

Mentor United Methodist Church



September 19, 2021
9 AM and 11 AM Traditional Service
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING

Prelude

"Now Pray We to the Holy Spirit"
Amy Bender, organist

D. Buxtehude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul!

People: And all that is within me, bless God's holy name!

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all God's benefits.

People: The Lord forgives all our iniquity, and heals all our diseases.

Leader: The Lord redeems our lives from the pit, and crowns us with steadfast love and mercy.

People: God satisfies us with Good as long as we live so that our youth is renewed like the eagle's.

Opening Prayer

* Hymn 57

"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

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.

Anthem (9:00)

"Sonata III" from Four Church Sonatas
Tracy Paroubek, clarinet

W. A. Mozart

(11:00)

"Gonna Sit Down and Rest Awhile"
Chancel Choir

Patti Drennan

* Congregation invited to stand if able.

Announcements

Offertory (9:00)

"Nocturne"
Tracy Paroubek, clarinet

L. Bassi

(11:00)

"Shalom"
Chancel Choir; Maria Vinas, violin

Dan Forrest

* **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 405**

"Seek Ye First"

Scripture

Philippians 4:4-7

Sermon

Recapturing Church
Recover

Rev. Sondra Snode

Time of Reflection and Prayer

* **Hymn 133**

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

* **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**

"Hope Eternal"

Edward Broughton

Altar flowers are presented by
Debi, Dale, Mallory Lewis, Jason, Tiffany, Colin and Teagan Hughes
in memory of Tyrel Lewis, son, brother, and uncle.

Pulpit flowers are presented by Glenn and Pam Schwaller
in celebration of their wedding anniversary, 40 years ago today, at MUMC.

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