

Welcome! During the Worship Services

In worship, the people read the **bold print** and a liturgist reads the regular print. Worship guides or notations are *italicized*.

“†” indicates to please stand as you are able.

① Prayer for Transformation

God who is called Tremendous Mystery, we approach You with awe because Your holy Presence is overwhelming. Overcome our fear and help us dive into Your holy Presence so that our very selves become steeped in Your goodness for all eternity. Amen.

② Vision Statement

It is our vision to be a community of faith as loving and considerate of persons as Jesus; as devoted to justice as the Old Testament prophets; as responsive to truth as science; as beautiful as art; as intimate as the home; and as indispensable as the air we breathe.

Based on the Founders' Statement of the Congregational Church in Lee, MA, 1778

Our Liturgists in Worship Today Are

8:00 Karen Waldron
9:30 Joan Carter
11:00 Stephanie Lane

Welcome to Family Worship Sunday. As you enter worship, children's bulletins, worship bags, and notebooks are available from the usher station or ushers. We have a nursery staffed with caring individuals for children ages four and younger. We're glad you're here!

Worship in the Chapel 8:00 a.m.

Gathering Music
“Our God We Worship Now” arr. Herbert Colvin

Welcome † **Passing the Peace**

Prelude
“Come My Way, My Truth, My Life” M. Burkhardt

Invocation

† **Hymn**
“God of Love and God of Power” UMH #578

Prayer for Transformation ①

Scripture Genesis 2:2-3

Offering
Prayer of Dedication Liturgist
Offertory Anthem
“Serenade” Vincent D'Indy
Carla Hager, violin
† **Doxology** UMH #95

Scripture Deuteronomy 5:12-15
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon “Eternity is Yours Right Now”
Rev. Vivian C. Hiestand

Sacrament of Holy Communion
Sharing the Bread and Cup
Communion Music
“Canzonetta” P. Tchaikovsky
“Romanze” Max Reger
“La Plus que Lent” Claude Debussy
Carla Hager, Violin

Vision Statement ② Liturgist

† **Hymn**
“Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days” UMH #269

† **Benediction**
Postlude
“Chromatic Fugue” J. Pachelbel

Worship in the Sanctuary 9:30 a.m.

A Brief Organ Concert & Call to the Lenten Season
9:10 a.m.
William Richard Byrd, IV, Guest Organist

“Psalm Prelude” Set 2, No. 2 Herbert Howells
“Cortège et Litanie” Dupré
“Fantasia in g minor” (BWV 542) J.S. Bach

Welcome † **Passing the Peace**

Introit “A Technicolor Promise” Allen Pote
Joyful Noise Choir

Invocation

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“God of Love and God of Power” UMH #578

Prayer for Transformation ①

Children's Time
Hymn
“Tell Me the Stories of Jesus (v. 1 & 3)” UMH #277
The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Genesis 2:2-3

Offering
Prayer of Dedication Liturgist
Offertory Anthem
“The Best of Rooms” R. Thompson
Sanctuary Choir
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Sermon “Sabbath as Grace Experience: Being-ness”
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Postlude
“Solemn Procession” William Lloyd Webber

Worship in the Sanctuary 11:00 a.m.

A Brief Organ Concert & Call to the Lenten Season
10:40 a.m.
William Richard Byrd, IV, Guest Organist

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This Week at First Church

Sunday, March 5, 2017

- 8:00 AM Worship Service Chapel
- 9:30 AM Samaritan Sunday School Class Parlor
- 9:30 AM Upper Room Sunday School Class
..... Upper Room - Rm 235
- 9:30 AM Serendipity Sunday School Class
..... Village Commons
- 9:30 AM Traditional Worship ServiceSanctuary
- 11:00 AM Open Hearts Sunday School Class
..... Village Commons
- 11:00 Crosswalk..... Wesley Commons
- 11:00 AM Worship ServiceSanctuary
- 2:00 PM Covenant Bible Study Village Commons
- 4:15 PM Youth ChoirChoir Room
- 5:00 PM Youth Group Youth Basement
- 4:15 PM Youth ChoirChoir Room
- 5:30 PM Pause Service Chapel

Monday, March 6, 2017

- 8:00 AM PreschoolSouth Entrance
- 9:00 AM Mom's Group..... Gathering Place
- 5:15 PM Bel Canto Children's Chorus Rehearsal.....
..... Choir Room & Rhythm Road - Rm 227
- 6:30 PM Cadette Girl Scout Meeting..... Parlor
- 7:00 PM Boy Scouts Troop 83Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 PM Community and World Outreach
..... Gathering Place

Tuesday, March 7, 2017

- 8:00 AM PreschoolSouth Entrance
- 8:55 AM Worship Staff Meeting ... Wesley Commons
- 9:30 AM Intercessory Prayer Parlor
- 9:30 AM Staff Meeting Wesley Commons
- 4:00 PM Bible Study..... Gathering Place
- 6:30 PM Trustees Meeting Conference Room
- 6:45 PM Spring View 4-H Fellowship Hall 3
- 7:00 PM The Five Wishes..... Parlor
- 7:00 PM Circle Abigail Gathering Place
- 7:00 PM Pack 98 Cub Scout Committee Meeting.....
..... Village Commons

