

Talbott Cumberland Presbyterian Church

“Together Calling People to Christ”

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Lonnie Knight, Music Director/Organist

The Third Sunday in Lent

March 19, 2017

Morning Worship 11:00 AM

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GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE

Interlude

Carolyn McClane, pianist

Welcome and Announcements

Elder Terry Sanders, Worship Leader

Ring of the Chimes

The sounding of the chimes, representing God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, is an invitation to prepare for worship through this time of silent reflection and meditation.

Prelude

“The Solid Rock”

arr. Lani Smith

Bringing of the Light

Michael Eldridge, acolyte

Kara Eldridge, crucifer

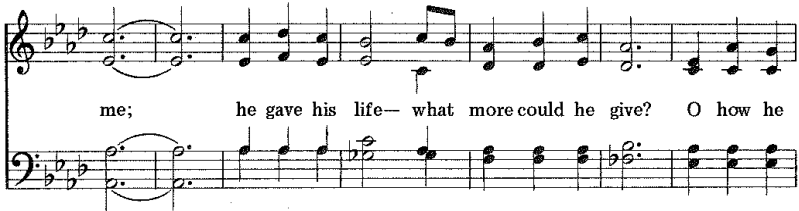
THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Introit

Choir and Congregation



O how he loves you and me, O how he loves you and



me; he gave his life— what more could he give? O how he



loves you, O how he loves me, O how he loves you and me!

*Call to Worship

Psalm 95:1-6

One: Come, let us sing out loud to the Lord! Let us raise a joyful shout to the rock of our salvation!

All: Let us come before him with thanks! Let us shout songs of joy to him!

One: The Lord is a great God, the great king over all other gods.

All: The earth's depths are in his hands; the mountain heights belong to him;

One: the sea, which he made, is his along with the dry ground which his own hands formed.

All: Come, let us worship and bow down! Let us kneel before the Lord, our maker!

*Hymn of Praise No. 689

Foundation

“The Church's One Foundation”


*Affirmation of Faith

One: Christians, what do we believe as Cumberland Presbyterians?

All: We believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His 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 to the grave. The third day He arose from the dead. He ascended into heaven, where He shall sit at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from where He shall judge the living and the dead. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the everlasting life. Amen.

*Gloria Patri

Greatorex



Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be -
gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men, A - men.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

(In Unison)

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.

Musical Response No. 821

(Choir & Congregation)

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy on us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

I John 1:9

If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Brothers and sisters, in Jesus Christ your sins are forgiven.

OUR WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Offertory

arr. Huston

“When I Survey The Wondrous Cross”

*The Doxology

Old Hundredth

Musical score for 'The Doxology' in G major, 4/4 time. The score consists of three systems of music, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are: 'Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise *him, all creatures here be - low; praise *him a - bove, ye heaven-ly host; praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.'

*Prayer of Dedication and Thanksgiving

Gereldean Carmichael

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S WORD

Anthem

“Built On A Rock”

Jay Althouse

Built on a rock, the Church will stand, even when steeples are falling.
Built on a rock, in every land. Christ, our Lord, is calling.
Calling to the young and the old to rest.
Calling to the souls of those oppressed.
Built on a rock, the Church will stand. Christ, our Lord, is calling.

This is a house of living stone built for God's habitation.
He is a rock, on humble throne granting us salvation.
Whenever two or more come to seek His face,
God will be among them to show His grace.
He is a rock, and this His place, granting us salvation.

Built on a rock, the Church will stand firmly on one foundation.
Built on a rock in every land, this, God's new creation.
Together we have come for to give and receive.
In Christ, our Lord, we do believe.
Built on a rock, the Church will stand. This, God's new creation.

Children's Message

Marianne Sharp

***Hymn of the Word No. 517**

Solid Rock

“The Solid Rock”

The Reading Of The Word

Old Testament Lesson

Exodus 7:1-7

“Water from the Rock”

The whole Israelite community set out from the Desert of Sin, traveling from place to place as the LORD commanded. They camped at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. ² So they quarreled with Moses and said, “Give us water to drink.”

Moses replied, “Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you put the LORD to the test?”

³ But the people were thirsty for water there, and they grumbled against Moses. They said, “Why did you bring us up out of Egypt to make us and our children and livestock die of thirst?”

⁴ Then Moses cried out to the LORD, “What am I to do with these people? They are almost ready to stone me.”

⁵ The LORD answered Moses, “Go out in front of the people. Take with you some of the elders of Israel and take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. ⁶ I will stand there before you by the rock at Horeb. Strike the rock, and water will come out of it for the people to drink.” So

Moses did this in the sight of the elders of Israel. ⁷ And he called the place Massah and Meribah because the Israelites quarreled and because they tested the LORD saying, “Is the LORD among us or not?”

