

### Choral Benediction

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

"Toccata in F Major"

D. Buxtehude

Altar flowers are presented by the Scott Palmer family  
in loving memory of our nephew Brendon Toki.

Pulpit flowers are presented by Cheryl Iacofano  
in memory of Robert and Shirley Gockel,  
parents, grandparents, and great-grandparents.

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.

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## Mentor United Methodist Church

February 23, 2020

Transfiguration Sunday

The liturgical color is white, signifying the purity,  
holiness and virtue of Christ, as well as  
respect and reverence.

Presiding today is Rev. Edgar Brady,  
Western Reserve District Superintendent.

### GATHERING

**Prelude** "Prelude and Fugue in C Major"  
J. S. Bach  
Amy Bender, organist

### Lighting of the Candles Presentation of God's Holy Word

Hailey Ambrus and Leland Kranz  
Acolytes (11:00)

Please sign and pass the attendance pad that you  
find at the end of each pew.  
If you are joining us for the first time today, please  
complete the blue sheet.

### Welcome and Announcements

### Sharing Joys and Concerns

Rev. Beverly Wrobel, Liturgist

**\* Call to Worship**

(from Psalm 99)

The Lord is king; let the people tremble!  
God is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!  
The Lord is great in Zion; God is exalted over all the peoples.  
Let us praise God's great and awesome name.  
Let us extol the Lord our God and worship at His footstool.

**\* Opening Prayer** (unison)

**God of grace and mercy,**  
**before his death, your Son went to the mountaintop**  
**and revealed his glory.**  
**Prophets witnessed to him and you proclaimed him your Son.**  
**Help us face life with courage, knowing that all things,**  
**even death, are subject to your transforming power.**  
**In the life-giving name of Christ, we pray. Amen.**

**\* Opening Hymn 73**

“O Worship the King”

LYONS

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

**Special Music**

9:00 Charter Members “I Know I Been Changed”  
Traditional Spiritual/ arr. Roy L. Belfield, Jr.  
11:00 Chancel Choir “Hallelujah! Thine the Glory” Mary McDonald

**Morning 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.**

**Presentation of Our Tithes and Gifts**

**Offertory**

9:00 “Sometimes I Hear God's Music” Joseph M. Martin  
11:00 “The Prayer with Lead Us, Lord” arr. Tom Fettke

**\* Doxology**

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**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 347**

“Spirit Song”

SPIRIT SONG

**Scripture Reading**

Luke 9:28 - 36

New Testament page 733

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

“One Shining Moment”

Rev. Edgar Brady

**SENDING FORTH**

**\* Hymn 396**

“O Jesus, I Have Promised”

ANGEL'S STORY

**\* Pastoral Benediction**

*\* Members of the congregation stand if able.*

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