

9:15AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

APRIL 10, 2011

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

- Seeking to be Faithful Followers of Jesus Christ in the 21st Century -

9:05AM PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Prelude *Prelude in D Minor* J.S. Bach
(Acolytes enter to light the Christ candle) (1685-1750)

Greeting and Announcements *Please sign the attendance register.*

Organ Chimes *(followed by a moment of silence to prepare our hearts for worship)*

PRAISE SONGS led by Steve and Kris McGaw -see insert

Change My Heart, O God -Espinosa

The Old Rugged Cross -Bennard

LITANY OF CONFESSION

We confess to you, O God of peace.

The personal burdens we fret about,

we confess to you, O God of peace.

The impatience and irritability we feel and take out on one another,

Instill within us your peace, O God.

When we feel overwhelmed,

instill within us your peace, O God.

When we are filled with worry,

instill within us your peace, O God.

When the guilt of our ways threatens to overcome us, help us to remember that you forgive in Christ when we confess our sin.

Grant us peace so that we may spread Christ's peace and love to others.

Amen.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

***The Gloria Patri** #579

*SHARING THE PEACE WITH ONE ANOTHER

The peace of Christ be with you always.

AND ALSO WITH YOU.

CHILDREN'S STORY *The Path to Lasting Happiness* -Puppeteers

Written by Puppet Ministry 2011

(Children may come forward and leave for Children's Church afterwards.)

*GOSPEL SCRIPTURE

This is the word of the Lord.

John 14:1-3

THANKS BE TO GOD.

(New Testament p. 108)

ANTHEM *Jesu, Word of God Incarnate* -Mozart

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 sins as we forgive those who sin 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.

THE OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

Call to the Offering and Prayer of Dedication

Offertory by Kris and Steve McGaw

***THE DOXOLOGY** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* #592

SCRIPTURE **Philippians 4:2-7**
(New Testament p. 198)

SERMON **The Courage of Faith: Philippians and John's Gospel**

Letters Written from a Prison and from the Vantage Point of the Empty Tomb

"Preaching Against Anxiety" -Pastor Larry

***HYMN** *Fairest Lord Jesus* #306

*THE BENEDICTION

*LEAVING IN JOY

Response *Irish Blessing* -Hanson

Postlude *Canzona in D Minor* J.S. Bach

**Congregation stands. If you prefer, please feel free to remain seated.*

LEADERS IN TODAY'S WORSHIP

Worship Leaders: Pastor Larry and Carole Rich

Ushers: Ralph and Yvonne Dines

Acolyte: Andrew and Eric McGaw

Puppeteers: Stefan deVilliers, Michael Fletcher, Andrew McGaw, and Eric McGaw

NEXT SUNDAY – WORSHIP AT 9:15AM

Worship Leaders: Pastor Larry and Darleen Johnson

Ushers: Sally Bastine and Katie Schmidt

Acolyte: Charlotte Nozari

Pastor Larry's Texts: Philippians 3:1-8a; John 12:12-19: The Pride of Mortals

Lectionary Readings: Matthew 21:1-11; Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29; Isaiah 50:4-9a; Matthew 26:14-27

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REDMOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
9:15AM Traditional Worship



The Courage of Faith: Philippians and John's Gospel
Letters Written from a Prison and from the Vantage Point of the Empty Tomb
“Preaching Against Anxiety”

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9:15 AM WORSHIP LEADER SHEET – APRIL 10, 2011

CALL TO CONFESSION

Dear friends in Christ, let us confess our sins before God through the litany of confession and then confess in silence as we search our own hearts in private prayer...

(Lead the litany. Then allow time after the litany – 30 seconds to 1 minute – for silent prayer. Then say “Thank you for your forgiveness. Amen”.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear the words from Psalm 32:3-5.

While I kept silence, my body wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. Then I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not hide my iniquity; I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the Lord,” and you forgave the guilt of my sin. Brothers and sisters in Christ: Hear the Good News. Our sins are forgiven through the grace of Jesus Christ.

(The congregation now sings the Gloria Patri)

SHARING PEACE WITH ONE ANOTHER

Since Christ has opened his heart to us, let us open our hearts to one another, and God will be glorified.

The peace of Christ be with you always. **AND ALSO WITH YOU.**

Please greet your neighbor with the peace of Christ.

SCRIPTURE

Let us pray in preparation for the reading and preaching of God's word: Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of Your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and Your Word is proclaimed, we may hear with joy what You say to us today. Amen.

Please stand for a reading from the gospel of John 14, verses 1-3.

(at the end of the reading say)

“This is the Word of the Lord.” **THANKS BE TO GOD.**

CALL TO THE OFFERING AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

God continues to bless us. Let us acknowledge the source of our abundance by returning a portion of what we have been given for the work of God's kingdom.

(Please follow this introduction with the prayer)

What do we have, O God, that does not come from your generosity and goodness? Use these offerings of our gratitude given for your work in this church and in the world. Amen.

(If you wish you may offer your own words instead of the prayer provided. Only, please make your prayer brief like the one above.)

(After the prayer say) We will now receive the offering.