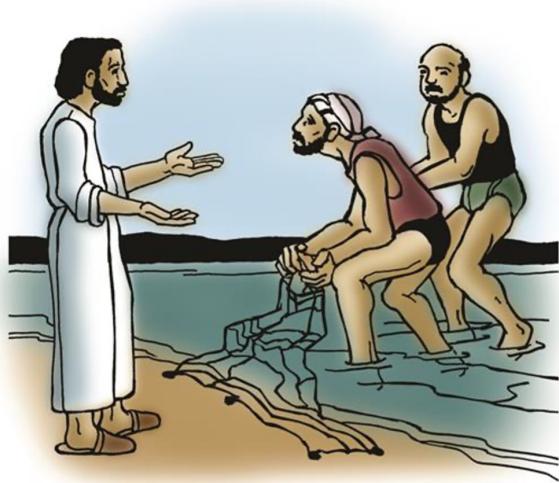


St. James Worship Service



3rd Sunday after Epiphany

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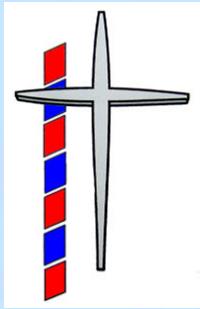
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Today's Music

513 *Listen, God Is Calling*

798 *Will You Come and Follow Me*

817 *You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore*

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513

Listen, God Is Calling

Refrain

**Listen, listen, God is calling,
through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

**Listen, listen, God is calling,
through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

**1. Jesus gave his mandate:
share the good news
that he came to save us
and set us free.**

Refrain

**Listen, listen, God is calling,
through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

**Listen, listen, God is calling,
through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

2. Let none be forgotten

throughout the world.

In the triune name of God

go and baptize.

Refrain

**Listen, listen, God is calling,
through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

**Listen, listen, God is calling,
through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

3. Help us to be faithful,
standing steadfast,
walking in your precepts,
led by your Word.

Refrain

**Listen, listen, God is calling,
through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

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through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

Text: Tanzanian traditional; tr. Howard S. Olson, b. 1922

798

Will You Come and Follow Me

1. “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?"**

2. “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 pray'r
in you and you in me?"**

3. “Will you let the blinded see
if I but call your name?
Will you set the pris’ners 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?"

4. “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?"**

5. 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: John L. Bell, b. 1949

817

You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore

**1. You have come down to the lakeshore
seeking neither the wise nor the wealthy,
but only asking for me to follow.**

Refrain

**Sweet Lord, you have looked into my eyes;
kindly smiling, you've called out my name.
On the sand I have abandoned my small boat;
now with you, I will seek other seas.**

**2. You know full well what I have, Lord:
neither treasure nor weapons for conquest,
just these my fish nets and will for working.**

Refrain

**Sweet Lord, you have looked into my eyes;
kindly smiling, you've called out my name.
On the sand I have abandoned my small boat;
now with you, I will seek other seas.**

3. You need my hands, my exhaustion,
working love for the rest of the weary—
a love that's willing to go on loving.

Refrain

**Sweet Lord, you have looked into my eyes;
kindly smiling, you've called out my name.
On the sand I have abandoned my small boat;
now with you, I will seek other seas.**

**4. You have fished other waters;
you, the longing of souls that are yearning:
O loving Friend, you have come to call me.**

Refrain

**Sweet Lord, you have looked into my eyes;
kindly smiling, you've called out my name.
On the sand I have abandoned my small boat;
now with you, I will seek other seas.**

Text: Cesáreo Gabaráin, 1936-1991;
tr. Madeleine Forell Marshall, b. 1946

Go in peace. Let your light shine.
Thanks be to God.

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