

# Traditional Worship

March 22, 2026  
8:45 am



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Lent



## Worship Notes

*...making our worship more  
meaningful & understandable*

If you are tuning in to **Cherry Creek**, welcome and thank you for worshipping with us on this Sunday morning.

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**Greeting...not merely shaking hands.** Our most distinguishing feature as Christians ought to be seen in the ways we love each other. As we welcome new members into our congregation today, we are all reminded of our covenantal responsibilities to love God and each other. May we think lovingly, speak gently and act kindly toward one another. Our love for each other is our strongest witness to the world that the life, the death and the resurrection of Jesus are true and that they mean something to us!

## God Gathers Us

### Prelude

Steal Away to Jesus - Raymond Haan

### Welcome

Call to Worship - from Psalm 139

### Invocation

### Introit

Light Everlasting - arr. Christiansen

### Gathering Hymn

#384 Rock of Ages

### Words of Assurance

Gloria Patri no. 733

## We Respond to God's Presence

### Anthem

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross - arr. Martin

### Worship Through Giving

### Prayers of the People

Leader: Lord, in your mercy  
People: Hear our prayer.

Doxology no. 34 - OLD 100TH

## New Members Being Received Today

Zach Adkison, Jamie Anderson, Jeffrey Baumgartel, Linda Baumgartel, Gwen Boonstra, Doug Boonstra, Ashley Brown, TJ Brown, Dan Buschbach, Nancy Buschbach, Shawna Cogar, Steven Cogar, Michael Gaessler, John Hsieh, Sharon Hsieh, Pamela Jacques, Debbie Lew, Nathan Lew, Lisa Marcus, Anil Nati, Monica Nati, Jeanette Newville, Linda Sybesma, Vern Sybesma, June Vanourek, Robert Vanourek, James Wilcox, Mary Wilcox, David Woodman

## **Announcements**

## **Greeting**

## God Reveals His Word to Us

## **Song of Illumination**

Invocation of the Light - Peters Branch

**Sermon** Rev. Dr. Brad Strait

Scripture: Genesis 3:1-12 (page 3 in pew Bible)

Series: Godspeed Pilgrim

Message: What Do Fearful Children Do?

## We Go Forth in Joy

## **Hymn of Response**

Holy, Holy, Holy - Trad.

## **Benediction**

## **Postlude**

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty! - Rick Seaton

## **Prayer for the Week**

Lord,  
help me not to despise or oppose what I do not understand.  
(William Penn)

**Prayer chain** If you would like to be kept up-to-date on prayer needs in our church body, please sign up for the CCPC Prayer chain at [ccpcprays@ccpc.life](mailto:ccpcprays@ccpc.life)

**May We Pray With You?** When we join together in prayer, there is a particular power available from God. If you would like prayer and/or prayer for healing, please come forward after the service to find a pastor or elder and we'd love to pray for you and/or anoint you with oil (per James 5).

**Assisting in Worship** Sanctuary Choir; Brian Trevor, guest conductor; David Knopp & Tech Team; Usher Team

**Giving** In response to God's goodness, we are called to offer our whole selves—heart and mind, soul, and strength—in joyful adoration in our daily lives. One way we do that is through giving financially, which you can do in person after the service, by mail or here: <https://cherrycreekpres.org/give>



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Invocation

Gathering Songs

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus - Sovereign Grace

Build My Life - Nockels

Firm Foundation (He Won't) - Carnes

Gloria Patri

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No Longer Slaves - Bethel

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