New Testament Lesson

Romans 5:1-5

“Peace and Hope”

Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ² through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we boast in the hope of the glory of God. ³ Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; ⁴ perseverance, character; and character, hope. ⁵ And hope does not put us to shame, because God’s love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.

***Gospel**

John 4:5-30

“Jesus Talks with a Samaritan Woman”

⁵ So he came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of ground Jacob had given to his son Joseph. ⁶ Jacob’s well was there, and Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well. It was about noon.

⁷ When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, “Will you give me a drink?” ⁸ (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.)

⁹ The Samaritan woman said to him, “You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?” (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.)

¹⁰ Jesus answered her, “If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water.”

¹¹ “Sir,” the woman said, “you have nothing to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water? ¹² Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did also his sons and his livestock?”

¹³ Jesus answered, “Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, ¹⁴ but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life.”

¹⁵ The woman said to him, “Sir, give me this water so that I won’t get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water.”

¹⁶ He told her, “Go, call your husband and come back.”

¹⁷ “I have no husband,” she replied.

Jesus said to her, “You are right when you say you have no husband. ¹⁸ The fact is, you have had five husbands, and the man you now have is not your husband. What you have just said is quite true.”

¹⁹ “Sir,” the woman said, “I can see that you are a prophet. ²⁰ Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain, but you Jews claim that the place where we must worship is in Jerusalem.”

²¹ “Woman,” Jesus replied, “believe me, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. ²² You Samaritans worship what you do not know; we worship what we do know, for salvation is from the Jews. ²³ Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. ²⁴ God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth.”

²⁵ The woman said, “I know that Messiah” (called Christ) “is coming. When he comes, he will explain everything to us.”

²⁶ Then Jesus declared, “I, the one speaking to you—I am he.”

²⁷ Just then his disciples returned and were surprised to find him talking with a woman. But no one asked, “What do you want?” or “Why are you talking with her?”

²⁸ Then, leaving her water jar, the woman went back to the town and said to the people, ²⁹“Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did. Could this be the Messiah?” ³⁰ They came out of the town and made their way toward him.

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Pastoral Prayer

Homily

Elder Terry Sanders

“Built On A Rock”

GOD SENDS HIS PEOPLE INTO THE WORLD

***Hymn No. 612**

Foundation

“How Firm A Foundation”

***Benediction**

***Taking The Light Into The World**

***Postlude**

Improvisation on a Hymntune

*Congregation will please stand if able

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In order to meet the projected General Fund Budget for 2017, (\$112,953.00) we need a weekly offering of \$2,172.17.

March 5, 2017

Sunday School Attendance-----23	Sunday School Offering-----\$6.00
Morning Worship Attendance-65	Morning Worship Offering---\$2249.00
	Building Fund Offering-----\$40.00
	Benevolence Offering-----\$100.00
	Food Pantry Offering-----\$165.00
	Total Offering-----\$2565.00

March 12, 2017

Sunday School Attendance-----16	Sunday School Offering-----\$6.00
Morning Worship Attendance-57	Morning Worship Offering----\$1518.00
	Building Fund Offering-----\$45.00
	Benevolence Offering-----\$200.00
	Total Offering-----\$1769.00

Birthdays

- 3/21 Ron Saunders
- 3/22 Emily Rollins
- 3/30 Mandi White

Anniversaries

- 3/21 Jim & Judy Rolan

Elders

Class of 2017	Class of 2018	Class of 2019
Jim Rolan	Lonnie Knight	Richard Snowden
Jeanie Saunders	Terry Sanders	Allen Williamson

Deacons

Class of 2017	Class of 2018	Class of 2020
Larry Knoll	Ron Saunders	Peggy Long

MARCH

Elder of the Month.....Jim Rolen
Deacon of the Month.....Ron Saunders
Greeter of the Month.....Susan Griggs

CHURCH SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THIS WEEK

Today March 19 10:00am Sunday School (for all ages)
11:00am Morning Worship The Third Sunday in Lent,
Elder Terry Sanders, speaker
7:00pm Bible Study
Tues. March 21 6:30pm Worship at LifeCare in Jefferson City
Wed. March 22 6:00pm Wednesday Night Supper
6:45pm Bible Study
7:15pm Choir Rehearsal
Thurs. March 23 6:00pm Ladies Night Out

LOOKING AHEAD

Sun. March 26 10:00am Sunday School (for all ages)
11:00am Morning Worship The Fourth Sunday in Lent,
Building Fund Sunday
6:00pm Family Night
Wed. March 29 6:00pm Wednesday Night Supper
6:45pm Bible Study
7:15pm Choir Rehearsal
Sat. April 1 9:00am Presbytery of East Tennessee meets with the Shiloh
Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Elder Lonnie Knight
is the delegate and Elder Allen Williamson is the alternate.

