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Transfiguration Sunday

February 11, 2018

Welcome to the season of Epiphany where we celebrate that the story of Jesus is a “light to all nations.” To celebrate this reach of the Gospel to all peoples, our liturgical music has a global flavor. Come and worship with the Lord of the Nations.

We have “Listen” ear pieces available for the hearing impaired—simply ask one of the ushers!

Prelude *Spirit of the Living God* – arr. John Carter

Confession and Forgiveness (*Please stand as you are able*)

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who spoke light into creation, who calls us to listen and follow, who sends us to shine like stars. Let us come before God, confessing our sin with the assurance of God’s grace and mercy.

(Silence for reflection and self-examination)

P: Holy and merciful God,

C: **we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you that in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

C: Amen.

Gathering Hymn

Here I Am to Worship

Light of the world You stepped down into darkness
Opened my eyes, let me see
Beauty that made this heart adore You
Hope of a life spent with You

Here I am to worship, here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me

King of all days oh, so highly exalted
Glorious in Heaven above
Humbly You came to the earth You created
All for love's sake became poor

Here I am to worship, here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me

I'll never know how much it cost
To see my sin upon that cross
I'll never know how much it cost
To see my sin upon that cross *(repeat)*

Here I am to worship, here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me *(x2)*

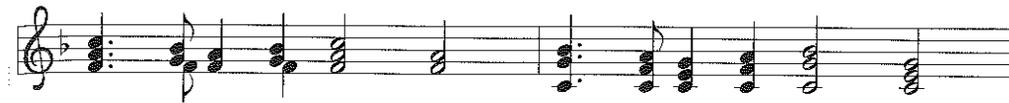
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Greeting

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

C: And also with you.

Kyrie (Russian Orthodox)



1, 3 Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.
 2 Chris - te e - lei - son. Chris - te e - lei - son.
 1, 3 Lord, . . . have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.
 2 Christ, . . . have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy.



Ky - ri - e e - lei - i - son.
 Chris - te e - lei - i - son.
 Lord, . . . have mer - cy.
 Christ, . . . have mer - cy.

Music: Russian Orthodox traditional
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Hymn of Praise (Peruvian)

Leader



Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo-ry in the high - est!

All



Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo-ry in the high - est!

Leader

All



To God be glo-ry for-ev - er! To God be glo-ry for-ev - er!

Leader

Leader



Al-le-lu-ia! A-men!

Al-le-lu-ia! A-men!

Group 1

Group 1, 2



Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men!

Leader

Al-le-lu-ia! A-men!

Group 1, 2, 3

Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A - men!

Music: Peruvian traditional
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Prayer of the Day

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

L: Let us pray:

Almighty God, the resplendent light of your truth shines from the mountaintop into our hearts. Transfigure us by your beloved Son, and illumine the world with your image, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen

(Please be seated)

Children's Sermon

Kids' Word (11am) ~ *If parents wish, kids approx. ages 4-8 can go and hear the Word through story, crafts & games. Meet in back of sanctuary. Children will return after the sermon.*

THE WORD

Reading

2 Kings 2:1-12

¹Now when the LORD was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. ²Elijah said to Elisha, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel." But Elisha said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they went down to Bethel. ³The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he said, "Yes, I know; keep silent."

⁴Elijah said to him, "Elisha, stay here; for the LORD has sent me to Jericho." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they came to Jericho. ⁵The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he answered, "Yes, I know; be silent."

⁶Then Elijah said to him, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So the two of them went on. ⁷Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. ⁸Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground.

⁹When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, "Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you." Elisha said, "Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit." ¹⁰He responded, "You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not." ¹¹As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. ¹²Elisha kept watching and crying out, "Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!" But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

Musical Meditation

(8am) *God So Loved the World* – John Stainer; arr. Arnold B. Sherman

(11am) *How Lovely is Thy Dwelling Place* – Johannes Brahms

(Please stand as you are able for the Gospel Acclamation)

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah (Caribbean)

Hal-le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal -
- le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le -
lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line in the treble clef and a piano accompaniment in the bass clef. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: Hal-le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah.

