



**Transfiguration of Our Lord  
Sunday, February 15, 2026  
Advent Lutheran Church**

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## ADVENT LUTHERAN CHURCH WELCOME STATEMENT

Advent Lutheran Church of Goschenhoppen, a welcoming community of God, believes ALL people are made in God's image and boundless love and ALL are valued equally within our congregation. We are empowered by God through faith to nurture and celebrate the vast diversity among individuals – single, married, partnered, divorced – embrace their uniqueness in all aspects of life including race, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expressions, physical or mental abilities, socioeconomic backgrounds and age. We care for the environment and strive for racial equity and social and economic justice. We at Advent affirm and welcome you to share life with us and participate in God's ministry.

**WELCOME FRIENDS AND GUESTS** If you are a guest, we ask that you please sign our visitor register located on the table in the Narthex, and help yourself to one of the Welcome Bags. Please come back and worship with us.

**LITURGY.** Hymns can be found in the Evangelical Lutheran Worship book - our red hymnal in the pew rack, or placed under the chairs.

*\* indicates, please stand, as you are able.*

**MASKS** - Masks are optional. Love your neighbor.



### WE LOVE CHILDREN IN WORSHIP!

- Worship activities are located in the narthex cubbies.
- A staffed nursery is available for infants through age 6. The nursery is the last door on the right. Children's Church (kindergarten-5th) grade begins after the children's sermon. Children will return to worship during the passing of the peace.



**FOR 8:30 am:** Join us for fellowship following worship! All are welcome.

**\*\* Members, please remember to check your mailboxes today \*\***



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**Prelude** 11:00 Sing a New Song; *Prateorius*

Chancel Choir

*Prepare your hearts for worship in a quiet time and space during the prelude.*

## GATHERING

### **\*Confession and Forgiveness**

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

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✚ one God, the Creator of heaven and earth, the Word who spoke life into being, the Wind stirring the waters. **Amen.**

P: Let us turn in confession to the one who knows us completely.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Mighty God, lover of justice,

**You call us to life in community, but too often we have served our own interests at the expense of our neighbors. We have sown deceit where honesty was needed. We say the right words, but our hearts are far from you. Turn us to seek your face. Knit us together and give us the mind of Christ, that we may do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.**

P: The former things have passed away, and new things God now declares: Like a spring of water that never fails, God covers you in the righteousness of Christ, and forgives your sin in ✚ Jesus' name. May the Spirit give you strength to live for others, and bless you with the gift of peace.

**C: Amen.**

### **\*Gathering Hymn**

*Oh, Wondrous Image, Vision Fair*  
*(tune: From Heaven Above)*

Hymn #316

### **\*Greeting**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **C: And also with you.**

**\*Kyrie**

**Andante**  $\frac{4}{4}$  *mp* F F/A Gm C F F/A B $\flat$  C F F/A

Ky - re-e e - le - i-son: Lord have mer - cy. Chris - te e -

10 Gm C Dm G/B C<sup>7</sup> F F/A Gm C

le - i-son: Christ have mer - cy. Ky - ri - e e - le - i-son:

15 F F/A B $\flat$  C Gm<sup>7</sup> Gm B $\flat$  C<sup>7</sup> F

Lord\_ have\_ mer - cy, Lord\_ have\_ mer - cy.

**\*Hymn of Praise**

21 **Driving** ( $\text{♩} = 96$ ) *f*

Glo-ry, glo-ry to God in the high - est!\_ Glo-ry

27 Gm F B $\flat$  Gm<sup>7</sup>

glo-ry to God in the high - est,\_ Glo-ry glo-ry to God in the high - est,\_ and on

31 F/C C F Cm<sup>7</sup> *mp* F

earth, be peace to all. Lord God, Heav'n-ly King, al-migh-ty Fa- ther, we

35 Cm<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> F G

wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry. Lord Je sus Christ, on-ly

38 G B $\flat$  F

son\_ of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God you take a - way the sin\_ of the world: have

41  $A\flat$   $E\flat$   $Gm$   $Csus$   $C^7$   
mer - cy on us, have mer - cy on us, Glo-ry, glo-ry to God in the high - est!\_ Glo-ry

