

Second Presbyterian Church
Oxford, New Jersey
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October 7, 2012

Prelude
*** Song of Praise *Welcome Into This Place* Robert Jelks

Call to Worship

*Hymn *El Shaddai (2x)* #18

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

Scripture Reading *Psalm 23* P.579
Bonnie Riley

Unison Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, who made covenant with our ancestors, we confess we are a rebellious people. We want to act out your intentions for us, but we get sidetracked by the false glitter of the world. You tell us to honor Creation, but we use other people, animals, and plants for our own gain. You promise us new life, but we shrink back in fear, clinging to our death-dealing ways. Heal us, O Lord. We need your healing presence among us, that your good intentions for all of creation might be fulfilled at last through Jesus Christ. Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

** Gloria Patri #620

Concerns of the Fellowship

Prayers of the People & *The Lord's Prayer*
***Song of Praise *I Worship You*

Offering
***Doxology* #623

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Hymn *Blest Be The Tie That Binds* #138

Scripture Reading *Ephesians 2:11-22* P.1225

Sermon Rev. Joicy Becker-Richards
"No Outsiders!"

*Hymn *Here, O My Lord vs 1 & 2* #259

Service of Communion – World Communion Sunday #223

*Hymn *Here, O My Lord vs 3 & 4* #259

*Charge & Benediction

*Hymn *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* #153

*Postlude

*Congregation standing
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*Following the service, please join us
For refreshments in the chapel*

Provided by Deacon Michael Crane