Music: Caribbean traditional; arr. Mark Sedio, b. 1954
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Reader: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 9th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel

Mark 9: 2-9

²Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, ³and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. ⁴And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. ⁵Then Peter said to Jesus, "Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." ⁶He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. ⁷Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, "This is my Son, the Beloved listen to him!" ⁸Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus.

⁹As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(Please be seated)

Sermon

Pastor Paula

Silence for meditation

Hymn of the Day How Good, Lord, to Be Here!



- 1 How good, Lord, to be here! Your glo - ry fills the night;
- 2 How good, Lord, to be here, your beau - ty to be - hold
- 3 Ful - fill - er of the past and hope of things to be,
- 4 Be - fore we taste of death, we see your king - dom come;
- 5 How good, Lord, to be here! Yet we may not re - main;



your face and gar - ments, like the sun, shine with un - bor - rowed light.
where Mo - ses and E - li - jah stand, your mes - sen - gers of old.
we hail your bod - y glo - ri - fied and our re - demp - tion see.
we long to hold the vi - sion bright and make this hill our home.
but since you bid us leave the mount, come with us to the plain.

Text: Joseph A. Robinson, 1858–1933, alt.

Music: POTSDAM, W. Mercer, *The Church Psalter and Hymn Book*, 1854

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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

P: Lord, in your mercy,

C: **Hear our prayer.**

(Prayers continue)

P: Into your hands, O God...in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen.**

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

(Please be seated following Sharing of the Peace. During this time we would like to welcome and introduce guests to SLC)

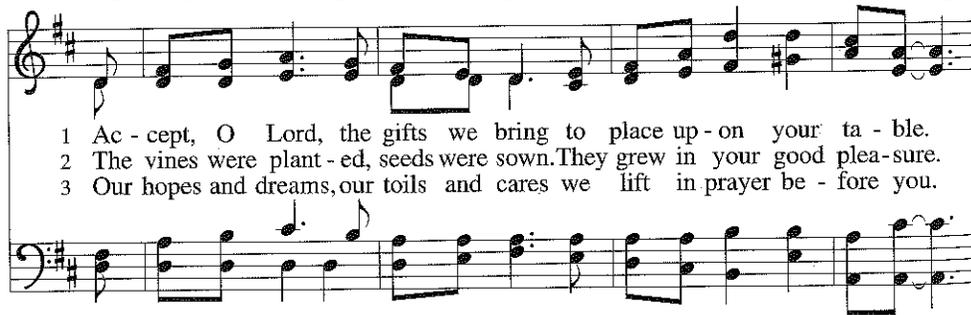
THE MEAL

The Offering *(please sign and pass along the Attendance Registration pad, returning it to the person who signed it first)*

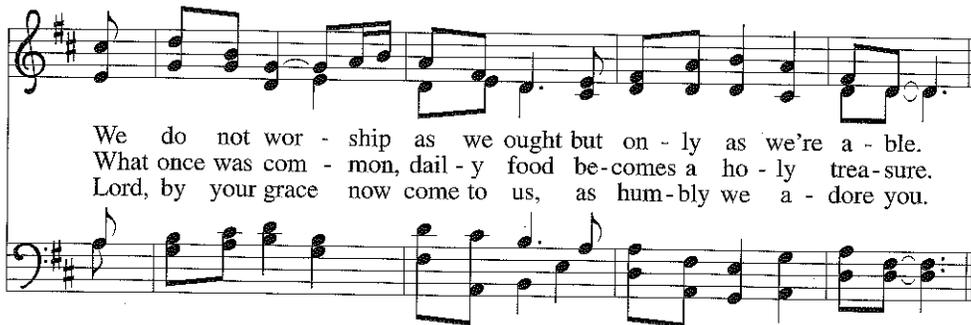
Offertory *St. Columba* – arr. John Carter

(Please stand as you are able)

Offering Response (English) Accept, O Lord, the Gifts We Bring (vs. 1 & 3)



1 Ac - cept, O Lord, the gifts we bring to place up - on your ta - ble.
2 The vines were plant - ed, seeds were sown. They grew in your good plea - sure.
3 Our hopes and dreams, our toils and cares we lift in prayer be - fore you.



