BETHESDA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

8:30 a.m. Sunday 23 June 2024 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

ENTRANCE

(To help us connect, please sign the attendance pad in your pew) Lighting of candles and prelude

Praise choruses: 2084 "Come, Let Us with Our Lord Arise"

2216 "When We Are Called to Sing Your Praise"

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Prayer for listening hearts and minds: 600 "Wonderful Words of

Life" (verse 1 only)

First lesson: 1 Samuel 17:1a, 4-11, 32-49

Psalter: (Insert: Alternate leader and people) Psalm 9:9-20

Second lesson: 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Song: 513 "Soldiers of Christ, Arise"

Gospel lesson: Mark 4:35-41

Sermon

Joys, concerns, prayers

<u>THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION (Page 15ff</u> (All are welcome))

SENDING FORTH

Song: 509 "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me"

Closing prayer: The Apostolic Blessing 669

Postlude and extinguishing of candles

Going forth

"The church must be reminded that it is not the master or the servant of the state, but rather the conscience of the state."

Martin Luther King, Jr.