

BETHESDA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

10:30 a.m. Sunday 13 October 2024

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

ENTRANCE

Prelude/Lighting of Candles

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

*Canticle of Redemption *(De Profundis)* 516

*Praise choruses: Eight Hymns in Eight Minutes

*Opening Prayer: 597 "For the Spirit of Truth"

*Opening Hymn: 400 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Prayer for Illumination: Page 6

First lesson: Job 23:1-9, 16-17

Psalter: *(Insert, alternate leader and people)* Psalm 22:1-15

Second lesson: Hebrews 4:12-16

*Hymn of Preparation: 2050 "Mothering God,
You Gave Me Birth"

*Gospel: Mark 10:17-31

Sermon

Affirmation of Faith: 887 "Affirmation from Romans 8:35, 37-39"

Joys, concerns, prayers

*The Peace: Let us offer one another
signs of reconciliation and love.

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The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

THANKSGIVING

Invitation: As forgiven and reconciled people,
let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God

Offering/Offerory

*Doxology: 95 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*Prayer of Thanksgiving**:

Lord of Lords, Creator of all things,
God over all gods, God of sun and rain,
you created the earth with a thought
and us with your breath.

Your praise rises in us like the great river.

Lord of lords, Creator, Provider,

we thank you in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

(Fritz Pawelzik, West Africa, 20th Cent., Alt.)

*The Lord's Prayer: 895

SENDING FORTH

*Closing Hymn: 399 "Take My Life, and Let It Be"

*Blessing**:

The Lord bless you and keep you;
(Women): **the Lord make his face to shine upon you,
and be gracious to you;**

(Men): **the Lord lift up his countenance upon you,
and give you peace.**

(All): **Amen.** *(Numbers 6:24-26)*

*Extinguishing of Candles and Postlude/Going Forth

*Indicates the people standing, if able and willing

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