

**Community Presbyterian Church**

10:30 am March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent

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Preaching: Beverly Logsdon Musician: Donna Bennett

Ushers:

**Prelude** (A Time of Quiet Meditation)

\* **Passing of the Peace** – May the peace of Christ be with you  
**And also with you**

**Announcements/Birthdays/Anniversaries**

**Call to Worship**

L: The message of the cross sounds foolish to the world;

**C: But to us it is the power of God!**

L: We proclaim the scandal of Christ crucified.

**C: The foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than our strength.**

\***Hymn #372** “Lord, I Want to Be a Christian”

\***Call to Confession**

\* **Prayer of Confession (unison)**

Merciful God, how fickle we are; we sin against you without even knowing it. Clear us, we pray, of any unknown sin, and save us from willfully ignoring your way. Let your commandments rule and guide us. Forgive us for worshiping anyone or anything except you keep us faithful. Forgive us for failing to honor all our relationships—with those closest to us and those who are distant neighbors. Help us to speak words of blessing and kindness, rather than words that belittle or destroy. Turn us away from violence, falsehood, and selfishness. Forgive us for thinking everything depends on our efforts and power, for you are the God who made us, led us out slavery, and has brought us into the community of faith. Help us to depend on you alone and to rest in your peace. In Christ’s name we pray. Amen.

\***Assurance of Pardon**

\***Gloria #579**

**People for Prayer/ Prayer/Lord’s Prayer**

**Hymn #92** “Beneath the Cross of Jesus”

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Scripture**

John 2:13-22

**Sermon**

"Jesus in the Temple”

**Sacrament of Holy Communion**

**Offertory:**

\* **Doxology #593**

\* **Prayer of Dedication**

\* **Hymn #302** “I Danced in the Morning”

\***Benediction**

\***Congregational Response** “Alleluia”

\***Postlude**

\***Please stand if able.**

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**Announcements:**

Kingdom Kids (replacing Sunday School for now due to Covid):  
Every Wednesday 2:30-4:30pm

Pray for those at home and in rehab: Kingsley) Anna Packard,  
(Lawton Senior Living) Betty Law, Audrey Jensen, (Sunrise)  
Delores Handke, (At Home) Velura Stilwell,

Recent Prayer Request: Murleen Holmes family, All in Texas  
dealing with the cold & loss of electricity.

**Calendar of Events**

March 7<sup>th</sup> – Communion Sunday  
March 9<sup>th</sup> – Session Meeting 7pm  
March 14<sup>th</sup> – Daylight Savings begins  
March 28<sup>th</sup> – Palm Sunday  
April 1<sup>st</sup> – Maundy Thursday  
April 2<sup>nd</sup> – Good Friday  
April 4<sup>th</sup> – Easter Sunday

**Contact People:**

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Thursday  
Clerk of Session: Nancy Todd