Mentor United Methodist Church



February 6, 2022 9 AM and 11 AM Traditional Worship

Prelude

"Evocation on FINLANDIA" Amy Bender, organ Frederick Steffen

Rev. Sondra Snode

Welcome

Call to Worship (from Isaiah 55) One: Come, all you who are thirsty; come to the waters.

You who have no money, come, buy and eat, without money and without cost. Many: We do not want to labor in vain. We want to be fed and satisfied.

One: Come, and listen, that you may live. God offers an everlasting covenant with you. Many: We will seek the Lord while he may be found, and call on him while he is near. We will turn to the Lord, for God will freely pardon.

All: We come yearning to receive all God has to offer.

Opening Prayer

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart, and at times we have rebelled against your love. Forgive us for seeking satisfaction in things and places and people other than you. Free us from all that holds us back or interferes with us experiencing your grace. Unstop our ears and reclaim our hearts in the name of Jesus Christ, who forgives and transforms. May we know your reconciliation and love, always. Amen.

*Hymn # 103

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

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		"Inception" Inticle Bells	Jason W. Krug
	11:00	"Be Thou My Vision"	arr. Mark Hayes

Chancel Choir

Announcements

* Congregation invited to stand if able.

Offertory	9:00 "Contemplation"	Cynthia Dobrinski
	Canticle Bells	

11:00 "Amazing Grace" arr. Marianne Forman Chancel Choir

* 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 # 354 "I Surrender All"

Scripture from Habukkuk 1

Sermon Choosing a Shape: Justice or Injustice

Holy Communion

* Hymn # 77 "How Great Thou Art"

* 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.

* Postlude

"Praise Everlasting"

David Paxton

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