

  
**LA JOLLA  
UNITED METHODIST**

Sunday, February 14, 2021

Transfiguration Sunday

Scouting Sunday



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**Prelude:** If We Are the Body - Casting Crowns

**Musicians:** Rebecca Cosford, Mike Gray, Bob Rhodes, Cam Rhodes, Emilio Valente

**Opening Flags** - Troop 506B & 506G

**Welcome**

**Opening Music:** Invitacion Fountain - Michael J. Pritzl

**Musicians:** Rebecca Cosford, Mike Gray, Bob Rhodes, Cam Rhodes, Emilio Valente

1. All who are weak, and all who are weary  
Come to the Rock, come to the Fountain  
Let all who have sailed on the rivers of heartache  
Come to the sea; come on and be set free!

Chorus:

If You lead me Lord, I will follow  
Where You lead me Lord, I will go  
Come and heal me Lord, I will follow  
Where You lead me Lord, I will go I will go

2. Let all who are weak and all who are weary  
Come to the Rock, come to the Fountain  
Let all who have climbed the mountains heartbreak  
Reach to the sky; come on and give your life

Chorus:

If You lead me Lord, I will follow  
Where You lead me Lord, I will go  
Come and heal me Lord, I will follow  
Where You lead me Lord, I will go I will go

3. All who are weak, all who are weary  
All who are tired, all who are thirsty  
All who have failed, all who are broken  
Come to the Rock, come to the Fountain

Chorus:

If You lead me Lord, I will follow  
Where You lead me Lord, I will go  
Come and heal me Lord, I will follow  
Where You lead me Lord, I will go I will go

**Prayers of the People**

**A Celebration of Scouting** Scouts from Troops 506B and 506G

## Pastoral Prayer

### Blessing for Children

**Scripture:** Luke 10:25-37 - Charlotte Norton, 506G

A legal expert stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to gain eternal life?"

Jesus replied, "What is written in the Law? How do you interpret it?"

He responded, "You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and love your neighbor as yourself."

Jesus said to him, "You have answered correctly. Do this and you will live."

But the legal expert wanted to prove that he was right, so he said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?"

Jesus replied, "A man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. He encountered thieves, who stripped him naked, beat him up, and left him near death. Now it just so happened that a priest was also going down the same road. When he saw the injured man, he crossed over to the other side of the road and went on his way. Likewise, a Levite came by that spot, saw the injured man, and crossed over to the other side of the road and went on his way. A Samaritan, who was on a journey, came to where the man was. But when he saw him, he was moved with compassion. The Samaritan went to him and bandaged his wounds, tending them with oil and wine. Then he placed the wounded man on his own donkey, took him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day, he took two full days' worth of wages and gave them to the innkeeper. He said, 'Take care of him, and when I return, I will pay you back for any additional costs.' What do you think? Which one of these three was a neighbor to the man who encountered thieves?"

Then the legal expert said, "The one who demonstrated mercy toward him."

Jesus told him, "Go and do likewise."

**Message:** "Practical Theology"

### Response to the Word

**Confession, Assurance, and Peace** - Cenzo Zoni, 506B

**Liturgist:** Merciful God, you have taught us what it means to love our neighbors. We too often fall short of your example, failing to love them and to love you as well as we should. Teach us again, that others may know us by our love.

**Pastor:** The God who teaches us to love, loves us with a passion we cannot comprehend. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Amen.

## Invitation to the Offering

**Offertory:** Live Like That - Sidewalk Prophets

**Musicians:** Rebecca Cosford, Mike Gray, Bob Rhodes, Cam Rhodes, Emilio Valente

## Thanksgiving and Holy Communion

*Communion elements may be selected from your home to include bread (or similar) and juice (or similar).  
Please wait until directed before receiving your elements.*

**The Lord's Prayer** - Daphne Adum, Girl Scout Troop 3859

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.

**Closing Music:** As It Is in Heaven - Matt Maher

**Musicians:** Rebecca Cosford, Mike Gray, Bob Rhodes, Cam Rhodes, Emilio Valente

1. Our Father Who art in Heaven; hallowed by Thy name  
Come and let Your glory come and let Your glory fall

Our Father Who art in Heaven, the rocks cry out your name  
Come and let Your glory come and let Your glory fall

Pre-Chorus:

I will sing sing a new song  
I will sing sing a new song  
to the Lord

Chorus:

Let Your Kingdom come, let Your will be done  
On Earth as it is in Heaven

Ev'ry heart proclaim the mercy of Your name  
On Earth as it is in Heaven

2. God give us new ev'ry morning mercy as daily bread  
In the name of Jesus, in the name of Jesus we pray

And lead us not to temptation, but deliver us with Your hand  
In the name of Jesus, in the name of Jesus we pray

Pre-Chorus:

I will sing sing a new song  
I will sing sing a new song  
to the Lord

Chorus:

Let Your Kingdom come, let Your will be done  
On Earth as it is in Heaven

Ev'ry heart proclaim the mercy of Your name  
On Earth as it is in Heaven

Bridge:

For the Kingdom is Yours  
And the power is Yours  
And the glory forever amen

Chorus:

Let Your Kingdom come, let Your will be done  
On Earth as it is in Heaven

Ev'ry heart proclaim the mercy of Your name  
On Earth as it is in Heaven

## **Benediction**

**Postlude:** Song of Hope - Robbie Seay Band

**Musician:** Rebecca Cosford, Mike Gray, Bob Rhodes, Cam Rhodes, Emilio Valente

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