



CHRIST
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

*Established 1851
Madison, Wisconsin*

March 31, 2019
The Forth Sunday in

LENT

Songs for the Journey

9:00 am Classical Worship

The Prelude

*We invite you to use this time to prepare for worship.
Please respect the listening atmosphere in the Sanctuary by refraining from conversation.*

<i>Larghetto</i>	J.S. Bach
<i>Aria</i>	Flor Peeters
<i>Amazing Grace</i>	Wilbur Held
<i>What Wondrous Love Is This</i>	John Carter
<i>Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed</i>	Dan Forrest
<i>The King of Love My Shepherd Is</i>	Dan Forrest
<i>I Call to Thee Lord Jesus Christ</i>	J.S. Bach

***We are a Community Centered in Christ:
gathering in love, growing by grace, going forth to serve.***

We Gather in Love

The Introit *I Was Glad When They Said to Me*

Paul Hamill

Please stand for The Call to Worship

Let us worship God, who has done great things.

We rejoice in our God, who made a way through the desert of this world.

Let us worship God, who has caused streams of mercy to flow in the wasteland.

We are the people God has formed through Christ; we worship him, and we rejoice!

Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

We praise God for the grace that has saved us. Alleluia! We rejoice!

Remain standing as we sing the Hymn of Praise
Here, O Lord, Your Servants Gather

Hymnal No. 465
(Tōkyō)

The Prayer of the Day
You may be seated.

Kyrie Eleison — Lord, Have Mercy

Hymnal No. 574

*We mark the season of Lent by replacing the Gloria Patri with
“Kyrie eleison.” As we enter a time of confession, it is appropriate
to ask for God’s mercy.*

The Prayer of Confession

Holy God, hear our prayer:

For the mending of our hearts, torn apart by our unkindness;

**For the healing of our souls, wasting away from the despair
within and around us;**

For the forgiveness we seek for the sin we have allowed to persist;

For the reconciliation of the world, whose division condemns us;

We pray for the courage to admit our fault,

the strength to amend our actions,

and the hope that your grace awaits us.

Through Christ we pray. Amen.

Our Silent Confession

The Assurance of Forgiveness

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Remain standing to Share the Peace of Christ

The peace of Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

**Welcome-
We’re glad
YOU are here!**



A Hearing Loop
is installed and available.
Switch your hearing aid
to “T-Cell”.

Please ask an Usher if you
need assistance.

Before worship, please
silence cell phones and
other electronic devices.

When asked, please stand
as you are able.

Congregational spoken
responses appear
in **bold type**.

Hymns and sung
responses will be found in
the **BLUE HYMNAL**
or on the screen.

Please join us —
*after Worship today
for coffee
and fellowship
in the Gathering Hall,
outside of Sanctuary.
Whether you are a
long-time member, or
a visitor, we’d like to get
to know you!*



Lent is the period of 40 days before Easter in the Christian calendar.

Beginning on Ash Wednesday, Lent is a season of reflection and preparation before the celebrations of Easter. During Lent, Christians replicate Jesus Christ's sacrifice and withdrawal into the desert, so it is marked by fasting, both from food and festivities.

Why the Color Purple?

Purple was a cherished and expensive color during Jesus' time, and so reserved for royalty. Jesus wore a purple robe only once – as he was mocked and spit upon by the Pharisee soldiers. Thus the color purple is used during Lent to remind us of the contempt and scorn that Jesus endured in the last days of his life. The visual elements in the Sanctuary, the entry, and elsewhere were designed and created by CPC members Scott and Donna Wilson.

The Doxology (introduction by Michael Sitton)
**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.**

Hymnal No. 592

You may be seated.

*After the Doxology is sung, children grades 1-5
are excused for Sunday School in Fellowship Hall, downstairs.*

We Grow by Grace

News of the Church

A Reading from the Gospels 2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1 Pew Bible, page 939
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Singing the Psalm Psalm 130—A Responsorial Setting CPC Psalter, page 29
*Singing a Responsorial Psalm is one way to experience the Psalms of Ascent.
The Refrain is sung after each group of verses of the Psalm
that are sung by a solo voice — the Cantor.*

The Psalm Psalm 130 CPC Psalter, page 28

The Message Songs for the Journey: Redeemer

The Invitation for Giving

The Offertory Anthem *Out of the Deep*, from Requiem John Rutter

*Out of the deep, have I called unto thee, O Lord; Lord, hear my voice.
O let thine ears consider well the voice of my complaint.
If thou, Lord, wilt be extreme to mark what is done amiss,
O Lord, who may abide it?
For there is mercy with thee, therefore shalt thou be feared.
I look for the Lord, my soul doth wait for him, and in his word is my trust.
My soul fleeth unto the Lord: before the morning watch, I say,
before the morning watch.
O Israel, trust in the Lord, for with the Lord there is mercy;
and with him is plenteous redemption.
And he shall redeem Israel from all his sins.*

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.

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We Go Forth to Serve

The Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Please stand for The Sending Hymn

O My Soul, Bless Your Redeemer, stanzas 1,2,3 and 6

Hymnal No. 223
(Stuttgart)

The Benediction

The Choral Blessing *The Journey Blessing*

Michael Sitton

The Postlude *Bryn Calfaría*

David Johnson

Participants in Worship Today

Preacher: Rev. Dale Chapin

Liturgist: Donna Wilson

Reader: Joyce Morrison

Music Director: Kathleen Otterson

Organist: Robert Haigler

Vocalists: The Chancel Choir

Cellist: Derek Handley

Greeters: Ron Wanek, Barb Premo, Arlene Linn

Ushers: Tom Kelly, Val Bailey and David Rihn, Clinton Otte-Ford

Audio Visual Coordinator: Bryan Yates

Next Sunday, April 7—The Fifth Sunday in Lent

8:30am **The Music Pre-Service Sanctuary**

9:00am **Classical Worship Sanctuary**

Rev. Dale Chapin preaching

Songs for the Journey: Our Hope— Psalm 131

Scripture Challenge: All are encouraged to read next

Sunday's Sermon scripture passage () at least once in the*

coming week, as a means of enhancing our worship together.

You'll find this week's reading on p. 36 of the CPC Psalter

10:15am **Faith Café — Chapel "Silence and Solitude"**

Sunday School (children K-5) Downstairs classroom

11:00am **Contemporary Worship Sanctuary**

See you next Sunday!