



SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

February 23, 2020 • 11:00 a.m.

The Presbyterian Church of Danville
Danville, Kentucky

◆ Please rise in body or spirit.

Join in reading the parts of the service printed in **bold**.

Please silence your cell phones.

GATHERING

Opening Voluntary *Home Away From Home* Phil Coulter

Welcome and Announcements

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Minute for Mission PDA Disaster Kits

Choral Introit *Jesus, Light of Joy* Gambrell/Goss

Jesus, light of joy, surround us; let your splendid glory shine:

source of every earthly blessing, heaven's everlasting sign.

Alleluia, alleluia, we adore you, light divine.

◆ Opening Sentences

It is good to be here in this sacred space,

in the shelter of God's love and hope.

It is good to be here with friends, old and new,

joining with all of God's beloved, sisters and brothers of Jesus.

It is good to be here, where we can hear God's voice,

calling us to be eyewitnesses to the Spirit's presence.

The Sunday immediately prior to Ash Wednesday is an appropriate time to celebrate the Transfiguration of the Lord, because this event marked a transition in Jesus' ministry in which he "set his face to go to Jerusalem" (Luke 9:51), where he would die.

◆ Hymn No. 193 *Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain* UNSER HERRSCHER

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

We pray for change.

We pray for transformation.

We pray for transfiguration.

**We pray that the world around us will be changed to suit our needs,
to agree with us, to be like the world we want.**

Forgive us for praying for everyone but us to change.

Forgive us for thinking we know best.

Forgive us for forgetting to make space for your work, O God.

**Strengthen us for the hard work of change,
for the difficult task of trusting you,
for the uneasy feeling that we might be wrong.**

Forgive us and show us the way to new life...

(time for silent prayer)

Kyrie 427 (Refrain) *Jesus Knows the Inmost Heart* LOE DE ISÁ

Jesus knows the inmost heart: nothing can be hidden. (Sung 2x)

Declaration of Forgiveness

◆ Sung Response No. 587 *Alleluia!* CELTIC ALLELUIA

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

◆ The Peace

The peace of Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

(Greet those near you with the blessing:
“May the peace of Christ be with you.”)

Sharing the Peace is a tradition rooted in Scripture that embodies our identity as peacemakers and trains our hearts, hands, and tongues in the ways of peace. It is not an interruption of the service for social conversation but an integral part of the service where we greet one another as reconciled people.

WORD

Time with Young Disciples

Amy Wilson

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading Exodus 24:12-18 Pew Bible O.T. p. 70

Psalm Psalm 2 Pew Bible O.T. p. 489

Epistle Reading 2 Peter 1:16-21 Pew Bible N.T. p. 236

Gospel Reading Matthew 17:1-9 Pew Bible N.T. p. 18

Sermon Mamisoa Rakotomalala

After each reading, the liturgist says:
“The word of the Lord.”
The congregation responds:
“Thanks be to God.”

RESPONSE

◆ Hymn No. 192 *Lord, the Light of Your Love Is Shining* SHINE, JESUS, SHINE

Prayers of Intercession, concluding with the Lord’s Prayer

(using “debts” and “debtors”)

Invitation to Offering

Musical Offering *Christ upon the Mountain Peak* John Bertalot

Please sign the Friendship Pad during the Musical Offering.

Christ upon the mountain peak stands alone in glory blazing;
let us, if we dare to speak, with the saints and angels praise him.
Alleluia, alleluia.

Trembling at his feet we saw Moses and Elijah speaking.
All the prophets and the low shout through them their joyful greeting.
Alleluia, alleluia.

Swift the cloud of glory came, God proclaiming in the thunder
Jesus as his Son by name! Nations cry aloud in wonder!

This is God’s beloved Son! Law and prophets fade before him;
first and last and only One, let creation now adore him!
Alleluia, alleluia!

To give electronically please use this QR code or log into the Church Life app.



◆ Doxology No. 607 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

OLD HUNDREDTH

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Christ, all people here below;
praise Holy Spirit evermore;
praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.*

◆ Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

SENDING

◆ Hymn No. 622 *Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies* RATISBON

◆ Blessing and Charge

Closing Voluntary *Allegro giusto* Domenico Cimarosa

The **Charge** gives marching orders for the people of God. It exhorts us to do certain things, along with the promise of God's support as we undertake to do them.

WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

We welcome the Rev. Mamisoa Rakotomalala of the Church of Jesus Christ of Madagascar (FJKM), as our guest preacher this morning. Pastor Mamisoa is a graduate of the Faculty of Theology of Ambatonakanga in Madagascar. She served as the senior minister for Tanandava Parish, a coastal town in the northeast part of the country, before moving to Decatur, GA to pursue a Doctorate of Educational Ministry from Columbia Seminary. Pastor Mamisoa has visited with us on two previous occasions. Also visiting are her husband, Lala Andrianjohary; their daughter, Sariaka; and former PC(USA) mission co-worker Jan Heckler, who introduced us to the work of the church in Madagascar.

