

**First Presbyterian Church of Dunedin**  
**Fourth Sunday in Lent • March 19, 2023 • 10:30 AM**  
**Mr. Rogers Sunday**

**GATHERING**

The Holy Spirit calls us together as people of God.

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**BELL PEAL**

**WELCOME**

**MOMENT FOR MISSION – Faith Community Garden**

**PRELUDE – Jesus Loves Me**

setting, J.W. Kerr

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

ONE: We come to dedicate ourselves.

**ALL: We come seeking to be worthy of our call.**

ONE: The Lord looks not at our outward selves,

**ALL: but seeks to know what is in our hearts.**

ONE: Let us learn what is pleasing to the Lord,

**ALL: that we might live as children of the Most High.**

**\*HYMN 304 – Jesus Loves Me**

**\*CALL TO CONFESSION**

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**ALL: God of compassion and mercy,**

**we sometimes fail to see**

**what you are doing in the world.**

**We want you to act in ways we predict, but we forget:**

**you do what is good, not what is expected.**

**Forgive us when we do not recognize your miracles.**

**Forgive us when we doubt the wisdom of your actions.**

**Most of all, forgive us**

**when we do not respond to your call,**

**ignoring what we need to do**

**to show the world your love and grace.**

*(Silent confession and prayer)*

## \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

ONE: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

**ALL: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

**Thanks be to God for this unimaginable grace.**

## \*SUNG RESPONSE – *sing in English, Spanish or any language*



Take, O take me as I am;

*Tó - ma - me tal co-mo soy;*

Sum - mon out what I shall

*llá - ma - me a lo que se -*



be;

*ré;*

Set your seal up-on my heart And live in me.

*pon tu se-llo so-bre mí y vi - ve en mí.*

## WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching and song.

## GOSPEL READING – Mark 12:28-34

Pew Bible, page 825

ONE: The Gospel of the Lord!

**ALL: Praise to You, O Christ!**

**SONG – Won't You Be My Neighbor?** (on insert)

**DIALOGUE**

**CHORAL ANTHEM – 1-4-3 I Love You**

Emerson/Jacobson

**DIALOGUE**

**SONG – It's You I Like** (on insert)

**DIALOGUE**

**SONG – It's Such a Good Feeling** (on insert)

## RESPONSE

We give of our whole selves in gratitude for all of God's gifts.

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## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

**ALL: Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;  
and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever.  
Amen.**

### OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND OUR GIFTS

*Your generosity builds God's beloved community and changes lives.*

*You can give:*

**In-Person** – Offering plates are available at the exits after worship.

**Online** – via your bank or by going to [www.fpcdunedin.org](http://www.fpcdunedin.org) and clicking “GIVE.”

**Volunteer** – Ask for a “Volunteer Opportunities” brochure or contact our office.

## SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

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**\*HYMN 2130 – The Summons** (in [Sing the Faith](#))

**\*BENEDICTION**

**May the PEACE of Christ,  
the LOVE of God,  
and the COMMUNITY of the Spirit,  
be with you.**

**\*POSTLUDE – Mr. Rogers Medley**

setting, L. Wilburn-Weiss

*\*Please rise in body or in spirit.*

## LEADERS IN WORSHIP

Rev. Dr. David K. Shelor, Pastor

Lucas R. Wilburn-Weiss, Interim Minister of Music, Worship Arts & Communications

Paul Stone, Liturgist

Mrs. Dorothy "Dottie" Ingram

Rev. Carol Weiss

Members of the Media Team & Sanctuary Choir

**Please join with fellow seekers as we continue the journey through Lent....**

### SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP EXPERIENCE

#### LENT AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Worship Café at 8:45 AM in Hager Hall

Sanctuary Service at 10:30 AM in the Sanctuary

Education and Discussions 9:30 & 11:30 AM

Fellowship 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Worship is also available via Facebook & YouTube

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[www.facebook.com/fpcdunedin](http://www.facebook.com/fpcdunedin)

### LENT MID-WEEK VIRTUAL DEVOTION

#### WORSHIPFUL WEDNESDAYS

with Rev. Dr. David Shelor & Lucas Wilburn-Weiss

via Facebook & YouTube

Online Wednesdays in Lent at 12:30 PM

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### PERSONAL GROWTH AND STUDY THIS WEEK

*We'll use these scripture passages in worship next Sunday.*

*Need a Bible? Just ask. We'd be glad to give you one.*

#### Fifth Sunday in Lent

Ezekiel 37:1-14

Psalm 130

Romans 8:6-11

John 11:1-45

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