

Mentor United Methodist Church



May 16, 2021
11 AM Traditional Service
Seventh Sunday of Easter

GATHERING

Prelude

"Lord God, We All to Thee Give Praise"
Amy Bender, organist

Pachelbel

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Sondra Snode, Liturgist

Call to Worship

Leader: Clap your hands and shout to God with loud songs of joy.

People: Sing praises to God, who fills the world with forgiveness and grace.

L: Christ is alive. He is risen from the dead.

P: The Holy One calls us to worship and praise.

L: Baptized with the power of the Holy Spirit,

P: we live with Christ in our hearts.

L: Clap your hands and shout to God with loud songs of joy.

P: Sing praises to God, who fills the world with forgiveness and grace.

Opening Prayer

* Hymn 559

"Christ is Made the Sure Foundation"

Noralee Starr, Cantor

Sharing Joys and Concerns

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.

Offertory

"Down to the River to Pray" with "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"

arr. Mary McDonald

Noralee Starr, soloist

* Congregation invited to stand if able.

* **Doxology** UMH 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power
uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

* **Prayer of Dedication**

* **Hymn of Preparation 557** "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

Scripture John 17:6-19

Sermon Journey with John: Sent Rev. Barbara Holzhauser

* **Hymn 573** "O Zion, Haste"

Benediction

Benediction Sung Response "Go Now in Peace"

**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. Amen.**

Postlude "Rejoice! the Lord is King" Franklin Ritter

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