



THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ON THE HILL
FEBRUARY 11, 2018~10:15AM
TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

In Preparation (*Please meditate silently.*)

“I learned that courage was not the absence of fear, but the triumph over it. The brave man is not he who does not feel afraid, but he who conquers that fear” – Nelson Mandela

“Getting over a painful experience is much like crossing monkey bars. You have to let go at some point in order to move forward.” – C.S. Lewis

Peace Prayer

Prelude **“When Morning Gilds the Skies”** *arr. Dale Wood*

Introit **“We Have Come at Christ’s Own Bidding”**

Arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams

We have come at Christ’s own bidding
to this high and holy place,
where we wait with hope and longing
for some token of God’s grace.
Here we pray for new assurance
that our faith is not in vain,
searching like those first disciples
for a sign both clear and plain.

Light breaks through our clouds and shadows,
splendor bathes the fresh-joined Word,
Moses and Elijah marvel
as the heavenly voice is heard.
Eyes and hearts behold with wonder
how the Law and Prophets meet:
Christ with garments drenched in brightness
stands transfigured and complete.

Call to Worship

The presence of the Lord is in this holy place;
Let awe and silence fill the whole earth.

O come, let us worship and bow down

Let us kneel before the Lord, our maker!

For God will hear our prayers, heal our diseases,
forgive our sins, and fill us with renewed vigor of life.

Come, let us worship God.

▲ Hymn No. 190 **“Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory”** *Geneva*

▲ The Invocation and the Lord’s Prayer (unison)

***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.***

Life on the Hill

Today (Feb 11): ✝ WORSHIP 10:15am

Monday (Feb. 12): Property, 6pm
Worship, 6:45pm
CE, 7:30pm

Tuesday (Feb. 13): Mission 7:30pm
Finance 7:30pm

Thursday (Feb. 15): Moms & Young Gals 9:30-11am
Chancel Choir 7:30pm

Next Sunday: ✝ WORSHIP 10:15am

☺ **Children thru 12th grade will exit to Sunday School** ☺

Anthem

“Glorify the Lord”

Sheldon Curry

Isaiah C. Mason, trumpet soloist

Glorify the Lord all you works of the Lord,
praise Him and highly exalt Him forever.

In the firmament of His power, glorify the Lord,
praise Him and highly exalt Him forever.

Let the earth praise the Lord;

O mountains and valleys,
all life that grows upon the earth,
every woman, man, and child!

Let the people of God glorify the Lord;
every servant and priest glorify the Lord!

Spirits and souls of the righteous glorify the Lord!

You that are holy and humble of heart.

Thomas Ken (1633 – 1711)

Chancel Choir

*Yuri Albertao, Michael Compoly, Marilyn Dicken, Otto Eickmeyer,
Hilary Epstein, Ed Fix, Bernice Gangaware, JP Hanly, Nancy
Kinasczuk, George Liddy, Barbara Lofthouse, Isaiah Mason, Bob
Morris, Sandy Papp, Cheryl Schmidt, Randy Stolze, Marcia Turpin.*

Silent Confession

O Lord, hear our personal prayers as we admit to our sins.
Hear our confession:

Personal Prayers of Confession

Words of Assurance

Friends, hear the good news: Christ Jesus came
into the world to save sinners:

**He came to forgive us in our failures and accept
us as we are. He came to set us free from evil’s
power and make us what we were meant to be.**

Know that you are accepted and forgiven and be at peace.

Amen.

Song of Assurance No. 192 **“Shine Jesus Shine”** *Shine Jesus Shine*

Scripture Lesson **Philippians 3:20-4:1 & Mark 9:2-9 NIV**

Deacon Robin Compoly



²⁰ But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹ who, by the power that enables him to bring everything under his control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like his glorious body.

⁴ Therefore, my brothers and sisters, you whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, dear friends!

² After six days Jesus took Peter, James and John with him and led them up a high mountain, where they were all alone. There he was transfigured before them. ³ His clothes became dazzling white, whiter than anyone in the world could bleach them. ⁴ And there appeared before them Elijah and Moses, who were talking with Jesus.

⁵ Peter said to Jesus, “Rabbi, it is good for us to be here. Let us put up three shelters—one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah.” ⁶ (He did not know what to say, they were so frightened.)

⁷ Then a cloud appeared and covered them, and a voice came from the cloud: “This is my Son, whom I love. Listen to him!”

⁸ Suddenly, when they looked around, they no longer saw anyone with them except Jesus.

