

UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST  
East Avenue and Dillon St. Baltimore, Md.  
The Rev. W. Scott Hengen III - Pastor  
Mr. Robert Gundlach Director of Music  
Sunday, August 16, 1981

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers

Prelude: "Holy, Holy, Holy" Post

\*Processional Hymn 1

\*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 92:1-3 (p.529)

\*Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin

Pastor: Rejoice in the Lord, for praise to

God is right and good for the People of God.

People: Praise the Lord. Praise the Lord with trumpets and organ. Praise the Lord with songs and hymns. Praise the Lord.

Pastor: By the word of the Lord were the heavens made; and all the hosts of heaven by the breath of His mouth.

People: Let all the earth fear the Lord. Let all the people of the world stand in awe of the God of our salvation.

Pastor: The counsel of the Lord stands forever the thoughts of God's heart unto all generations.

People: Blessed is the people whose God is the Lord. Blessed are those chosen for God's own inheritance.

Pastor: Let us come before God also with confession on our lips. Let us ask for forgiveness for our shortcomings.

All: Forgive us, O God, for the frictions of sin that lessen the powers of life. Pardon us for the shortsightedness that will not look ahead, for the nearsightedness that cannot see Thee close at hand; and for the unfocused pictures that blur the outlines of divine reality. Bring mercy and peace to us, for we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Pastor: Lord, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Christ, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Christ, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Lord, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Hear the promises of God: "Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find. knock, and it will be opened to you." If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins. I announce therefore in the name of Jesus Christ, that we are forgiven.

Praise Versicle (No. 517)

Pastor: O Lord, open our lips.

People Sing: And our mouths shall show forth Thy praise.

Hymn

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Sacrament of Holy Baptism (10:30 a.m.)

Collect and The Holy Scriptures:

Old Testament: 1 Kings 3:5-12 (p.301)

Epistle: Rom. 8:26-30 (p.149)

\*Gloria Tibi #497

\*Gospel: Matthew 13:44-52 (p. 19)

\*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "God's Effective Help For Good" -

Supply Pastor-The Rev. Dr. Ralph E. Weisser

\*Apostles Creed (8:00 a.m.)

\*Statement of Faith (Front of Hymnal) (10:30)

Hymn

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Announcements and Moments of Concern

Collection of Attendance Cards (Pass to Center Aisle)

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "Old Hundred" Pachelbel

\*Dedication of Offerings and Doxology

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. - "The Lord Is My Shepherd" -

Jackie Bond, Dolores Canoles, Florence Gundlach

10:30 a.m. - Solo - Mrs. Dolores Canoles

Morning Prayers, Lord's Prayer and Prayer  
Response

\*Benediction and Threcfold Amen

\*Recessional Hymn

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Silence and Meditation

Postlude: "Now Thank We All OUR God"

\*Congregation Standing

\*\*Please sign Attendance Cards

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome today, the Rev. Dr. Ralph E.  
Weisser and Mrs. Weisser.

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism will be admin-  
istered today at the 10:30 am Worship Service  
to Brett Allen Dillon, born May 28, 1981.

HOSPITALS:

Mrs. Margaret Craig - Md. General - Room 338  
When you are admitted to or released from the  
hospital please call the Church Office.

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

Today - Youth Group Home Meeting and Show  
Rehearsal, 2-6 p.m.

