

Second Presbyterian Church
Oxford, New Jersey
March 14, 2010

Prelude Robert Jelks

*** Song of Praise *Welcome Into This Place*

Call to Worship

*Hymn *Holy Ground* # 83

*Greet One Another - followed by *Bind Us Together* #130

Scripture Reading *2 Corinthians 5:16-21* P.1121

Unison Prayer of Confession

Lord, help us examine our hearts as we confess our sins to you. We are truly sorry for our wrongdoings and shortcomings. Forgive us, we pray, in Christ's name. Empower us to serve you fully, to share the resources we have with those who have less, to weep with those who weep, and to laugh with those who laugh. Help us to be good stewards over the earth you have placed in our care; help us to unite in love and concern for one another, not just in our local community, but with brothers and sisters in all the world. Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

** *Gloria Patri*

Concerns of the Fellowship

Prayers of the People & *The Lord's Prayer*

***Song of Praise *I Worship You*

Offering

* *Doxology*

*Hymn of Preparation *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart* #154

Scripture Reading *Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32* P.1094

Sermon Reverend Joicy Becker Richards

" Making Things Right "
(Part 4 of our Lenten Series, "Through the Wilderness")

Baptism of Anna Mae Crane

*Hymn of Commitment *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* # 17

*Charge & Benediction

*Hymn *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* # 153

*Postlude

*Congregation standing

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*Following the service, please join us next door
in the Chapel for refreshments!*