## \* Choral Benediction

Go now in peace. Never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong, and true.
Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there watching from above.
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen. Amen.

\* **Postlude** "Fantasia" J. Pachelbel

Altar flowers are presented by Nick and Sharyn Horvath in loving memory of our parents, Bill and Mabel Parsons and Nick and Eleanor Horvath.

If you would like to order flowers in memory of loved ones, to celebrate an anniversary, or offer them to the Glory of God, please contact Kathy Fellows at 440-255-5899.

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## Mentor United Methodist Church

March 1, 2020 First Sunday in Lent

The liturgical color is purple, signifying our penitence and the royalty of Christ.

## **GATHERING**

**Prelude** "Prelude and Fugue in e minor"

J. S. Bach

Amy Bender, organist

Lighting of the Candles Presentation of God's Holy Word

> Lilly Parkinson, Rebecca Grace Toth (9:00) Helena Cherian and Ethan Leyrer (11:00) Acolytes

Choral Introit "This Little Light of Mine" Cherub Choir (9:00)

Please sign and pass the attendance pad that you find at the end of each pew.

If you are joining us for the first time today, please complete the blue sheet.

Welcome and Announcements Sharing Joys and Concerns

Rev. Beverly Wrobel, Liturgist

Confession and Pardon **UMH 893** \* Call to Worship Scripture Reading New Testament page 684 Matthew 6:5-13 9:00 Abby Colbow 11:00 Alex Ogrin \* Opening Hymn 419 "I Am Thine, O Lord" I AM THINE Leader: The word of God for the people of God. PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE People: Thanks be to God. **Anthem** Children's Choir (9:00) "Give Me Oil in My Lamp" arr. Joseph M. Martin Chancel Choir (11:00) "The Ground" Ola Gjeilo Walking With Jesus Rev. Sondra Snode Sermon Lord, Teach Us to Pray Time With Our Children (9:00) **Morning Prayer** Presentation of Our Tithes and Gifts 9:00 Alex Alafi, Darin Petrowski, Jack Cuff, Hailey Neibecker The Lord's Prayer Offertory Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, Children's Choir (9:00) "This Is the Day" Celeste Clydesdale thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Chancel Choir (11:00) "Prayer of Grateful Praise" Mary McDonald Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, \* Doxology **UMH 95** for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Amen. Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. **Holy Communion** \* Prayer of Dedication SENDING FORTH

\* Hymn 395

"Take Time to Be Holy"

Time With Our Children (11:00) \* Pastoral Benediction

SWFFT HOUR

\* Members of the congregation stand if able.

\* Hymn of Preparation 496 "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

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**HOLINESS**