

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

March 20, 2022

THE CHURCH GATHERS

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

INTROIT

“Ach Gott Und Herr”

Michael Burkhardt

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

***RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Brooks Sheldon, Liturgist

Leader: O God, you are my God, I seek you, my soul thirsts for you;

People: **My flesh faints for you, as in a dry and weary land where
there is no water.**

Leader: So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary,
beholding your power and glory.

People: **Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you.**

Leader: So I will bless you as long as I live;

People: **I will lift up my hands and call on your name.**

***HYMN #320**

“Trust and Obey”

Sammis/Towner

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

*Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly
confess our sins and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart,
nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justice,
loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. Have mercy on us, O God,
in your loving kindness. In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin.
Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Do not cast
us from your presence, or take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of
your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit. Amen.*

***ASSURANCE OF GOD’S FORGIVENESS**

Leader: Friends, hear and believe the gospel:

All: **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!**

***Joyful Response #43**

“Glory Be To The Father”

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.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Leader: As God in Christ forgives us, let us forgive one another,
The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

WE RESPOND TO GOD WITH OFFERINGS AND PRAISE

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Were You There?"

Charles Callahan

***DOXOLOGY**

OLD HUNDREDTH

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

KID'S CHURCH *(5th grade and younger)*

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST READING:

Isaiah 55:1-13

ANTHEM

"Blessings"

Laura Story

SECOND READING:

Luke 13:1-9

SERMON

"Why Don't You Repent?"

Dr. Walker

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *(The Apostle's Creed)*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***HYMN #297**

"Grace Greater than Our Sin"

Johnston/Towner

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

"Duke Street"

Hal H. Hopson

() We stand as we are able.*

*The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God
and in celebration of Dr. Bradley Knox Walker's installation
as Pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Moultrie.*

By Chas, Beth, Catherine, and Allie Cannon

Announcements

TODAY, Sunday, March 20 at 3 p.m. PASTOR INSTALLATION SERVICE & RECEPTION
Monday, March 21 at Noon CORNERSTONE'S MEETING
Wednesday, March 23 at 5:30 p.m. WATCH SUPPER
Saturday, March 26 at Noon FAMILY SPORTS DAY & PICNIC
Thursday, March 31 at 11 a.m. CORNERSTONES: LUNCH ON THE ROAD

TODAY, Sunday, March 20, 2022 **PASTOR INSTALLATION SERVICE & RECEPTION**

Rev. Dr. Bradley Knox Walker's Installation Service as Pastor
First Presbyterian Church, Moultrie GA.
Sunday, March 20, 2022, 3 p.m. in the sanctuary
with reception following in the fellowship hall

Liturgy Schedule

March 27: Connie Fritz
April 3: Elizabeth Strickland
April 10: Click Peters
April 17: John Carlton
April 24: Henry Klar

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEACON OF THE MONTH: Jay Ussery

ELDER OF THE MONTH: Dan Jeter

Presbyterian Women: Lenten Devotion Project

The mission of CFC is to support future leaders of Christ's Church by praying for the students of Columbia Theological Seminary, encouraging men and women to consider ministry, and providing financial assistance through selected projects that help meet the seminary's needs. CFC's 2022 fundraising goal is \$60,000, which will provide 5 scholarships.

Throughout the Lenten season, the Presbyterian Women will collect donations for Columbia Friendship Circle (CFC). The offering will be paired with the yearly Lenten study. Devotional booklets, offering containers, and informational brochures with offering envelopes will be available on the table outside the church office. The Lenten study will run through Easter, April 17th. Please pick up these materials at your convenience and return them to the office or in the collection baskets in the church narthex each Sunday.

Make checks payable to PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN. Please consider donating for the students who will be our pastors in the future.