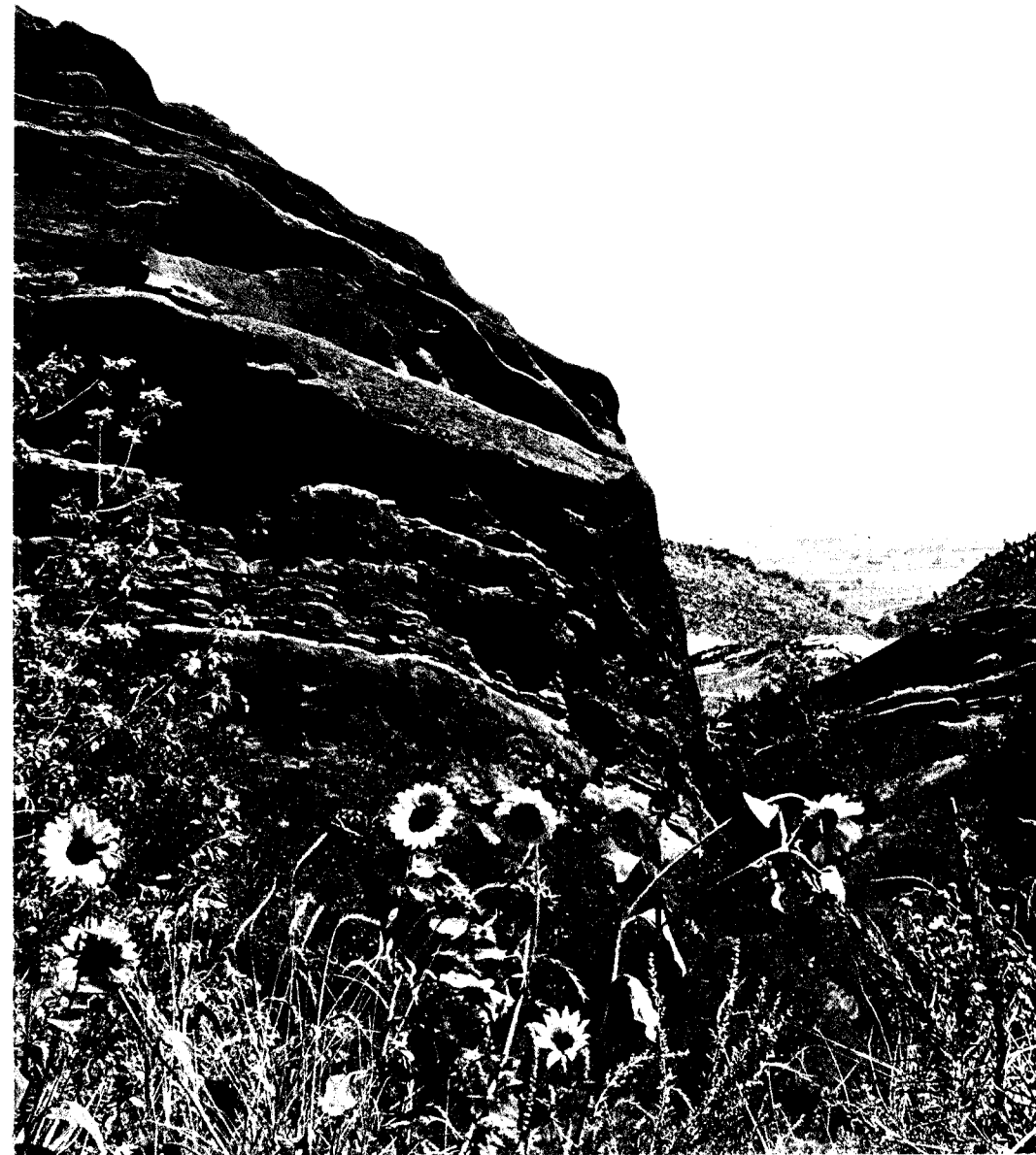
Monday- Senior Citizens, 10 a.m. - Scouts

Monday through Thursday - Youth Group Show  
Rehearsals, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday-Conway Diet, 7:30 p.m.

Friday and Saturday - Youth Group Musical  
"Oklahoma!" 7:30 p.m.

The Youth Group is presenting the musical  
Oklahoma! on Friday and Saturday of this week.  
Tickets are \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for  
children, 12 and under, if purchased prior to  
the show. Tickets will be 50¢ additional if  
purchased at the door. Refreshments will be  
sold during intermission. Tickets are avail-  
able from the Church Office.



*Full many a flower is born to blush unseen*