

Second Presbyterian Church
Oxford, New Jersey
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May 22, 2016

Prelude Robert Jelks

** Songs of Praise *Welcome Into This Place*
I Feel Jesus In This Place

Call to Worship

*Hymn *This Is the Day* #84

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

Scripture Reading *Psalm 8*
Dot Purdy

Unison Prayer of Confession

Loving God, you have said, "Let not your hearts be troubled." This morning we bring our troubled hearts to you for comfort, for healing, for encouragement. We know that you love us, but we confess that sometimes we don't trust ourselves to you. This morning, we pray that we might feel your presence as near as our very breath and be willing to follow your leading, wherever that may take us. Open our hearts and minds to the comfort you have especially for us, and help us to respond with gratitude. 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 *Open My Eyes, That I May See* #174

Scripture Reading *Romans 5:1-11*

Sermon Rev. Joicy Becker Richards
"Step by Step"

*Hymn *All Creatures of Our Lord and King (vs 1, 4, & 5)* #33

*Charge & Benediction

*Hymn *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* #153

*Postlude

*Congregation standing **Back of Hymnal

*Following the service, please stay
and join us for fellowship
Provided by Bonnie & Patrick Riley*