

Service of Worship

Transfiguration of the Lord

February 23, 2020 10:15 AM

*Please rise as able

-- Prepare Our Hearts --

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

by Farjeon

“Morning Has Broken”

Morning has broken like the first morning; blackbird has spoken like the first bird. Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word...

The Light of God Enters

Call to Worship

Leader: Come to the mountain, you people of God.

All: We come to hear God's Word.

Leader: Come, you sisters, to proclaim God's greatness.

Women: For the Lord is righteous and just!

Leader: Come, you brothers, to proclaim God's goodness.

Men: For the Lord is the Holy One!

Leader: Come, to proclaim God's glory.

All: For the Lord is clothed with light!

Leader: Come, you people, to the mountain of God.

All: For we are gathered to worship the Lord.

*Hymn of Praise

Hymnal No. 1

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!”

Prayer of Confession

Leader: Let us gather before our shining savior to confess our sins that we might be forgiven.

People: Holy God, when you call us to act with great boldness, we tremble at your mighty presence and cover our eyes. We are afraid for your greatness unveils our weakness, your justice unveils our brokenness, and your holiness unveils our stained past. O Lord, hear our prayer. Giver of all grace, forgive us our sins. Give us the strength to renounce that which hides you from us. Give us the wisdom to execute justice and righteousness. Give us the courage to uncover our hearts so that we

may go about this world reflecting the glory of your Son, Jesus Christ.

We Offer Our Own Confessions in Silence

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Friends, hear the Good News of the Gospel: the brilliance of Christ's presence before us outshines the darkness of our sin.

People: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

*Response

Hymnal No. 451

**Open my eyes, that I may see glimpses of truth thou hast for me.
Place in my hands the wonderful key
that shall unclasp and set me free.**

Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see.

Open my eyes; illumine me, Spirit divine!

*Passing of the Peace

-- Receive God's Word --

Children's Sermon

*Hymn

Hymnal No. 450

“Be Thou My Vision”

Prayer for Understanding

Old Testament Lesson (OT Page 81)

Exodus 34:29-35

New Testament Lesson (NT Page 69)

Luke 9: 28-36

Sermon

“Do You Shine?”

-- Respond in Faith --

Musical Offering

by Kendrick

“Shine, Jesus, Shine”

*Lord, the light of Your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness shining,
Jesus, Light of the world shine upon us, Set us free by the truth
You now bring us, Shine on me, shine on me.*

Chorus: Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory.

Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.

Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy.

Send forth Your word, Lord, and let there be light.

*Lord, I come to Your awesome presence, From the shadows into
Your radiance. By the blood I may enter Your brightness, search me try
me consume all my darkness, Shine on me, shine on me.*

Chorus

*As we gaze on Your kingly brightness, so our faces display Your likeness,
Ever changing from glory to glory, mirrored here may
our lives tell Your story. Shine on me, shine on me.*

Chorus

*Nicene Creed Hymnal Pg. 34

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer (*debts/debtors*) Hymnal Pg. 35

Giving of Our Tithes, Offerings, and Selves

Musical Offertory arranged by De Cou

"Sun of My Soul"

*Doxology Hymnal No. 606

*Prayer of Dedication

Gracious God, upon this bright mountain you bless us with your presence and shower us with the gift of your grace. May these offerings be used to reflect your glory in a world that is in desperate need of it. Amen.

*Hymn of Commitment Hymnal No. 749

"Come! Live in the Light!"

*Blessing

*Choral Benediction by Smith

Lord, let Your light, Light of Your face shine on us...

That we may be saved, that we may have life.

To find our way in the darkest night, let Your light shine on us.

*The Light of God Goes with Us into the World

*Postlude by Routley

"Let All the World in Every Corner Sing"

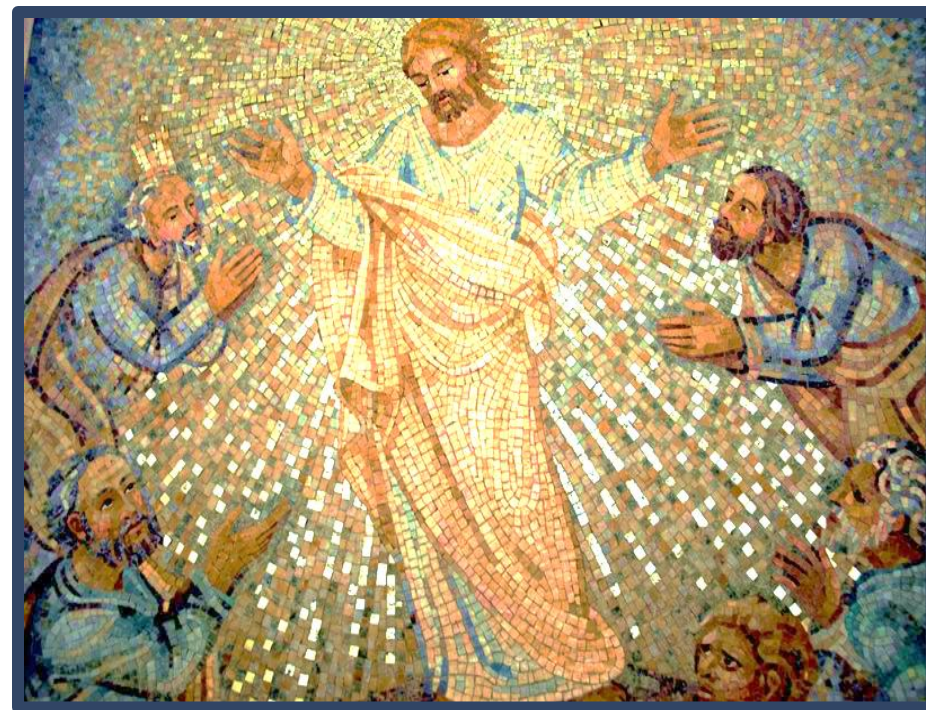
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Participants in today's service: Brian Crane (prelude), Wendy Adelsberger (worship leader), Henry Cotner (acolyte), Senior Choir (musical offering and benediction), Scott Romberger & Rhonda Seebold (deacons), Scott Lawvere (pianist), Joy Christian (organist), Bryan Holmes (children's sermon and sermon).



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