

✠ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** :“Book of Order: F-1.0303

The Notes of the Reformed Church” (*unison*)

In our own time, we affirm that, in the power of the Spirit, the Church is faithful to the mission of Christ as it:

- Proclaims and hears the Word of God, responding to the promise of God’s new creation in Christ, and inviting all people to participate in that new creation.
- Administers and receives the Sacraments, welcoming those who are being engrafted into Christ, bearing witness to Christ’s saving death and resurrection, anticipating the heavenly banquet that is to come, and committing itself in the present to solidarity with the marginalized and the hungry; and
- Nurtures a covenant community of disciples of Christ, living in the strength of God’s promise and giving itself in service to God’s mission.

Go Out as God’s People in the World

✠ **Closing Hymn HoF #429**: “Anywhere with Jesus”

✠ **BENEDICTION**: by *Kathy Wallace*

✠ **POSTLUDE** by *Tracy (Yu) Qian*

Following today’s service please join us in the upstairs hall for coffee & conversation.



If you are **visiting** today, we thank you for coming and hope you return soon.

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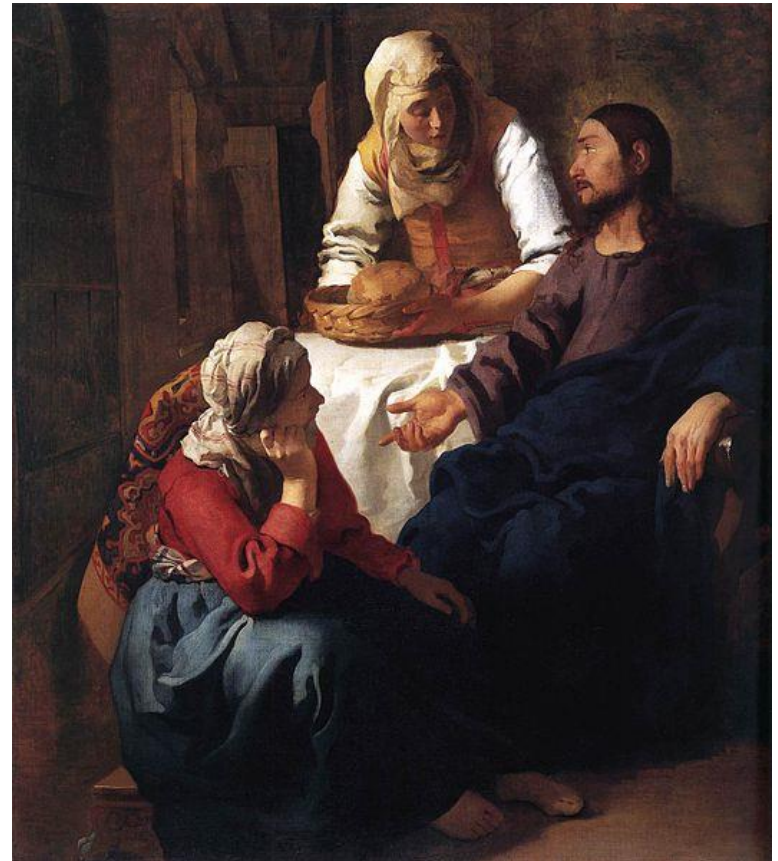
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April 3, 2022

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Today’s Worship Leaders:

Organist/Pianist: Tracy (Yu) Qian

Officer Assisting: Sally Kean

Pulpit Supply: Kathy Wallace, ruling elder

The Lord's Day Worship

April 3, 2022 - 5th Sunday of Lent - Worship, 11am

Assisted Listening Devices are available in the Sanctuary during Worship.

If you need instructions, please see the Greeter.

(Those not wanting to be seen on the video recording, please sit under the balcony.)

Hymnals: HB is "The Hymnbook" (burgundy) & HoF is "Hymns of Faith" (scarlet)

Gathering of God's People

After the chimes, please be in quiet reverence & silence cell phones.

3 RINGS OF THE STEEPLE BELL & CHIMES

WELCOME by Sally Kean

ANNOUNCEMENTS *(See insert.)*

PRELUDE by Tracy (Yu) Qian

† stand as able

† **CALL TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 71:15-16 *(responsively):*

My mouth will tell of your righteous deeds, of your saving acts all day long – though I know not how to relate them all.

I will come and proclaim your mighty acts, Sovereign Lord;

I will proclaim your righteous deeds, yours alone.

† **Opening Hymn HoF #200:** "Amazing Grace"

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** *(unison):*

We are to live under Biblical authority, and yet, O Lord, there are many times when we do not, thereby sinning. We are not worthy of your forgiveness, but Jesus for this you came. Have mercy on us. Save us from ourselves and our reckless ways, we pray.

(Pause in silent confession.)

† **ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS:** *(responsively)*

Hear the good news! Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ, and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us.

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.

The old life has gone; a new life has begun.

Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.

Amen.

† **GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE:** *(unison)* Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen, Amen.

Proclamation of God's Word

† **CALL TO GOD'S WORD:** John 10:35 & Romans 4:3 *(unison)*

"Scripture cannot be set aside... What does Scripture say?"

† **PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION:** *(unison)*

Lord, through your Spirit enable us to consider your Word, and to enact it in our lives to bring you glory and praise. Amen.

SCRIPTURE:	Deuteronomy 6:3-6	O.T. pg. 258
<i>(Gospel Era of Jesus)</i>	Luke 10:38-42	N.T. pg. 1480

SERMON takeaway: "Things... Needed... Only One"

by Kathy Wallace, ruling elder

Response to God's Word

† **Hymn of Response HoF #197:** "Blessed Assurance"

PRAYERS of JOYS & CONCERNS followed by **LORD'S PRAYER** *(unison)*

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.

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

OFFERTORY to prayerfully consider giving in thankfulness.

(Receptacles for offerings are found at each exit.)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

† **DOXOLOGY:** *(unison)* Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.