Beloved Siblings in Christ,

As we approach this third Sunday of Lent, we have the opportunity to ask what would Jesus overturn (aka change) in the church. As we wrestle with this story of Jesus overturning tables in the temple, we are reminded that Jesus did not come to maintain the status quo, but to bring us good news of new life and God's grace. As we continue on this Lenten journey, I hope that you are reading our devotional, Local Pilgrim, from the Presbyterian Outlook.

I continue to give thanks for this journey of life and faith that we are on together. I am grateful for those who have already taken the time to meet with me and share their PFPC stories. I look forward to continued opportunities to meet with you, learn about you, and PFPC.

## Prayer for the third week in Lent:

Eternal God, your kingdom has broken into our troubled world through the life, death, and resurrection of your Son. Help us to hear your Word and obey it, that we may become instruments of your saving love; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen. *Book of Common Worship, PCUSA* 

**Scripture texts for this Sunday:** 1 Corinthians 2:13-22 and John 2:13-22 I hope you will take time to read and reflect on this week's texts prior to Sunday worship.

## Zoom link for Sunday worship:

## <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87540187211?pwd=bCt1ZFRXL2VHZ2pncm1kSkJx</u> Yk4zUT09

Grace + Peace + Love, Crystal

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