SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

February 11, 2024

10:30 am

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

The Organ Prelude Silent Prayer and Meditation *Choir Introit*

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: It is God who gathers us here. It is not our denomination that gathers us, or our church staff or family, or our political parties.

People: It is God who gathers us here.

Pastor: We find ourselves on the mountain on this Transfiguration Day, witnessing a last flash of glory before a forty-day journey.

People: It is not about us; it is all about Jesus Christ.

Pastor: From the river Jordan to this place, it is all about Jesus Christ. From Ash Wednesday toward Easter, it is all about Jesus Christ.

Unison: Let us worship God!

* INVOCATION

* PRESENTATION OF COLORS : Scouts

* PRAISE TO GOD

* Hymn #26 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Restoring God, teach us to steal away and pray. We give thanks that you continue to heal. You continue to cast out those things we ought not to have in us. Help us to perceive what you are doing among us that we might learn your voice among the many that call for our loyalty and be better equipped to do the work you have for us. Restore us to community and show us how to live in gratitude, freed from the bondage of sin. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Pastor: Hear the good news! As you have shown yourself willing to come to Christ, you will be forgiven and cleansed of all your sins.

People: Friends, believe the Good News! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*Gloria Patri

(# 623Hymnal)

JLK

Ordination & Installation of Officers

Minute for Missions: Scout Sunday

GOD'S WORK IN PRAYER

Prayer Concerns Pastor's Prayer and Lord's Prayer *Choir Response*

GOD'S WORD

Scripture: Mark 9:2-9 (pg. 1567) Choir Anthem "Give Thanks" Sermon: "The Change of a Lifetime" *Hymn #43 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

GOD'S WORK AND WORSHIP IN GIVING

Announcements and Pew Registration Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

* The Doxology

- * Offertory Prayer
- * Hymn #202 "Amazing Grace"
- * Benediction
- * Choir Response
- * Postlude
- * Stand, if comfortably able.

(#625 Hymnal)

IN PRAYER

Pastor Tim Snart and family. Cell Phone: Pastor's cell 309-798-3315 Church Office: 309-799-3511 Church E-mail address: secretary@cvpres.com Church Website: www.cvpres.com Pastor's Assistant: Barbara Belville cell 309-236-9197 Church Secretary: Connie Moore **Choir Director:** Eilene Stephens **Church Custodian:** Dave Miller **Deacons:** Corey Lambert Session: Joyce Stephens Mission Committee: Carole Bridgford Fellowship Committee: Teresa Bleyhl Building Committee: Larry Manecke Sunday School Teacher: Mary Steiger Shut-In: Marlene Keleher

Special Prayer Needs: Shala Mannoochahr, Pete Duytschaever, Zach Maxwell.

Prayer Needs: Marlene Keleher, Pauline Shroyer, Paul Schnell, Claire Barnhouse, Sam Waldron, Donna James, Ann Tucker.

MISSION EMPHASIS: Missionaries & Children International

Candle of Hope: In the front of the sanctuary is a candle that recognizes the faithful service of all our military persons.



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THIS WEEK

Sunday	(2-11)	Worship Service	10:30 am
		Sunday School	9:15 am
Tuesday	(2-13)	Afternoon Circle	1:00 pm
Wednesday	(2-14)	Ash Wednesday	6:30 pm
Thursday	(2-15)	Choir Practice	7:00 pm

PLEASE NOTE:

Thank you: We would all like to thank Jan Gustafson for sharing her musical talents with us this morning.

Scout Sunday: Thank you for sharing your Scouting activities with us today,

Thank You: Pastor Tim we are truly blessed to have such a kind and caring Pastor. We appreciated your many visits to the hospital and to Clarissa Cook Hospice when Ken was sick. Your prayers and love helped us during this time of extreme sadness and we were thankful for your support. Thank you to our congregation for your love, prayers, cards and food during this most difficult time. You are all our family and we know you will continue to be with us. You were able to prepare a wonderful luncheon, the food was delicious, even with the weather being awful. We appreciated so many helpers being there to make it nice for us. We want to thank you all and tell you we will never forget your many kindnesses. We love you. Carole Bridgford and Family

Afternoon Circle: Afternoon Circle will meet on Tuesday, February 13th at 1:00 pm at the Church. Carla Belgarde is the hostess and Jan Gustafson will lead the lesson.

Ash Wednesday: Ash Wednesday services will be held at Beulah Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, February 14th at 6:30 pm. There will be a soup supper following the service.

Summer Camp: The Bear Creek Camp (formerly Camp Wyoming) has sent brochures for the upcoming season. Please pick one up at the back of the church if you are interested.

Happy Birthday! The Board of Deacons would like to wish a Happy Birthday to the following people this week:

Ben Carls	February 12
Dave Belville	February 16
Kairi Ruby	February 17
Carla Belgarde	February 18
Alexis Blankenship	February 18



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