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Mantua Center Christian Church
Open Minds, Open Hearts, Open Arms
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If you choose to attend in person, please be aware of the following:

- Please use your discretion on **masking, handshakes, and hugs as each person feels comfortable.** Thank you for your patience, prayers, and feedback.
- This worship service is being live streamed. If you have any concern about you or your child being live on YouTube, please stay behind the 5th row of pews.
- The nursery has been cleaned and sanitized and is available if needed for your children.
There are also coloring sheets at the entrance of the church.
- **After the Children's Moment, all kids through 4th grade are welcome to attend Sunday School class which will run until the end of worship.**
- We have resumed the passing of communion. If you prefer, we have sealed "personal" communion cups available at the entrance. Offering baskets will be passed around the sanctuary at the start of the "Invitation to Generosity" during worship. (You may also *Give Online* at: mantuacentercc.org).

INVITATION TO GENEROSITY

Invitation

Liz Meeker

Offertory

Music: "All to Jesus I Surrender" [by W. S. Weeden]

The Doxology

#46

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Offering Prayer

Liz Meeker

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rev. Chad Delaney

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Chad Delaney

***COMMUNION**

Meditation

MaryEllen Hamlin

Communion Hymn

"Bread of the World"

#387, v.1

1 Bread of the world in mercy broken,
wine of the soul in mercy shed,
by whom the words of life were spoken,
and in whose death our sins are dead:

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

MaryEllen Hamlin

Words of Institution

Rev. Chad Delaney

Music: "More Love to Thee, O Christ" [by W. H. Doane]

SCRIPTURE

Judges 4:1-9

SERMON

"If You Go With Me"

Rev. Chad Delaney

***CLOSING HYMN**

"Ours the Journey"

#458, v. 1-4

1. In the midst of new dimensions, in the face of changing ways,
who will lead the pilgrim peoples wandering their sep'rate ways?

(Refrain)

**God of rainbow, fiery pillar, leading where the eagles soar,
we your people, ours the journey now and evermore.**

2. Through the flood of starving peoples, warring factions and despair,
who will lift the olive branches? Who will light the flame of care? **(Refrain)**

3. Though we reach the highest heavens, holding worlds at your command,
we are yet a desert people searching for the promised land. **(Refrain)**

4. Should the threats of dire predictions cause us to withdraw in pain,
may your blazing phoenix spirit resurrect the church again. **(Refrain)**

BENEDICTION

Rev. Chad Delaney

POSTLUDE

“My Hope is Built on Nothing Less”
[by W. B. Bradbury]

Sarah Park

*Thank you for joining us at
Mantua Center Christian Church.*

- **All are welcome to join in any of our Sunday classes following worship:**
 - (1) **“Seeking Enlightenment” led by Rev. Nancy Humes,**
 - (2) **“Life 101” led by Carol Buzbee**
 - (3) **Sunday School for grades 5th-12 led by Rev. Chad Delaney.**