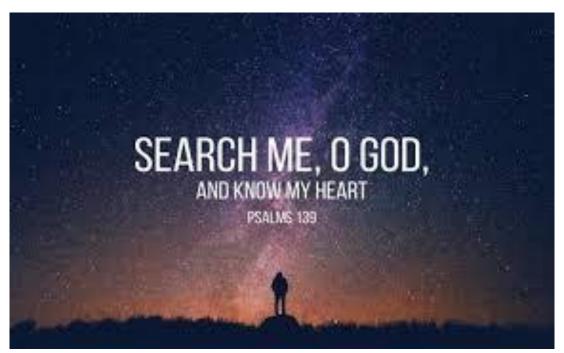
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Psalm 139:1-12

February 14, 2021

Transfiguration Sunday

Worship 10:55am

Broadcast Live on 105.1 FM KBLP

A Service of the Word

Transfiguration Sunday

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We are blessed you chose to worship with us today.

WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE

PRELUDE Alexia Herrin

GREETING Ed Bevers

On Transfiguration Sunday, we greet you with hope in the name of our Risen Christ! Let us worship the Lord!

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ed Bevers

*INTROIT Sanctuary (X2) FWS 2164

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.

With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.

*CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 139) Theresa Bevers

Leader: Where can we hide from your Spirit, O God?

Where can we flee from your presence?

People: If we go up to the heavens, you are there;

if we make our beds in the depths, O God, you are there.

Leader: If we rise on the wings of the dawn, you are there.

People: If we settle on the far side of the sea, you are there.

All Voices Together:

Everywhere we go, your hand will guide us, your righteous right hand keep us safe.

Refrain:

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

- 1. When I feel afraid, think I've lost my way, still your right there beside me, and nothing will I fear as long as you are near. Please be near me to the end.

 [Refrain]
- 2. Now I will not forget your love for me and yet my heart forever is wandering.
 Jesus, be my guide and hold me to your side, and I will love you to the end.
 [Refrain]

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed #882 Theresa Bevers
I believe in God the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ, his 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,
is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and will come again 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.

*GLORIA PATRI UMH 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

WE ARE SET APART IN TRUTH

SCRIPTURE Psalm 139:1-12^{NRSV} Theresa Bevers

- ¹O Lord, you have searched me and known me.
- ² You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from far away.
- ³ You search out my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways.
- ⁴Even before a word is on my tongue, O Lord, you know it completely.
- ⁵ You hem me in, behind and before, and lay your hand upon me.
- ⁶ Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is so high that I cannot attain it.
- ⁷Where can I go from your spirit? Or where can I flee from your presence?
- ⁸ If I ascend to heaven, you are there; if I make my bed in Sheol, you are there.
- ⁹ If I take the wings of the morning and settle at the farthest limits of the sea,

- ¹⁰ even there your hand shall lead me, and your right hand shall hold me fast.
- ¹¹ If I say, "Surely the darkness shall cover me, and the light around me become night,"
- ¹² even the darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day, for darkness is as light to you.

May God add a blessing to the hearing and understanding of this Holy Word. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Christ, Be Our Light ANTHEM **Justin Davis**

"No Searchlights Needed" Rev. Dr. Mark Whitley THE MESSAGE

WE RESPOND IN THANKSGIVING

RESPONSIVE GIVING OF OUR TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND GIFTS *DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise him all creatures here below.

Praise him above ye heavenly hosts;

praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

UMH 95

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord; there are sweet expressions on each face, and I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

Refrain:

Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove, stay right here with us, filling us with your love; and for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise; without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived when we shall leave this place.

SENT FORTH TO HOLY LIVING

*BENEDICTION AND BLESSING

Rev. Dr. Mark Whitley We serve a sending God, and now we send you forth into your week to

be a presence of Living Hope. We send you forth to lead with grace, walk with spiritual integrity, and serve with humility, so that God's will be done, on earth...as it is in heaven. In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Amen.

*SENDING FORTH

On Eagle's Wings

UMH 143

And God will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of God's hand.

POSTLUDE Alexia Herrin

Please remain seated during the Postlude.

PLEASE TAKE YOUR BULLETIN WITH YOU AS YOU DEPART

Keep Them in Your Prayers

Our Church; Our Community,
Our Troops, Our Government
Tyler & Amelia Harrison & family
Shut ins: Wilma Johnson, Pat Wall
Health Challenges: Tommy Ferguson's
Mother, Rachel Franklin, Frankie Minton
(broke pelvis), Julia Murray, Sandra Pratt,
Nancy Rogers, Katilyn Spencer, Rick Webb

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

14th Joely Jarrels

17th Mary Mae Owens

18th Lee Butcher

19th Barre Griffith; Jacob Holinsworth

21st Leschen Crawford; Geri Cutler

22nd Donald Johnson; Ronald Johnson 23rd Theresa Bevers; Janet Garrett 25th Gary Hargrove; Brandi Millsap

27th Zac Elkins

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Sunday, February 14

Worship 10:55am KBLP, Facebook, & lindsayumc.com

Wednesday, February 17

Ash Wednesday Service 6:00pm

Thursday, February 18

Bloodmobile 11am - 6pm

Friday, February 19

COVID-19 vaccine workers lunch at REC Multipurpose ~ Contact Barbara for more info.

Sunday, February 21

Worship 10:55am KBLP, Facebook, & lindsayumc.com

Sunday, February 28

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