



THE
GEORGETOWN
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

WORSHIP

2ND SUNDAY IN LENT
February 28, 2010

PRELUDE

Andantino

Charles Gounod (1818-1893)

Richard Williams, French horn

WELCOME

Leader: The grace of the Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

INTROIT

I Was Glad

Eric Thiman (1900-1975)



✠ *Please stand or sit*

*As a courtesy to other worshipers, please turn off your cell phone during the worship service.
Please, no flash photography during the service*

OPENING SENTENCES AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

✠HYMN 43 *Father, We Praise Thee, Now the Night Is Over*

Christe Sanctorum

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: I said I will confess my transgressions to the Lord.

People: And you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Leader: Let us pray:

All: **O Lord, we confess that we have sinned against you, and against the law of love. We have not loved you with all of our heart, mind and soul, nor have we loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

Do not show us your anger. Be gracious to us, Lord, and heal our troubled souls. Deliver us for the sake of your steadfast love that we may once again live to give you praise, to enjoy you and to glorify your goodness forever.

As we grow weary and are beset by powers inside us and outside us, accept our prayers. Turn aside all that undoes us, and restore your image once again in us, even the image of Jesus Christ our Lord. (After Psalm 6)

(Silent prayer)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

✠GLORIA PATRI Tune 546

TIME WITH CHILDREN

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Genesis 15: 1-12, 17-18 (pg. 13)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

EPISTLE LESSON

Philippians 3: 17-4:1

(pg. 211)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

SOLO

O for the Wings of a Dove

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

Alina Kirshon Goldman, soprano

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 13: 31-35

(pg. 78)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

Knowing Home

Dr. Eric O. Springsted

✠**HYMN 431**

O Where Are Kings and Empires Now

St. Anne

✠**THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AND THE**

REAFFIRMATION OF OUR BAPTISMAL FAITH

(the Apostles' Creed is found on page 12 of the hymnal.)

CHARLES HOLT FARVER

SON OF

JAKE AND CLAIR FARVER

✠**HYMN 451**

Jesus, Friend, So Kind and Gentle

Sicilian Mariners

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING

(Passing of the Fellowship Books)

Offertory

Father in Heaven

Marcos Galvany

Javier Gonzalez, tenor

Marcos Galvany, piano

✠**Doxology** (Hymnbook 544)

Old Hundredth

✠PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

PRAYER

The Lord's Prayer (debts) (Hymnbook page 12)

✠HYMN (Insert) *O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High*

✠BENEDICTION (Please be seated after the benediction)

RESPONSE *The Lord's Name Be Praised* Eric Thiman

POSTLUDE *Trumpet Tune in D* Charles Callahan (b. 1951)



Please remain seated for the Annual Meeting



Today's music for Lent comes from France (Gounod), England (Thiman), Germany (Mendelssohn), Spain (Galvany), and America (Callahan). The offertory comes from the Sacred Opera *O My Son* which will receive its world premiere at Carnegie Hall, Saturday, April 10, 2010. Our own Karla Rivera and Javier Gonzalez will be featured in lead roles. In this movement, for tenor and chorus, Christ is teaching his followers how to pray. The composer is accompanying today's premiere performance. Richard Williams, formerly with our choir, plays the prelude. He is currently teaching music in Missouri.



The flowers at the pulpit today are given by Arma Jo Northup in memory of her sister Barbara Bowersox.



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Readings are from the "New Revised Standard Version" translation of the Bible unless otherwise indicated.



Visitors and members are cordially invited to join us for Lunch Bunch in the Georgetown Room.