

**ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT**

10 a.m. *Communion Sunday* March 7, 2021

*\* indicates "stand if you are able." UMH is the blue hymnal. TFWS is the small black book.*

Introit "Welcome" by Mark Miller  
CUMC Adult Choir

1. Let's walk together for a while and ask where we begin,  
to build a world where love can grow and hope can enter in,  
to be the hands of healing and to plant the seed of peace, singing welcome,

(Refrain) Welcome to this place. You are invited to come and God's grace.  
All are welcome the love of God to share 'cause all of us are welcome here;  
All are welcome in this place.

2. Let's talk together of a time when we will share a feat,  
where pride and power kneel to serve the lonely and the least,  
and joy will set the table as we join our hands to pray, singing welcome,

(Refrain)

3. Let's dream together of the day when earth and heaven are one,  
A city built of love and light, the new Jerusalem,  
where mourning turns to dancing,  
Every creature lifts its voice, crying welcome,

**GREETINGS**

One: The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

One: The risen Christ is with us.

**All: Praise the Lord!**

**WELCOME ALL CHILDREN OF GOD AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

\*HYMN "To God Be the Glory" UMH #98

**CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER**

One: Called by Christ,

**All: we gather as one.**

One: Blessed by God's wisdom,

**All: we gather to learn.**

One: Amazed by God's love,

**All: we gather to worship.**

One: And together let us pray.

**All: God of glory and might, speak to us with your wisdom, that we might truly hear you. Display your majesty, that we might truly see you. Transform the chaos of our lives with the clarity of your call, that we might worship you in spirit and the truth. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.**

A TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES "Children's Message"

\*HYMN "Awesome God" (2X) TFWS #2040

SERMON "The Temple of His Body" Rev. Jane Kim

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**Let all who wish to know the ways of life and death listen for the word of God. Truly the presence of the Lord is in this place.**

THE HEBREW READING Exodus 20:1-17

THE GOSPEL READING John 2:13-22

One: The Word of God for the people of God

**All: Thanks be to God.**

\*HYMN "Spirit Song" UMH#347

**JOYS AND CONCERNS**

THE INVITATION TO GIVE OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS (in unison)  
**Offering our gifts to God is a holy act. In this sacred moment, let us offer our gifts and our lives to the holy work of God.**

**WEEKLY OFFERING**

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Lamb of God" Twila Paris / Arr. Craig Courtney

Your only Son no sin to hide, but you have sent him from your side  
to walk upon this guilty sod, and to become the Lamb of God.

Your gift of love they crucified, they laughed and scorned him as he died,  
The humble King they named a fraud and sacrificed the Lamb of God.

(Refrain)

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God; I loved the holy Lamb of God,  
O wash me in Your precious blood. My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

I was so lost I should have died, but you have brought me to Your side  
to be led by your staff and rod, and to be called a lamb of God.

\*DOXOLOGY            “How Great Thou Art” (Refrain only)            UMH #77

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

May the gifts we bring be gifts of love. May the offerings we share be offerings of our  
hearts. May each gift be blessed by your grace, that others may know the truth of  
your wisdom and your love. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION (From UMH Pgs. 9-11)            Insert

\*HYMN                “His Name Is Wonderful” (2X)                            UMH #174

\*BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH

One: Blessed by God’s wisdom,  
**All: we go forth refreshed and renewed.**  
One: Called by Christ,  
**All: we go now to serve.**  
One: Amazed by God’s love.  
**All: We go now to love. Amen.**

PASSING OF THE PEACE  
Let us share his love and peace with one another.

***PLEASE JOIN CUMC ZOOM COFFEE HOUR FOLLOWING THE SERVICE.***

**OUR WORSHIP HAS ENDED                            NOW OUR SERVICE BEGINS**

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