



October 22, 2023
Traditional Worship

- Prelude** "Intermezzo, Op.118 No. 2" by Brahms
featuring Michael Coonrod, piano
- Welcome and Announcements** Rev. Joan VanDessel
- Passing the Peace** Rev. Joan VanDessel
- Call to Worship** Rob Bruendl
One: When the world is on fire, it's still tempting to walk
a comfortable path, unaware of suffering and strife.
ALL: Lead us not into temptation.
One: When fears and doubts overtake us, it's tempting
to think God doesn't care.
ALL: Lead us not into temptation.
One: When our hearts are broken, it's tempting
to believe nothing can be fixed.
**ALL: Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us to the
glorious path of hope through our Lord,
Jesus Christ.**
- Hymn** "God of Grace and God of Glory" UMH No. 577
- Blessing the Children** Rev. Joan VanDessel
- Prayer of the People** Rob Bruendl
- The Lord's Prayer** UMH No. 895
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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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.

Scripture

Job 1:8-12, Matthew 4:1-11
Leader: The Word of God for the People of God. **People: Thanks be God.**

Rob Bruendl

Sermon

Lord, Teach Us To Pray Sermon Series
"Lead Us Not"

Rev. Linda Stephan

Moment of Reflection**Invitation to Giving**

Rev. Joan VanDessel

Doxology

UMH No. 94

Praise God from whom all blessing flow; Praise God all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Prayer Over The Gifts

Rev. Joan VanDessel

Hymn

"I Need Thee Every Hour"

UMH No. 395

Benediction

Rev. Linda Stephan

Choral Benediction

"Go Out From This Place"

by Diane Clark

Postlude

"Prelude and Fugue in G minor"
featuring Candice Wallace, organ

by Johann Sebastian Bach

(You are invited to remain seated for the postlude as part of your worship experience. (If you choose to exit the sanctuary during the postlude, please do so quietly. Thank you.)

TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS:**Pastors:** Rev. Linda Stephan and Rev. Joan VanDessel**Liturgist:** Rob Bruendl**Music:** Candice Wallace, organist; Michael Coonrod, pianist;
Central's Chancel Choir, Jeffrey Cobb, director;**Welcome Desk:** Lorna Lombard**Greeters:** Sally and John Ellinger,
Jerry and Sharon Glenn**A/V Team:** Silvio Ciccone, Tom Bartlett, Ronin Wells,
Abby Ondrajka, Jim Ondrajka
Meagan Thomas Wells, production manager

Thank you
for joining us today!

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