We do not wor - ship as we ought but on - ly as we're a - ble.
What once was com - mon, dail - y food be - comes a ho - ly trea - sure.
Lord, by your grace now come to us, as hum - bly we a - dore you.

Text: Beth Bergeron Folkemer, b. 1957
Music: English folk tune; arr. Alice Parker, b. 1925
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Offering Prayer

L: Let us pray. God of mercy and grace,

C: we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us - our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...we praise your name and join their unending hymn: (South African)

Leader Assembly

Ma - si - thi! A - men si - a - ku - du - mi - sa! Ma - si - thi!
 Sing prais - es! A - men, we praise your name, O God! Sing prais - es!

A - men si - a - ku - du - mi - sa! Ma - si - thi! A - men, ba - wo.
 A - men, we praise your name, O God! Sing prais - es! A - men, a - men.

A - men, ba - wo. A - men si - a - ku - du - mi - sa! Ma - si - thi!
 A - men, a - men. A - men, we praise your name, O God! Sing prais - es!

Text: South African traditional
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Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer *(All)*

**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.**

(Please be seated)

Distribution- All Baptized Christians are welcome to join with us in this meal where we believe the true body and blood of Christ are really present and received under the form of bread and wine. At SLC, we commune by "Intinction." As you are ushered forward, please come to the stations on either side of the Baptismal font, extend your hand to receive the bread, and then dip it either into the wine or grape juice (white grape juice is available as a substitute and is offered in the second chalice). You are also invited to remain at the altar rail for a brief time of prayer and meditation if you wish. Children who do not receive communion may come forward for a blessing.

Lamb of God (Contemporary American) *(sung by all)*



1 Your on - ly Son, no sin to hide, but you have
2 Your gift of love we cru - ci - fied. We laughed and
3 I was so lost, I should have died, but you have



sent him from your side to walk up - on this guilt - y
scorned him as he died. The hum - ble king we named a
brought me to your side to be led by your staff and



sod and to be - come the Lamb of God to vs. 2
fraud and sac - ri - ficed the Lamb of God. O Lamb of
rod and to be called a lamb of God.



God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the ho - ly Lamb of God. Oh, wash me



in your pre - cious blood, my Je - sus Christ, the Lamb of God.

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Music: Twila Paris

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Communion Hymn

Beautiful Savior



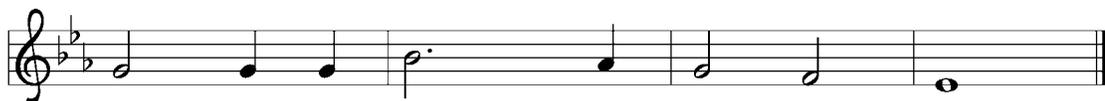
1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion,
 2 Fair are the mead - ows, fair are the wood - lands,
 3 Fair is the sun - shine, fair is the moon - light,
 4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions,



Son of God and Son of Man!
 robed in flow'rs of bloom - ing spring;
 bright the spar - kling stars on high;
 Son of God and Son of Man!



Tru - ly I'd love thee, tru - ly I'd serve thee,
 Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is pur - er,
 Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines pur - er
 Glo - ry and hon - or, praise, ad - o - ra - tion,



light of my soul, my joy, my crown.
 he makes our sor - rowing spir - it sing.
 than all the an - gels in the sky.
 now and for - ev - er - more be thine!

