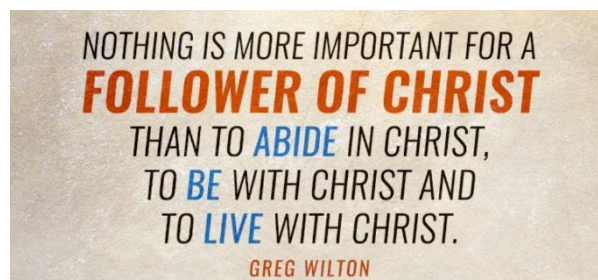


SUNDAY, April 28, 2024

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Caldwell United Methodist Church, 8 Academy Road, Caldwell, N. J. 07006



PRELUDE

“Lord, I want to Be a Christian”

Jackie Han

WELCOME AND INVOCATION

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

L :Come to the vineyard of God.

P: We seek Christ, the vine of great love.

L: Drink from the waters of life.

P: We live in the light of God’s grace.

L: Come to the vineyard of God.

P: All are welcome here.

*** OPENING HYMN**

“Fairest Lord Jesus”

UMH # 189

**1 Fairest Lord Jesus,
 ruler of all nature,
 O thou of God and man the Son,
 thee will I cherish,
 thee will I honor,
 thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.**

**2 Fair are the meadows,
 fairer still the woodlands,
 robed in the blooming garb of spring:
 Jesus is fairer,
 Jesus is purer,
 who makes the woeful heart to sing.**

**3 Fair is the sunshine,
 fairer still the moonlight,
 and all the twinkling starry host:**

ANTHEM	“I am the Vine”	CUMC Choir
MESSAGE	“A Fruitful Life”	Pastor Park

RECEIVING THE MORNING’S OFFERINGS

***DOXOLOGY #94**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
 Praise God all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
 Praise God the source of all our gifts!
 Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!
 Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***DEDICATION**

PRAYER	Pastor Park
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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.

* CLOSING HYMN	“I Need Thee Every Hour”	UMH # 397
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1. I need thee every hour, most gracious Lord;
 no tender voice like thine can peace afford.

Refrain:

I need thee, O I need thee;
 every hour I need thee;
 O bless me now, my Savior, I come to thee.

2. I need thee every hour; stay thou nearby;
 temptations lose their power when thou art nigh.

(Refrain)

3. I need thee every hour, in joy or pain;
 come quickly and abide, or life is vain.

(Refrain)

4. I need thee every hour; teach me thy will;
and thy rich promises in me fulfill.
(Refrain)

5. I need thee every hour, most Holy One;
O make me thine indeed, thou blessed Son.
(Refrain)

* BENEDICTION

Pastor Park

POSTLUDE

“The Power of Your Love”

Jackie Han

*Stand as able

Announcements:

- Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of GOD and in honor of Louise Woodcox by Carol O'Donnell.
- Baptismal Font flowers are given by the CUMC church family to the Glory of God and in celebration of Ann Calvin's birthday. HAPPY BIRTHDAY, Ann!
- Special thanks to Louise Woodcox for hosting the time of Fellowship today. Please join us for fellowship immediately following the worship service.
- Join us for Girls' Night Out for an evening of fun & fellowship on Tuesday, May 7th at 6:30 pm at Dough Pizza Restaurant, 168 Passaic Ave., Fairfield. RSVP to Myrtle by email at myrtm3@yahoo.com or by phone at 973-214-3437. Separate checks will be provided.
- Applications for the Trustees' Scholarship are being considered for children active in our church who are attending a postsecondary school. Contact Christine Waddington (mitchsmum@aol.com) or the church office to apply. The deadline to apply is May 1st.
- Germaniums are available for purchase to decorate the sanctuary for Pentecost. See the insert to order.

- **Join us for worship on Mother's Day, May 12th. We will have a wonderful guest violinist who will come and play for us, our chancel choir and bell choir will also present special musical selections for our worship and celebration.**

**Pastor: Rev. Dr. Kil Jae Park, Music Minister: Jackie Han, Bass Player: Alan James
Lay Leader: Barbara Ingra, Ministers: All Members**