GATHERING TO PRAISE GOD	Sunday, October 22, 2023	After a few days, Jesus went back to Capern that he was at home. ² So many gathered th	at there was no longer	
Prelude Choral Introit		space, not even near the door. Jesus was speaking the word to them. ³ Some people arrived, and four of them were bringing to him a man who was paralyzed. ⁴ They couldn't carry him through the crowd, so they tore off part of the roof above where Jesus was. When they had made an opening, they lowered the mat on which the paralyzed man was lying. ⁵ When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the		
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Announcements	, 0	⁶ Some legal experts were sitting there, mut	tering among	
raise Songs		themselves, ⁷ "Why does he speak this way? He's insulting God. Only the one God can forgive sins." ⁸ Jesus immediately recognized what they were discussing, and he said		
Call to Worship		to them, "Why do you fill your minds with th	-	
Leader: I lift up my eyes to the mountains. Where does my help		easier—to say to a paralyzed person, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Get up, take up your bed, and walk'? ¹⁰ But so you will know that the		
come from?		Human One has authority on the earth to forgive sins"—he said to the		
People: My help comes from the Lord, the maker of heaven and		man who was paralyzed, ¹¹ "Get up, take your mat, and go home." ¹² Jesus raised him up, and right away he picked up his mat and walked		
earth.				
Hymn: UMH #64 "Holy, Holy, Holy	! Lord God Almighty"	out in front of everybody. They were all ama saying, "We've never seen anything like this	azed and praised God,	
Prayer		Message: Jesus Healed a Paralyzed Man	Pastor Sung Ho Lee	
Jesus, You healed a paralyzed man. I too sometimes feel paralyzed by fears, worries or by lack of faith. And I come before You, not disguising my helplessness. Lord, please increase within me a desire to be near You. Help me to long for You with all my heart. In that longing, help me to shed all that is not of You and to give You my full attention. So by Your power I may be able to get up, grab my mat, and walk out. We pray in the name of Jesus, Our Healer. Amen.		Sharing Joys and Concerns	Darcy Young	
		The People Bring Their Gifts The baskets will be passed or you may use	Pastor Sung Ho Lee u may use the UMCL app	
		The People Offer Praise "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95		
Children's Moment		The People Go into The World		
Anthem:		Hymn: "There is Healing in His Name"		
		Benediction		

The Word of God for the People of God Scripture – Mark 2:1-12

Postlude