45  $Gm$   $B\flat$   $Gm^7$   $F/C$   $C$   
glory to God in the high - est, Glo-ry glory to God in the high - est, and on earth, be peace to

50  $F$   $Cm^7$   $F$   
all. You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re-ceive our

53  $Cm^7$   $Fm^7$   $F$   $G$  *f*  
prayer. For you al-lone are Ho - ly. You a-lone are Lord, you are the

56  $G$   $B\flat$   $F$   $A\flat$   $E\flat$   
most high Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it in the glo - ry of God the Fath - er, A-

60  $Gm$   $Csus$   $C^7$  *f*  
men. Glo-ry, glo-ry to God in the high - est!\_ Glo-ry glo-ry to God in the

64  $Gm$   $B\flat$   $Gm^7$   
high - est, Glo - ry glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on

67  $F/C$   $C$   $F$  **3**  
earth, be peace to all.

## \*Prayer of the Day

A: The Lord be with you

**C: And also with you.**

A: Let us pray...

**C: 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.**

## WORD

### Psalm: Psalm 2

<sup>1</sup> Why are the nations <sup>l</sup> in an uproar?

Why do the peoples mutter <sup>l</sup> empty threats?

<sup>2</sup> **Why do the kings of the earth rise up in revolt, and the princes <sup>l</sup> plot together, against the Lord and against the <sup>l</sup> Lord's anointed?**

<sup>3</sup> "Let us break their <sup>l</sup> yoke," they say;  
"let us cast off their <sup>l</sup> bonds from us."

<sup>4</sup> **God whose throne is in heav- <sup>l</sup> en is laughing;  
the Lord holds them <sup>l</sup> in derision. R**

<sup>5</sup> Then in wrath God <sup>l</sup> speaks to them,  
and in rage fills <sup>l</sup> them with terror.

<sup>6</sup> **"As for me I have anoint- <sup>l</sup> ed my king  
upon Zion my <sup>l</sup> holy mountain."**

<sup>7</sup> Let me announce the decree <sup>l</sup> of the Lord,  
who said to me, "You are my son; this day have I be- <sup>l</sup> gotten you.

<sup>8</sup> **Ask of me and I will give you the nations for <sup>l</sup> your inheritance  
and the ends of the earth for <sup>l</sup> your possession. R**

<sup>9</sup> You shall crush them with an <sup>l</sup> iron rod  
and shatter them like a <sup>l</sup> piece of pottery."

<sup>10</sup> **And now you <sup>l</sup> kings be wise;  
be warned you rulers <sup>l</sup> of the earth.**

<sup>11</sup> Submit to the <sup>l</sup> Lord with fear,  
and with trembling <sup>l</sup> bow in worship;

<sup>12</sup> **lest the Lord be angry and you perish in a sudden <sup>l</sup> blaze of wrath.  
Happy are all who take ref- <sup>l</sup> uge in God! R**

## First Lesson: Exodus 24:12-18

<sup>12</sup> The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain and wait there; I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction." <sup>13</sup> So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up onto the mountain of God. <sup>14</sup> To the elders he had said, "Wait here for us, until we come back to you. Look, Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them." <sup>15</sup> Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. <sup>16</sup> The glory of the Lord settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. <sup>17</sup> Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the Israelites. <sup>18</sup> Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

## \*Gospel Acclamation

**Joyful** ♩=96  
4

*f* Fadd<sup>6</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup> C<sup>9</sup> Fadd<sup>6</sup>

Hal-le - lu - ia, Hal-le lu - ia. Hal-le - lu - ia, Hal-le lu - ia.

80 Fadd<sup>6</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup> Bmaj<sup>7</sup> F/C Fadd<sup>6</sup>

Hal-le - lu - ia, Hal-le lu - ia. Hal-le lu - ia, Ha-le - lu - ia!\_\_\_

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 17<sup>th</sup> chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

## \*Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

<sup>1</sup> Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. <sup>2</sup> And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became bright as light. <sup>3</sup> Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. <sup>4</sup> Then Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will set up three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." <sup>5</sup> While he

was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" <sup>6</sup> When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. <sup>7</sup> But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." <sup>8</sup> And when they raised their eyes, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone. <sup>9</sup> As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, "Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

