

**St. Andrew Lutheran Church
& Early Childhood Campus**

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Worship Hours: Sunday 9:00 a.m.

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The Transfiguration of Our Lord

March 2, 2025

PRESERVICE MUSIC WHILE WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME & GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH GOD'S PEACE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies" LSB 873

DIVINE SERVICE (Setting One) (p. 151 in the front of the hymnal)

INVOCATION

P: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

+ *Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination* +

P: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant

of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

INTROIT:

Psalm 84:1-2, 4, 9, 11

P: Blessed are those who dwell in your house, ever singing your praise!

C: How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts!

P: My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the Lord; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God.

C: Behold our shield, O God; look on the face of your anointed!

P: For the Lord God is a sun and shield; the Lord bestows favor and honor. No good thing does he withhold from those who walk uprightly.

KYRIE

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C: ♪ Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"This Is the Feast"

(p. 155)

SALUTATION AND COLLECT (PRAYER) OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ And also with you.

P: Let us pray together.

C: O God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah. In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshadowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: ♪ Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Deuteronomy 34:1-12

Then Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which is opposite Jericho. And the Lord showed him all the land, Gilead as far as Dan, ²all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the western sea, ³the Negeb, and the Plain, that is, the Valley of Jericho the city of palm trees, as far as Zoar. ⁴And the Lord said to him, "This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, 'I will give it to your offspring.' I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not go over there." ⁵So Moses the servant of the Lord died there in the land of Moab, according to the word of the Lord, ⁶and he buried him in the valley in the land of Moab opposite Beth-peor; but no one knows the place of his burial to this day. ⁷Moses was 120 years old when he died. His eye was undimmed, and his vigor unabated. ⁸And the people of Israel wept for Moses in the plains of Moab thirty days. Then the days of weeping and mourning for Moses were ended. ⁹And Joshua the son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, for Moses had laid his hands on him. So the people of Israel obeyed him and did as the Lord had commanded Moses. ¹⁰And there has not arisen a prophet since in Israel like Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face, ¹¹none like him for all the signs and the wonders that the Lord sent him to do in the land of Egypt, to Pharaoh and to all his servants and to all his land, ¹²and for all the mighty power and all the great deeds of terror that Moses did in the sight of all Israel.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

"For God So Loved the World"

Sunday School Choir

EPISTLE

Hebrews 3:1-6

Therefore, holy brothers, you who share in a heavenly calling, consider Jesus, the apostle and high priest of our confession, ²who was faithful to him who appointed him, just as Moses also was faithful in all God's house. ³For Jesus has been counted worthy of more glory than Moses—as much more glory as the builder of a house has more honor than the house itself. ⁴(For every house is built by someone, but the builder of all things is God.) ⁵Now Moses was faithful in all God's house as a servant, to testify to the things that were to be spoken later. ⁶but Christ is faithful over God's house as a son. And we are his house, if indeed we hold fast our confidence and our boasting in our hope.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

ALLELUIA VERSE

C: ♪ Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, alleluia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 9:28-36

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ninth chapter.

C: ♪ **Glory to You, O Lord.**

²⁸Now about eight days after these sayings he took with him Peter and John and James and went up on the mountain to pray. ²⁹And as he was praying, the appearance of his face was altered, and his clothing became dazzling white. ³⁰And behold, two men were talking with him, Moses and Elijah, ³¹who appeared in glory and spoke of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. ³²Now Peter and those who were with him were heavy with sleep, but when they became fully awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. ³³And as the men were parting from him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good that we are here. Let us make three tents, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah"—not knowing what he said. ³⁴As he was saying these things, a cloud came and overshadowed them, and they were afraid as they entered the cloud. ³⁵And a voice came out of the cloud, saying, "This is my Son, my Chosen One; listen to him!" ³⁶And when the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and told no one in those days anything of what they had seen.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ **Praise to You, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY

"O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair" LSB 413

SERMON

"Listen to Him"

Luke 9:28-36

CONFESSION OF FAITH

"Nicene Creed"

(p. 158)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Heavenly Father, in prayer Your Son, Jesus, revealed His glory to Peter, James and John. Grant that we, also gathered in prayer, would see Him by faith and receive from Him the redemption He has accomplished for us. Lord, in Your mercy,

(following each petition the congregation responds)

C: Hear our prayer.

(our petitions this day)

P: Lord God, heavenly Father, we gratefully remember on this day the glorious manifestation of Your Son's divinity on the Mount of Transfiguration. Teach us to listen to Jesus and ever fix our eyes on Him and His innocent suffering and death for our forgiveness. By Your grace and mercy, strengthen us to remain faithful in all circumstances of trial, temptation and persecution. Preserve us to the end, that we may die a blessed death believing in Your beloved Son with whom You are well pleased; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY "What Shall I Render to the Lord" (p. 159)

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Preface (p. 160)

Sanctus

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini – "The Peace of the Lord" (p. 163)

Agnus Dei – "Lamb of God"

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"Tis Good, Lord, to Be Here" LSB 414

"Beautiful Savior" LSB 537

"In Thee Is Gladness" LSB 818

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE "Thank the Lord" (p. 164)

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

BENEDICTION

PRAYER FOR SPECIAL REQUESTS AND NEEDS

RECESSIONAL HYMN "Alleluia, Song of Gladness" LSB 417

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

OFFICIANT: Rev. Jonathan Vierkant

ORGANIST: Rinda Bye

LAY READER: Jessica Dreska

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW

Monday, March 3 - 6:00 p.m. Men's Group
- 6:45 p.m. Handbell Practice
Tuesday, March 4 - 9:30 a.m. Sister's In Christ Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Weeders & Seeders
Wednesday, March 5 - 5:00 p.m. Choir Practice
6:00 p.m. Soup Supper
7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service
Friday, March 7 - 6:00 p.m. Youth Group
Saturday, March 8 - 8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study w/Dan B
Sunday, March 9 - 9:00 a.m. Worship
- 10:15 a.m. Family Education Hour

DID YOU KNOW?

