

TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY

February 7, 2016

10:30 am

(* Please Stand as

Bold Print - Please Say In Unison

"Each of us has to discover his own path—of that I am sure. Some paths will be spectacular and others peaceful and quiet—who is to say which is the most important? For me the most rewarding moments have not always been the great moments—for what can surpass a tear on your departure, joy on your return, or a trusting hand in yours? "Most of all I am thankful for the tasks still left to do—for the adventures still lying ahead—yes, there is plenty left to do."

-Edmund Hillary - first of two men to stand atop Mt Everest

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Blessing”

Steven Zych

WELCOME -Please sign the Pew Pad & pass it to the next person

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Something drew us together this morning

All: Something we can't name but which we experience in worship

One: Some holy mystery we call God

All: Some sacred calling we hear in the life of Jesus

One: Some indescribable hope we feel when we gather in the Spirit

All: May our experience of the Divine transform our doubts and fears and prepare us to love the world.

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

O God, you are beyond words and description, your love is beyond knowledge and explanation. Make our hearts ready to receive you. Change us, we pray, that our lives may reflect the glory of your transfiguration. We rejoice in the power of your Holy Spirit. Amen.

SONGS

“Upslope Road”

SB #167

“I Want Jesus To Walk With Me”

SB #67

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE/ TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

HEBREW BIBLE READING

Exodus 34:29-35

The Old Testament reading tells the story of Moses on Sinai. It was on Mount Sinai that Moses received the Ten Commandments from God. When he descends his face is shining with brightness so unnatural that it unnerves the Israelites, so Moses covers his face with a veil. The message we learn from this is that the Israelites were unprepared or unwilling to encounter God's glory. Are you?

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

One: Peter, James, and John went up on the side of a mountain with Jesus and experienced glory. But then Peter wanted to stay. “It's good for us to be here. Let's get comfortable.” We are also often tempted to keep the experience of the Divine to ourselves, to enjoy the company of the saints instead of going back down the mountain to continue the work of the Kingdom of God. God knows this temptation of our hearts, so let us confess and pray for forgiveness.

All: God of glory and light, forgive us when we are complacent and comfortable with keeping the riches of your love to ourselves. Keep calling us down from our mountains of privilege. Keep expecting more of us as your disciples. Keep reminding us to listen to your Son, in whose name we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

One: Whether we hear a voice from the heavens or a still small voice in our hearts, listen carefully for the love of God. Believe and accept God's love, and live in God's freedom.

All: We believe! Thanks be to God!

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

Luke 9:28-43a

MESSAGE

“Mountaintop Experiences”

SONG

“God Is So Good”

SB#24

OFFERTORY

***CALYPSO DOXOLOGY**

SB #3

HOLY COMMUNION

UMH #9

SONG

“Someday”

SB#150

***SENDING FORTH**

POSTLUDE

El Shaddai, Michael Card and John Thompson

Please remain seated until the Postlude has ended.

Thank you for worshipping with us. We invite you to join us for coffee and friendship following this worship service in Fellowship hall – downstairs below the Sanctuary.

Our Mission is:
"To Make Christ Known"

Our Church serves our community and the world, by realizing and sharing the satisfying and abundant life Christ brings to all people. Our Church is a place where love is present, hurts are healed, joys and concerns are shared and supported by prayer.

WE WELCOME YOU!

Thank you for worshipping with us today. We are glad you are here! Please complete the information in our Friendship Book (black folder) located at the end of the pew along the center aisle. Our Worship Services are 9:00 AM and 10:30 AM Sunday and 6:00 PM Wednesday Night in Fellowship Hall. Join us for a potluck supper at 5:30 PM.

CHILD CARE

Children's Church is celebrated at the 9:00 AM Service. Children from pre-school through 3rd Grade attend the beginning of Service than leave with Barb Gausman after the Prayers of the People and Time with the Children. Younger and older Children are encouraged to sit in Worship with their family. There are cloth bags in the back of the sanctuary with crayons and activities and also a basket of small toys for your child to use if they remain in the Sanctuary.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Kid's Club, Christian Education for Children, Kindergarten through 6th Grade, takes place on Wednesday Nights from 6-7 during the school year in Classroom 203. A Pre-school class is also available in the Nursery across the Hall from the Kid's Club Room.

COFFEE HOUR IN FELLOWSHIP HALL

Please join us in Fellowship Hall following the 9:00 am worship service and prior to the 10:30 am worship service, for coffee and snacks. This is a great time to greet visitors and connect with your church family.

HOW TO REACH US

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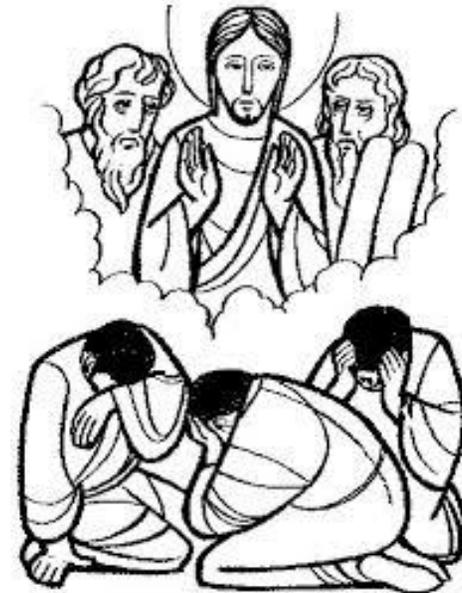
Church Office Hours: T, W, Th 1:30PM – 5:00PM

To make an appointment with Pastor Barb, call her at 608.931.6804

Transfiguration Sunday

Jesus is transformed

and becomes radiant in glory upon a mountain



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