



Calvary by the Sea Lutheran Church

“Sharing the Blessing of God’s Grace with Aloha”

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6th Sunday of Easter

May 21, 2017

7:30 and 10:00 am

God calls us to be a welcoming people! Welcome to people new to faith, to Christians of every flavor, and to long time Lutherans. Welcome to all with no church home, who need strength, want to follow, have doubts, or do not believe. Welcome to new guests and old friends. Welcome to people of every age and size, color and culture, ability and gift, to gay and straight, to old and young, to believers and questioners, and questioning believers. This is a place where we live past the labels, where we are welcome to celebrate and grieve, rejoice and recover. This is a place where our lives are made new. Welcome to worship God on this day!

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Today, as we continue to celebrate the fifty days of Easter, we are led in worship by the children of the ***Performing Arts @ Calvary*** (PAC). They offer a retelling through drama, dance, and music of Jesus' well-known parable of "The Good Samaritan." The Parable of the Good Samaritan comes to life as a fun, over-the-top whodunit. Solving this mystery means discovering again just how far our Savior would go to rescue helpless sinners!

SOUNDING OF THE PŪ

Please gather as the sounding of the conch shell calls us to worship.

A TIME TO BE STILL (*RINGING OF THE BELL*)

During the *Stillness* and the *Ringling of the Bell* please center your thoughts on *Makua*—God the Creator, *Keiki Kane*—Jesus Christ our Redeemer, and *'Uhane Hemolele*—the Holy Spirit our Comforter.

GREETING *standing*

KAHU: Alleluia. Christ is risen!

ALL: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

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CONFESSION OF SIN, *Kahu Tim*

KAHU: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God,
the fountain of living water,
the rock who gave us birth,
our light and our salvation.

ALL: Amen.

KAHU: Let us come into the light,
the revealing and healing light of God.

Silence is kept for reflection.

God of grace and glory,

ALL: You have made all things new. Yet we are afraid.

We cling to the past.

We hold grudges.

We harbor anger and fear.

We refuse to love ourselves or to forgive others.

Make us alive in Christ.

Renew us in grace.

Rescue us from evil.

**Restore us to living in your holiness without fearing the
new life you have given us in Jesus Christ. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

KAHU: Jesus Christ loves you and + frees you from your sins by his blood.

The light of the risen Christ
puts to flight all evil deeds,
washes away sin,
restores innocence to the fallen,
casts out hate,
brings peace,
and humbles earthly pride.

Rejoice with all creation around God's throne! To him be glory and
dominion forever and ever!

ALL: **Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY *standing*

ALL: **Almighty and ever-living God, you hold together all things in heaven and on earth. In your great mercy receive the prayers of all your children, and give to all the world the Spirit of your truth and peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

GREETING OF GUESTS AND SHARING OF ALOHA *standing*

KAHU: May God's aloha be with you.

ALL: **And also with you.**

**WE HEAR THE WORD
IN MUSIC, DANCE, AND DRAMA**

“A Not So Terrible Parable: The Mysterious Whodunit about the Good Samaritan”

A contemporary retelling of the parable of the Good Samaritan by

**Steve Moore, Deborah Craig-Claar, Rob Howard, and David Guthrie,
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It was a dark and stormy night...

*A man lay injured by the side of the road. Two travelers passed him by. Mysteriously, he is delivered to the doorstep of the quaint Mountain Vista Inn, where the startled guests, the butler, and the maid (of course!), and the famous detective must use their wits to sleuth out every clue to get to the bottom of this mystifying whodunit. Mystery, candlelight, organ music, and strange pizza toppings all await as we join host Alistair McAlister in this “Master’s Peace Theater” re-creation of the parable that Jesus told about the Good Samaritan, **A Not So Terrible Parable.***

CAST

Alistair, Alicia Pearson
Zalistair, Carter Holden
Guy Random, Pono Lundell
Guy’s Understudy, Tyler Borrer
Grace Mountain-Vista, Sadie Young
Ivette, Amelia Hamilton
Jeeves, Henry Lee
Ricki Blaine, Maile Hennington
Nicki Blaine, Megan Adelberger
Jenny Barrister, Olivia Lundell
Brooks Binder, Ryder Brink
Samantha, Paige Adelberger
Samantha’s Understudy, Lauren Lang

FLASHBACK SCENE DOUBLE CAST

Guy # 2, Sky Yasutake

Barrister # 2, Zoe Noguchi

Binder # 2, Travis Borrer

Soloists, "Jesus Came To Our Rescue," Lauren and Hannah Long

Scripture Reader 1, Tyler Borrer

Scripture Reader 2, Kalia Sylvester

Soloist, "We Love Because He First Loved Us," Olivia Lundell

SONGS

"Not So Terrible Parable"

"Whodunit?"

