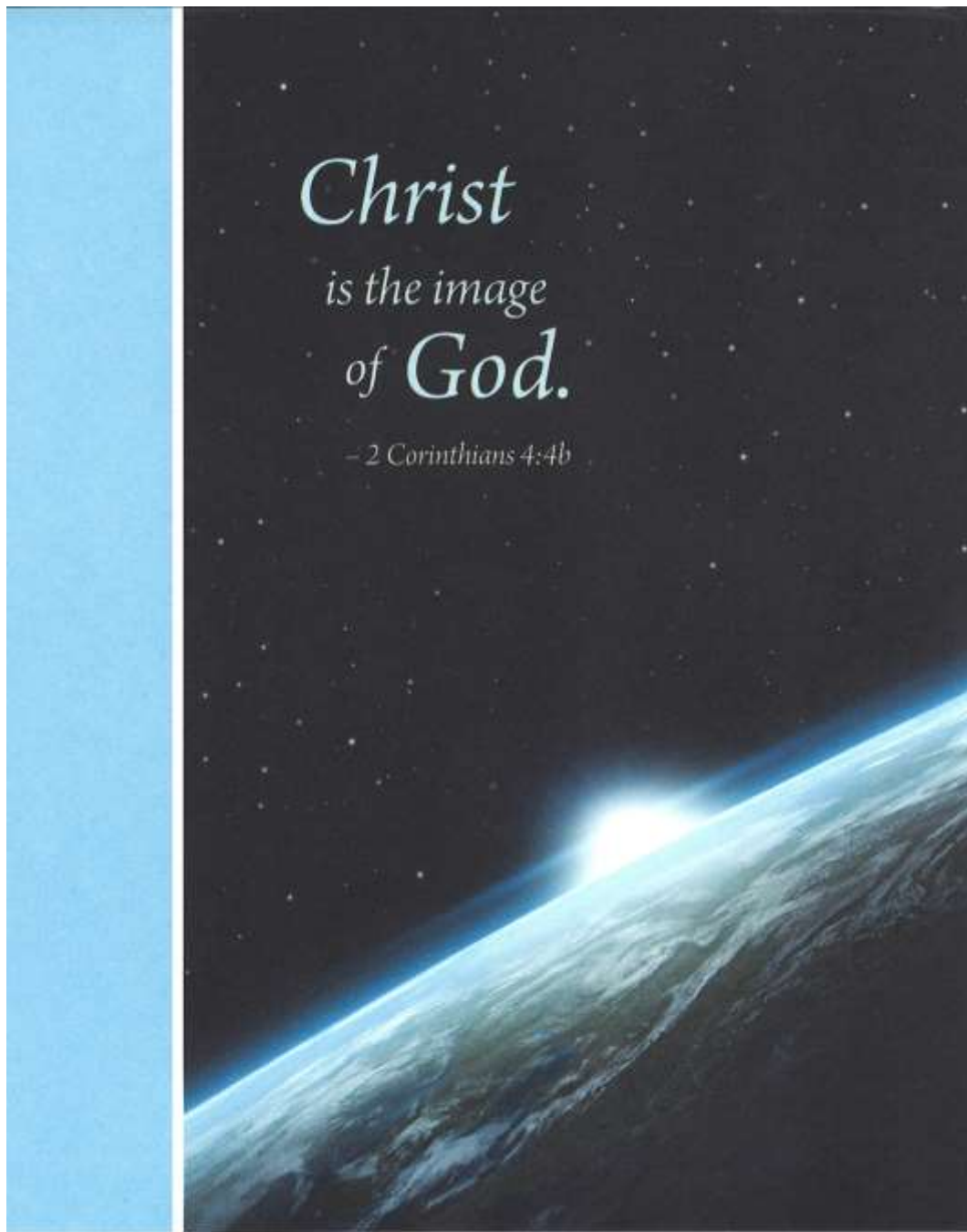




Christ is the image of God.

