## SENDING

\*Hymn "It Is Well with My Soul" Hymnal #840

#### \*Benediction

\*Congregational Response "Go Forth to Serve the Lord"

(sung to the tune of "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord")

Go forth to serve the Lord rejoicing on your way.

Reach out in love God's plan fulfilled til comes His glorious day.

#### \*Postlude

Serving Today

GreeterLeRoy LaffertyLiturgistSue RazzaiaCoffee HostElizabeth Van BoskirkWelcome TableSue Razzaia

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# Faith Presbyterian Church



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A family of Christ, welcoming all, worshiping God, growing in the Spirit and joyously serving others.

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Pastor: Rev. Sam Codington

Please rise in body or spirit, where you see an asterisk. \*

#### FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

MARCH 19, 2023 9:30 AM

# GATHERING

Music for Meditation

Welcome, Announcements & Greeting

## Words for Preparation:

"For you who revere my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall." Malachi 4:2.

\*Gathering Song "Bless the Lord, O My Soul"

Bless the Lord O my soul. Bless the Lord O my soul.

Let all that is within me bless His holy name.

(Repeat)

Choral Introit "This Is the Day the Lord Has Made"

Call to Worship (From Iona Abbey)

Sue Razzaia

Leader: Come to us this day, O God.

All: Come to us with light.

Leader: Speak to us this day, O God.

All: Speak to us your truth.

Leader: Dwell with us this day, O God.

All: Dwell with us in love.

\*Hymn

"God, You Spin the Whirling Planets"

Hymnal #23

## Prayer of Adoration

#### Call to Confession

Leader: Beloved, we are made in the divine image, and God called us good. Yet we go our own way, causing harm to ourselves, to one another, and to the planet. Confident in the mercy of the One who made us and saved us, let us confess our sin and the sin of our world to God and to one another.

## Prayer of Confession

God of Life, You created us in your image to care for one another and for all creation. Forgive us for turning away from you, ignoring the needs of our neighbors and the cries of the earth. As the sun brings light and warmth to this earth, make us signs of your grace, through Christ, our light and life. Form us as healers and conduits of your grace in our relationships with people and the land.

(Silent Confession)

#### Assurance of Pardon

Leader: See, I am about to do a new thing, says the Lord; now it springs forth, do

you not perceive it?

God will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert! All:

"Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me" Hymnal #582 \*Response

Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,

And to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,

And to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

World without end, without end. Amen. (3x)

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

## PROCLAIMING

Choir Anthem

"Total Praise"

R. Smallwood

Sermon on the Steps

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Lesson (NRSV)

Mark 7:31-37

Leader: For the word of God in scripture, for the word of God among us, for the

word of God within us, Thanks be to God!

Sermon

All:

"Everything Well"

Rev. Sam Codington

## RESPONDING

\*Hymn

"I Want Jesus to Walk with Me"

Hymnal #775

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (Please sing)

Renew 177

Our Father which 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.

Offertory

"Since I Have Been Redeemed"

# \*Doxology

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.

# \*Prayer of Dedication

All: God of Life, let the sun of righteousness shine on us with healing, that we may walk in light, truth, and love. Shine through us, O God, amen.