

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

February 14, 2021 - Transfiguration of Jesus

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Prelude: "Jesus Shall Reign"......arr. Haan Welcome

Greeting

Call to Worship

*Sing: "Jesus Shall Reign"Lift Up Your Hearts #219:1-2,4-5

1.Jesus shall reign where'er the sun does its successive journeys run, his kingdom stretch from shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.

- 2. To him shall endless prayer be made, and praises throng to crown his head. His name like sweet perfume shall rise with every morning sacrifice.
- *Song: "Come to Me"
- 1. You weighed down; you are worried I see you; child I know you. Bring your burdens; bring your labor. Come to me.

Refrain

Come to me, come to me, Come to me if you are weary. I will give you, I will give you my rest.

- 4. Blessings abound where'er he reigns: the prisoners leap to lose their chains, The weary find eternal rest, and all who suffer want are blest.
- 5. Let every creature rise and bring the highest honors to our King, angels descend with songs again,
- 2. I am gentle; I am humble. Let me teach you, let me show you. Trade your burden; mine is easy. Come to me. **Refrain 2x**

Call to Confession

Sing



O LORD, do not rebuke me in your anger,

or discipline me in your wrath.

Be gracious to me, O LORD, for I am languishing;

O LORD, heal me, for my bones are shaking with terror.

My soul also is struck with terror,

while you, O LORD—how long?

Turn, O LORD, save my life;

deliver me for the sake of your steadfast love.

For in death there is no remembrance of you;

in Sheol who can give you praise?

I am weary with my moaning;

every night I flood my bed with tears;

I drench my couch with my weeping.

My eyes waste away because of grief;

they grow weak because of all my foes.

Sing: Healer of our every ill, Light of each tomorrow, Give us peace beyond our fear and hope beyond our sorrow. Depart from me, all you workers of evil, for the LORD has heard the sound of my weeping. The LORD has heard my supplication; The LORD accepts my prayer.
All my enemies shall be ashamed and struck with terror; they shall turn back, and in a moment be put to shame.

Sing: Healer of our every ill, Light of each tomorrow,
Give us peace beyond our fear and hope beyond our sorrow.

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance:

Jesus said, "Behold, I am making all things new!
Write this down for these words are trustworthy and true:
I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end.
To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.
(Revelation 21:5-6)

*Song of Dedication:

"What Shall I Render to the Lord"

Lift Up Your Hearts #871:1-2,5

- 1. What shall I render to the LORD for all his benefits to me? How shall my life, by grace restored, give worthy thanks, O LORD, to thee?
- 2. Salvation's cup of blessing now I take and call upon God's name. Before his saints I pay my vow and here my gratitude proclaim.
- 5. Within his house, the house of prayer, I dedicate myself to God.
 Let all his saints his grace declare and join to sound his praise abroad.

GOD SPEAKS TO US

Children's Dismissal- Children under 5

Prayer for Illumination:

"I Will Hide Your Word Inside My Heart" Lift Up Your Hearts #761

1. I will hide your Word inside my heart So that it may guide me. Like a shining light, let it burn so bright; I will follow you.

2. Come and pour your grace into my heart So that it may fill me With the precious things that your Spirit brings; I will live in you.

Scripture Reading: Mark 1:29-45

Message: "Restored"......Rev. Laura deJong

Prayers of the People

Song of Response: "To God Be the Glory" Lift Up Your Hearts #604

GOD SENDS US TO SERVE IN HIS LIGHT AND LOVE

*Blessing

*Sing: "Like a River Glorious" Lift Up Your Hearts #699

1 Like a river glorious is God's perfect peace,
over all victorious in its bright increase:
perfect, yet still flowing fuller every day;
perfect, yet still growing deeper all the way.

Refrain

Trusting in the Father, hearts are fully blest, finding, as he promised, perfect peace and rest.

2 Hidden in the hollow of his mighty hand, where no harm can follow, in his strength we stand.

We may trust him fully all for us to do; those who trust him wholly find him wholly true. [Refrain]

Postlude: "Like a River Glorious"arr. Haan

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