



WORSHIP AID for January 24th



PRELUDE

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

Sally Riewerts, piano
Pastor Courtney

HYMN #348

"Softly and Tenderly"

Sung Together

Verse 1:

Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling,
calling for you and for me;
See, on the portals he's waiting &
watching,
watching for you and for me.

(refrain)

Verse 2:

Why should we tarry when Jesus
is pleading,
pleading for you and for me?
Why should we linger and heed
not his mercies,
mercies for you and for me?

(refrain)

Verse 3:

Time is now fleeting, the moments
are passing,
passing from you and from me;
Shadows are gathering, deathbeds
are coming,
coming for you and for me.

(refrain)

Verse 4:

O for the wonderful love he has
promised,
promised for you and for me!
Though we have sinned, he has
mercy and pardon,
pardon for you and for me.

(refrain)

REFRAIN:

Come home, come home; You who are weary, come home! Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling, calling, O sinner, come home!

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 1:14-20

Donna Eudaley, liturgist

After John was arrested, Jesus came into Galilee announcing God's good news, saying,

*"Now is the time! Here comes God's kingdom!
Change your hearts and lives, and trust this good news!"*

As Jesus passed alongside the Galilee Sea, he saw two brothers, Simon and Andrew, throwing fishing nets into the sea, for they were fishermen.

*"Come, follow me," he said,
"and I'll show you how to fish for people."*

Right away, they left their nets and followed him. After going a little farther, he saw James and John, Zebedee's sons, in their boat repairing the fishing nets. At that very moment he called them. They followed him, leaving their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired workers.



CHOIR ANTHEM

"I Love To Tell The Story"

EUMC Chancel Choir Concert/Nov 2013

SERMON

Follow Me: COME

Pastor Courtney

HYMN #338

"Where He Leads Me"

Sung Together

Verse 1:

I can hear my Savior calling,
I can hear my Savior calling,
I can hear my Savior calling,
"Take thy cross & follow, follow me."
(refrain)

Verse 2:

I'll go with him thru the garden,
I'll go with him thru the garden,
I'll go with him thru the garden,
I'll go with him, with him all the way.
(refrain)

REFRAIN:

*Where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow;
I'll go with him, with him all the way.*

Verse 3:

I'll go with him thru the judgment,
I'll go with him thru the judgment,
I'll go with him thru the judgment,
I'll go with him, with him all the way.
(refrain)

Verse 4:

He will give me grace and glory,
He will give me grace and glory,
He will give me grace and glory
And go with me, with me all the way.
(refrain)

BENEDICTION / POSTLUDE

Pastor Courtney / Sally Riewerts