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Transfiguration Of Our Lord **February 11, 2024**

The Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor: *Let us open our Worship Service this morning in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. And all God's children said:*

"AMEN. PRAISE THE LORD!" (*Psalm 106:48*)

(Congregation Stands)

Hymn... **CH #648 & on screen** **"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"**

Confession... (Responsively): *Psalm 51:1-15*

Be gracious to me, O God, according to Your loving kindness;
According to the greatness of Your compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.

For I know my transgressions, And my sin is ever before me.
Against You, You only, I have sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You are justified when You speak and blameless when You judge....

Behold, You desire truth in the innermost being,
And in the hidden part You will make me know wisdom....
Create in me a clean heart, O God, And renew a right spirit within me.
Do not cast me away from Your presence, And do not take
Your Holy Spirit from me.

Restore unto me the joy of Your salvation and sustain me with a willing spirit....

O Lord, open my lips,
That my mouth may declare Your praise. Amen.

Pastor: *If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. (I John 1:9) To Him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in Him (in Jesus Christ) receives forgiveness of sins through His Name. (Acts 10:43)*

With this in mind, Let Us confess our faith as we find it written in the Words of the Apostles' Creed.

The Apostles' Creed (from Luther's Small Catechism, Ambassador Publications, 2007)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was Crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, And is seated on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From where He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the Holy Christian Church, The Communion of Saints; The Forgiveness of sins; The Resurrection of the body; And the Life everlasting. Amen

Hymn Of Praise **CH #216** **"The Lord Is In His Holy Temple"**

(Congregation Seated)

The Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

First Lesson **1 Corinthians 13:4-7**

Second Lesson **1 John 4:7-16**

(Congregation Stands)

Gospel **Mark 9:2-9**

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen**

Offertory CH #88 x2 **"More Precious Than Silver"**
(Congregation Seated)

Pulpit Hymn CH #185 & on screen **"Jesus Loves Me"**

Message **"The Love Of God"**

(Congregation Stands)

Closing Hymn on screen **"Beloved, Let Us Love One Another"**
(Dane Moore on Drum)

Closing Prayer

Benediction

Pastor: *Go in Peace and Serve the Lord.*

Congregation: **Thanks be to God**

Postlude

Thank you to Carol Drohman for reading today's scripture lessons.

Thank You

Thank You, to all who were able to attend the annual Interfaith Care Givers Wood Cutting event. Job! Well Done!.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

This Wednesday, February 14, at 6:30 PM we will hold our Ash Wednesday Service.

Lent - Soup & Sandwich

Wednesday, February 21, we will begin hosting our soup & sandwich supper at 5:30 P.M. prior to our 6:30 P.M. Lenten Services.. If you would like to bring soup, sandwiches or bars to one or more of the services there is a sign-up sheet on the back table or contact Darlene Johnson for more information at 715-463-5632.

ATTENTION CHOIRS

Bell & Senior Choirs will begin immediately following our Ash Wednesday & Lenten Services.

Holy Communion will be served next Sunday, February 18, 2024

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| SUNDAY | 9:30 AM | Worship Service |
| | 9:30 AM | Children's Sunday School |
| | 10:45 AM | Fellowship |
| TUES. | 6:00 PM | Women's Bible Study |
| WEDNESDAY | 6:30 AM | Men's Bible Study |
| | 2:00 PM | Congregational Prayer Time |
| | 3:00 PM | Adult Bible Class |
| | 4:00 PM | Confirmation Instruction |
| | 6:30 PM | ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE |
| | 7:15 PM | Bell Choir |
| | 7:30 PM | Senior Choir |
| THURS. | 2:30 PM | Woman's Bible Study |
| FRIDAY | 6:30 AM | Men's Bible Study |
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