HELPING HANDS COLLECTION BOX

This quarter we are collecting items for **The Forgotten Initiative** in the Helping Hands box in the Fellowship Hall. When children first come into foster care, they may arrive with only the inadequate clothes on their backs. DFACS maintains a closet to assist these children and the foster families with items for their first night. Right now diaper bags and all sizes of underwear are particularly needed.

Please make your reservation for WATCH SUPPER

MENU for MARCH 23, 2022

REGULAR/CHILDREN: Bar-b-que, Brunswick Stew, Fries, Slaw

DIET: Baked Chicken, Steamed Vegetables, Salad Bar

DESSERTS: Georgia Cornbread Cake, M and M Bars, Cookies, Ice Cream

MENU for MARCH 30, 2022

REGULAR/CHILDREN: Fried Cubed Steak, Rice, Garden Peas, Yam Patties, Rolls, Blueberry Salad

DIET: Baked Chicken, Steamed Vegetables, Salad Bar

DESSERTS: Cherry Dump Cake, Baked Fudgy Pudding, Ice Cream, Cookies

Name/Family: _____

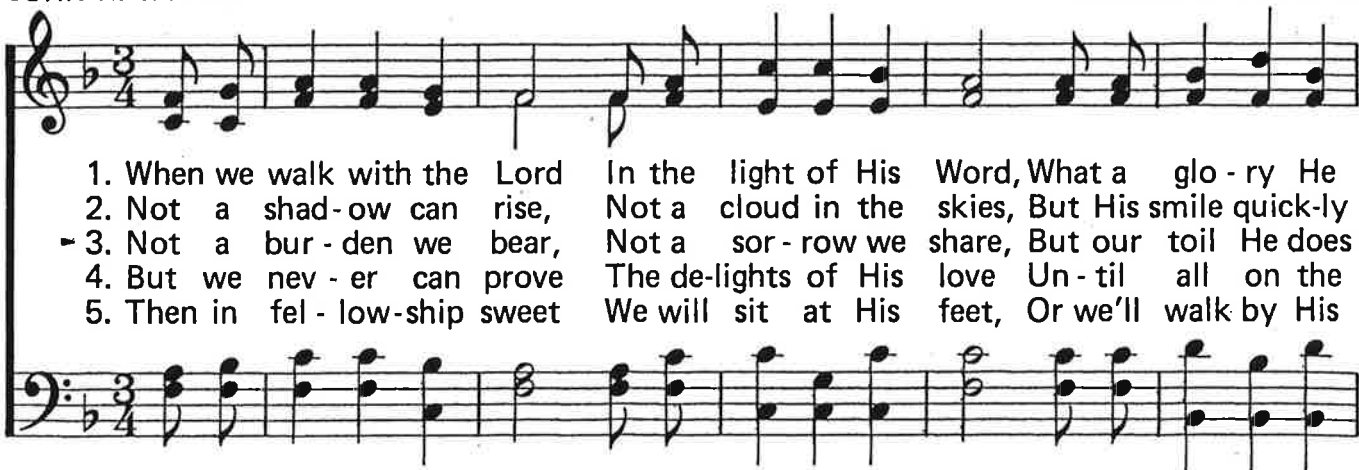
Permanent Reservation: _____ This week only: _____

