

And he was
transfigured

before them, and *his face*

shone like the sun.

and his clothes became
dazzling white.

Matthew 17:2

*Transfiguration of Our Lord
February 19, 2023 10:00 a.m.*

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Live on Zoom:
Meeting ID: 707 611 3829
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* WORSHIP NOTES *

- * *Welcome to worship at Good Shepherd. We warmly greet you in the name of the Lord and give God thanks for your presence today.*
- * *Most hymns are found in the Hymnal located in the pews. Hymns from other hymnals will be printed and provided in the insert.*
- * ***All baptized believing Christians are welcome to gather at the altar for Holy Communion. Grape juice and low gluten wafers are available. Please see a greeter prior to the beginning of service.***
- * *When it comes time for sharing of the peace, you may pass the peace by sign or physically to your neighbors as you are comfortable.*

SETTING THREE—EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN WORSHIP

+ + + GATHERING + + +

Please maintain silence in the Sanctuary as we prepare for worship

Prelude

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: In the name of the Father,
and of the + Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hid:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you
and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

P: Most 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 by 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 the entire forgiveness of all your sins,
in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Gathering Hymn

How Good, Lord, to Be Here!

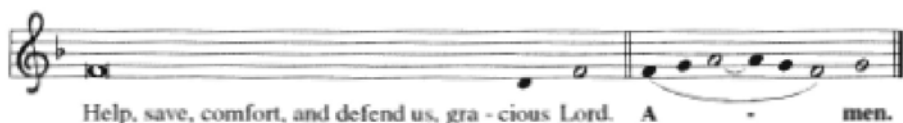
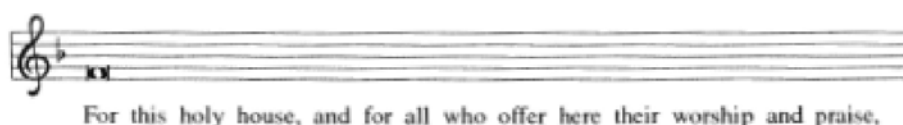
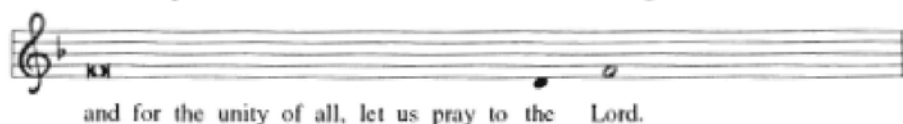
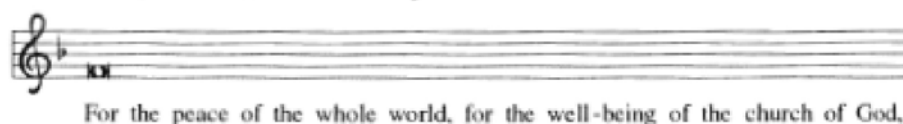
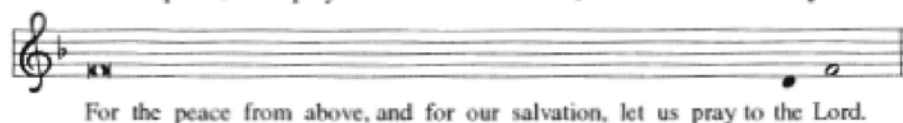
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GREETING

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.

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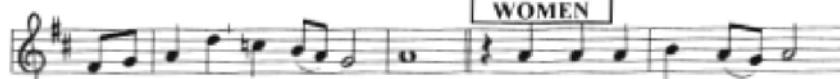
HYMN OF PRAISE

ALL

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia,



al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. 1 Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb



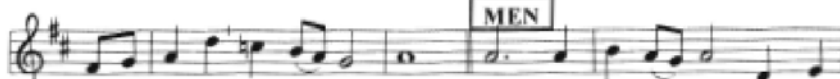
who was slain, whose blood set us free to be peo-ple of God.

ALL

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia,



al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. 2 Pow-er, rich-es, wis-dom, and



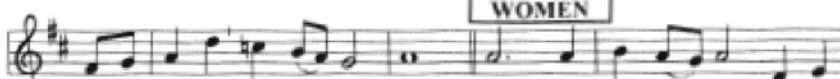
strength, and hon-or, bless-ing, and glo-ry are his.

