

We Go Forth into the World

*Into the World Song

"Forth in Thy Name, O Lord"

438 UMH

* Benediction

*Into the World Music

"The Church's One Foundation"

Bethany Perkins

**Please stand if you are able*

Reflections for the Week...

- † What do I treat as a "temple" in my life?
- † How do I treat that "temple", with honor and great care or with indifference and disdain?
- † How is God "creating anew" in my life?
- † Of what am I afraid?

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Morning Worship
November 13, 2016
26th Sunday after Pentecost

We Gather In God's Spirit

Gathering Music

"Sonata in F" by Scarlatti

Bethany Perkins

Welcome - Announcements and Passing the Peace

Introit

"Behold a Broken World"

THUMC Choir

Please be still in God's Presence

***Call to Worship** UM BOW 453

Sing praises to God, O you saints,
and give thanks to God's holy name!

We exalt you, O God, for you have restored us to life!

We may cry through the night, but your joy comes with the morning.

You hear us, O God, and you are gracious in our distress.

You turn our mourning into dancing!

Our souls cannot be silent!

O God, our Savior, we give thanks to you for ever!

(JANN C. WEAVER, U.S.A., 20TH CENT.)

*** Hymn**

"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"

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Morning Prayer UM BOW 460

O God, our Guide and Guardian,

you have led us apart from the busy world into the quiet of your house.

Grant us grace to worship you in Spirit and in truth,

to the comfort of our souls

and the up building of every good purpose and holy desire.

**Enable us to do more perfectly the work to which you have called us,
that we may not fear the coming of night,
when we shall resign into your hands
the tasks which you have committed to us.**

**So may we worship you not with our lips at this hour,
but in word and deed all the days of our lives;
through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

(THE BOOK OF WORSHIP 1965, ALT.)

We Listen for God's Word

Time with Our Children and Youth

Rev. Ami Sawtelle

The Lord's Prayer

Anthem

"In the Garden"

THUMC Choir

Prayer for Illumination

**Open our eyes, that we may see the beauty of your presence among us Lord.
Open our ears, that we may hear your message of hope, even in the darkest of days.
Open our hearts, that we may welcome you into our inner most being, that together we
may greet the future in truth and in grace. Amen.**

(ARS 2016)

Scripture for Today

Isaiah 65:17-25

Rev. Ami Sawtelle

Luke 21:5-19

Nancy Horton

A Message for Us Today

Rev. Ami Sawtelle

Song of Response

"The First Song of Isaiah"

#2030 TFWS

Prayers of the People

Giving Thanks

Offertory:

Won Park and the Tenors and Basses

***Doxology and Prayer of Dedication**