

Mentor United

March 20th, 2022



9 AM & 11 AM Traditional Worship
Methodist Church

Prelude

"Prelude in d minor"
Amy Bender, organ

J.S. Bach

Welcome

Rev. Sondra Snode

Call to Worship

One: Tell me, where will you turn when you're caught by temptation?

Many: We will call upon the Lord!

One: Tell me, what will you do when people deceive you and put you down?

Many: We will call upon the Lord!

One: Tell me, how will you make it when pain and heartache bends you and bows you?

Many: We will call upon the Lord!

One: Tell me, how will you feel when you come out of the wilderness leaning on the Lord?

Many: Our souls will be happy! We will shout all day. The Lord God, mighty in power, will bring us out!

All: Whether we have come out of the wilderness or still find ourselves in the midst of it, we will lean on the Lord. For all of our help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth! We praise God whose steadfast love endures forever.

Sherrie Dobbs Johnson

Opening Prayer

Loving and Gracious God, tender one to all who call upon you with repentant and believing hearts: bless us, we pray, with your presence this day. Inspire those who seek your wisdom, energize those who are exhausted, comfort those who grieve, and strengthen those who are weak. We ask, O God, that you would fill all of our hearts with your praise and lead us in holiness and righteousness in this hour and in the hours to come. We ask it in Jesus' name. Amen.

*Hymn # 133

"Leaning On the Everlasting Arms"

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 "Who Will Be a Witness?" Traditional Spiritual/arr. Donald Moore

Charter Members Men's Choir

11:00 "Steal Away" Traditional/arr. Ruth Elaine Schram

Chancel Choir

* Congregation invited to stand if able.

Announcements

Offertory 9:00 "Sinner Man" Traditional/arr. Roger Emerson
Charter Members Men's Choir
11:00 "We Are Not Alone" Pepper Choplin
Chancel Choir

* Doxology # 95

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

* Prayer of Dedication

* **Hymn of Preparation #269** "Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"

Scripture Matthew 4: 5 - 11

Sermon A Time of Repentance Rev. Edgar Brady

* **Hymn # 534** "Be Still, My Soul"

* 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** "Toccata in e minor" J. Pachelbel

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