Makawao Union Church



The Third Sunday after Epiphany January 24, 2021

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Mahalo to the following for their talents and service:

To The Rev. David Williams for being our supply Pastor.

To Judy Anderson, Jay Slaughter and John Rowehl for our live music today.

To Lewis Gamble, Chris Kepler and **Martha-Lee Bohn** for being our hosts today.

To Maggie and John Rogers for being our readers today.

To Pastor Dave for our Call to Offering today.

To our Worship Tech and Design Teams: Chris Kepler, Lewis Gamble, John Rowehl, Jay Slaughter, and Bill Kepler.

Congregational responses are printed in **bold**

We Welcome and Prepare

Aloha and Announcements

One: May the peace of Christ be with you.

Many: And also with you.

Leader: We invite you to greet one another in a sign of God's peace.

Prelude Down by the Salley Gardens

Irish Traditional (arr. David Nevue)

Prayers to Gather Us In

Pastor Dave will lead us in a gathering prayer this morning.

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.

Dear God, Embracing Humankind 502 John Greenleaf Whittier, 1872; alt. Mark 1:16-20; Matt. 14:22-23; 1 Kings 19:11-12 1 Dear God, em-brac - ing hu - man-kind, for give our fool - ish sim - ple trust like 2 In theirs who heard, be side the Syr - ian 3 0 sab - bath rest Gal - i - lee! O calm of hills Drop your still dews of qui - et - ness, till all our striv-ings 5 Breathe through the puls - es de - sire your cool - ness and your right - ful mind, ways; Re clothe our The gra cious call ing of your word, let sea. There Je ful - ly: the bove! sus met you prayer and Take from the strain and stress, cease: our souls numb. flesh re - tire; speak balm: Let sense let ser - vice find, rev-erence, praise. pur - er lives your in deep - er spir - it stirred, rise fol-lowers be. like them, by and si - lence of e - ter - ni - ty, ter - pret - ed by love. in our or - dered lives con - fess the of your peace. beau - ty still, small voice of through the earth-quake, wind, and fire, 0 calm.

In his poem "The Brewing of Soma," New England poet John Greenleaf Whittier compares frenzied ecstasies of a sect of Hindu priests to the noisy Christian revivals he found so offensive. This hymn of quiet worship is from the final stanzas. Tune: REST 8.6.8.8.6. Frederick C. Maker, 1887 Alternate tune: REPTON (repeating last phrase)

We Listen

Anthem

Will You Come and Follow Me (The Summons)
Scottish Traditional (arr. John Bell and Gary Daigle)

Will you come and follow me if I but call your name? Will you go where you don't know and never be the same? Will you let my love be shown? Will you let my name be known, will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?

Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name? Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same? Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare? Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?

Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name? Will you set the prisoners free and never be the same? Will you kiss the leper clean and do such as this unseen, and admit to what I mean in you and you in me?

Will you love the "you" you hide if I but call your name? Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same? Will you use the faith you've found to reshape the world around, through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?

Lord your summons echoes true when you but call my name. Let me turn and follow you and never be the same. In Your company I'll go where Your love and footsteps show. Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

(Text by John Bell and Gary Daigle)

Sacred Texts

Jonah 3:1-5, 10 (New Revised Standard Version)

Maggie Rogers

3 The word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time, saying, ² "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." ³ So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. ⁴ Jonah began to go into the city, going a

day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" ⁵ And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.

¹⁰ When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

Mark 1:14-20 (New Revised Standard Version)

John Rogers

¹⁴ Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, ¹⁵ and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news." ¹⁶ As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. ¹⁷ And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." ¹⁸ And immediately they left their nets and followed him. ¹⁹ As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. ²⁰ Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

Message Pastor Dave "Glass jars, Plastic bags, String, and Me"

We Respond

Centering into Our Communal Prayer

We Are an Offering

Dwight Liles (arr. Mark Hayes)

Prayers for All That Has Been Shared

Call to Our Offering

Pastor Dave

Hymn

You Walk Along Our Shoreline

(The New Century Hymnal #504)

(See next page)

You Walk along Our Shoreline



We Go Forth

Benediction

The Queen's Prayer Queen Lili'uokalani
'O kou aloha nō, Aia i ka lani
A 'o kou 'oiā i'o, He hemolele ho'i. 'Āmene.

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English translation:

Your loving mercy is as high as heaven and your truth so perfect.

Postlude Voluntary No. 7 Arlen Clarke

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• **Secondhand Heaven** WILL reopen on February 3rd for their 3rd anniversary! They will be open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 9AM to 2PM. See you there!

♦ Annual Reports Meeting The February Annual Reports Meeting will take place on Sunday, February 21 after worship via Zoom. Please start thinking about all the positive things that happened in 2020 to include in your reports. Look for upcoming updates in the 'Elele.

Upcoming Events:

Jan. 31	10:20AM Log/Dial in – Zoom Worship
	10:30AM Worship – Zoom
Feb. 3	9AM Secondhand Heaven – 3 rd Anniversary
Feb. 11	Turn in Annual Reports to Office
Feb. 14	Ka Hale A Ke Ola Resource Dinner
Feb. 21	Annual Reports Meeting - Zoom