Please check the bulletin board for other announcements.

We have **reduced gluten communion wafers**. If you desire to receive one during communion, please identify yourself before the service to the Elder for that service so we can distribute one to you.

TEXAS ROADHOUSE: When you go to Texas Roadhouse in West Bend on a Sunday, take our church bulletin with you and they will donate 10% of your food purchases back to church.

BASKETS are located in the Narthex to collect food for the **FOOD PANTRY**.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR - SUNDAYS: 6 a.m. WGN Chicago 720 AM; 7:30 a.m. WTKM Hartford 104.9 FM; 6:30 a.m. WTMJ Milwaukee 620 AM & 103.3 FM; 5 p.m. WJUB Plymouth 1420 AM; 9 a.m. WIBD West Bend 1470 AM

**Lutheran Church Radio Service – JOY/WJYI (1340 AM)
7 a.m. Sundays**

Please contact Pastor Jon (262)808-7974 if you or a loved one is in the hospital, celebrating a milestone, or would just like a visit.

St. Andrew Financials: If you are interested in seeing our monthly givings and expenses, please check the latest newsletter. Newsletters are sent out once a month and can be found in your email (if you have an email on file), in your mailbox, or on the table in the Narthex.

Reminder: Check your mailboxes regularly.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK: March 2 thru March 8

BIRTHDAY: Patricia Jantz, Craig Ellis, Sheriane Sauter, Joshua Vierkant

BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES: Bradley Sommer, Mark Kraft, Lois Dummann

Prayers For Health, Healing, and/or Strength

Tom Alexander (brother of Karen Hammen),

Cindy Behling (friend of the Buehler's)

Barb Bowman (Katie Vierkant's mother)

Adrian Buntrock (friend of Darryl and Laurie Pree),

Mike Deschler (friend of Rory Hetzel),

Deborah and Phil Ferris (sister and brother-in-law of Michele Buehler),

Dan Fischer, Rob Fleischman (friend of Sue Mueller),

Brad Gerndt (friend of Michele Buehler),

Sue Graff (friend of Deb Puestow),

Ruthann Grey, Tim Hackbarth (nephew of Cliff Hetzel),

Judy Harrison (sister of Darrell Harrison),

Sarah Harrison

Mike Kaufmann (friend of Darrell and Sue Harrison),

Bruce Koenig, Carolyn Kreis, Fred Legate,

Gina Leonard (sister of Randy and Kris Sheffield's daughter-in-law),

Ardene Lettau, Wade Muth,

Vern Nagel (great aunt of Meghan Kelley),

Diane Nelson, Sharon Oelke, Roger Sauter, Jim Schmoltdt,

Paul Steward (friend of Marty and Karen Gnatzig)

Kevin Stoutz (friend of Dan and Sandy Berres),

Larry Wahler (brother-in-law of Rick Bruss)

Prayers For Comfort

Family and Friends of Grace Schulz (Debra Oehme's mother) - Grace

passed away on Wednesday, February 26th.

Family and Friends of Bob & Verna Oehme (Mark Oehme's Uncle & Aunt) -

Bob & Verna passed away on Wednesday, February 26th.

Prayers For Those in Active Military

William Bowman (brother of Katie Vierkant),

Austin Jantz

Brandon and Benjamin Roeglin (grandson of Jim Schmoltdt),

Matthew Speaks (nephew of Darryl and Laurie Pree),

Beau Szczerbinski (brother of Meghan Kelley)

Prayers For Those Incarcerated

Greg Beyer (friend of Chris and Karen Callen)

Michael Meyer

Steven Steinpreis

WELCOME VISITORS! We are glad you chose to worship with us. Sign our Guest Book in the Narthex or one of the cards in the pews and please talk to Pastor, an Usher or Elder if you have any questions.

DIFFERENT CHURCHES HAVE DIFFERENT UNDERSTANDINGS

regarding Holy Communion. For this reason, because of what 1 Corinthians 11:27-30 tells us, we ask that visitors talk to Pastor if they wish to commune with us.

ALSO, see the back of the communion cards for a statement by Synod.

WE HAVE A PRAYER CHAIN AT ST. ANDREW.

Please contact Josie Pfeiffer at 262-626-4303 or pfeiffer4303@charter.net

ELDER SERVING TODAY: Jeff Grande, Rory Hetzel

Next Sunday: Randy Sheffield & Thai Hua

CLEANING THIS WEEK ENDING March 9

Randy Sheffield, Kris Sheffield, Stephanie Gutschmidt, Cathy Grande

NEXT WEEK March 11 THRU March 16 Randy Sue Hetzel, Pam

Beaupre, Rory Hetzel, Paul Heinz, Cindy Heinz

Altar Guild for March: Pam Beaupre w/Sue Hetzel, Peggy Kriefall, Tracy Rochwite, Debbie Yenter

April: Melissa Knox, Carla Peterson, Charley Grande, Sandy Lompa

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FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS: March: Easter dinner items...like ham, eggs, any kind of meat frozen items etc....items can be placed in fridge/freezer...we will keep an eye on it. Kewaskum food bank feeds about 30 families a week and they appreciate anything we can donate towards Easter meals. Thank you

SCRIPT CARDS: If you need to order any SCRIP cards, please note that anything ordered the week of February 16th will not ship until Monday, February 24th. Thank you!

EASTER FLOWERS DEADLINE TO ORDER MARCH 17

Single Lilies \$18.00

Double Lilies \$36.00

Mums \$20.00

Azaleas \$36.00

Envelopes available in the Narthex