada*)

God of all the ages, we gather in worship week by week, hoping to encounter your presence. But we confess it's not easy to hear your voice. Sometimes we get distracted by what's happening around us. Sometimes we get confused by conflicting views of what you expect from us. Sometimes we feel challenged and resist a new word from you. We confess it is hard to turn our lives around when we think we already know where we're going.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Silence is observed

Assurance of God's Pardon *(Responsive)* (Source- *Presbyterian Church in Canada*)

Friends in Christ, trust in the good news. God's steadfast love endures forever. Trust that God's forgiveness is for you. Be at peace with God, with yourself and with each other, in the name of Christ our Lord.

Amen!

Anthem

"Be Thou My Vision"

Irish Folk Melody

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture

Mark 1:14-20 *(Common English Bible)*

14 After John was arrested, Jesus came into Galilee announcing God's good news, 15 saying, "Now is the time! Here comes God's kingdom! Change your hearts and lives, and trust this good news!" 16 As Jesus passed alongside the Galilee Sea, he saw two brothers, Simon and Andrew, throwing fishing nets into the sea, for they were fishermen. 17 "Come, follow me," he said, "and I'll show you how to fish for people." 18 Right away, they left their nets and followed him. 19 After going a little farther, he saw James and John, Zebedee's sons, in their boat repairing the fishing nets. 20 At that very moment he called them. They followed him, leaving their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired workers.

Sermon

"Trust This Good News" ~ *Rev. Thomas Wesley Moore, IV*

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Morning Prayer and 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 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.

*The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. AMEN.

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

*Closing Hymn

“Jesus Calls Us”

See Insert

*Charge and Benediction

*Postlude

“Fugue in C”

Bach

Please rise in body or spirit / **Bold: Congregation Speaks*



Today is *Building Fund Sunday*.

All contributions given, unless otherwise designated, will go the Church Building Fund.

For Congregational Use: Lectionary Readings:

Jonah 3:1-5, 10 and Psalm 62:5-12; 1 Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20

Daily Readings for January 24 – 30 use the following web link:

<http://gamc.pcusa.org/ministries/devotions/month-month-lectionary-reading-list/>

Prayer List Additions as of 1/24/2021

The Bells & The Rosses, Mike & Cheryl Coeyman, Bob Howe, The Family of Larry Ipock, Mary Ann LeRay's Uncle Johnny, Dot Mallard & Betty Creech (Jerry Burkot), Champ & E.T. Mitchell (Bob Mattocks), Sue & Scott Moncrieff (Joan Knight), Ralph Morris (Bob Mattocks), Brenda Jones Scott (the Pounds), The Sobotors & Walter Byrd, Rev. Lauren Voyles, Bonnie Zimmermann and Family (Mother passed away), Our Country and State.

Please keep in your prayers those struggling to cope due to this pandemic.

Please pray for the schools - Remember the administration, teachers, students and parents during this difficult time.

Continue praying for all our brothers and sisters all over the world!

Our complete prayer list is available in the PollyPress. These names will remain on this list for 3 weeks.

We're Marching to Zion

Let the people of Zion be glad in their King. Psalm 149:2

1. Come, we that love the Lord, And let our joys be known. Join
 2. Let those re - fuse to sing Who nev - er knew our God; But
 3. The hill of Zi - on yields A thou - sand sa - cred sweets Be -
 4. Then let our songs a - bound, And ev - 'ry tear be dry. We're

in a song with sweet ac - cord, Join in a song with sweet ac -
 chil - dren of the heav'n - ly King, But chil - dren of the heav'n - ly
 fore we reach the heav'n - ly fields, Be - fore we reach the heav'n - ly
 march - ing thro' Im - man - uel's ground, We're march - ing thro' Im - man - uel's

cord, And thus sur - round the throne, And thus sur - round the throne.
 King May speak their joys a - broad, May speak their joys a - broad.
 fields Or walk the gold - en streets, Or walk the gold - en streets.
 ground To fair - er worlds on high, To fair - er worlds on high.

(1) And thus sur - round the throne, And thus sur - round the throne.