⁹ As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus gave them orders not to tell anyone what they had seen until the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Presenting Our Gifts to the Lord

Offertory **“All Things Bright and Beautiful”** *arr. Dale Wood*

▲ Dedication Hymn No. 643

“Now Thank We All Our God” *Nun Danket Alle Gottn*

**Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices,
who wondrous things has done, in whom his world rejoices;
who from our mother’s arms has blessed us on our way with
countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.**

- ▲ Prayer of Dedication
- ▲ Passing of the Peace and Greeting One Another

Hymn of Preparation No. 193

“Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain” *Unser Herrscher*

Message **“On A Clear Day”** *Pastor Merideth S. Mueller*

Prayers of the People

- ▲ Hymn No. 265

“Jesus Shall Reign Where’er the Sun” *Duke Street*

- ▲ Benediction

▲ Postlude **“Duke Street”** *arr. Noel Rawsthorne*

(▲ All who are able, please stand.)



LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

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We sincerely welcome all who have come to worship the Creator of us all. As brothers and sisters, let us give evidence that we belong to the family of God. Extend the hand of friendship to those around you, and be grateful for the gift of friends and family. If you are in need of pastoral care or perhaps a listening ear, please speak to one of our Elders, Deacons, or Stephen Ministers.



The Chancel Flowers are given to the Glory of God in honor of our Session Leaders



Serving Today

† **Greeters:** Letitia & Ralph Jensen

† **Ushers:** Team 5: Elda Gall, Capt., Bill Brown, Robin Compoly, Rodger Stewart, Guy Rayner

† **Flower Duty:** Elda Gall, Buffy Zazzo

† **Trustee Duty:** Anne Pagnoni, Rick Degurski

† **Fellowship Host:** Deanne Nirider

† **Worship Prep:** 2/10 Elda Gall, 2/17 Laura Guilfoyle

**Life on the Hill Notes
February 11th**



PCOH NURSERY

TODAY

Bea Rogers

Feb. 18 Kristin Worthley

Mar 4 Jamie Montero

Feb 25 Jean Brown

Mar 11 _____



Children & Youth Team Leaders

TODAY

FEBRUARY 11TH

Pre-k & Kindergarten

(brick classroom)

Shirley Carle

Stephanie Toth

Jessica Compoly

Cheryl Schleuss

1st – 5th Grade

(fellowship hall)

Judy Quitne

Sherri Ryan

Carol Cox

Cheryl Miller

9th – 12th Grade

(youth room)

Anne Pagnoni

Kelli Tobin

Kelli Tobin

Sandy Pristas



Sign Up Sheets

(posted on rear table in sanctuary)



Fellowship Time Hosts



Scripture Readers



Greeters



The Ministry of Flowers



New 2018 Chart is now posted! If you would like flowers in the sanctuary for a particular Sunday please sign up. Cost: \$45.00. Questions? Please speak with Judy Quitne. Are you aware that our Deacons deliver the flowers to our shut-ins and hospitalized folks with our prayers and concern every Sunday?



*When you are shopping,
please remember that:*

Trinity Needs Food

*When you are cooking,
please remember that:*

The Center Needs Meals

STEPHEN MINISTRY



“CHRIST CARING FOR PEOPLE THROUGH PEOPLE”

If you, or a neighbor, co-worker or friend could benefit from the trained, caring presence and listening ear of a Stephen Minister, please contact Dot French, Stephen Minister Coordinator at 732-774-4307.

“CHURCH ON THE HILL is a diverse, inclusive community of God’s people whose faith is led by the life and teachings of Jesus Christ. We welcome, love, and empower all persons to become constructive, affirming thinkers, filled with hope, making a difference in the world. Armed with forgiveness and understanding in the knowledge that “God alone is Lord of the conscience” (Historical Principles, G-1.0301a), we will move forward in an ever changing culture and world.

† **FAITH** † **LOVE** † **HOPE** † **FORGIVENESS** † **UNDERSTANDING** †

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TRANSITION ON THE HILL

- ⊗ February Worship Preachers already assigned;
- ⊗ Transition team of Session/Deacons will facilitate the immediate needs of worship, day-to-day operation, etc.;
- ✚ When ready, committee chosen to search for interim pastor;
- ✚ When interim pastor is chosen, a brief self-study of PCOH needs and goals will be conducted and shared.
- ✚ When the self-study is completed, a Pastor Nominating Committee will be chosen to search for a new pastor.