Text: *Gesangbuch*, Münster, 1677; tr. Joseph A. Seiss, 1823–1904

Music: SCHÖNSTER HERR JESU, Silesian folk tune, 19th cent.

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(When all have returned to their seats, please stand as you are able)

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen

Post-Communion Prayer

L: Everlasting God, we bless you that you have brought us to the mountaintop and fed us with the life and light of your Son. Send us in his name from this place to bring light into dark corners, healing where lives are torn, and nourishment to every heart, in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen

The Benediction

P: God the Father, light-creator; God the Son, Light from Light; and God the Holy Spirit, light-revealer, bless you and ✠ give you peace.

C: Amen

Sending Hymn

Shine, Jesus, Shine

Refrain

Shine, Je - sus, shine, fill this land with the Fa - ther's glo - ry;
blaze, Spir - it, blaze, set our hearts on fire,
Flow, riv - er, flow, flood the na - tions with grace and mer - cy;
send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light!

1 Lord, the light of your love is shin - ing, in the midst of the
2 As we gaze on your king - ly bright-ness, so our fac - es dis -

dark - ness, shin - ing; Je - sus, light of the world, shine up - on us,
play your like - ness, ev - er chang - ing from glo - ry to glo - ry,

set us free by the truth you now bring us.
mir - rored here, may our lives tell your sto - ry.

Refrain

Shine on me, shine on me:
Shine on me, shine on me:

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SHINE, JESUS, SHINE
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Dismissal

L: We are grace filled

C: And Spirit led!

L: Go in Peace and serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* – arr. John Carter

Altar flowers: are presented by Matt & Pat Ryan in honor of their 54th wedding anniversary.

Thank you for sharing your gifts of music: Sanctuary Choir, Alleluia Ringers, Children's Chime Choir, and Jenny Grenfell substituting for Lynn Rupp.

Worship Leaders for February 11th

Minister of Music: Lynn Rupp

Choir Accompanist: Jenny Grenfell

February Altar Care: Michele Lyons, Mary Serbousek, Betty Maples

Usher: Bob Brien

Liturgist: (8am) Laura Mattson

Communion Assistants: (8am) Linda & Kevin Moran, Sue & Tom Starks

(11am) Bruce & Debbie Kramer, Destiny Rhodes, Warren Miller

Readers: (8am) Gloria Crawford, (11am) Melanie Cameron

Acolytes: (8am) Maddie Daly, Sean Hamrick

(11am) Cadence & Cora Robideaux

Prayer and Care: Julie Harpel and family mourning the death of Jack. Fran Maeirt mourning the death of her brother, Phil Malenovsky. Chris Love anticipating shoulder surgery.

Recovering From Surgery: Dee Cotter, Les Peterson and Mike Havers.

Facing Cancer: Jim McKelvy, Ron Maddux, Elizabeth Domahidy, Kathy Schaeffer and Carol Wales.

Deployed & Military Support & their families: Cody Smith, Eric Fromm, Megan Shultz, Jared Cain, Aaron Gray and Andrew Catron.

Continued Prayer: Betty Yates, Bob McGinty, John Jeffries, Julie Harpel, Arlene Phillips, Gerry Crawford, Caroline Gierke, Jadon Sansgaard, Randy Fossum, Matt Ryan, Don Leonardy and Josh Wills.

Remembering all who are homebound or in ill health.

Next Week's Worship Leaders (Feb. 18th)

Liturgists: (8am) Sue Weaver

Communion Assistants: (8am) Linda Roberts, Bee Rose
(11am) Bud & Teresa Price

Readers: (8am) Gloria Crawford, (11am) Billie Jean Liedahl

Acolytes: (8am) Avah Ferber, Tyler Larson
(11am) Sawyer & Violet Adams

Next Week's Readings:

Genesis 9:8-17, Psalm 25:1-10, 1 Peter 3:18-22, Mark 1:9-15

As you read the lesson, ask yourself two questions:

Why was this story told? Where do you see God at work?