

**BETHESDA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**8:30 a.m. Sunday 12 June 2022**

**Trinity Sunday/Peace with Justice Sunday\*\***

**ENTRANCE**

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

Lighting of candles and prelude

Praise choruses: 2008 "Let All Things Now Living"

2009 "O God Beyond All Praising"

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

Prayer for listening hearts and minds: 79 *(Verse 4 only)*

"Holy God, We Praise Thy Name"

First lesson: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Psalter: 743 *(Response 1)* Psalm 8

Second lesson: Romans 5:1-5

Song: 85 "We Believe in One True God"

Gospel lesson: 16:12-16

Sermon: "Patience"

Joys, concerns, prayers

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

**All are welcome**

**SENDING FORTH**

Song: 92 "For the Beauty of the Earth"

Closing prayer: Peace with Justice Sunday Prayer (See below)

Postlude and extinguishing of candles/Going Forth

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**PEACE WITH JUSTICE SUNDAY\*\***

*(Observed the first Sunday after Pentecost, this day witnesses to God's demand for a faithful, just, disarmed, and secure world)*

Prayer:

For self-righteousness that will not compromise,  
and from selfishness that gains by the oppression of others,

**O Lord, deliver us.**

From the lust for money or power that drives to kill, **R**

From trusting in the weapon of war,  
and mistrusting the councils of peace, **R**

From hearing, believing, and speaking lies about other nations, **R**

From suspicions and fears that stand in the way of reconciliation,  
**R**

From words and deeds that encourage discord, prejudice and  
hatred;

From everything that prevents us from fulfilling your promise of  
peace, **R**

**Amen.** *U.S.A., 20<sup>th</sup> Cent., alt.)*

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