#### right in saying, 'I have no husband'; <sup>18</sup>for you have had five husbands, and the one you have now is not your husband. What you have said is true!" <sup>19</sup>The woman said to him, "Sir, I see that you are a prophet. <sup>20</sup>Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain, but you say that the place where people must worship is in Jerusalem."<sup>21</sup>Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. <sup>22</sup>You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews. <sup>23</sup>But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father seeks such as these to worship him. <sup>24</sup>God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth." <sup>25</sup>The woman said to him, "I know that Messiah is coming" (who is called Christ). "When he comes, he will proclaim all things to us." <sup>26</sup>Jesus said to her, "I am he, the one who is speaking to you."

#### Sermon

Rev. Sharon Carter

#### **Responding to the Word Affirmation of Faith** *Apostles' Creed (ecumenical)* p.14

Offering Prayer, Special Music +Response Gloria Patri

#### Notes

## Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Sharing of Joys and Concerns Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving The Lord be with you. And also

with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is truly right... who forever sing to the glory of your name:

Holy, Holy Holy Lord, God of power and might. Heaven and Earth are full of your glory. Hosannah in the highest. Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosannah in the highest.

Great is the mystery of faith: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again. Breaking of the Bread Communion of the People Prayer After Communion

#### **Going Into the World**

+Hymn The Church's One Foundation #442
+Charge and Benediction
+Postlude



### WORSHIP

# **Community of Faith Presbyterian Church**



Community of Faith Presbyterian Church Third Sunday in Lent March 15, 2020 +Stand as you are able *Leader reads plain type, Congregation reads bold* 

#### **Preparing Ourselves**

#### Prelude Welcome Lighting of the Christ Candle Call to Worship from Psalm 95 L: Look around at the wonderful world God has created! P: We come into God's presence with songs of praise!

L: We are also created by God, and God is our ruler and Lord. **P: Let us listen to God's voice and** 

follow where God leads.

Let us pray: Creating God, we are here today to worship and praise you, and to remember your amazing acts of love. Hear our prayers and our praises and feel the love that we pour out for you and for one another. We pray all things in the name of Jesus, who taught us to pray together: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

**+Hymn** *This is My Father's World* #293

#### **Call to Confession**

#### Prayer of Confession (Moment of silence.) Assurance of Forgiveness

L: God's love has been poured into our hearts through the gift of the Holy Spirit. Know today that you are forgive and be at peace.

P: In Jesus Christ we are all forgiven! Thanks be to God. Amen.

Response Jesus, Remember Me #599

Jesus, remember me, when you come into your kingdom; Jesus, remember me, when you come into your kingdom. **+Passing of the Peace** 

L: As God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another: the peace of Jesus Christ be with you all.

#### P: And also with you. Anthem

#### **Hearing the Word**

#### Sung Prayer for Illumination Lord, Listen to Your Children STF2193

Lord, listen to your children praying; Lord, send your Spirit in this place; Lord, listen to your children praying; Send us love, send us power, send us grace.

#### Scripture Reading Exodus 17:1-7

From the wilderness of Sin the whole congregation of the Israelites journeved by stages, as the LORD commanded. They camped at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. <sup>2</sup>The people guarreled with Moses, and said, "Give us water to drink." Moses said to them, "Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you test the LORD?" <sup>3</sup>But the people thirsted there for water; and the people complained against Moses and said, "Why did you bring us out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and livestock with thirst?" <sup>4</sup>So Moses cried out to the LORD, "What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me." <sup>5</sup>The LORD said to Moses, "Go on ahead of the people, and take some of the elders of Israel with you; take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. <sup>6</sup>I will be standing there in front of you on the rock at Horeb. Strike the rock, and water will come out of it, so that the people may drink." Moses did so, in the sight of the elders of Israel. 'He called the place Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites guarreled and tested the LORD, saying, "Is the LORD among us or not?"

**Hymn** What a Friend We Have in Jesus #403

#### Scripture Reading John 4:5-26

<sup>5</sup>So he came to a Samaritan city called Sychar, near the plot of ground that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. <sup>6</sup>Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, tired out by his journey, was sitting by the well. It was about noon. 'A Samaritan woman came to draw water, and Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink." <sup>8</sup>(His disciples had gone to the city to buy food.) <sup>9</sup>The Samaritan woman said to him, "How is it that you, a Jew, ask a drink of me, a woman of Samaria?" (Jews do not share things in common with Samaritans.) <sup>10</sup>Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water." <sup>11</sup>The woman said to him, "Sir, you have no bucket, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water? <sup>12</sup>Are you greater than our ancestor Jacob, who gave us the well, and with his sons and his flocks drank from it?" <sup>13</sup>Jesus said to her. "Evervone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, <sup>14</sup>but those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life." <sup>15</sup>The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I may never be thirsty or have to keep coming here to draw water." <sup>16</sup>Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come back." <sup>17</sup>The woman answered him, "I have no

husband." Jesus said to her, "You are