

Mentor United Methodist Church

February 28, 2021
11 AM Traditional Livestream Service

Second Sunday in Lent

GATHERING

Prelude "Prelude and Fugue in e minor" J. S. Bach
Amy Bender, organist

Jody and Jonathan Nemelka
Acolytes

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Barbara Holzhauser, Liturgist

Call to Worship (from Psalm 36)

Leader: Your love, Lord, reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies.

People: Your righteousness is like the highest mountains, your justice like the great deep.

Leader: You, Lord, preserve both people and animals.

People: How priceless is your unfailing love, O God!

**All: We take refuge in you, O Lord.
We will feast on your abundance.**

Opening Prayer

Hymn 128 "He Leadeth Me" Willie Dycks, Cantor

Offertory "The Meditations of My Heart" Elaine Hagenberg
Chancel Choir; recorded September 15, 2019

Doxology UMH 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.



Time of Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. 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, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. **Amen.**

Hymn of Preparation #407 (verse 1) "Close to Thee"

Scripture Genesis 17: 1 - 7, 15 - 16

Message A Way in the Wilderness: When There is No Way Rev. Sondra Snode

Hymn 536 "Precious Name"

Benediction

Benediction Sung Response "Go Now in Peace"

Postlude "Prelude in g minor" J. S. Bach

Altar flowers are presented by Judy Garris
in loving memory of husband Dale.

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.
March 7, 21 and 28 are available for flowers.