

# Welcome to Glory Lutheran Church



THIS IS MY SON,  
THE BELOVED

MATTHEW 17:5

## Transfiguration of Our Lord

Last Sunday after Epiphany  
February 19 , 2023

*Reaching Up... Reaching Out... Reaching In...*

## Gathering Songs - My Lighthouse

In my wrestling, and in my doubts,  
in my failures, You won't walk out.  
Your great love will lead me through;  
You are the peace in my troubled sea, whoa oh,  
You are the peace in my troubled sea.

In the silence, You won't let go.  
In the questions, Your truth will hold.  
Your great love will lead me through;  
You are the peace in my troubled sea, whoa oh,  
You are the peace in my troubled sea.

### (Chorus)

**My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse  
Shining in the darkness, I will follow You! Oh,--  
my Lighthouse, my Lighthouse,  
I will trust the promise:  
You will carry me safe to shore,--- safe to shore,---  
safe to shore,--- safe to shore.**

I won't fear what tomorrow brings.  
With each morning, I'll rise and sing.  
My God's love will lead me through;  
You are the peace in my troubled sea, whoa oh,  
You are the peace in my troubled sea.

### (Chorus x2)

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## Thanksgiving at the Font

*We invite the children to gather around the font  
and to repeat each sentence:*

Pastor: We praise you, O God, for water.  
**Children: We praise you, O God, for water.**

P: We need water to drink.  
**C: We need water to drink.**

P: We need water to wash.  
**C: We need water to wash.**

P: We need water to grow.  
**C: We need water to grow.**

P: We praise you, O God, for water.  
**C: We praise you, O God, for water.**

P: We praise you, O God, for baptism.  
**C: We praise you, O God, for baptism.**

P: We praise you, O God, for your Spirit.  
**C: We praise you, O God, for your Spirit.**

*Children stretch their hands out over the font.  
Water is poured over their hands into the font.*

P: We praise you, O God, for water.  
**C: We praise you, O God, for water.**

P: Amen, with water.  
**C: Amen, with water.**

*Children may mark their own or one another's  
foreheads with water and the sign of the cross.*

## Shine, Jesus, Shine

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.

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.

**(Chorus)**

**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.**

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.

**(Chorus)**

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## Greeting

### Prayer of the Day

O God, in the transfiguration of your Son you confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the witness of Moses and Elijah, and in the voice from the bright cloud declaring Jesus your beloved Son, you foreshadowed our adoption as your children. Make us heirs with Christ of your glory, and bring us to enjoy its fullness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

### Sharing of the Peace

*Please take time to say "Peace be with you" as directed.*

**Worship Choir: You Are My All In All**

*Words and Music by Dennis Jernigan*

**Fairest Lord Jesus**

*Words: Gesangbuch, 1677 Music: Schlesische Volkslieder, 1842  
Choral Setting by Larry Shackley*

**Children's Time**

**First Lesson:** Exodus 24:12-18

L: Word of God, Word of Life. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 2**

L: Why do the nations conspire,  
and the peoples plot in vain?

**C: The kings of the earth set themselves,  
and the rulers take counsel together,  
against the Lord and his anointed, saying,**

L: "Let us burst their bonds asunder,  
and cast their cords from us."

**C: He who sits in the heavens laughs;  
the Lord has them in derision.**

L: Then he will speak to them in his wrath,  
and terrify them in his fury, saying,

**C: "I have set my king on Zion, my holy hill."**

L: I will tell of the decree of the Lord:  
He said to me, "You are my son;  
today I have begotten you.

**C: Ask of me, and I will make the nations your heritage,  
and the ends of the earth your possession.**

L: You shall break them with a rod of iron,  
and dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel."

**C: Now therefore, O kings, be wise;  
be warned, O rulers of the earth.**

L: Serve the Lord with fear,  
with trembling kiss his feet,  
or he will be angry, and you will perish in the way;  
for his wrath is quickly kindled.

**C: Happy are all who take refuge in him.**

## Second Lesson:

2 Peter 1:16-21

L: Word of God, Word of Life. C: Thanks be to God.

### Gospel Acclamation



Al - le - lu - ia,



Al - le - lu - ia, Lord, to whom shall we go? For



you have the words, you have the words, the words of e -



ter - nal life, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

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### Gospel Lesson

Matthew 17:1-9

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

P: The Gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

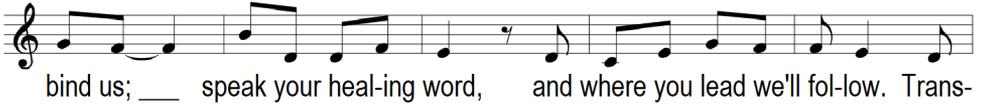
## SERMON

# Hymn of the Day - Transfigure Us, O Lord

REFRAIN (♩ = ca. 64)



Trans -fig-ure us, O Lord, trans-fig-ure us, O Lord. \_\_\_ Break the chains that



bind us; \_\_\_ speak your heal-ing word, and where you lead we'll fol-low. Trans-

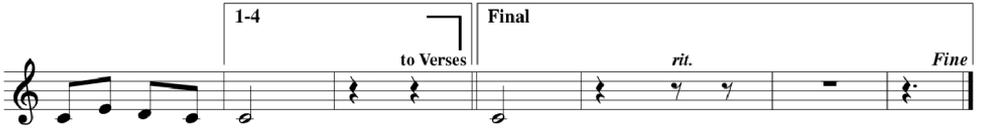


fig - ure us, O Lord. Lord.

