

14TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
AUGUST 30, 2026

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: *The God of Abraham Praise* Hebrew melody

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

FIRST READING Romans 12:9-21 N.T. page 151

*PSALTER READING: UMH #828 Psalm 105:1-11

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: “The Apostles’ Creed” UMH 881

*OPENING HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #64 “Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty”

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Laura Henrickson

ANTHEM 8:30 “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” arr. Ruth Coleman
Pam Hayes, violin

11:00 “I Believe” Mark A. Miller
LUMC Chancel Choir

COMMUNITY PRAYER CONCERNS
THE LORD’S PRAYER #895

OFFERTORY: *Nearer, My God, to Thee* Lowell Mason

*THE DOXOLOGY UMH #95

*HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #534 “Be Still, My Soul”

*NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Matthew 16:21-28 N.T. page 17

*GLORIA PATRI #71

WITNESS “Self Denial” Rev. Mack McDowell

*CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #390 “Forgive Ours Sins as We Forgive”

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE: UMH #670 “Go Forth for God”

*Please stand as you are able