Wednesday, March 8, 2017

- 8:00 AM PreschoolSouth Entrance
- 9:00 AM Organ Practice - Karen Stoody ...Sanctuary
- 9:15 AM Scheduling Team Gathering Place
- 12:00 PM Nominations & Leadership Development
Meeting Gathering Place
- 12:00 PM Noon Book Study Parlor
- 2:30 PM Congregational Care Visitation Team.....
..... Conference Room
- 3:00 PM Kids' ClosetKids' Closet

- 4:30 PM Beginner Bell Choir Choir Room
- 5:30 PM Supper in the Spirit..... Parlor
- 6:00 PM Children's Chime Choir Rhythm Road
- 6:00 PM Children's Lenten Programs.....
..... Fellowship Hall
- 6:00 PM Revival: Faith as Wesley Lived It Parlor
- 6:00 PM Experience Christian Practices..... Chapel
- 6:00 PM Accidental Saints Wesley Commons
- 6:00 PM Bell Choir Rehearsal Choir Room
- 6:30 PM Pine Ridge Informational Meeting
..... Gathering Place
- 7:00 PM Long Range Planning Meeting.....
..... Conference Room

Thursday, March 9, 2017

- 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study.....
..... The Egg & I, South College Avenue
- 8:00 AM Preschool..... South Entrance
- 9:00 AM Organ Practice - Karen Stoody ...Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM Double Nickel – Prep Work Kitchen
- 11:30 AM UMW Unit Meeting Luncheon Parlor
- 2:00 PM Jack Richardson Funeral and Reception
..... Sanctuary
- 2:30 PM Church Council Agenda Planning
..... Lead Pastor's Office
- 5:30 PM Stover Street Stompers Parlor
- 7:00 PM Choir Practice..... Choir Room
- 7:00 PM Cub Scouts, Pack 98..... Sanctuary
- 7:00 PM Hagen Lecture: Find Your Calling with
Dr. Bryan Dik Fellowship Hall

Friday, March 10, 2017

- 8:00 AM Preschool..... South Entrance
- 9:00 AM Organ Practice - Karen Stoody .. Sanctuary
- 12:00 PM Double Nickel Luncheon Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 PM Rocky Mountain High School Great Works
PerformanceSanctuary, Fellowship Hall

Saturday, March 11, 2017

- 9:00 AM DAR Cache la Poudre Chapter
..... Village Commons
- 9:00 AM Kids' Closet Kids' Closet



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Sunday, March 12, 2017

- 8:00 AM Worship ServiceChapel
- 9:30 AM Worship ServiceSanctuary
- 9:30 AM Samaritan Sunday School Class Parlor
- 9:30 AM Upper Room Sunday School Class
..... Upper Room - Rm 235
- 9:30 AM Serendipity Sunday School Class
..... Village Commons
- 9:45 AM Children's Sunday School..... South Wing
- 10:30 AM Cherub Choir Rhythm Road – Rm 227
- 10:30 AM Joyful Noise Choir..... Choir Room
- 11:00 AM Worship ServiceSanctuary
- 11:00 AM Crosswalk Wesley Commons
- 11:00 AM Open Hearts Sunday School Class
..... Village Commons
- 11:00 AM Forgiveness: A Lenten Study.....
..... Gathering Place
- 2:00 PM Covenant Bible StudyVillage Commons
- 5:30 PM Pause ServiceChapel

Our guest organist Richard Byrd has been working with our Sanctuary Choir during our mid-winter choir retreat.

He recently concluded a 15-year tenure at St. Mary's-on-the-Highlands Episcopal Church in Birmingham, Alabama, where he served most of that time as Music Associate, preceded by his initial post as Assistant Organist. He is in the process of completing the Master of Music degree at Samford University in Birmingham, studying organ with Dr. James Dorroh. At Samford, Richard has been a graduate teaching assistant for both voice and musical theatre undergraduate students, while also a staff accompanist for the School of the Arts. Mr. Byrd received his Bachelor of Music degree from Birmingham-Southern College, an organ student of Dr. James H. Cook, and Distinguished Teaching Fellow in choral conducting with Dr. Lester Siegel. Though no longer practicing, he earned the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree from University of Alabama at Birmingham. Richard works as a musical director, vocal coach, and teacher for various theatre companies, colleges, and private voice studios in Birmingham, most recently serving as the Assistant Director of Music and Youth Programs for the Red Mountain Theatre Company Conservatory (formerly Summerfest). He is a member of the American Guild of Organists and Choral Directors Association. Tours as accompanist and organist include San Francisco, New York City, Paris, Prague, Vienna, and Berlin.

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March 5, 2017
First Sunday in Lent



**Sunday Worship Services:
CLASSIC WORSHIP**

8:00 in the Chapel
9:30 & 11:00 in the Sanctuary

Pause
**A Contemplative Evensong Service
with Holy Communion**
5:30 p.m. in the Chapel