

Fifth Sunday After Pentecost July 10, 2022

National United Methodist Church

Metropolitan Memorial Campus 3401 Nebraska Ave NW Wesley Campus 5312 Connecticut Ave NW Washington, DC

METROPOLITAN MEMORIAL 9 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

The * invites participants to stand as we are able.

PRELUDE I'll Walk With God

7 Jankins Nevin Bender, Piano, Larry L. Boggs Jr., Baritone

(Insert)

Nicholas Brodszky, arr. Neil Jenkins

WELCOME and CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Janet Craswell

Sovereign God Of Every Creature

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

Rev. Janet Craswell

Young people are encouraged to gather on the chancel steps.

SCRIPTURE READING

*OPENING HYMN

Deuteronomy 30:1-16

Rev. Dr. Rachel Livingston

SPECIAL MUSIC

If With All Your Hearts
Felix Mendelssonh

Robb Saffell, Tenor

SERMON

Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

HYMN OF RESPONSE

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

UMH #474

PRAYER OF THE DAY and LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Rachel Livington

*CLOSING HYMN

Forward Through The Ages

UMH #555

* BENEDICTION and CALL TO ACTION

Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

POSTLUDE

Finale In D Major
Jacques-Nicolas Lemmens

Bruce Caviness, Organ

METROPOLITAN MEMORIAL 11AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

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PRELUDEPréambuleBruce Caviness, Organ

Louis Vierne

*OPENING HYMN God of Beauty, Truth, and Grace

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

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DUET Now We Are Ambassadors from SAINT PAUL Robb Saffell, Tenor

Felix Mendelssohn Larry L. Boggs Jr, Baritone

SCRIPTURE READING Deuteronomy 30:1-16 Nancy Goddard

SERMON Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

SOLO If With All Your Hearts From Elijah Robb Saffell, Tenor

Felix Mendelssohn

PRAYER OF THE DAY and LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN Sovereign God of Every Creature (Insert)

*BENEDICTION and CALL TO ACTION Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

POSTLUDE Finale In D Major Bruce Caviness, Organ

Jacques-Nicolas Lemmens

WESLEY 11 AM GLOBAL PRAISE

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PRELUDE Come on in this House Paula Pree, Mike Wheaton

WELCOME Rita Guenther

LITANY of WELCOME Paula Pree, Lay Member of Baltimore/Washington Annual Conference

Dear friends, today we welcome the Reverend Doctor Rachel B. Livingston, who has been appointed to serve as Associate Pastor at National UMC.

We believe that she is well qualified and has been prayerfully appointed by our bishop, LaTrelle Miller Easterling.

Leader to elder: Pastor Rachel, you have been sent to live among us as a bearer of the Word of God; a minister of the Sacraments; and a sustainer of the love, order, service and discipleship of the people of God.

Leader to congregation: Brothers and sisters in Christ, as a people committed to participate in the ministries of the Church by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, and your service, will you who celebrate this new beginning support and uphold the Rev. Dr. Livingston in these ministries?

Congregation: We reaffirm our commitment to support you with our prayers, presence, gifts, service and witness.

Leader: How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger.

SONG TO HEAR Woke Up This Morning TFWS #2082

ANNOUNCEMENTS and *PASSING OF THE PEACE

Paula Pree

Wesley Choir

PRAYER'S OF THE PEOPLE and LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Rachel Livingston

SPECIAL MUSIC The Old Landmark

W. Herbert Brewster

SCRIPTURE Philippians 1:20-30

Laura Harper Powell

We Are One In The Spirit TFWS #2223 *HYMN

Rev. Dr. Rachel Livingston

*HYMN All I Need Is You TFWS #2080

*PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

SERMON

Laura Harper Powell

Work through us and our gifts Lord, so what comes to us as seed, goes forth as flower. And what comes to us as flower, goes forth as fruit.

* BENEDICTION and CALL TO ACTION

Rev. Dr. Rachel Livingston

Si Tuvieras Fe * POSTLUDE Mike Wheaton, Piano

NATIONAL UMC is a RECONCILING CONGREGATION. That Means...

We celebrate God's gift of diversity and value the wholeness made possible in community equally shared and shepherded by all.

We welcome and affirm people of every gender identity, gender expression, and sexual orientation, who are also of every age, race, ethnicity, physical and mental ability, level of education, and family structure, and of every economic, immigration, marital, and social status, and so much more.

We acknowledge that we live in a world of profound social, economic, and political inequities.

As followers of Jesus, we commit ourselves to the pursuit of justice and pledge to stand in solidarity with all who are marginalized and oppressed.

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