

*From the cloud came a  
voice,*



*"This is my Son,  
the Beloved;  
listen to him!"*

*Mark 9:7*

**Transfiguration of Our Lord**

**February 11th, 2024**

**The Good Shepherd Lutheran Church**

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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.*
- ❖ *After receiving communion, you may kneel at the altar or return to your seat for silent prayer or singing the communion hymn.*

**SETTING ONE—EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN WORSHIP**

**+ + + GATHERING + + +**

*Please maintain silence in the Sanctuary as we prepare for worship*

**PRELUDE**

*We Stand*

**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 “Oh, Wonderous Image, Vision Fair” ELW 316**

#### **APOSTOLIC 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



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



A - men, a - men.

## CANTICLE (*NUNC DIMITIS*)

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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.

God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C: Amen.

+ + + SENDING + + +

*We sit*

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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  
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Communion Hymn

“Shine, Jesus, Shine”

ELW 671

*We stand*

**TABLE BLESSING**

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

C: **Amen.**

may be formed to live as your holy people  
and be given our inheritance with all your saints.

To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
be all honor and glory in your holy church, now and forever.



## LORD'S PRAYER

P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

**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: Come to the table of the Lord.

*(Please process, take a wafer from the pastor and then a communion cup from the assistant. Grape juice is in the center of the tray)*

*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.**

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

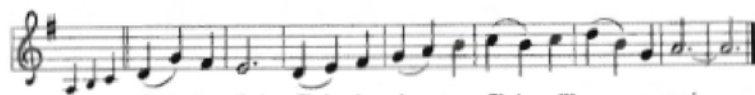
P: You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God.  
You are most holy, and great is the majesty of your glory.

You so loved the world that you gave your only Son,  
so that everyone who believes in him  
may not perish but have eternal life.  
We give you thanks for his coming into the world  
to fulfill for us your holy will  
and to accomplish all things for our salvation.

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.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup,  
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.



Christ has died. Christ is ris - en. Christ will come a - gain.

P: Remembering, therefore, his salutary command,  
his life-giving passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension,  
and the promise of his coming again,  
we give thanks to you, O Lord God Almighty,  
not as we ought but as we are able;  
we ask you mercifully to accept our praise and thanksgiving,  
and with your Word and Holy Spirit to bless us, your servants,  
and these your own gifts of bread and wine,  
so that we and all who share in the body and blood of Christ  
may be filled with heavenly blessing and grace, and,  
receiving the forgiveness of sin,



## 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.

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

## SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
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**PEACE** *(a time set aside for sharing God's peace)*

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

**C:** And also with you.

+++ MEAL +++

*We Sit*

OFFERING

*We stand*

OFFERING HYMN

ELW #186

Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re-new a right  
spir-it with-in me. Cast me not a-way from your pres-ence, and take  
not your Ho-ly Spir-it from me. Re-store to me the joy of  
your sal - va - tion, and up-hold me with your free Spir - it.

OFFERING PRAYER

**A:** Let us pray.

**C:** God of all creation, all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## BLESSING

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and † give you peace.

C: Amen

**Sending Hymn**

**"Alleluia, Song of Gladness"**

**ELW 318**

## DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace...

C: **Thanks be to God.**

## REMINDERS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**The Flowers are given by Mike and Chris Thompson** to the glory of God and in honor of Michael Isaac Reilly's third birthday!

**Communion Assistant:** Matt Bergstresser

**Communion Setup:** Wylene Hinkle

**Pastor:** Rev. Bill Carr

**Lector:** Joshua Gray

**Musician/Pianist:** Kathy Combs

**Musician/Violinist:** Bergen Gray

**Zoom:** Bergen Gray

## FOOD PANTRY

Many thanks to everyone who has contributed to the Food Pantry.

At this time, we are asking for volunteers to man the Food Pantry on the third Monday of each month. The sign-up sheet is on the high table in the Narthex.

If you have any prepackaged plasticware, especially those that are packaged with the plasticware, napkin and pepper and salt packets, please bring them to Church to donate to the Food Pantry. Thank you.

The Food Pantry will be opened on Monday, February 19 from 10:00 a.m. till noon. Thank you for your prayers and support of the Food Pantry.

Blessings, Chris Thompson



## WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER



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### Members

*Healing, comfort & strength*

**Carolyn Absher**

**Barry Pochron and Olwynne Crampton**, *comfort in sorrow, death of daughter Lynnette Gochez*

**Amy Hancock**, *comfort in sorrow, death of her father Donald Roe*

**Josh & Bergen Gray**, *God's guidance*

### Family & Friends

*Healing, comfort, strength & peace*

**Family and Friends of Louise Dyer**, *comfort in sorrow*

**Family and Friends of Alex Cuninghame**, *comfort in sorrow*

**Ken and Judy Baker**, *friends of Marilyn Fahringer*

**Frankie Wolff**, *wife of pastor Ed Wolff*

**Family and friends of Peter Rector**, *friend of Chris and Mike Thompson, comfort in sorrow*

**Amanda Reilly**, *daughter of Mike and Chris Thompson*

**Kristin Schulz**, *other sister of Janet Wallingford, comfort in sorrow*

### Military Serving our Country

*Protection, comfort & strength*

**John Gray**, *Joshua Gray's brother*

**Ian Anderson**, *Alan Anderson's nephew*

**Joshua Sheaf**, *Good Shepherd member*

### News from Deborah Circle

All the ladies of The Good Shepherd and their friends are invited to attend the next Deborah Circle meeting, Friday, February 16 at 10:00 a.m. in the Narthex. We plan to discuss the third chapter of "Power Surge".

Even if you don't have a book, please join us.

We look forward to seeing you.

Blessings, Chris Thompson, Secretary



### **Pr. Bill wants to meet you!**

Pr. Bill is inviting all congregation members to come by the office for fifteen minutes just to make brief introductions (or re-acquaintance, as the case may be), and he has four questions he'd like to ask you:

1. Who are you? (Tell me about yourself).
2. What do you love about Good Shepherd? (What do we do well, or what brought you here?)
3. Are there any ministries you'd like to see us either do better or start doing?
4. How can I pray for you today?

In this way, I can get to know y'all better, and get a sense of direction for Good Shepherd's direction in ministry and my place in it. Feel free to contact me to set up your fifteen-minute appointment!

### **Coming up at Good Shepherd**

**Daily Morning Prayer** 9 am unless otherwise announced

**Daily Holy Communion** 9:30 am unless otherwise announced

Sunday, February 11	Transfiguration of Our Lord 10:00 am Worship Service 11:15 am Matthew Bible Study
Wednesday, February 14	Ash Wednesday 7:00 pm Worship Service
Friday, February 16	10:00 am Deborah Circle <i>home of Felicia &amp; Dixon Brandt</i>
Saturday, February 17	6—9 pm Christ News Bible Study
Sunday, February 18	First Sunday in Lent 10:00 am Worship Service 11:15 am Matthew Bible Study 1:30—9 pm Christ News Ordination
Monday, February 19	10 am—12 pm Food Pantry
Sunday, February 25	Second Sunday in Lent 10:00 am Worship Service 11:15 am Matthew Bible Study