



Faith United Methodist Church

6810 Montrose Road, Rockville, Maryland 20852

August 7, 2022

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

WE GATHER

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOME

Bill Jones, Liturgist

- Interfaith Works is gearing up for their back-to-school backpack and school supplies program. Tomorrow is your last chance to contribute! To participate, fill a new backpack with requested school supplies (refer to the list in the bulletin or in Friday's *What's Working at Faith*). A collection box will be available outside the church office and our worship welcome table today. There is also an opportunity to make a financial donation directly to Interfaith Works using the link in Friday's *What's Working at Faith*. More information can be found in your bulletin.
- Our "Blessing Box" was installed in 2020 outside the entrance by the church office for shelf-stable food items and toiletries. Anyone can add items and take items. Lately, it has been getting a lot of use and we hope to keep it full for those in need. We welcome food and toiletry contributions. You may place items directly in the Blessing Box or drop them off at the church office if you find it full.

PRELUDE

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Arr.: Fred Bock (1939-1998)

Yeri So, Pianist

CENTERING

Janice Harmon, Director of Care, Connection and Inter-Gen Nurture

HYMN #529

How Firm a Foundation

Words: "K" in *Rippons Selection of Hymns*, 1787

Music: Early USA melody, harmony from *Tabor*, 1866

Yeri So, Pianist

WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Bill Jones, Liturgist

SCRIPTURE

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Luke 4:16-30

MESSAGE: "We Don't Talk About Bruno..."

Rev. Dr. Laura Norvell

WONDER

SPECIAL MUSIC

When I Think Upon Thy Goodness

Composer: Joseph Haydn, Ed. Richard D. Row

Music: R.D. Row Music Company, Boston, MA (1959)

Dr. Michael Wu, Baritone

Yeri So, Pianist

OFFERING

WHAT NOW?

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

(Invitation to pass the peace, prepare the elements)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

LORD'S PRAYER

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

WHAT NOW?

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Laura Norvell

HYMN #519

Lift Every Voice and Sing

Words: James Weldon Johnson, 1921

Music: J. Rosamond Johnson, 1921

Yeri So, Pianist

SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Arr.: Bernadine Johnson (b. 1951)

Yeri So, Pianist

ALTAR FLOWERS: The altar flowers are given by Hank and Teresa Meadows in memory of their cousin, Jo Adair.

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