

16TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

RINGING OF THE BELL

GATHERING

(Please take a moment to sign the attendance pad and pass it on to your neighbor)

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE: (UMH #648) *God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian;* R. Prichard/R. Hillart

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

FIRST READING James 2:1-17 N.T. page 215

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: THE APOSTLES' CREED**

***OPENING HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #548** *In Christ There Is No East or West*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Heather Connor

ANTHEM **8:30** "By the Mark"
Matt and Becky Goude-lock, duet

11:00 "Psalm of Praise"
LUMC Chancel Choir Jerry Cauley

COMMUNITY PRAYER CONCERNS

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

OFFERTORY: (UMH #586) *Let My People Seek Their Freedom;* T.J. Williams

***THE DOXOLOGY UMH #95**

***HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #454** *Open My Eyes, That I May See*

***A LESSON FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT** Mark 7:24-37 N.T. page 40

***GLORIA PATRI #71**

WITNESS TO THE WORD "Be Opened" Rev. Mack McDowell

***CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #147** *All Things Bright and Beautiful*

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

POSTLUDE: (UMH #671) *Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing;* Methodist Hymn Book

*Please stand as you are able