ALL

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia,



al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. 3 Sing with all the peo-ple of



God, and join in the hymn of all cre-a-tion: Bless-ing, hon-or,



glo-ry, and might be to God and the Lamb for-ev-er. A-men.

(Continued)

ALL *Refrain*

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia,

MEN

al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. 4 For the Lamb who was

slain has be-gun his reign. Al-le-lu-ia.

ALL *Final refrain*

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.

Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray...

C: Amen.

+++ WORD +++

We sit

FIRST READING

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Celebrate Insert

PSALM

(Spoken or chanted responsively)

Celebrate Insert

SECOND READING

Celebrate Insert

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

We stand

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the

words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

P: The holy gospel according to ...

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

GOSPEL

Celebrate Insert

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

Rev. Scherry Fouke

Silence for reflection follows the sermon.

We stand

Hymn of the Day

Wonderous Image, Vision Fair

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NICENE CREED

P: With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

C: We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PEACE *(a time set aside for sharing only God's peace)*

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

C: **And also with you.**

+ + + MEAL + + +

We stand

OFFERING PRAYER

A: Let us pray.

C: **Eternal God, you break the bonds of injustice
and let the oppressed go free.**

**Receive these offerings in thanksgiving
for all your works of merciful power,
and shape us as people of your justice and freedom.
You we magnify and adore, through Jesus our Savior,
Amen.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. And al - so 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, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to
you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; ...we
praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na in the high - est.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

P: Holy One, the beginning and the end, the giver of life:
Blessed are you for the birth of creation.
Blessed are you in the darkness and in the light.
Blessed are you for your promise to your people.
Blessed are you in the prophets' hopes and dreams.
Blessed are you for Mary's openness to your will.
Blessed are you for your Son Jesus, the Word made flesh.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat: this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

P: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

P: With this bread and cup
we remember your Word dwelling among us,
full of grace and truth.
We remember our new birth in his death and resurrection.
We look with hope for his coming.

C: Come, Lord Jesus.

P: Holy God, we long for your Spirit.
Come among us.
Bless this meal.
May your Word take flesh in us.
Awaken your people.
Fill us with your light.
Bring the gift of peace on earth.

C: Come, Holy Spirit.

P: All praise and glory are yours,
Holy One of Israel,
Word of God incarnate,
Power of the Most High,
one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

P: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**C: Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.**

Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
 forever and ever. Amen.

COMMUNION

P: Taste and see that the Lord is Good.

*You may either eat the wafer and drink from the first, common cup,
or you may hold the wafer and dip it into the second cup.*

When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.

and each person may respond

Amen.

LAMB OF GOD (Agnus Dei)

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

*We stand***BLESSING**

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you and preserve you in eternal life.

C: Amen.

CANTICLE (Nunc Dimitis)**ELW #113**

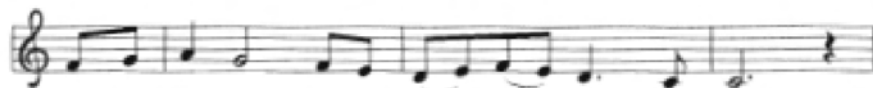
Now, Lord, you let your ser-vant go in peace: your word has been ful -



filled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which you have pre-pared in the



sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: a light to re-veal you to the na - tions



and the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.



Now, Lord, you let your ser - vant go in peace.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

A: Let us pray.

C: Amen.

+ + + SENDING + + +

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

P: God bless you and keep you,
✠ Jesus grant you grace and truth,
and the Spirit send peace upon your hearts,
now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

Sending Hymn

Days of Elijah

Baptist Hymnal

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DISMISSAL

A: Go in peace. Christ is with you.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

REMINDERS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The altar flowers are given by Mike and Chris Thompson to the Glory of God and in Honor of Michael Isaac Reilly

The Counters: Sue and Jim Whiting

Guest Pastor: Scherry Fouke

Lector: Sandy Kubis

Organist/Choir: Karoline Van Horn

Pianist: Sara Poovey

Zoom: Joshua Gray



WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER



Members

Healing, comfort & strength

Marilyn Fahringer

Carroll Allen

Jack Lowe

Pastor Bob Scheffer

Elizabeth Scheffer

Josh & Bergen Gray, *God's guidance*

Carolyn Absher

Darlene Kline

Juanita Reynolds

Our congregation and future pastor – *that we are guided by the Holy Spirit as we go through the call process*

