

**\* 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** "Prelude in F" J.S. Bach

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

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

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# *Mentor United Methodist Church*

September 15, 2019  
Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

The liturgical color is green, signifying life and growth  
in the Christian church.

## **GATHERING**

**Prelude** "Canon in D" J. Pachelbel  
Amy Bender, organist

## **Lighting of the Candles**

## **Presentation of God's Holy Word**

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**

**\* Call to Worship**

Rev. Beverly Wrobel, Liturgist

Leader: God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.

**People: We will quiet ourselves to receive God's power.**

Leader: God is in the midst of the city;  
the Lord Almighty is here among us.

**People: We will quiet ourselves to know God's presence!**

Leader: The glorious works of the Lord are visible; God is at work among us. Let us quiet ourselves and worship Him.

**People: We quiet ourselves and come to worship God.**

**\* Prayer** (unison)

**Lord, we rejoice in You. We pray that our time of worship will be filled with an awareness of Your truth and love. As we quiet ourselves before You, speak to us; reveal Yourself to us. We want to know and love You more. We come ready to receive all You have to offer us. O Come, Lord Jesus. Amen.**

**\* Opening Hymn 545** "The Church's One Foundation" AURELIA

**Anthem**

9:00 "I Will Call Upon the Lord"  
Charter Members

11:00 "O Sing to the Lord A New Song!" Lloyd Larsen  
Chancel Choir

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

**Sharing Joys and Concerns**

**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 "Give Us A Song"  
Charter Members

11:00 "The Meditations of My Heart" Elaine Hagenberg  
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 171** "There's Something About That Name"  
THAT NAME

**Scripture Reading** New Testament page 694 Matthew 16:13-20  
Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon** Lessons from *Jesus Christ Superstar* Rev. Sondra Snode

**SENDING FORTH**

**\* Hymn 715** "Rejoice, The Lord is King" DARWALL'S 148th