#### THE PEOPLE GATHER

#### **GATHERING MUSIC & THE RINGING OF THE BELL**

WELCOME

Patrick LaPierre Greeting Elder

Please Stand And Greet Your Neighbors!

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Dr. Meg Dissinger, Director of Music & Pianist **CHORAL INTROIT** 

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP** (Responsive)

One: Come to this place of worship where we have the possibility of meeting God in a way that can change our lives.

#### Many: God calls us to be open people,

transparent to God and to our innermost selves so that God's transforming spirit might reach us.

All: May the spirit of transformation be upon us, and our church in this hour.

### PRAYER OF INVOCATION FOR THE INDWELLING OF THE SPIRIT

"Sing Praise To God Who Reigns Above" NPH SACRED MUSIC #645

#### \* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

When we encounter you, O God, in such a way that you transform us, we appear different to those around us before we ourselves recognize the change. We mask our true feelings when they cause others to be uncomfortable. Either we are honest, God, or we are not. Help us to strengthen our integrity. Encourage us to be with others in such a way that they need not hide from us or we from them. Amen.

- \* ASSURANCE OF GRACE
- **PROFESSION OF FAITH**
- **GLORIA PATRI**
- THE PEACE

**Apostles'** Creed (Unison) (Inside Cover of the Hymnal) #581 NPH (Unison) (Response: "And also with you.")

DO THIS IN remembrance

## **PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

Luke 9:28-36 Pg. 69 NT

No Children's Sermon; Children May Leave For Church School.

ANTHEM

- SERMON "Figuring The Transfiguration" Rev. Michael P. Catanzaro
- "Sing of God Made Manifest" NPH SACRED MUSIC #156

### **RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

#### **RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP**

SCRIPTURE READING

(Wave to your neighbors, and those joining via the live-stream.)

#### **OFFERING**

(Offerings may be placed in the collection basket at the top of the stairs as you exit the sanctuary following the worship.)

#### SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

**PASTORAL PRAYER, PRAYER OF DEDICATION & LORD'S PRAYER** (Debts & Debtors; Inside Cover of the Hymnal.)

- DOXOLOGY (Unison, Inside Cover of the Hymnal.)
- SACRED MUSIC #509 "All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly" NPH

#### **CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

(All are invited to share in the Sacrament of Communion.) Invitation to the Table and Words of Institution Serving & Partaking of the Elements Together Prayer of Thanksgiving

Communion bread being served today is gluten, dairy, soy and nut free.

- "In a Deep, Unbounded Darkness" (vs. 1 to 3) SACRED MUSIC #850
- **CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** (Seated)

\*Congregation standing; as each person desires.

Masks are welcome but not required, distance as you are comfortable.

#### PRAYER REMEMBRANCES

We remember in prayer Wanda Renick, Jerry Findley, Betty Fraser, Mark and Nancy Brown, Gordy and Michelle Theisen, Carolyn O'Connor, Bill and Karen Parker, Rich Grayson, Alice Poole, Shirley Norton, Lew Shepard, Marilyn Coir, Christa Lyon, Nick Scelzi, Vern and Arvilla Aldous, Rich Denison, JJ Jockel on the death of his friend Pieter, Scott McLain (father of Vicki), Jessica and Brian Stumper and their family, the Basford/Rodee Family, Mark Holbrook (father of Josh), Colleen Grant, Shirley Degouf-Brassard (mother of Michelle Theisen), Pam Constantine (sister of Barry Walch), Else Brown, Janet Favro, Jody Upton and all who are ill in hospitals, nursing homes or at home; those serving our nation and their families who support them; parents raising children and children caring for parents.

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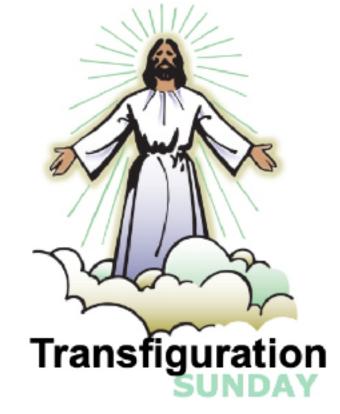
#### The password for our church wifi network is: LakewO0d4331a Password for the Zoom fellowship call at 11:30 a.m. is 3862570

#### AT OUR CHURCH THIS WEEK

Sunday 3/2/25	- In-Person and Live-Stream Worship (10 a.m.) - Deacon's Offering
	- Communion
Wednesday 3/5/25	- Partridge Knoll Service
	- Ash Wednesday
Thursday 3/6/25	- Choir Practice (6:30 p.m. Choir Room)
Sunday 3/9/25	- Daylight Savings Time Begins (Spring Forward) - In-Person and Live-Stream Worship (10 a.m.)
	- Deacons' Meeting (11:15 a.m. Conference Room)

**Birthdays:** Mark Brackett, Sally Street, Ali Smith, Porter Repicky (Monday); Talis Mackey (Tuesday; Jeanette Cole, Deborah Nikkari (Friday)

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#### THE APOSTLES' CREED

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 Ghost, 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 sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick & the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### ADVENT DOXOLOGY

To the tune of "O Come, O Come Emanuel"

Praise God from who all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye Heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Rejoice! Praise God! From whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all Creatures here below! Amen.

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.