

TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD
Northside Presbyterian Church – February 14, 2021

GATHERING MUSIC – *“Open My Eyes, That I May See”* – Simple Gifts

WELCOME AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

INTROIT – *“Jesus, the Light of the World”* – Simple Gifts

CALL TO WORSHIP

Come, let us go to the holy mountain **and worship Christ with the disciples!**

We will see Christ transformed before us. **We will see our lives transformed before Christ.**

Come, let us go to the holy mountain **and worship the Son of God.**

HYMN – *“O Splendor of God’s Glory Bright”* (666, v. 1-4)

**1 O splendor of God’s glory bright, from light eternal bringing light;
O Light of Light, light’s living spring, true Day, all days illumining:**

**2 Come, Holy Sun of heavenly love, rain down your radiance from above,
and to our inward hearts convey the Holy Spirit’s cloudless ray.**

**3 O joyful be the passing day with thoughts as clear as morning’s ray,
with faith like noontide shining bright, our souls unshadowed by the night.**

**4 O Lord, with each returning morn, your image to our heart is born;
O may we ever clearly view our Savior and our God in you.**

PRAYER OF PRAISE

CONFESSION

God of all glory, beauty, and grace, we have tried to hide from you— to hide our faces, to hide our sin— yet you have never hidden your love for us. We have tried to search for you— in temples, in clouds, on mountaintops— yet you have already revealed yourself to us in the face of Jesus Christ. Forgive us, and transform us so that our lives may shine with your glory, beauty, and grace.

(silence)

**Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy.
Lord have mercy. Kyrie Eleison. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT – Psalm 50:1-6 – Joe Hunnings

OFFERING OF MUSIC – *“This Little Light of Mine”* – Simple Gifts

GOSPEL – Mark 9:2-9

SERMON – Rev. Emily Rhodes Hunter

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / LORD’S PRAYER

HYMN – *“Shine, Jesus, Shine”* (192, v. 1-3)

**1 Lord, the light of your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the World, shine upon us; set us free by the truth you now bring us.
Shine on me; shine on me.**

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.

**2 Lord, I come to your awesome presence, from the shadows into your radiance;
by the blood I may enter your brightness. Search me; try me; consume all my darkness.
Shine on me; shine on me. (Refrain)**

**3 As we gaze on your kingly brightness, so our faces display your likeness;
ever changing from glory to glory, mirrored here may our lives tell your story.
Shine on me; shine on me. (Refrain)**

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG

**The Lord now sends us forth with hands to serve and give,
to make of all the earth a better place to live.**

**The angels are not sent into our world of pain
to do what we were meant to do in Jesus’ name;
that falls to you and me and all who are made free.
Help us, O Lord, we pray, to do your will today.**

**The Lord now sends us forth with hands to serve and give,
to make of all the earth a better place to live.**

Please be in prayer for:

Revathi Balakrishnan

Susan Dickerson

Drew Taylor and family

Edd Stoops

Andy Robeson

Ron Pearson

Doug Rathjen

Kelly Wimmer

Deborah Long

Ann Stinson

Today’s musicians: Marya Katz, Charles Bostian, Ann Marie Conner, Jack Webster, Pat Fullen

Video Technician – Marshall Chaney