



# RestStops

March 14, 2021

**HYMN #445**

*Happy the Home When God Is There*  
Vocal Ensemble — Seth Durbin, Jenna Hesseln, Patti Mangis, Michael Rees

**CHILDREN'S TIME**

Pastor Matthew Johnson, Associate Pastor BUMC

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

Pastor Wendy Witt, First UMC West Dundee

**THE LORD'S PRAYER #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.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**HYMN #395**

*Take Time to Be Holy* (Verse 4)  
Take time to be holy, be calm in thy soul,  
Each thought and each motive beneath His control.  
Thus led by His Spirit to fountains of love,  
Thou soon shalt be fitted for service above.

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

Joshua 24: 1-6, 14-18

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24 Then Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel to Shechem, and summoned the elders, the heads, the judges, and the officers of Israel; and they presented themselves before God. <sup>2</sup> And Joshua said to all the people, "Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel: Long ago your ancestors—Terah and his sons Abraham and Nahor—lived beyond the Euphrates and served other gods. <sup>3</sup> Then I took your father Abraham from beyond the River and led him through all the land of Canaan and made his offspring many. I gave him Isaac; <sup>4</sup> and to Isaac I gave Jacob and Esau. I gave Esau the hill country of Seir to possess, but Jacob and his children went down to Egypt. <sup>5</sup> Then I sent Moses and Aaron, and I plagued Egypt with what I did in its midst; and afterwards I brought you out. <sup>6</sup> When I brought your ancestors out of Egypt, you came to the sea; and the Egyptians pursued your ancestors with chariots and horsemen to the Red Sea.

<sup>14</sup>"Now therefore revere the Lord, and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness; put away the gods that your ancestors served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the Lord. <sup>15</sup> Now if you are unwilling to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."

<sup>16</sup> Then the people answered, "Far be it from us that we should forsake the Lord to serve other gods; <sup>17</sup> for it is the Lord our God who brought us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, and who did those great signs in our sight. He protected us along all the way that we went, and among all the peoples through whom we passed; <sup>18</sup> and the Lord drove out before us all the peoples, the Amorites who lived in the land. Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God."

**SERMON**

**"Covenant Renewal"**  
Pastor Chris Winkler, Senior Pastor BUMC

**ANTHEM**

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## BENEDICTION/SENDING FORTH

Pastor Chris Winkler, Senior Pastor BUMC

## POSTLUDE

*O wie selig seid ihr doch, ihr Frommen, Op. 122, No. 4*  
Michael Rees, organist

Johannes Brahms

### MUSICIANS:

Organist--Michael Rees

Ensemble--Seth Durbin, Jenna Hessel, Patti Mangis, Michael Rees

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