Second Presbyterian Church Oxford, New Jersey www.oxford2nd.org April 17, 2011

Prelude Robert Jelks

*** Song of Praise Welcome Into This Place

Call to Worship

*Hymn This Is The Day #84

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

Scripture Reading Matthew 21:1-11 P.1031

Pam Pels

Unison Prayer of Confession

We come before you on this day with thankful and joyous hearts because your love knows no bounds. Yet during this week, your story of passion mirrors to us how we have tested your love and spurned your compassion. We kneel before you in awe of the Mystery of your faithfulness. We kneel before you with confession, acknowledging our complicity with friends and enemies alike who through the ages have disowned you through our words and actions. We kneel before you in gratitude, forever thankful that even during Passion Week your love held strong. As we enter into Holy Week, forgive us; brace us with fortitude and gratitude and with the assurance that you are with us, world without end. 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 Crown Him with Many Crowns #3

Scripture Reading Matthew 27:15-27:26 P.1041

Sermon Rev. Joicy Becker-Richards

"Who Do You Choose?"

*Hymn All Hail the Power of Jesus Name #68

*Charge & Benediction

*Hymn Sweet, Sweet Spirit #153

*Postlude

Following the service, please join us in the Chapel for refreshments! Provided by Jackie Chmielewski

^{*}Congregation standing

^{**}Inside front of hymnal

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