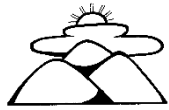


AUGUSTANA LUTHERAN CHURCH



TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD
BAS & ELW Service of the Word
10:30 AM February 11, 2024

GATHERING

PRELUDE & WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING HYMN: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" #631 ELW

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY, p. 193

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (BAS)

Leader: Most merciful God,

All: we confess that 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 neighbours as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us
and forgive us, that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE: "Glory to God", p. 195

COLLECT OF THE DAY

THE WORD

FIRST READING: 2 Kings 2:1-12

All: Thanks be to God.

CHOIR ANTHEM: "Spring Carol" with bells

SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 4:3-6

All: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S TIME

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: "Listen Now for the Gospel!"

#188 SNC, vv. 1&2

Sing a New Creation, A Supplement to Common Praise (1998) © 2022 by the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Canada.

Refrain:

Listen now for the Gospel! Alleluia!

It is God's word that changes us! Alleluia!

- 1) Come, Holy Spirit, melt and break our hearts of stone

until we give our lives to God,
and God alone. [Refrain]

- 2) Come, Holy Spirit, root in us
God's living word
that we may show the faithfulness
of Christ our Lord. [Refrain]

GOSPEL ACCLAMATIONS

188 Listen Now for the Gospel!

Cantor

Lis - ten now for the Gos - pel! Al - le - lu - ia! It is

Al - le - lu - ia!

Fine

God's word that chan - ges us! Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia! 1 Come,
2 Come,
3 Come,

Ho - ly Spir - it, melt and break our hearts of stone un -
Ho - ly Spir - it, root in us God's liv - ing word that
Ho - ly Spir - it, bind the bro - ken, find the lost, con -

D.C.

til we give our lives to God, and God a - lone.
we may show the faith - ful - ness of Christ our Lord.
firm in us the fire and love of Pen - te - cost.

Text: Zimbabwean liturgical acclamation; transcr. John L. Bell, 2002.
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Music: Zimbabwean trad.

GOSPEL: Mark 12:2-9 (BAS)

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Leader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to
Mark, chapter 9.

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Leader: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY: "O Beauty Even Ancient" #1100 ACS

THE NICENE CREED, p. 104

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: "God of grace – receive our prayer"

SHARING OF THE PEACE, p. 218

Leader: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And also with you.

Leader: Let us greet one another with the peace of Christ.

OFFERING & HYMN: "Alleluia, Song of Gladness" #318 ELW

(The offering will be collected during the song)

OFFERTORY PRAYER (ACC)

THE LORD'S PRAYER, p. 221

SENDING

BLESSING, p. 221

SENDING HYMN: "We Are Marching in the Light of God"
#866 ELW, vv.1,2, &4

DISMISSAL (BAS)

Leader: Go in peace, to love and serve the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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Thank you to our lector Betty Warren, ushers Bonnie Moser & Wes Ulmer,
musician & choir director Deborah Buck, and technical support Katie Ottley
for assisting in worship today. Thanks also to the Augustana-St. Timothy's
Choir and bell ringers Linda Jarock & Ruth Zuk for the special music. And
particular thanks to Rev. Deacon Alexa Wallace for leading the service.

Last Sunday's in-person attendance: 53

First Reading – 2 Kings 2:1-12

¹**NOW WHEN THE LORD WAS ABOUT TO TAKE ELIJAH UP TO** heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. ²Elijah said to Elisha, “Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel.” But Elisha said, “As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.” So they went down to Bethel. ³The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, “Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?” And he said, “Yes, I know; keep silent.”

⁴Elijah said to him, “Elisha, stay here; for the LORD has sent me to Jericho.” But he said, “As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.” So they came to Jericho. ⁵The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, “Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?” And he answered, “Yes, I know; be silent.”

⁶Then Elijah said to him, “Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan.” But he said, “As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.” So the two of them went on. ⁷Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. ⁸Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground.

⁹When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, “Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you.” Elisha said, “Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit.” ¹⁰He responded, “You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not.” ¹¹As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. ¹²Elisha kept watching and crying out, “Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!” But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces.

Second Reading – 2 Corinthians 4:3-6

³**AND EVEN IF OUR GOSPEL IS VEILED, IT IS VEILED TO THOSE WHO ARE PERISHING.** ⁴In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. ⁵For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus’ sake. ⁶For it is the God who said, “Let light shine out of darkness,” who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

Gospel – Mark 9:2-9

²**SIX DAYS LATER, JESUS TOOK WITH HIM PETER AND JAMES AND JOHN** and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, ³and his clothes became dazzling bright,

such as no one on earth could brighten them. ⁴And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. ⁵Then Peter said to Jesus, “Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us set up three tents: one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.” ⁶He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. ⁷Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, “This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!” ⁸Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus.

⁹As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

Our Parish Calendar

Monday	1:30 pm	Health Cabinet Meeting
Monday	7:00 pm	Monday AFG (AA grp)
Tuesday	8:00 pm	Spiritual Growth Group (Zoom)
Tuesday	10:00 am	Forever in Motion
Tuesday	1:30 pm	Bible Study
Tuesday	6:30 pm	Concordia Jr. Alpenrose Dancers
Wednesday	8:00 am	Men’s Book Club (Zoom)
Wednesday	7:00 pm	The Living Room NA Group
Wednesday	7:30 pm	Ash Wednesday (Zion)
Thursday	10:00 am	Forever in Motion
Thursday	2:00 pm	J.O.Y. Group “Turkey”
Thursday	7:00 pm	Choir
Saturday	3:00 pm	The Tea Room AA Group
Sunday	10:30 am	Evangelical Lutheran Worship & Holy Communion
Sunday	12:00 pm	Congregational Meeting

UPCOMING LENTEN SERVICES

Date	Host	Preacher
Feb. 14 th , Ash Wednesday	Zion Lutheran	Resurrection
Feb. 21 st , Lent 1	Resurrection	Trinity Lutheran
Feb. 28 th , Lent 2	Good Shepherd	King of Glory



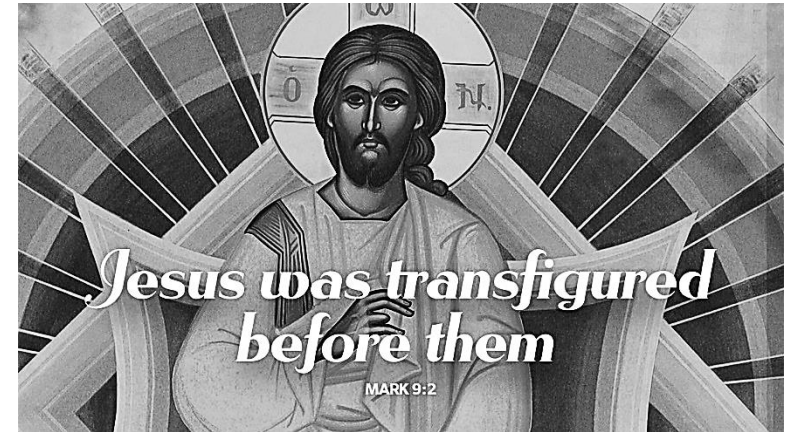
Offering & Income for Feb. to date: \$3,985
including (rent) \$1,855

Expenses for Feb to date: \$5,195

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Just a reminder that March 3rd is Augustana’s AGM.

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