

## ***Matawan United Methodist Church***

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### **The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost**

*You're invited to write your prayer requests on the card inside the bulletin. These will be collected by the ushers after the sermon. If you wish, include your name.*

#### **Gathering and Songs of Praise**

**"Cry of My Heart" - "Forever"**

**"Arms of My Father"**

**10:00 Call to Worship** (Projected)

**\*Hymn:** "We Gather Together" 131

**\*Opening Prayer** (Also Projected)

Sustainer of the hungry,

You long to feed Your children

until each is satisfied.

Turn our eyes to You alone,

that, aware of our deepest longings,

we will reach out with Christ

to feed others with

the miracle of Your love. Amen.

## **Prayer of Confession**

**\*Sharing the Peace:** "The Family of God"

### **Proclamation and Response**

**Children's Message:** "Miracle Bread"

**The New Testament:** Ephesians 3:14-21

**Praise:** "He Knows My Name"

**Glory Be to the Father**

**The Gospel:** John 6:1-21

**The Sermon:** "Lost in Wonder"

**Musical Interlude:** Collecting Prayer Request Cards

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Offertory:** "Mighty to Save"

**\*Doxology:** Offering Prayer

**\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer**

**\*Closing Hymn:** "How Great Thou Art" 77 vv. 1, 2, 4

**\*Response:** "The Trees of the Field"

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