



# TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY

February 15, 2026

10:00 am

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\*indicates that all who are able are invited to stand.

**Bold** indicates congregational response.

Liturgist for today is Sandi Webster.

## GATHERING MUSIC

## WELCOME AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

## INTROIT

## CALL TO WORSHIP\*

*There are precious times when the light of God strikes us.  
Our whole being for a moment is illuminated.*

**Things that were clouded become clear; we can see.  
These times are gifts from God.**

*This day, may the light of the glory of God  
in the face of Jesus Christ be with you all.*

**And also with you.**

HYMN\*      *“Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory”*

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**PRAYER OF PRAISE\***

**CONFESSION OF SIN (UNISON)**

**God of all glory, beauty, and grace, we have tried to hide from you— to hide our faces, to hide our sin— yet you have never hidden your love for us. We have tried to search for you—in temples, in clouds, on mountaintops—yet you have already revealed yourself to us in the face of Jesus Christ. Forgive us, and transform us so that our lives may shine with your glory, beauty, and grace.**

**(silence)**

**Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy.  
Lord have mercy. Kyrie Eleison. Amen.**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON / PASSING OF THE PEACE\***

**RESPONSE TO PARDON\***

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,  
And to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,  
And to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be.  
Amen.**

**World without end, without end. Amen.  
World without end, without end. Amen.  
World without end, without end. Amen.  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be.  
Amen.**

THE WORD WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH –  
Burying the *Alleluia*

OLD TESTAMENT – Exodus 24:12-18

OFFERING OF MUSIC     *“Be Still and Know”*     Adult Choir

GOSPEL\* - Matthew 17:1-9

SERMON     Dr. Linda Dickerson  
*“Morphing”*

SAYING WHAT WE BELIEVE\*

**We declare that Jesus is Lord. His resurrection is a decisive victory over the powers that deform and destroy human life. The world appears to be dominated by people and systems that do not acknowledge his rule. But his lordship is real.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD’S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

HYMN\* *“Source and Sovereign, Rock and Cloud”*     11

## CHARGE AND BENEDICTION\*

### CHORAL RESPONSE\*

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**God, be the love to search and keep me;  
God, be the prayer to move my voice;  
God, be the strength to now uphold me:  
O Christ, surround me; O Christ, surround me.**

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FELLOWSHIP TIME – ALL ARE WELCOME!

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES

STATED SESSION MEETING

*To all who are weary and need rest;  
To all who are lonely and need friends;  
To all who mourn and need comfort;  
To all who pray, and to all who do not, but ought;  
To all who sin and need a Savior,  
And to whosoever comes –  
The Church opens wide its doors, and says,  
In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, "Welcome."*