

Transfiguration Sunday

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Welcome to worship! So glad you're here!

To assist in your worship: * means stand as you are able, **bold** print means we respond together + means you may make the sign of the cross, should you choose.

TODAY'S WORSHIP THEME:

The Pharisees couldn't understand how a sinner that works on the sabbath could also perform miracles like healing a man born blind. They would have to wrestle with this inconsistency of thought.



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GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE

OPENING PRAISE

Forever

C. Tomlin

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Jesus calls us into this house of worship.

We come with open ears, minds, and hearts.

We allow Jesus to challenge our assumptions,

And we grow in faith and understanding.

*GATHERING SONG

This Little Light of Mine

#677

*GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

*KYRIE



***HYMN OF PRAISE**

Glory to You



1 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
2 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
3 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;



yours is the prom - ise, the bless - ing, the birth.
yours the ho - san - nas, the dy - ing, re - birth.
yours the a - noint - ing, the ra - di - ant worth.



Ours the re - joic - ing for Word giv - en frame;
Ours the re - joic - ing for na - ture re - claimed;
Ours the re - joic - ing for spir - its a - flame;



ours the thanks - giv - ing to your ho - ly name.



Ours be the tell - ing of deeds great - ly done;



yours be the glo - ry, O God, yours a - lone.

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Healing Lord, **When Jesus healed the man born blind, the Pharisees didn't know how to interpret the signs. Open our hearts so that we may receive what you offer—healing, faith, and new life. Amen.**

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

FIRST READING: Psalm 27 Pew Bible Old Testament Pg. 555

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



***GOSPEL** John 9:1-41 Pew Bible New Testament Pg.105

The Holy Gospel according to John the 9thchapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

The reading concludes: The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

Ron Nelson

*SERMON HYMN

Jesus on the Mountain Peak

#317

*APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

We pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

Light of the world, **hear our prayer.**

Heal us, teach us, embrace us, and hear the prayers of our hearts, O Lord. For your mercy is great and given freely to all. In Jesus' name we pray.

MEAL *God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.*

***THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord,**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right, and our duty...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

***SONG OF THANKSGIVING** *Holy, Holy, Holy*



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and

God of might, heav - en and earth are full of your

glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Bless - ed is the one who comes in the name of the



***WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

On the night our Lord Jesus was betrayed...we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

***LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

***BLESSING**

God, who leads you in pathways of righteousness, who rejoices over you, and who calls you by name, † bless your going out and your coming in, today and forever.
Amen.

***SENDING SONG**

When the Saints Go Marching In

Oh when the saints go marching in, Oh when the saints go marching in
Oh Lord I want be in that number. When the saints go marching in

And when the sun refuse to shine, Oh when the sun refuse to shine
Oh Lord I want to be in that number. When the saints go marching in

Oh when the trumpet sounds its call, Oh when the trumpet sounds its call
Oh Lord I want to be in that number. When the saints go marching in

Oh when the saints go marching in, Oh when the saints go marching in
Oh Lord I want be in that number. When the saints go marching in

***DISMISSAL**

Go with Christ into a weary world. Share the good news. **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE WITH HOLY COMMUNION ON THE LABYRINTH

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It is our joy to worship with you this morning!

CHILDCARE

We hope everyone of all ages and abilities will be able to worship together. A special play area is available at the back of the sanctuary. If you need to take a "time out" please do so in the narthex (gathering space at the entry), and return to worship when you are ready. A changing table is located in the restroom off the main entry. Activity bags, filled with crayons, paper and storybooks, are available in the play area. Please ask an usher if you need any assistance.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT *Christ Is Alive!*

OUR VISION STATEMENT

Christ Lutheran Church is a community of believers committed to praising our Savior Jesus Christ. With his love, we reach out to those in need and welcome all with open hearts. Our worship dynamically combines, word, song and prayer to share God's incredible message. Having faith in this, we go forth knowing that with God and the power of the Holy Spirit, anything is possible.

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