

**BETHESDA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**8:30 a.m. Sunday 27 March 2022**

**Fourth Sunday in Lent/UMCOR Sunday**

**ENTRANCE**

*(To help us connect, please sign the attendance pad in your pew)*

Lighting of candles and prelude

Opening prayer: 446 "Serving the Poor"

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

Prayer for open hearts: 268 "Lent"

First lesson: Joshua 5:9-12

Psalter: 766: Psalm 32

Second lesson: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21

Song: 439 (*Tune:73*) "We Utter Our Cry"

Gospel lesson: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

Sermon: "*Coming home*"

Joys, concerns, prayers: 639 "Bread and Justice"

**THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION (Page 15ff)**

**All are welcome**

**SENDING FORTH**

Song: 348 "Softly and Tenderly"

Blessing: 349 "Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus"

Postlude and extinguishing of candles/Going forth