



MENTOR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



MAY 22ND, 2022
9 & 11 AM TRADITIONAL

Prelude "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" Max Drischer
Amy Bender, organ

Welcome Rev. Mikayla Doecker

Call to Worship
One: Our God is a God of power and strength!
Many: God has created each of us with tender care.
One: Our God is a God of majesty and awe!
Many: God walks with each of us every step of the way.
One: Our God is a God of glory and wonder!
Many: God loves each of us with tenderness and passion.
One: Our God calls us each by name.
Many: God calls each of us to unite in worship together!
(Courtesy of Ministry Matters)

Opening Prayer
Lord, we pray not for tranquility, nor that our tribulations may cease; we pray for thy spirit and thy love, that thou grant us strength and grace to overcome adversity; through Jesus Christ. Amen.
(Courtesy of The United Methodist Hymnal, #531)

***Hymn #139** "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

Time of Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Worship through Music 9:00 "Aria Grazioso" W.A. Mozart/arr. Harry R. Gee
Tracy Paroubek, clarinet

Anthem 11:00 "Holy, Lord of Hosts" Maxcine W. Posegate
Chancel Choir

Announcements & Offering Emphasis

Offertory 9:00 "Spring Soliloquy" Richard E. Brown

11:00 "Come to Me" Dan Forrest
Chancel Choir; Larry Fram, soloist

* Congregation invited to stand if able.

*** Doxology #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 #500** "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"

Scripture Isaiah 43: 1 - 13

Sermon Claiming Beloved

Rev. Mikayla Doepker

***Hymn #526** "What a Friend We Have In Jesus"

***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.**

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Postlude

"Postludium"

Gordon Young



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