How many? Regular _____ Diet: _____ Children: _____

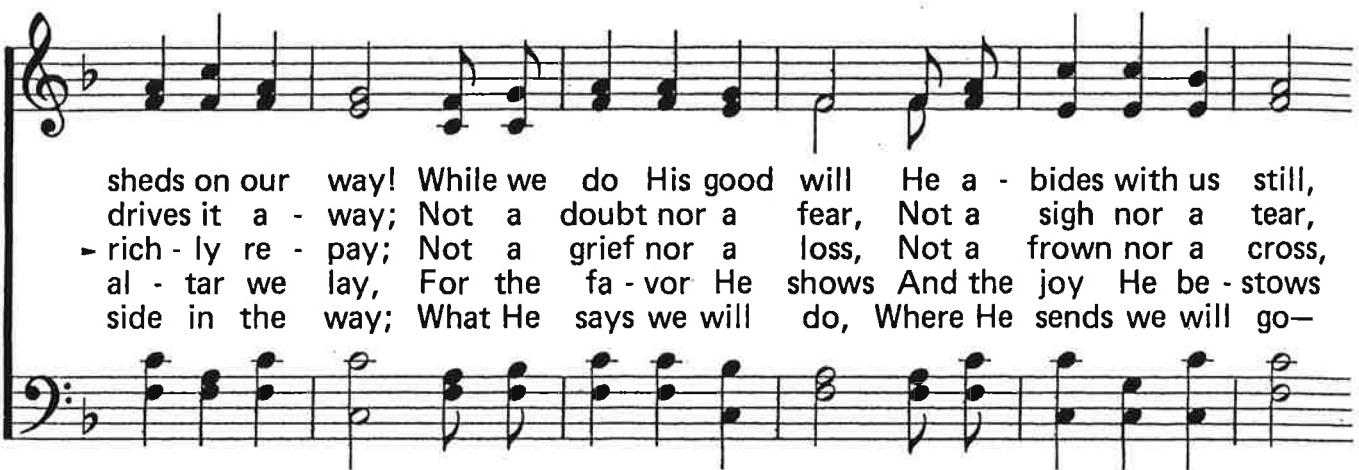
320 — Trust and Obey

JOHN H. SAMMIS

DANIEL B. TOWNER

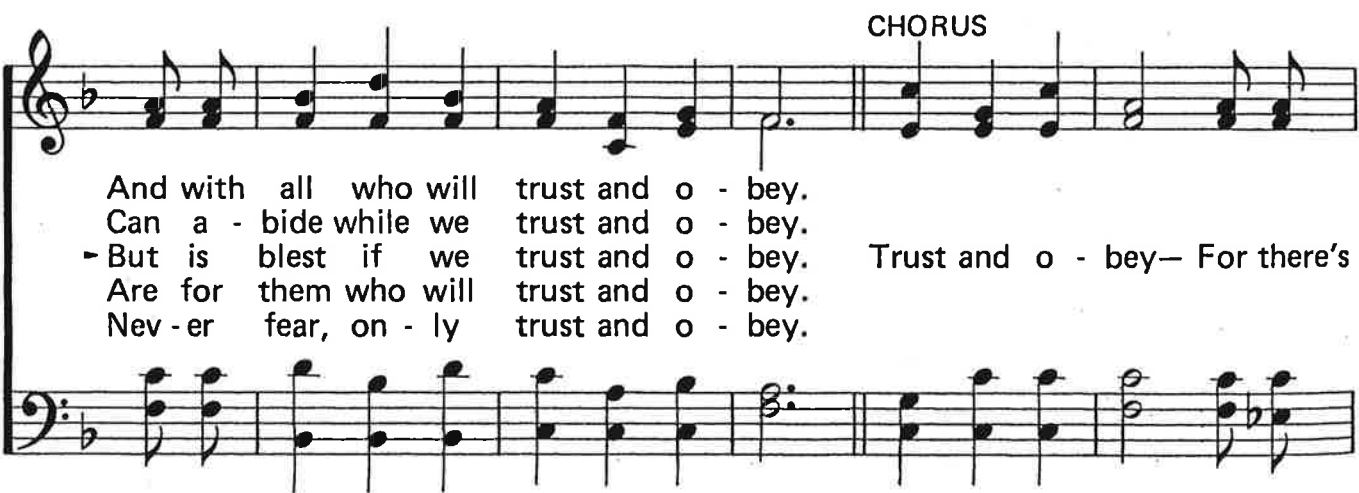


1. When we walk with the Lord In the light of His Word, What a glo - ry He
 2. Not a shad - ow can rise, Not a cloud in the skies, But His smile quick - ly
 - 3. Not a bur - den we bear, Not a sor - row we share, But our toil He does
 4. But we nev - er can prove The de - lights of His love Un - til all on the
 5. Then in fel - low - ship sweet We will sit at His feet, Or we'll walk by His