"We Love Because He First Loved Us"

"Jesus Came To Our Rescue"

"Curtain Call"

PRODUCTION ASSISTANTS

Assistant Stage Director/Choreographer

Paige Adelberger

Set Crew

Zoe Noguchi, Sky Yasutake, Travis Borrer, Skyler Tuitele

Sound Technician

Gabriel Grosso

Musicians

Ina Young, *keyboard*; Edwin Ahlers, *percussion*; Ferris Young, *clarinet*

PAC DIRECTORS

Sandi Stevens, ***PAC Director***

Ina Young, ***PAC Music Director***

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *standing*

“The Apostles’ Creed”

ALL: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

CONFIRMATION OF *Harlow LaUna Thomas (10 am), Kahu Tim*

For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

Psalm 30: 5

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH *standing*

Please follow the guidance of Kahu Tim in the intercessory prayers.

Anyone desiring individual prayer and intercessions please contact Kahu Tim or members of the Stephen Ministry team at the conclusion of the worship service.

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS, *Ina*

“In the Cherry Garden”

DOXOLOGY *standing*

“Ho‘onani i ka Makua Mau”

Ho‘onani i ka Makua mau. Ke keiki me ka ‘Uhane nō.
Ke Akua mau ho‘omaika‘i pū. Kō kēia ao kō kēlā ao. Amene.

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

OFFERING PRAYER *standing*

KAHU: Be known to us, O Lord, in the breaking of the bread, as you were made known to the disciples. Receive these gifts, and the offering of our lives, that we may be your risen body in the world.

ALL: **Amen.**

WE ARE FED

GREAT THANKSGIVING *standing*

KAHU: The Lord be with you.

ALL: **And also with you.**

KAHU: Lift up your hearts.

ALL: **We lift them to the Lord.**

KAHU: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

ALL: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

KAHU: In the night in which he was betrayed our Lord Jesus Christ took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples saying: “Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

In a similar manner, after supper, Jesus took the cup, gave thanks and gave it for all to drink, saying: “This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(traditional)*

ALL: 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 and ever. Amen.

At Calvary by the Sea all those who have a relationship with Jesus Christ and those who are seeking such a relationship are invited to experience the real presence of Christ in the sacrament of Holy Communion. You are invited to follow the direction of the Kahu and come forward to encircle the altar area. There are kneelers for those who prefer to kneel. Dip the bread in either the red wine or the white grape juice and then eat the element.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *standing*

KAHU: Life-giving God, in the mystery of Christ's death and resurrection you send light to conquer darkness, water to give new life, and the bread of heaven to nourish your people. Send us forth as witnesses to Jesus' resurrection that we may show your glory to all the world; through the same Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.

ALL: Amen.

WE ARE SENT

SENDING HYMN 661 *standing*

“I Love to Tell the Story”

BENEDICTION AND SENDING, *Kahu Tim*

KAHU: May God who has brought us from death to life
fill you with great joy.

Almighty God,
Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit,
bless you now and forever.

ALL: Amen.

KAHU: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

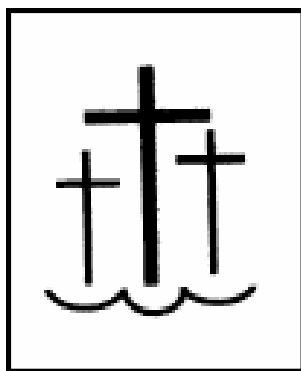
ALL: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Kahu: You are the body of Christ raised up for the world.
Go in peace. Share the good news.

ALL: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

GOING FORTH, *Ina*

“Fluttering Away”



Today, May 21, 2017

MINISTERS: All Members of Calvary by the Sea

KAHU: Tim Mason

WORSHIP AND THE ARTS: Tom Poole

ORGANIST AND PIANIST: Ina Young

MUSIC: *Performing Arts @ Calvary; Director, Sandi Stevens; Music Director, Ina Young*

INSTRUMENTALISTS: Marc Adelberger, Edwin Ahlers, Charlie Holdaway, Chris Jansen, Bruce Kau, Amie Lawyer, Jon Osorio, Tim Sprowls, Ferris Young

READER, USHERS, COMMUNION ASSISTANTS AND ALTAR CARE: Tribe One—Pulelehua Quirk

WORSHIP PRODUCTION SUPPORT: Fletcher Young, Erin Day

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WORSHIP AHEAD

Please Note! The *Saturday Night Bible Study* and *Worship* are on Spring—Summer Break until September 9.

Sunday, May 28—Easter 7

Welcome of New Members

Preaching, Kahu Tim

Music, Calvary Choir, “Hard Times, Come Again No More”

Sunday, June 4—Pentecost

PENTECOST SUNDAY! (Wear Red!!)

Recognition of Graduates

Preaching, Kahu Tim

Music, Calvary Choir, “Sing Them Over Again to Me”

Sunday, June 11—Trinity Sunday

Preaching, Kahu Tim

Music, Calvary Choir, “How Lovely Are the Messengers”

Sunday, June 18—Pentecost 2

Preaching, Kahu Tim

Music, Calvary Choir, “And the Glory of the Lord”