Family & Friends

Healing, comfort, strength & peace

Marc Wallingford, *Larry & Jan Wallingford's son*

Ric Van Horn, *Karoline Van Horn's husband*

Amy Anderson, *Alan Anderson's niece*

Morgan Corthell, *Larry & Jan Wallingford's granddaughter*

Jackie & Dwayne Collins, *Nancy McLoughlin's friends*

Mary Jean Wesche, *Ed & Judy Skorski's friend*

From our Community

Healing, comfort, strength & peace

Jimmy Fine, *Ida Fillers' grandson*

Teresa Haun & family

David Gulley & family

Wanda Davis & family

Mark Fenton & family

James Penn & family

Jennifer Eggers & family

Military Serving our Country

Protection, comfort & strength

John Gray, *Joshua Gray's brother*

Ian Anderson, *Alan Anderson's nephew*

Joshua Sheaf, *Good Shepherd member*

FOOD PANTRY

I cannot express my thanks to each of you enough for your donations to the Food Pantry. With wonderful help from Marilyn Fahringer and her friend, Ida Fillers, we were able to serve 11 families for a total of 39 people receiving food on Monday, January 16, 2023.

The following is a list of items needed for the Food Pantry. If you are able to donate any of these items, please do. Thank you so much.

If you have any CLOTH TOTE BAGS that you no longer need, please bring them to the Food Pantry.

FOOD: PASTA (spaghetti, noodles); CANNED CHICKEN; LARGE AND SMALL BOXES OF DRY CEREAL; PACKETS OF OATMEAL; SPAGHETTI SAUCE; CRACKERS; CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP; AND PEANUT BUTTER

Non-Food items: TOOTHBRUSHES (Adult and child); PAPER TOWELS; TOILET TISSUE

Also, if you can volunteer to man the Food Pantry, please sign the sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Thank you.

Thank you for your donations.

Blessings,

Chris Thompson and the Volunteers of the Food Pantry

Card from Lou Eddleman

Lou has sent a thank you card for the birthday cards and the video of the congregation singing "happy birthday" to her for her 80th birthday celebration. The card is posted on the board in the Narthex.

Coming up at Good Shepherd

Sunday, February 19	Transfiguration of Our Lord 10:00 am Worship Service 1:30 pm Christ News
Tuesday, February 21	4-6 pm Fat Tuesday
Wednesday, February 22	Ash Wednesday 7:00 pm Worship Service
Sunday, February 26	First Sunday in Lent 10:00 am Worship Service 1:30 pm Christ News
Wednesday, March 1	6:00 pm Lenten Soup Supper 7:00 pm Lenten Bible Study
Sunday, March 5	Second Sunday in Lent 10:00 am Worship Service 1:30 pm Christ News
Tuesday, March 7	7:00 pm American Legion
Wednesday, March 8	4-6 pm Community Dinner 6:00 pm Lenten Soup Supper 7:00 pm Lenten Bible Study
Thursday, March 9	6:30 pm Mission Council
Friday, March 10	10 am Deborah Circle - <i>Narthex</i>
Sunday, March 12	Third Sunday in Lent 10:00 am Worship Service 1:30 pm Christ News
Wednesday, March 15	6:00 pm Lenten Soup Supper 7:00 pm Lenten Bible Study
Sunday, March 19	Fourth Sunday in Lent 10:00 am Worship Service 1:30 pm Christ News

Days of Elijah

The trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we will be changed. 1 Corinthians 15:52

Unison

1. These are the days of E - li - jah, de -
2. These are the days of E - ze - kiel, the

clar - ing the Word of the Lord. And
dry bones be - com - ing as flesh. And

these are the days of Your ser - vant, Mo - ses;
these are the days of Your ser - vant, Da - vid, Re -

Right - cous - ness be - ing re - stored. And
build - ing the tem - ple of praise. And

though these are days of great tri - als, of fam - ine and
these are the days of the har - vest; the fields are as

WORDS: Robin Mark
MUSIC: Robin Mark

DAYS OF ELIJAH
Irregular meter

dark - ness and sword, Still we are the voice in the
white in the world. And we are Your la - bor - ers

des - ert cry - ing. "Pre - pare ye the way of the Lord."
in Your vine - yard de - clar - ing the Word of the Lord.

Chorus

Be - hold He comes rid - ing on the clouds,

shin - ing like the sun at the trum - pet

call. So lift your voice, it's the year of Ju - bi - lee.

And out of Zi - on's hill sal - va - tion comes.