

Second Presbyterian Church  
Oxford, New Jersey  
September 12, 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 *Psalms 146* P. 660

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of Love and Compassion, our hearts long for you and your healing touch. We confess that too often our energies go into selfish dreams and desires, leaving us empty and hollow. Too often we turn to you only when we are in great need, or as a last resort. And yet, you still welcome us and reach out to us. You are the God of Peace, seeking to restore us to health and wholeness. Forgive us our faithlessness, and lift up the spirits of all those among us who are facing fear, loneliness, tragedy, and illness. Heal us; nourish us through your spiritual food, and give us strength to continue in the race you have set before us. In the name of your Son, Jesus, we pray. Amen.

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*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*Hymn of Preparation *Great is Thy Faithfulness* #17

Scripture Reading *1 Timothy 1:12-17* P. 1243

Sermon The Rev. Joicy Becker-Richards

**"Lord, Have Mercy!"**

\*Hymn *Let Us Break Bread Together* # 265

Service of Communion  
Communion Covenant #223

\*Hymn *Amazing Grace* #299

\*Charge & Benediction

\*Hymn *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* #153

\*Postlude

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\*Congregation standing

\*\*Inside front of hymnal

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Fellowship: Deacons

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