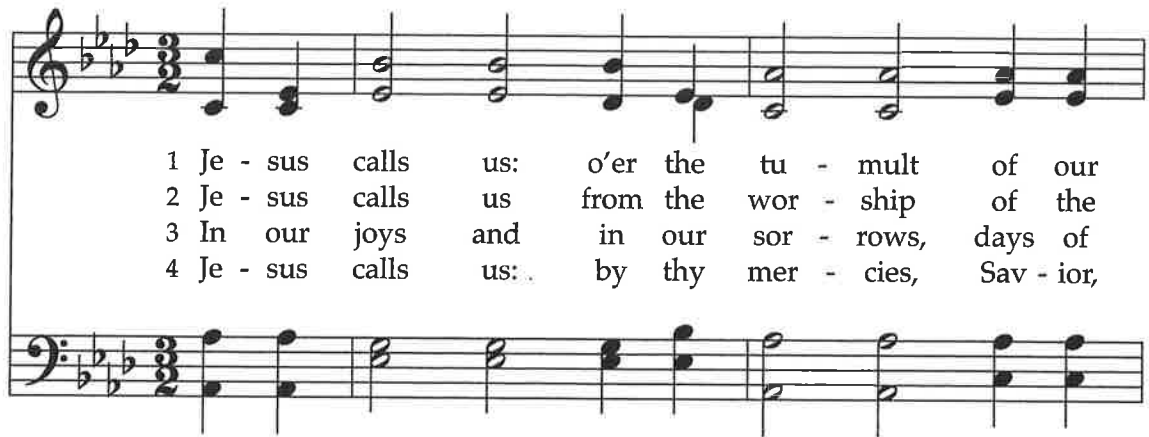
Refrain

We're march - ing to Zi - on, Beau - ti - ful, beau - ti - ful Zi - on. We're
 We're march - ing on to Zi - on, Beau - ti - ful, beau - ti - ful Zi - on. We're

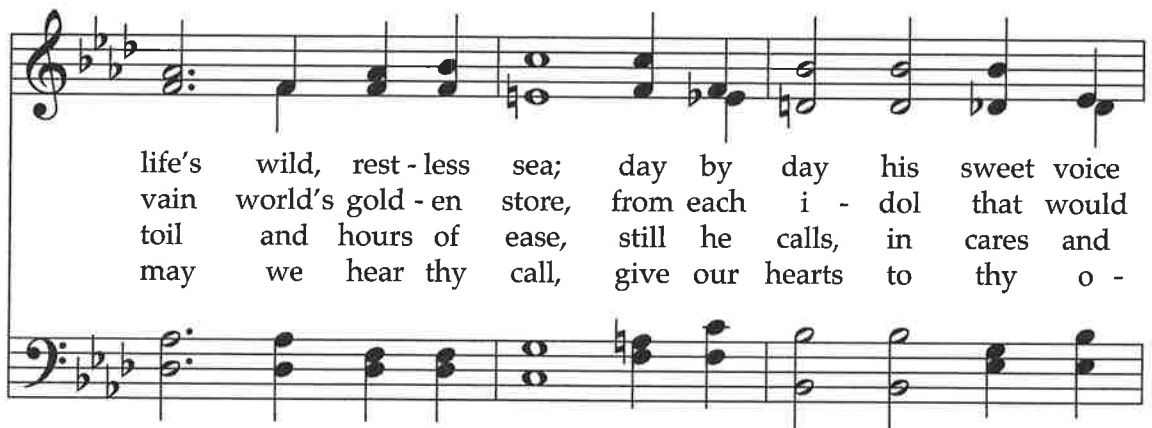
march - ing up - ward to Zi - on, The beau - ti - ful cit - y of God.
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Jesus Calls Us

720



1 Je - sus calls us: o'er the tu - mult of our
 2 Je - sus calls us from the wor - ship of the
 3 In our joys and in our sor - rows, days of
 4 Je - sus calls us: by thy mer - cies, Sav - ior,



life's wild, rest - less sea; day by day his sweet voice
 vain world's gold - en store, from each i - dol that would
 toil and hours of ease, still he calls, in cares and
 may we hear thy call, give our hearts to thy o -



sound - eth say - ing, "Chris - tian, fol - low me."
 keep us, say - ing, "Chris - tian, love me more."
 plea - sures, "Chris - tian, love me more than these."
 be - dience, serve and love thee best of all.

Like many hymns that adults have come to cherish, this text based on Jesus' calling of the disciple Andrew was written for a 19th-century collection of hymns for children. The popular tune used here was composed for these words more than a quarter of a century later.