## The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost Bethlehem United Methodist Church

Mission: "To Give of ourselves so others may know Jesus Christ"

<u>September 19, 2021 8:00 & 10:30 AM</u>

PREPARATION for WORSHIP

The Prelude "Lead Us, Savior" Wilson

Welcome to Worship

Rev. Dennis Otto

(All are asked to complete the connection card. Leave it at your seat and it will be gathered after the service by members of the Hospitality Team. Thank you.)

**Gathering Song** 

"As a Fire is Meant for Burning"

(10:30)

## **WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND PRAISE**

Pastor Jane Harrison

**Call to Worship** (people read bold print)

Your decrees are wonderful, O God, therefore, I obey them with all my heart

Turn to me in mercy, as you always do to those who love your name. Let us worship God.

\*Hymn of Praise

"Go, Make of All Disciples"

No. 571

**Invocation** (People read bold in unison)

R. Pearson, p. 23

Almighty and Everlasting God, everywhere present and always at home, we call your name, not to ask that you come, but to pray that you bless us If any words spoken here, or deeds done here, are found acceptable in your sight, so empower and enable them, we ask you that they may be tools of your purpose, through Jesus, with whom we stand as we confess, first silently, sins that only you know, then joining together.

**Silent Prayer and Meditation** 

## Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

## **WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION**

**Special Music** "Go. Ye Into All the World"

E. Butler

(10:30)

Children's Time (10:30)

**The Hymn of Preparation** "Break Thou, the Bread of Life" No. 599

**The Scripture Lesson** Mark 16:15-18 Pastor Dennis Otto

Matthew 28:16-20 (in unison)

**The Sermon** "Mission Possible: GO."

**Pastor Dennis Otto** 

\*The Hymn of Dedication "Here I am, Lord" No. 593

\*Benediction

Postlude