

**FEDERATED CHURCH OF HYANNIS  
ORDER OF WORSHIP  
March 29, 2026**

*~Reminder – please silence all cell phones before the Worship Service begins~*

**PRELUDE**     *“Sicilienne”*, Maria-Theresa von Paradis     Greg Gettel, Trumpet Soloist

**WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PASSING OF THE PEACE WITH THE CONGREGATION  
PRESENT AND ONLINE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP (all)** *from Psalm 118:1-2; 19-29*

Pastor: Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!  
Let Israel say, “His steadfast love endures forever.”

**People: Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord. This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it.**

Pastor: I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation. The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone. This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

**People: This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. Save us, we pray, O Lord! O Lord, we pray, give us success!**

Pastor: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord.

**People: The Lord is God, and he has made his light to shine upon us. Bind the festal sacrifice with cords, up to the horns of the altar! You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you.**

**All: Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!**

**HYMN OF PRAISE #191     “What Wondrous Love Is This”     vs. 1, 3, 4**

*I What wondrous love is this,  
O my soul, O my soul,  
What wondrous love is this,  
O my soul!  
What wondrous love is this  
That caused the Lord of bliss  
To bear the dreadful curse  
for my soul, for my soul,  
To bear the dreadful curse for my soul.*

*3 To God and to the Lamb,  
I will sing, I will sing,  
To God and to the Lamb, I will sing;  
To God and to the Lamb  
Who is the great I AM,  
While millions join the theme,  
I will sing, I will sing;  
While millions join the theme I will sing.*

*4 And when from death I'm free,  
I'll sing on, I'll sing on,  
And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on;  
And when from death I'm free,  
I'll sing and joyful be,  
And through eternity  
I'll sing on, I'll sing on,  
And through eternity I'll sing on.*

#### **INVOCATION (all)**

**Almighty and everloving God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.***

#### **WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

#### **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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

#### **\*GLORIA PATRI**

***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.***

#### **THE WORD OF GOD**

The Old Testament: Isaiah 44:21-28

The New Testament: 2 Peter 3:8-9

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Lay Reader Susan Gilchrist

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**SPECIAL MUSIC**    *“Vocalise”*, Sergey Rachmaninoff    Greg Gettel, Trumpet Soloist

**SERMON**            **“Lent Week 6: A Call to Return”**            **Pastor Dave McPherson**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTORAL PRAYER**

**PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY**            *“Help Us Accept Each Other”*, J. Beck            Roy Campbell

**DOXOLOGY**

*Praise God from who all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**\*CLOSING HYMN #334**                            **“Amazing Grace”**                            vs. 1, 4, 6

*1 Amazing grace! how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found;  
Was blind, but now I see.*

*4 The Lord has promised good to me,  
His word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.*

*6 When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we first begun.*

**\*COMMUNAL LENTEN BENEDICTION (all)**

*Show favor to your people, O Lord, who turn to you in weeping, fasting, and prayer.  
For you are a merciful God, full of compassion, long-suffering, and abounding in  
steadfast love. You spare when we deserve punishment, and in your wrath you  
remember mercy. Spare your people, good Lord, spare us; in the multitude of your  
mercies, look upon us and forgive us; through the merits and mediation of your blessed  
Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

**POSTLUDE**            *“La Vaillance”*, G.P. Telemann            Greg Gettel, Trumpet Soloist

\*Please stand if you are able

*Please join us for Coffee Hour in Baldwin Hall following the Worship Service*

*This morning we welcome Greg Gettel, trumpet soloist. Greg graduated with a Masters from N. E. C. He is a busy Boston freelance trumpet player and a faculty member of several schools in the Boston area.*

This Week

Sunday, March 29 – Faith Formation, 8:45 am (P)  
Worship Service, 10:00 am (S)  
Coffee Hour, 11:00 am (BH)  
NA, 6:00 pm (BH)

Monday, March 30 – AA, 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, March 31- Cranberry Shores Chorus, 6:00-10:00 pm (BH)

Thursday, April 2 – Maundy Thursday Service, 7:00 pm

Friday, April 3 - Good Friday Service, 12:00 noon

Saturday, April 4 – NA, 7:30 pm, (BMR)

Sunday, April 5 – Easter Sunrise Service, 6:00 am, St. Andrew's by the Sea Church  
Easter Service, 10:00 am (S)  
Coffee Hour, 11:00 am (BH)  
NA, 6:00 pm (BH)

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# VOCALISE

Opus 34, No. 14  
for Violin and Piano\*

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SERGEI RACHMANINOFF  
(1873-1943)

*Lentamente. Molto cantabile*

Violin

PIANO

*poco più animato*

\*Originally for Voice and Piano.

→\*\*\*) When repeating, play an octave lower on the G string.