– 2 Corinthians 4:4b

HOME WORSHIP

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*"We proclaim God's Word to the world according to the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
and strive to be Christ-like in all that we do."*

Joyce K. Allen, Pastor

February 14, 2021

Transfiguration Sunday

GATHERING

CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING PRAYER

Eternal and ever present God, sustain and excite our gathered community; arouse our expectancy; subdue our expectations. Come, silent Spirit, and embrace us. Let the words we see and hear and speak be transformed by the Word made flesh, that our worship may be wholly yours, Lord God. We pray in the name of the risen Christ. Amen

HYMN FOR REFLECTION

2024

From the Rising of the Sun

P R A Y I N G

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Mercy and Grace, you come to us in Jesus of Nazareth to break down the dividing walls of hostility between us: yet we maintain walls that separate and isolate. You give us the ministry of reconciliation: yet we nurse our wounds and withhold mercy and forgiveness. You invite us to join with Peter, James, and John on the mountain of Transfiguration: yet we deny the wonders you have worked in our own lives. You ask us to acknowledge and share our wealth: yet we refuse to recognize and relieve the poverty around us. You bless our lives with boundless love: yet we fail to witness to that love, and so we keep others from knowing you.

Forgive our selfishness, we pray. Transform us by your Spirit and your Word into that which pleases you, the image of Christ. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

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PROCLAIMING

FIRST LESSON

Psalm 50: 1-6

ANTHEM

Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies

Cindy Feyler

SECOND LESSON

Mark 9: 2-9

SERMON

“Changed”

Rev. Joyce Allen

RESPONDING

HYMN FOR REFLECTION

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Be Thou My Vision

UNISON BENEDICTION

In the coming week, may you experience the presence of God with joy. May the holy cloud comfort you. May the divine voice encourage you. May the power of the Spirit transform you, transform us, transform our world. Amen.

MINISTERS THIS MORNING

GREETERS

Judy Clark
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Jessica Feyler

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Cindy Feyler

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Greg Milunich

ADMIN. ASST.

Jim Shaffer

CUSTODIAN

Paul Lewis

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upper Rooms: The March through December issues of the daily devotional are in the sanctuary or may be picked up at the office. Donations (\$1). Also, Our Daily Bread March through February.

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Ogden shut-ins Bob Fagan Dick McKane
Steve Cornell Joanne Stanley

BLANKET SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021

We will be collecting donations for “Blanket Sunday” next Sunday February 21st

RUMMAGE SALE BY APPOINTMENT

Please call for an appointment:

Judy Clark: (607) 768 – 7301, Donna Church: (919) 279 – 3624

NOW TAKING DONATIONS FOR THE RUMMAGE SALE

Call the Church Office, 723-2637 9am – 2pm to schedule drop off or call

Judy Clark: (607) 768 – 7301.

GIVING STATEMENTS

Each year the church generates statements for those folks who have given funds to the church. Many people use these for tax purposes. In the past they have been available for pickup in the Ever Ready room, most are not picked up. This year we have printed the statement and they are available at the church office for pickup.

2024 From the Rising of the Sun

From the ris - ing of the sun ___ to the

go - ing down of the same, _ the name of the

Lord shall be praised. ___ From the

ris - ing of the sun ___ to the go - ing down of the same, _

_ the name of the Lord shall be

praised. ___ So praise ye the

Lord. ___ Praise ye the

Lord. ___ From the ris - ing of the sun _

PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

— to the go-ing down of the same, — the

name of the Lord shall be praised. _____

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves of music in G major (one sharp). The first staff begins with a whole rest, followed by a half note G, a quarter note A, a quarter note B, a half note C, a quarter note D, a quarter note E, a quarter note F#, a half note G, a quarter rest, and a quarter note G. The lyrics '— to the go-ing down of the same, — the' are written below the notes. The second staff begins with a half note G, a quarter note A, a quarter note B, a half note C, a quarter note D, a quarter note E, a quarter note F#, a half note G, a quarter note A, a quarter note B, a half note C, a quarter note D, a quarter note E, a quarter note F#, a half note G, and a quarter note A. The lyrics 'name of the Lord shall be praised. _____' are written below the notes. The music ends with a double bar line.

Be Thou My Vision

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Unison

1. Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;
2. Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true word;
3. Great God of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won,

naught be all else to me, save that thou art.
I ev - er with thee and thou with me, Lord;
may I reach heav - en's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!

Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
thou and thou on - ly, first in my heart,
Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,

wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.
great God of heav - en, my trea - sure thou art.
still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all.

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MUSIC: Trad. Irish melody; harm. by Carlton R. Young, 1963

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