

Order of Worship

Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 27, 2022 10:00 AM

Welcome to this time of worship, as we gather in the name of Jesus Christ.

Prelude

Lenten Prayer

Wissinger

Angel Ringers

***Greeting**

Leader: Come, let us celebrate the forgiving, reconciling love of God.

**People: For once we were lost and felt so far away;
now we have been found and welcomed home.**

Leader: Know that God's love is lavished upon you forever.

People: We rejoice at the news of forgiveness and hope!

Leader: Come, let us celebrate and praise the God of Love.

People: Amen!

***Hymn**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

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***Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon**

Rev. Nilse Furtado-Gilliam

Leader: O Most Patient God,
we recognize how much we need you for life itself.
But how often have we behaved
as if we did not know or even care about you?
How often have we ignored the needs of others,
focusing only on ourselves?
How often have we neglected to carry out justice?
How often have we participated in the desolation of your creation
by our treatment of the earth?

People: Forgive us for these times when we have lost our way.

Leader: All Loving God, we want to be among those whom you seek.
Shower your mercy upon us
and lead us safely home to faithfulness.

My friends, when we are lost, all is not lost.
God is seeking us, ready to turn our lives around,
gathering us into the people of God.

Let us rejoice in God's mercy!

People: Amen.

Welcome

Rev. Furtado-Gilliam

Anthem

Come, Let Us Sing

Raquel M. Martinez

Children's Choir

Children's Message

Scripture

Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Are You Talking to Me?

Rev. Tracy McNeil Wines

The Power of Family Dynamics

Leader: As we close, let us respond together:

Response: Lord, you are talking to me. I am listening!

Offering

You are invited to make your offering to support the ministry and mission of Clarendon UMC. You may text to give at 84321 or go to the Online Worship page of our website and click "Make your online offering."

Prayer of the People

Rev. Furtado-Gilliam

***Hymn**

Lord, I Need You

Benediction

Rev. Wines

Postlude

God Is So Good!

arr. Fran Trezona

Clarendon Ringers

We welcome Chris Cooper, guest organist.