

**BETHESDA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**8:30 a.m. Sunday 8 September 2024**

**Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**ENTRANCE**

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

Lighting of candles and prelude

Praise choruses: 2087 "We Will Glorify the King of Kings"

2175 "Together We Serve"

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

Prayer for Illumination : Page 6

First lesson: Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23

Psalter: *(Insert: Alternate leader and people)* Psalm 125

Second lesson: James 2:1-17

Song: 57 "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Gospel: Mark 7:24-37

Sermon

Joys, concerns, prayers

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

**All are welcome**

**SENDING FORTH**

Song: 375 "There Is a Balm in Gilead"

Dismissal with Blessing Page 11

Postlude and extinguishing of candles/Going forth