

February 27, 2022
Transfiguration of Jesus
Last Sunday after Epiphany, Yr C



RINGING OF BELL

PRELUDE *Fairest Lord Jesus – Lord, I Lift Your Name –
Shine Jesus Shine*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism,
as the presiding minister begins.*

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✝ one God,
who creates us, redeems us, and calls us by name.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.
Silence is kept for reflection.

P Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we have sinned against you and your beloved children. We have turned our faces away from your glory when it did not appear as we expected. We have rejected your word when it made us confront ourselves. We have failed to show hospitality to those you called us to welcome. Accept our repentance for the things we have done and the things we have left undone. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us and lead us, that we may bathe in the glory of your Son born among us, and reflect your love for all creation. Amen.

P: Rejoice in this good news:

In ✝ Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven. You are descendants of the Most High,
adopted into the household of Christ, and inheritors of eternal life.
Live as freed and forgiven children of God.

C: Amen.

HYMN *How Good Lord to be Here*
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All 5 vss.

ELW #315

- 1 **How good, Lord to be here! Your glory fills the night;
Your face and garments, like the sun, shine with unborrowed light.**
- 2 **How good, Lord, to be here! Your beauty to behold
Where Moses and Elijah stand, your messengers of old.**

- 3 **Fulfiller of the past and hope of things to be,
We hail your body glorified and our redemption see.**
- 4 **Before we taste of death, we see your kingdom;
We long to hold the vision bright and make this hill our home.**
- 5 **How good, Lord, to be here! Yet we may not remain;
But since you bid us leave the mount, come with us to the plain.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY *We pray together*

Holy God, mighty and immortal, you are beyond our knowing, yet we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. Transform us into the likeness of your Son, who renewed our humanity so that we may share in his divinity, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

CHILDREN'S WORD

A READING FROM: EXODUS 34:29-35

²⁹Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. ³⁰When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. ³¹But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. ³²Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the LORD had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. ³³When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; ³⁴but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, ³⁵the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him. WORD OF GOD. WORD OF LIFE. **THANKS BE TO GOD.**

PSALM 99 *We read responsively*

- L: The LORD is king; let the people tremble.
The LORD is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.
- C: The LORD, great in Zion, is high above all peoples.**
- L: Let them confess God's name, which is great and awesome; God is the Holy One.
- C: O mighty king, lover of justice, you have established equity;
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.**
- L: Proclaim the greatness of the LORD and fall down before God's footstool;
God is the Holy One.
- C: Moses and Aaron among your priests, and Samuel among those who call upon
your name, O LORD, they called upon you, and you answered them,**
- L: you spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud;
they kept your testimonies and the decree that you gave them.
- C: O LORD our God, you answered them indeed;
you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds.**
- L: Proclaim the greatness of the LORD and worship upon God's holy hill;
for the LORD our God is the Holy One.

THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO: Luke 9:28-36

Glory to you, O Lord.

²⁸Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. ²⁹And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes

became dazzling white. ³⁰Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. ³¹They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. ³²Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. ³³Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, “Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah”—not knowing what he said. ³⁴While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. ³⁵Then from the cloud came a voice that said, “This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!” ³⁶When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

The Gospel of our Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON: Pastor Julie Rogness

HYMN: **Shine, Jesus, Shine**

all vss & refrains

ELW #671

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REFRAIN: **Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father’s glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy;
Send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light!**

1 **Lord, the light of your love is shining,
in the midst of the darkness, shining;
Set us free by the truth you now bring us.
Shine on me, shine on me: REFRAIN**

2 **As we gaze on your kingly brightness,
so our faces display your likeness,
Every changing from glory to glory, mirrored here,
may our lives tell your story.
Shine on me, shine on me: REFRAIN**

HOLY BAPTISM & 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.

AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM - Response by Congregation

L: Let us rejoice with these sisters and brothers in Christ.

C: We rejoice with you in the life of baptism. Together we will give thanks and praise to God, and proclaim the good news to all the world.

PRAYERS

SHARING THE PEACE & GLOBE OFFERING

Children are invited to bring forward an offering to the globe in the front of the church. Globe offerings will go to one of our global mission partners to be decided by our youth.

OFFERING OF GIFTS – OFFERING PRAYER

P: Blessed are you, O God, Sovereign of the universe.

C: You offer us new beginnings and guide us on our journey. Lead us to your table, nourish us with this heavenly food, and prepare us to carry your love to a hungry world, in the name of Christ our light. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION – LORD’S PRAYER – COMMUNION

DISTRIBUTION HYMN *Love Divine, All Love’s Excelling* vss.1,3,4 **ELW #631**
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- 1 **Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of heav’n, to earth come down!
Fix in us thy humble dwelling, all thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation, enter ev’ry trembling heart.**

- 3 **Come, Almighty, to deliver; let us all thy life receive;
suddenly return, and never, never more thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above,
pray, and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.**

- 4 **Finish then thy new creation, pure and spotless let us be;
let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee!
Changed from glory into glory, till in heav’n we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise!**

COMMUNION BLESSING

BLESSING P: God, who leads you in pathways of righteousness,
who rejoices over you, and who calls you by name,
✠ bless your going out and your coming in, today and forever.
C: Amen.

HYMN *We Are Marching in the Light of God | Siyahamba* 2 vss. **ELW #866**
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- 1 **We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God.
We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God.
We are marching, marching, we are marching, marching,
we are marching in the light of God.
We are marching, marching, we are marching, marching,
we are marching in the light of God.**

- 2 **We are singing ... (etc)**

RINGING OF BELL

DISMISSAL L: Go with Christ into a weary world. Share the good news.
C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE *O Wondrous Image, Vision Fair*

PARTICIPANTS

PASTOR—Julie Rogness. ASSISTING—

MUSICIAN—Annette Thunhorst/Keyboard-Piano.

TECH CREW—Jim Braaten, Steve Johnson, Bill Lewis, Dan Rogness, Holly Aldorfer, Heidi Haugen.

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

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CALENDAR

Sun/FEB 28	9 AM	TRANSFIGURATION SUN – WORSHIP In Person & Live-Streamed
	10 AM	Sunday School
	7 PM	AA
Wed/MAR 2	6:30 PM	ASH WEDNESDAY Worship – In Person & Live-Streamed
		Coffee to follow & Confirmation Mentor Meeting
Sun/MAR 6	9 AM	<i>1st Sunday of Lent</i> – WORSHIP in Person & Live-Streamed
	10 AM	Sunday School
	7 PM	AA
Wed/MAR 9	6:30 PM	LENTEN WORSHIP w/Communion- In Person & Live-Streamed

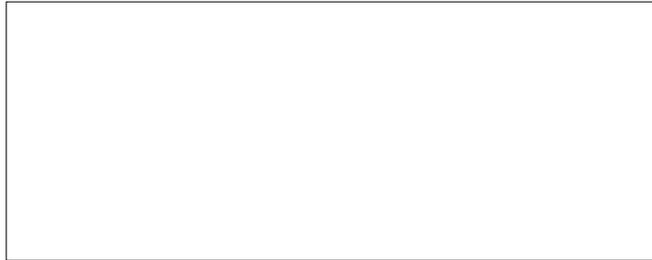
**We welcome Rhett Earl Larkin, baptized today – Son of Dan & Kayla Larkin.
His sponsors are: Erin Durst, Matt & Elana Brunner, and Cameron & Taylor Eggert.**

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TRANSFIGURATION OF JESUS



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Let there be Light !