

"The Lord indeed is God; the Lord indeed is God." - I Kings 18:39

# Service for the Lord's Day

February 11, 2024 – Transfiguration of the Lord Sunday

(\*Indicates where it is appropriate, but not necessary to stand. All speak words in **boldface**.)

# Called by God, We Gather

PRELUDE "Adaigo" John Stanley

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

MINUTE FOR MISSION – Stephanie Bowen – Brunswick Family Assistance

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

[Please take a brief moment to greet those around you.]

CALLED TO WORSHIP IN RINGING THE TRINITY

INTROIT

OPENING WORDS & PRAYER (adapted from Psalm 50:1-6)

The mighty one speaks and summons the earth

from the rising of the sun to its setting.

Out of Zion, God shines forth.

Our God does not keep silence;

he calls to the heavens above and to the earth:

"Gather to me my faithful ones, who made a covenant with me!"

The heavens declare his righteousness, for God himself is judge.

HYMN #11 "Source and Sovereign, Rock and Cloud"

**ABERYSTWYTH** 

CALL TO CONFESSION

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord of power and might, in Jesus Christ you reveal your divine light, but we turn away, distracted by our own concerns. We speak when we should listen and act rashly when patience is needed. We keep to ourselves and do not fulfill our mission to go and proclaim the Good News of your redeeming love. Forgive our aimless wanderings, Lord. Grant us wisdom to live in your light and follow in humility and reverence, so that your glory may illumine our lives.

SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: Gloria Patri (#581)

# To Hear God's Word of Grace

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Mark 9:2-9

TIME WITH THE YOUNG PEOPLE [11:00]

ANTHEM "This Is My Beloved Son" Pepper Choplin

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: II Kings 2:1-12

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON "Out of Sight" Rev. George W. Chapman III

# To Respond in Faith and Gratitude

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: The Apostles' Creed

What do we believe?

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 and 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.

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

#### **OFFERING**

\*Response: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow (#606)

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*HYMN #193

"Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain"

**HERRSCHER** 

# Then Depart Blessed to Serve

\*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL RESPONSE

**POSTLUDE** 

The beautiful flowers are to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Paul Vealey and other loved ones given by Carol Vealey.

Acolyte: Seamus Smíthwick

Greeters: 8:30 Tammy Mckethan; 11:00 Dave and Kitty Green

Ushers: 8:30 Dick Wilson; 11:00 Ryan and Kim Smithwick

## **Announcements**

### Monday, February 12

• 4:30pm Missions & Benevolence

• 6:00pm Cub Scouts, BSMT

7:00pm Boy Scouts, FH

### Tuesday, February 13

9:00am Quilters, FH5:00pm AA. BSMT

• 6:00pm Bible Study, FH

### Wednesday, February 14

• 10:30am Celebration Circle

• 11:30am Ash Wednesday Service in the Sanctuary



### Thursday, February 15

• 5:00pm AA, BSMT

• 6:00pm Bell Choir Practice

• 7:00pm Choir Practice

#### **REMINDER:**

Following our 11:00am worship today, please join us for SOUPer Bowl of chili. Donations will be accepted to support the SOUPer Bowl Of Caring Fund. Join us for hot chili and great fellowship.

A brief Congregational Meeting has been called for February 25, for the purposes of electing new Deacons to complete the terms of those who were unable to complete their terms due to personal reasons.

If you would like more information about Shallotte Presbyterian Church, the Presbyterian Church (USA), or how to become a member of our congregation, please don't hesitate to call or email the church office. Our contact information may be found below. We would be delighted to share with you how you can help support the ministry and mission of this church!



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Welcoming others as God has welcomed us.

