

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF HUDSON  
Making Disciples of Jesus Christ  
19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

October 20, 2019 Pastor Audrey Westendorf Young

Welcome visitors and guests!

Please read **bold** print aloud and stand at \* as you are able.

Kindly silence cell phones.

If you have a Prayer Request, please take a moment to complete the green card and place it in the offering plate

MUSIC FOR GATHERING

Melissa Boeschen

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT AND CROSS OF CHRIST

WELCOME

Pastor Audrey

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Audrey

One: God created the heavens, star-spattered with beauty, and the earth, teeming with life.

**All: And God set us on the Earth, alive and wide-eyed, able to see and hear, feel and taste life's beauty, able to dream and plan, create and build out of the richness of the earth.**

**Singing: Lord of all to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise!**

One: God gave us families to love us, teachers to teach us, elders to guide us, and leaders to inspire us.

**All: God gave us His Son to save us from the path of destruction and sin, and to be a strengthening presence in our trials and temptations.**

**Singing: Lord of all to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise!**

One: Every good thing that fills our souls with gladness and our lives with light is a gift from God. We have been entrusted with immeasurable riches.

**All: For this, let us come before God in thanksgiving and grateful praise.**

**Singing: Lord of all to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise!**

\*FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

#92 (1,2,3) UMH

READING from the Prophet JOEL 2:21-24, 26 NIV

Reader

Do not be afraid, land of Judah; be glad and rejoice. Surely the Lord has done great things! Do not be afraid you wild animals, for the pastures in the wilderness are becoming green. The trees are bearing their fruit; the fig tree and the vine yield their riches. Be glad, people of Zion, rejoice in the Lord your God, for he has given you the autumn rains because he is faithful. He sends you abundant showers, both autumn and spring rains, as before. The threshing floors will be filled with grain; the vats will overflow with new wine and oil. You will have plenty to eat, until you are full, and you will praise the name of the Lord your God, who has worked wonders for you; never again will my people be shamed.

FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

#92 (4,5,6) UMH

CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Audrey

JOYS, CONCERNS, & ANNOUNCEMENTS

VETERANS DAY TRAILER

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

#895 UMH

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

\*THE APOSTLES' CREED

#881 UMH

Reader

\*GLORIA PATRI

#70 UMH

Genesis 1:1-2, 26 NIV

Reader

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters. Then God said, "Let US make mankind in OUR image, in OUR likeness.