## VERSES



1. Down from heights of glo - ry in - to the depths be - low, the
2. Light for those in dark - ness, the hun - gry have their fill, glad
3. Par - don for the sin - ner, a shep - herd for the sheep, a
4. To the ho - ly cit - y, Je - ru - sa - lem, you go; your



1. love of God self emp - tied, the love of God to show. \_\_\_\_\_ You
2. tid - ings for the hum - ble, the heal - ing of all ills; \_\_\_\_\_ in
3. drink of liv - ing wa - ter for all who thirst and seek, \_\_\_\_\_ and
4. face set toward the end - ing, the cross to be your throne. \_\_\_\_\_ 7



1. light the path be - fore us, the way that we must go.
2. these we glimpse your glo - ry, God's prom - is - es ful - filled.
3. feast-ing at your ta - ble, the low - ly and the least.
4. Shall we jour - ney with you and share your pasch - al road?

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## Confession of Faith - 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.

## Prayers

### Prayer Response:

P: Merciful God, C: receive our prayer.

## Offering

*As you leave, you may place your offering onto  
the plate located at the back of the church  
or use the online options available on our website.*

## Offertory Song - We Are An Offering

We lift our voices, we lift our hands,  
we lift our lives up to You, we are an offering.  
Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands,  
Lord, use our lives, they are Yours, we are an offering.

All that we have, all that we are,  
all that we hope to be, we give to You,  
we give to You.

We lift our voices, we lift our hands,  
we lift our lives up to You, we are and offering,  
we are an offering.

## Offertory Prayer

Liberating 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.  
**Amen.**

## The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen**

## BLESSING

### Announcements



**ASH  
WEDNESDAY**

**Ash Wednesday  
Service  
February 22, 2023  
7:00 PM**

**Thursday, March 2,**  
and every Thursday  
during Lent

*Lenten  
Soup  
Supper  
& Service*

**Lenten Soup Supper 6PM**  
*Watch for Soup Supper sign up  
sheets in the Narthex*  
**Lenten Service 7PM**

## Sending Song - Alleluia

*sing 4 times - in the 4th time, replace "Alleluia" with "ooo's"*

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Words: traditional liturgical text

Music: Norah Duncan IV

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## Dismissal

# GLORY LUTHERAN CHURCH

## Annual General Meeting

Sunday, February 26

The meeting will be held  
at the church after Sunday Worship  
(approximately 12:15 p.m.)

The option to join the meeting via zoom  
will be available. Details will follow in  
the e-news, and on Glory's website closer to the date.

A BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO HOLY FRIDAY

# WITNESS *at the* CROSS



## **WITNESS at the CROSS: A Beginners Guide to Holy Friday Synod-Wide Lenten Bible Study**

online each Tuesday in Lent

beginning February 21, 2023 at 9 am or 7pm

**Place yourself as a witness of the cross  
and determine what your own testimony will be!**

Join us for six 75-minute sessions to meet and learn from those who were witnesses at the cross.

Find information and register here:

<https://form.jotform.com/230106407903244>

**Thank you to those who bring snacks  
and food to share. Over time, several empty  
containers and dishes have accumulated in the  
kitchen, please check the kitchen counter and take  
home any that belong to you.**



# Thank You

to those who made contributions to this week's bulletin and to members who assisted in today's service.

## **Worship Planners, Altar Guild, Choir, Musicians, AV Techs,**

<b>Greeters:</b>	Doug Sime & Orleen Pearson
<b>Usher:</b>	Glenda Nelson
<b>Reader:</b>	Elizabeth Wood
<b>Sermon:</b>	Deacon Dr. Faith Nostbakken
<b>Acolyte:</b>	Aiden Jones
<b>Coffee Setup/Cleanup:</b>	Pat Becker
<b>Church Lock-Up:</b>	Sebastian Montoya

*To volunteer, please sign up on the sheet on the easel in the Narthex.*

## **Events This Week**

Praise Band - Tuesday 7:00pm  
Ash Wednesday Service - Wednesday 7:00pm  
Confirmation - Thursday 6:30pm    Choir - Thursday 7:15pm

## **Attendance & Offering:**

	<b>Online</b>	<b>In-Person</b>	<b>Offering</b>
January 29, 2023	33	71	\$2365.00
February 5, 2023	54	77	\$2915.50
February 12, 2023	29	103	***will be reported next week***

## **Next Sunday's Readings:**

Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7  
Psalm 32, Romans 5:12-19, Matthew 4:1-11

**The service this morning will be both recorded and live streamed.**  
This can be accessed on our website, [glorylutheran.ca](http://glorylutheran.ca).

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