

FEBRUARY 28, 2021

2ND SUNDAY IN LENT

PREPARE TO WORSHIP

*I Come to the Cross*

WELCOME AND COLONIAL NEWS

OPENING PRAYER

*His Name is Wonderful* - sung softly

SCRIPTURE LESSON

**MATTHEW 21:12-13**

<sup>12</sup> And Jesus entered the temple of God<sup>[a]</sup> and drove out all who sold and bought in the temple, and he overturned the tables of the money-changers and the seats of those who sold pigeons. <sup>13</sup> He said to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer'; but you make it a den of robbers."

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(Including time for individual, silent prayers of confession)...Amen.

Response in Music

*Jesus, Remember Me When You Come Into Your Kingdom*  
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE GOOD NEWS

The Lord is merciful and gracious,  
**slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.**  
God does not deal with us according to our sins,  
**nor punish us according to our failures.**  
For as the heavens are high above the earth,  
**so great is God's steadfast love toward those who fear Him;**  
as far as the east is from the west,  
**so far does God remove our transgressions from us.**  
Believe this Good News, and share God's love with each other....

\*LIVING THE GOOD NEWS

(Please turn and wave to your sisters and brothers in Christ)

SCRIPTURE LESSON

**MATTHEW 21: 14-17**

<sup>14</sup> And the blind and the lame came to him in the temple, and he healed them. <sup>15</sup> But when the chief priests and the scribes saw the wonderful things that he did, and the children crying out in the temple, "Hosanna to the Son of David!" they were indignant; <sup>16</sup> and they said to him, "Do you hear what these are saying?" And Jesus said to them, "Yes; have you never read, 'Out of the mouth of babes and sucklings thou hast brought perfect praise'?" <sup>17</sup> And leaving them, he went out of the city to Bethany and lodged there.

**SPECIAL MUSIC*****Oh How He Loves You and Me***  
**VIDEO****MESSAGE FOR ALL OF GOD'S CHILDREN****SCRIPTURE LESSON****MATTHEW 21: 23-27**

<sup>23</sup> And when he entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came up to him as he was teaching, and said, "By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?" <sup>24</sup> Jesus answered them, "I also will ask you a question; and if you tell me the answer, then I also will tell you by what authority I do these things. <sup>25</sup> The baptism of John, whence was it? From heaven or from men?" And they argued with one another, "If we say, 'From heaven,' he will say to us, 'Why then did you not believe him?' <sup>26</sup> But if we say, 'From men,' we are afraid of the multitude; for all hold that John was a prophet." <sup>27</sup> So they answered Jesus, "We do not know." And he said to them, "Neither will I tell you by what authority I do these things.

**Meditation****Manic Monday****PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, ENDING WITH THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done in 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.

***All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!*** – sung softly

**\*GO AND SPREAD THE GOOD NEWS*****Weekly Opportunities at CPC***

- Monday Lenten Bible Study - by Zoom at 7 pm
- Daily Lenten E-mails
- Daily Devotional Booklet for all ages
- Wednesday Bible Study
- Wednesday Prayer Service

(posts can all be found on our Facebook page Colonial Presbyterian Roanoke)

- Youth – Each Sunday Evening and Mid-Day Wednesday
- Men's Bible Study on Zoom Saturday, March 6th