

TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY

February 19, 2023

9:30 a.m.

"Receive the Kingdom of God like a little child."

WE GATHER AROUND GOD'S WORD

PIANO PRELUDE

Toni DiCapua

O Worship the Lord... Joel Raney

(Please use this time to prepare your heart for worship.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

George Swanson

* HYMN OF PRAISE

No. 476

O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

Gracious God, we confess that often we are lacking in courage and childlike trust for the journey which You have set before us. At times we are paralyzed by our fear and uncertainty. Forgive us for hesitating, instead of taking the leap of faith to which You call us. Hear us now as we silently confess our sins.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

* GLORIA PATRI

No. 579

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* Those who wish may stand.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Exodus 24:12-18

Sue Goodnow

pg. 125

ANTHEM

Chancel Choir

Fairest Lord Jesus ...arr. Mark Hayes

Richard Dinwiddie, director; Mollie Wakeman, accompanist

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NEW TESTAMENT READING

Matthew 17:1-8

pg. 1524

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Rev. Anne Swanson

"Childlike Trust"

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

No. 73

Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

* CLOSING HYMN

No. 339

Be Thou My Vision

* BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Inside Cover of Hymnal

Go Now in Peace

* Those who wish may stand.