## **ABINGDON BAPTIST CHURCH**

## 11 AM Worship \* Sunday, February 28, 2021 Second Sunday in Lent

Live Stream Welcome Rev. Parke Deans

Video Reflections on Lent 2 SG Video

Video It's Up to You AAEO Video

Video St. Louis Introduction CBF OGM Video

Video Trivia Countdown SW Video

Prelude O Master Let Me Walk with Thee Rose Payne & Carol Clifton

Call Text Matthew 5:5-6 Congregation

Gathering Song 259 Blest Are They (stanza 2)

Blest are they, the lowly ones, they shall inherit the earth. Blest are they who hunger and thirst, they shall have their fill.

Rejoice and be glad! Blessed are You, Holy are You! Rejoice and be glad! Yours is the kingdom of God.

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Invocation Rev. Parke Deans

## Hymn 473 Will You Come and Follow Me

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.

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Welcome & Offering Rev. Dr. Bill Bryan

A Message for Children Jesus Calls the Disciples Miss Carrie Trivett

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Bryan

Worship Through Music The Songs Will Never Leave Me Sanctuary Choir

Message Leading Like Jesus Rev. Bryan

Luke 5:1-11

Here are nine leadership principles discerned from Jesus teaching and actions in Luke 5:1-11.

- #1 Be approachable and ready to meet the physical and spiritual needs of those who come your way.
- #2 Use all of the resources available to do God's kingdom work.
- #3 To be a good leader, you first have to be a good follower.
- #4 Present the possibility and call for a faith-filled, obedient response.
- #5 Find a person of faith to rally others to do the work at hand.

- #6 Realize that change is hard and scary for human beings.
- #7 Call followers not to a momentary conversion but to a new way of living each and every day.
- #8 Leaders and followers must make personal sacrifices for the greater good of their shared cause.
- #9 Discover the extraordinary power of God in the midst of the ordinary things of life.

## Invitation

Hymn of Commitment 486

Jesus Calls Us, O'er the Tumult

(Tune:GALLILEE)

Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult of our life's wild, restless sea; Day by day His sweet voice soundeth, saying, "Christian, follow Me!"

Jesus calls us from the worship of the vain world's golden store, From each idol that would keep us, saying, "Christian, love Me more."

In our joys and in our sorrows, days of toil and hours of ease, Still He calls in cares and pleasures, "Christian, love Me more than these."

Jesus calls us; by Thy mercies, Savior, may we hear Thy call, Give our hearts to Thine obedience, serve and love Thee best of all.

Announcements & Benediction

Rev. Bryan

Postlude

**God of Grace and God of Glory** 

Rose Payne & Carol Clifton

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