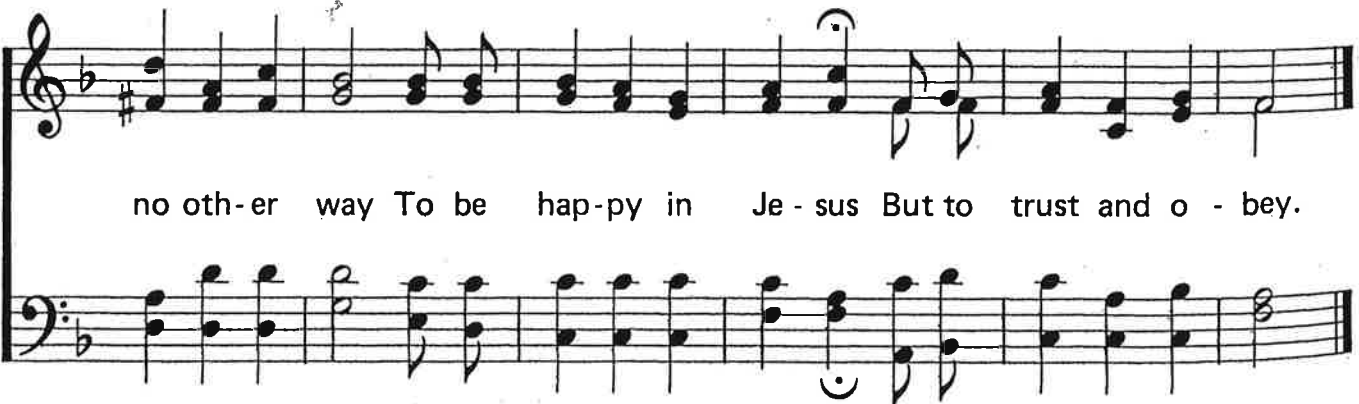


sheds on our way! While we do His good will He a - bides with us still,
 drives it a - way; Not a doubt nor a fear, Not a sigh nor a tear,
 - rich - ly re - pay; Not a grief nor a loss, Not a frown nor a cross,
 al - tar we lay, For the fa - vor He shows And the joy He be - stows
 side in the way; What He says we will do, Where He sends we will go—

CHORUS



And with all who will trust and o - bey.
 Can a - bide while we trust and o - bey.
 - But is blest if we trust and o - bey. Trust and o - bey— For there's
 Are for them who will trust and o - bey.
 Nev - er fear, on - ly trust and o - bey.




no oth - er way To be hap - py in Je - sus But to trust and o - bey.



297 — Grace Greater Than Our Sin

JULIA H. JOHNSTON


DANIEL B. TOWNER




1. Mar - vel - ous grace of our lov - ing Lord, Grace that ex - ceeds our
 2. Sin and de - spair, like the sea - waves cold, Threat - en the soul with
 3. Dark is the stain that we can - not hide— What can a - vail to
 4. Mar - vel - ous, in - fi - nite, match - less grace, Free - ly be - stowed on



sin and our guilt! Yon - der on Cal - va - ry's mount out - poured—
 in - fi - nite loss; Grace that is great - er—yes, grace un - told—
 wash it a - way? Look! there is flow - ing a crim - son tide—
 all who be - lieve! You that are long - ing to see His face,





CHORUS



There where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.
 Points to the ref - uge, the might - y cross. Grace, grace,
 Whit - er than snow you may be to - day. Mar - vel - ous grace,
 Will you this mo - ment His grace re - ceive?

God's grace, Grace that will par - don and cleanse with - in; Grace,
 in - fi - nite grace, Mar - vel - ous

grace, God's grace, Grace that is great - er than all our sin!
 in - fi - nite grace,

