



**February 26, 2023**

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**-SPECIAL MUSIC-**

*"Shower the People"*

Kenny Bishop

**-WELCOME-**

**-SINGING TOGETHER-**

*"Show Us How to Love"*

HEARTS OPEN, MINDS AWAKE,  
CHANGE US NOW FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE.  
LEAVE US NOT ALONE IN HATRED'S WAKE.

SHOW US HOW TO LOVE.  
SHOW US HOW TO LOVE.  
SHOW US HOW, SHOW US HOW TO LOVE.

**-DEVOTIONAL-**

**-SINGING TOGETHER-**

*"Show Us How to Love"*

EYES OPENED, SHOCKED AWAKE,  
MUCH TO LEARN FROM OUR MISTAKES,  
DRAW US CLOSER IN OUR HEARTACHE.

SHOW US HOW TO LOVE.  
SHOW US HOW TO LOVE.  
SHOW US HOW, SHOW US HOW TO LOVE.

**-PRAYER-**

**-CALL TO WORSHIP-**

We have often looked for love,  
for acceptance, and security,  
in the trappings of notoriety, popularity, and power  
that diminish others in order to gain for ourselves.

WE YEARN FOR LIVES THAT MATTER,  
WE DESIRE RELATIONSHIPS THAT THRIVE,  
WE WANT LESS REGRET.

So, God. We pray these words together.  
WE OPEN OUR HEARTS, OUR MINDS,  
OUR SOULS, OUR VISION  
TO THE WAYS OF LOVE CREATED BY YOU,  
EMBODIED IN JESUS,  
AND ALREADY MOVING IN US BY THE SPIRIT.  
WE ARE FORGIVEN, LOVED, AND FREED!  
AMEN!

**-SINGING TOGETHER-**

*"The Summons"*

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.

**-SCRIPTURE-**

Luke 5: 1-11 (NCV)

*One day while Jesus was standing beside Lake Galilee, many people were pressing all around him to hear the word of God. Jesus saw two boats at the shore of the lake. The fishermen had left them and were washing their nets. Jesus got into one of the boats, the one that belonged to Simon, and asked him to push off a little from the land. Then Jesus sat down and continued to teach the people from the boat.*

*When Jesus had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Take the boat into deep water, and put your nets in the water to catch some fish."*

*Simon answered, "[Jesus], we worked hard all night trying to catch fish, and we caught nothing. But you say to put the nets in the water, so I will." When the fishermen did as Jesus told them, they caught so many fish that the nets began to break. They called to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. They came and filled both boats so full that they were almost sinking. When Simon Peter saw what had happened, he bowed down before Jesus and said, "Go away from me, Lord. I am a sinful man!" He and the other fishermen were amazed at the many fish they caught, as were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, Simon's partners.*

*Jesus said to Simon, "Don't be afraid. From now on you will fish for people." When the men brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed Jesus.*

**-THE MESSAGE-**

*"The Invitation"*

Pam Lee-Miller

**-SINGING TOGETHER-**

*"As We Gather At Your Table"*

AS WE GATHER AT YOUR TABLE,  
AS WE LISTEN TO YOUR WORD,  
HELP US KNOW, O GOD, YOUR PRESENCE;  
LET OUR HEARTS AND MINDS BE STIRRED.  
NOURISH US WITH SACRED STORY  
TILL WE CLAIM IT AS YOUR OWN;  
TEACH US THROUGH THIS HOLY BANQUET  
HOW TO MAKE LOVE'S VICTORY KNOWN.

**-COMMUNION-**

*"As We Gather At Your Table"*

Brenda Gardiner

**-OFFERING-**

*"You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore" – C. Gabarain*

Brenda Gardiner

**-THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE-**

**-ANNOUNCEMENTS-**

**-INVITATION TO RESPOND-**

**-SINGING TOGETHER-**

*"We Are Called"*

COME! LIVE IN THE LIGHT!

SHINE WITH THE JOY AND THE LOVE OF THE LORD!

WE ARE CALLED TO BE LIGHT FOR KIN-DOM,  
TO LIVE IN THE FREEDOM OF THE CITY OF GOD.

WE ARE CALLED TO ACT WITH JUSTICE,  
WE ARE CALLED TO LOVE TENDERLY,  
WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE ONE ANOTHER,  
TO WALK HUMBLY WITH GOD!

COME! OPEN YOUR HEART!

SHOW YOUR MERCY TO ALL THOSE IN FEAR!

WE ARE CALLED TO BE HOPE FOR THE HOPELESS  
SO ALL HATRED AND BLINDNESS WILL BE NO MORE!

WE ARE CALLED TO ACT WITH JUSTICE,  
WE ARE CALLED TO LOVE TENDERLY,  
WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE ONE ANOTHER,  
TO WALK HUMBLY WITH GOD!

SING! SING A NEW SONG!

SING OF THAT GREAT DAY WHEN ALL WILL BE ONE!  
GOD WILL REIGN, AND WE'LL WALK WITH EACH OTHER  
AS SISTERS, BROTHERS AND OTHERS UNITED IN LOVE.

WE ARE CALLED TO ACT WITH JUSTICE,  
WE ARE CALLED TO LOVE TENDERLY,  
WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE ONE ANOTHER,  
TO WALK HUMBLY WITH GOD!

**-BLESSING & BENEDICTION-**

**-SINGING TOGETHER-**

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