### **Children's Sermon**

*Pastor Mark*

*Children ages kindergarten-5th grade are dismissed for Children's Church*

### **Sermon**

*Pastor Mark*

### **\*Hymn of the Day**

*We Are Marching in the Light of God*

Hymn #866

### **\*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.**

### **\*The Prayers**

### **\*The Peace**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

## MEAL

**Offertory**

*Drawn to the Light*

Hymn #593

**\*Offertory Prayer**

A: Generous God, your love reaches to the heavens, and your abundance to the depths of the seas. Bless what we offer to your service: our gifts, our abilities, and our hearts. Let us overflow with gratitude and generosity, now and always. **C: Amen**

**\*Communion Liturgy**

*P: Those of you worshiping with us online are invited to share communion with us. I invite you to have your bread and your wine or grape juice before you as we gather to receive communion. What we share is not a private ceremony, but an act of worship within this community gathered by a God who transcends time and space. It is “for you” – Christ promises to be there for you. Trust that. And this sacrament is also for all people; we celebrate in the assembly. We are one community in worship.*

**\*Dialog**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

**\*Preface** It is indeed right... ....join their unending hymn:

## \*Holy, Holy, Holy

Jazzy ♩ = 112  
4

*f* F F/C F B $\flat$  C $^9$  F

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might.

92 F F/C C $^7$  F

Heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry: Ho-san - na in the high - est.

96 B $\flat$  *mp* F/A Gm $^7$  Csus C

Bles - sed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

99 *f* F F/A Dm F $^7$  B $\flat^9$  Gm C $^9$  Fsus F

san - na in the high - est, Ho - san - na in the high - est!

## \*Thanksgiving at the Table

*The congregation echoes the first three responses:*

...We praise you, O God. **We praise you, O God.**

...We bless you, O God. **We bless you, O God.**

...We thank you, O God. **We thank you, O God.**

...we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

## \*Lord's Prayer

P: As people of God in this time and place, we use the language of today as we pray the prayer Jesus taught us.

**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**

P: Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. Come to the table; taste and see. Come, not because you are perfect, but because you are forgiven.

**\*Lamb of God**

103 **Gently** (♩=76)  
3 *mp* F Bb/F F

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world: have

109 Bb<sup>9</sup> F Gm<sup>7</sup> C F Bb/F F

mer-cy\_ on us, have mer-cy\_ on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world: have

113 Bb<sup>9</sup> F Gm<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup>sus F F/A

mer - cy\_ on us, have mer - cy\_ on us. Lamb of God you take a - way the

116 Gm<sup>7</sup> Csus C<sup>9</sup> Bb<sup>9</sup>/D F/C C<sup>7</sup> F 2

sin of the world: Grant us peace, grant us\_ peace.

**Communion**

*Those worshiping in-person are invited to come forward as the ushers direct you. You may receive bread and dip it into the wine or grape juice; or you may pick up one of the sealed wafer/grape juice packets or a sealed gluten free wafer and hear the words of promise before returning to your seat to open it.*

*Those worshiping online are invited to use your own bread and wine or grape juice at this time, saying to each other, or to yourself, “The body of Christ given for you,” and “The blood of Christ shed for you.” For all of us, Christ promises to be present in, with, and under the bread and wine/juice.*

*Children who have not yet received their first communion may come forward (in person) for a blessing, or someone in the room (worshiping online) may pause to provide that blessing, saying “Remember, God loves you” or “You are a beloved child of God.”*

**Communion Hymn:**

*Beautiful Savior*

Hymn #838

**Post Communion Blessing**

P: Now may the body and blood of our savior Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God’s grace. **C: Amen.**

## Post Communion Prayer

A: O God, our life, our strength, our food, we give you thanks for sustaining us with the body and blood of your Son. By your Holy Spirit, enliven us to be his body in the world, that more and more we will give you praise and serve your earth and its many peoples, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

## SENDING

### Announcements

#### \*Benediction

P: May the triune God, who has put a new song in your mouth and tuned your heart for praise  
✙ bless you now and forever.

C: Amen.

\*Sending Hymn: *Alleluia, Song of Gladness*

Hymn #318

#### \*Dismissal

A: Go in peace. Do justice. Love mercy.

**C: Saved by God's Grace, Renewed through Word and Sacrament, We are Sent as Disciples to Share the Gospel of Jesus. Thanks be to God.**

### Postlude

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