# Mentor United Methodist Church



August 29, 2021 11 AM Traditional Service Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

### **GATHERING**

**Prelude** "Canon in D" J. Pachelbel Amy Bender, organist

Welcome Rev. Sondra Snode

Call to Worship Brooke Dynes

Leader: Your welcome and invitation have drawn us here, Lord. **People: We come as little children, yearning to connect with you.** 

Leader: Your word is a light to our paths, leading us to know abundant, full and eternal life. People: We open our lives to you and promise to follow, as well as reach out so others can

follow you, too.

Leader: Your love and power transform us.

People: We call on your Spirit to help us engage in the work you call us to so that we will

fully know you.

Leader: You alone are worthy of our worship and praise.

People: We welcome and invite you to work within us and through us during our worship,

and all the days of our lives.

Opening Prayer Penelope McFadden

\* Hymn 89 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

#### Third Grade Bible Presentation

Tammy Palermo

## Response of Congregation to Children:

We rejoice in this step in your journey with God. We pray God will guide you, your family, and us as you use this Holy Bible in your home, in your church school classes, and in our worship. We promise to learn with you and grow together in love for God's Word.

## **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.

<sup>\*</sup> Congregation invited to stand if able.

#### **Announcements**

"Lord of the Dance" Offertory arr. Mark Hayes

Dave Sechnick, soloist

\* 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 170 "O How I Love Jesus"

Scripture Mark 10: 13-16 Clara Engleking

Sermon Youth Sunday Abby Colbow

Penelope McFadden

## **Back to School Blessing**

"Jesus, United by Thy Grace" \* Hymn 561

\* 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 auide 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.

"Prelude in F" J. S. Bach \* Postlude

> Altar flowers are presented by Colleen Campbell, in loving memory of parents Hélen and Cotty Cottrell as this would have been their 80th wedding anniversary.

Pulpit flowers are presented by Lynn Proegler in memory of John Proegler, husband, father, grandfather.

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