

**Program Meeting Agenda ~ September 24, 2017 / 10:45 AM**

**Opening Prayer**

**Rev. Bill Trump**

**Unison Reading of the Covenant**

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**Moderator's Welcome**

**Nick Sgarlata**

**Reports:**

**Fellowship  
Care Board  
Deacons  
Christian Education  
Stewardship/Benevolences  
Trustees**

**\*Benediction**

Go now in peace, never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day.  
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do.  
Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see.  
God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.



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*Our Covenant*

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Sunday, September 24, 2017 - 16th Sunday after Pentecost  
10:00 AM - WORSHIP IN THE NAVE

*Please silence your cell phones.  
If you are a guest this Sunday, we would love to greet you!  
Following the service, all are welcome to the Atrium for a Coffee Fellowship.*

TOWER BELLS

THE PRELUDE      *"Trumpet Processional in G"*      David German

WELCOME AND THE GREETING OF PEACE      Rev. Bill Trump  
CHIMES

THE CALL TO WORSHIP      Rev. Dr. Barry W. Szymanski

Leader: Sing a new song to the Lord! Sing to the Lord all the world!  
**People: Sing to the Lord and praise Him; tell of His salvation from day to day.**  
Leader: Proclaim His glory to the nations, His mighty deeds to all peoples.  
**People: The Lord is great and is to be highly praised; He is to be honored more than all the gods.**  
Leader: Praise the Lord all peoples on earth; Praise His glory and might.  
**People: Praise the Lord's glorious name; bring an offering and come into His temple.**

*~ taken From Psalm 96*

\*HYMN 60      *When Morning Gilds the Skies*      LAUDES DOMINI  
verses 1,2,3 & 6

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The Congregational Home, founded as an extension of the mission of the First Congregational Church of Wauwatosa, creates and maintains a caring community for the elderly offering housing, health care and quality of life services.

President/CEO - Kris Sprtel-NHA, Chaplain - Rev. Joseph Phillips, Board Chair - Doug Jacobson

\*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION and LORD’S PRAYER (unison)

**Oh God of all power and wisdom, who shows Yourself to those who seek to live and work in Your Spirit, we ask you to guide our aims and actions that we may find Your presence in our daily work, even as in our worship. Be with us now in this time of quiet prayer and meditation, open our hearts and minds to the wonder of Your Word of love. We ask this in Christ’s name as we pray the prayer He taught us....**

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; 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 GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 558)

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.**

*Children ages 3 – 5th grade are invited to Sunday School.*

*Youth in grades 6th through 12th are invited to Pilgrim Fellowship in Youth Room 302.*

LESSON Matthew 21:28-32 Bible, pg. 899

ANTHEM *Sing Praise to God* Lloyd Pfautsch  
Dr. Patrick Dill directs the FCC Choir

THE MESSAGE “I Will Go” Rev. Trump

THE CALL TO PRAYER and TIME FOR SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER AND RESPONSE

THE OFFERTORY “*Let Heavenly Music Fill This Place*” Gordon Young

\*THE DOXOLOGY (Hymn 563)

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

\*HYMN 343 *I Am Thine, O Lord* I AM THINE

\*BENEDICTION

### Program Meeting Agenda - on the back panel

#### CARE FOR CHILDREN

A supervised nursery is available for infants and toddlers during the 10:00 AM service.

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*Today’s Chancel flowers are given in loving memory of Arleen Haas from her husband and family.*

#### Caring Corner

##### **Recovering**

**Harry Holz** – Lutheran Home

**Georgia Kletti** - rehab for knee surgery at the Congregational Home

##### **10:00 a.m. Worship Service Preview for Sunday, October 1, 2017**

Rev. Bill Trump presents the message.

Children begin in church with their families.

Dr. Patrick Dill directs the FCC Choir - Rhonda Kwiecien - organist

*Thank you for joining us today! Are you new or returning to our church? If you are interested in sharing your contact information with us, please fill out a bright yellow card (found in the racks of the pews) and either drop it in the offertory plate or give it to one of the ministers. We hope to see you soon again.*