

Welcome to Worship at
Safe Harbor
Presbyterian Church



Third
SUNDAY
IN
LENT

Service for the Lord's Day
3rd Sunday in Lent
March 24th, 2019

The Gathering

Welcome/Announcements

† **Call to Worship:**

Leader: Through the gift of the Holy Spirit

People: God's love is poured into our hearts.

Leader: Let all who thirst come to the waters;

People: let all who are hungry come and eat.

ALL: Let us Worship God!

† **Prayer of the Day (unison):** Eternal God, your kingdom has broken into our troubled world through the life, death and resurrection of your Son. Help us to hear your word and obey it, that we may become instruments of your saving love; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

† **Hymn of Praise: #263 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"**

Prayer of Confession (unison): God of Mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We are misled by pride, for we see ourselves pure when we are stained, and great when we are small. We have failed in love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth. (Please take a moment for silent personal prayers of confession.)

Have mercy, O God, and forgive our sin. Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

(from The Book of Common Worship, PCUSA)

Assurance of Pardon

† The Sharing of the Peace

†=If able, please stand

The Word

Crown of Thorns Meditation

Special Music

Hymn of Preparation for the Word: #452 “Open the Eyes of My Heart”

Scripture: Matthew 25: 35-40

Sermon: “All Lives Matter--Another Cultural Myth”

Reverend Steven Walker

†**The Affirmation of Faith** - *The Apostle's Creed* I believe in God the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth and in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into Hell. On the third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty, from whence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Hymn of Response: #175 “Seek Ye First”

The Prayers

Call to Prayer: #698 “Take, O Take Me as I Am”

Take, O take me as I am;
summon out what I shall be;
set your seal upon my heart and live in me.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer:

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.

Response to Prayer: #710 “We Are an Offering”

The Offering

† The Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

The Sending

† **Hymn of Parting: #187 “Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”**

† Charge and Benediction

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Welcome

We are so delighted that you have worshipped with us today! If you are a guest, we are doubly blessed by your presence. We will pray for you this week. Please stay for a moment for refreshments so that we can get to know you.

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Cyndi Culp

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Caroline Johnson

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Tom and Lana Cochrun

Patti and Donavan Ropp

Monty and Julia Rice

Michelle Costa and Jeff Rodriguez

Don't forget Tuesday Evening Dinner Fellowship "Table Talk" 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 5:30.

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