

ORDER OF WORSHIP
August 8 2021
11th Sunday After Pentecost

**Indicates the congregation stand if able*

Invitation to Centering Chuck Kestle

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Welcoming the Christ Light Acolytes

***Call To Worship** (responsively)

Oh GOD, our GOD. You are our GOD

We praise you now and forevermore.

We seek you in the brightness of the morning,

We yearn for you in the clouds of the day,

May we walk in the way that leads to life eternal,

May we live lives that become the Gospel,

Show us your love, your mercy and your grace.

You are our GOD now and forevermore.

***Opening Hymn** #117 UMH

“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”

Young Theologians Jill Graff

***Sharing the Peace of Christ**

Morning Prayer Chuck Kestle

Special Music “Homeward Bound”

Arranged: Jay Althouse

Singing: Janet Fletcher-Rich and Arlene Timmer

Accompanied: Carol Brown

Joys and Concerns

Prayer Hymn #2193 TFWS
“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

Pastoral Prayer
Silent Prayer
Lord’s Prayer #895 UMH

***Doxology** #94 UMH
“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

***Offertory Prayer**

Scripture Lesson Shirley O’Neil
Luke 16:19-31 NIV

Message Chuck Kestle
“The Rich Man and Lazarus”

Hymn of Preparation #628UMH
“Eat This Bread”

Holy Communion
*United Methodists practice “open communion”
where everyone is welcome to receive. Everyone!*

Hymn of Benediction #328 UMH
“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”

***Benediction** (Responsively)
Do all the good you can.
By all the means you can.
In all the places you can.
At all the times you can.
With all the people you can.
As long as ever you can.
Amen.
Amen.

Postlude