Leading worship

PreacherRev. Mamisoa Rakotomalala
LiturgistsRev. Caroline M. Kelly and Emma Stowe
MusiciansZach Klobnak; The Sanctuary Choir, Casey Tibbles, soloist
Kim Heersche, oboe; Phillip Jones and Rich Stallings, guitar

Assisting with worship:

UshersSteve and Jackie Messer, Preston and Kathy Miles
Deacon of the WeekCasey Tibbles
GreeterAnn Young
AcolyteMichael Wilson
Nursery VolunteersSammy Cusato and Ella McAllister

WELCOME

WELCOME VISITORS: We are glad you found your way to The Presbyterian Church of Danville. For more information about opportunities to worship, learn and serve with us, we encourage you to pick up a copy of our monthly newsletter, the *Salt Shaker*, in the Walnut Street Lobby and check out our website at presbydan.org and Facebook page at [presbydan](https://www.facebook.com/presbydan). If you are interested in becoming a member of our congregation, please speak to the pastor.

CHILDCARE is provided in the nursery. An usher will be glad to direct you there.

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP: While we do provide a nursery for young children, we also welcome you to bring your child with you to worship. Children's activity bags are located in the front and back of the Sanctuary and we welcome children to participate in worship by helping with the offering and bringing communion elements forward. Children are invited to take part in the Time with Young Disciples.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Children are invited to come forward for the Time with Young Disciples. Afterwards, children in K-2nd grade may leave for Children's Church in Fellowship Hall. They will return to the sanctuary and sit in the front pew on the front side during the hymn following the sermon.

FRIENDSHIP PADS: Please locate and sign the pad in your pew during the offering.

HEARING DEVICES AND LARGE PRINT BULLETINS, HYMNALS AND BIBLES are available on the table in the back of the sanctuary. An usher will be glad to assist you.

PRAYER CARDS: The lavender colored cards for prayer requests are in each pew rack. Please place your requests in the offering plate and our prayer ministry team will offer prayers for your requests.

STEPHEN MINISTRY: We are a Stephen Ministry Church. Stephen Ministers are trained members of the congregation who are ready to provide confidential, one-to-one Christian care needed to make it through difficult times. If you, or someone you know, needs a Stephen Minister, please contact Alice Davis, 859-583-5995, or the church office, 859-236-6692.

FELLOWSHIP TIME: Donuts and hot beverages are available in Fellowship Hall each Sunday morning.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **flowers in the sanctuary** this morning are given to the Glory of God in memory of Bill Weigle by his family. If you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary, please sign up on the flower calendar located by the large-screen television in Fellowship Hall.

The deadline for the **March Salt Shaker** is today, Sunday, February 23. If you have an article for submission, please send it to Lynn, church@presbydan.org.

Would you like to be involved in **beautifying our Church's landscape**? A task force is being formed to work on the overall landscaping of the Church property. An exploratory meeting will be held today, in Fellowship Hall, immediately following the 11:00 a.m. service. Come with your ideas and input.

The season of Lent begins on **Ash Wednesday**, this Wednesday, February 26. Join us for a meal at 5:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall followed by worship in the Sanctuary at 6:30 p.m. Worship will include the imposition of ashes and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

In celebration of **Black History Month**, The Great American Dollhouse Museum will offer Boyle County Seniors (over 60) free admission to the dollhouse museum on Wednesdays and Fridays throughout the month of February.

MISSION

Transylvania Presbytery is helping to stock the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance closet (located at Ferncliff Camp in Arkansas) with items needed to create thousands of **disaster kits** containing hygiene items needed by victims of hurricanes, floods, tornadoes, etc. A table in fellowship hall shows you exactly which items are needed. Let's all pitch in and provide toothbrushes, combs, soap, etc. It's a way for us to help "hands-on!" Items are needed by the end of March.

FAITH FORMATION

Lenten Devotionals are available in the lobby, connector and narthex.

On March 1, the **Adult Book Study class** will return to Roger Bullard's *Messiah: The Gospel according to Handel's Oratorio* for its Lenten read. The class meets on Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. in Room 122. Need the book? Contact Bill Garriott or call the church office.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayer list: The Gerry Jackson family, Jo Ann Fischer, Jean Smith, Larry Cullen, Janelle Dishman, John Rodes, Judith Pointer Jia, Jane Love, Kila Tripp (Janelle Dishman's granddaughter), Ken Harmon, Jackie Owens, Jean Ragland and Ann Erwin

Congratulations to the Rodes family on the birth of Edwin Walker Rodes. Edwin is the son of Nelson and Mary Jane, grandson to John and Julie and great-grandson to Nelson and Martha. Edwin was born on Sunday, February 16.

Congratulations to Chuck Keiser on the birth of his grandson, Frederick Samuel McGeoch who was born to John and Becca Keiser-McGeoch on Sunday, February 16.

The congregation extends our sympathy to Barbara Reynierson on the death of her sister, Betty Nichols, who died Sunday, February 16.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Sunday, February 23

Transfiguration Sunday

- 8:30 AM Worship with Eucharist
- 9:30 AM Christian Formation for All Ages
- 11:00 AM Worship
- 3:00 PM Students' Piano Recital
- 5:15 PM NYC at Presbydan

Monday, February 24

- 9:00 AM GED classes
- 10:00 AM AA Meeting
- 2:00 PM Home School Spanish
- 7:00 PM Deacons

Tuesday, February 25

- 9:00 AM GED classes
- 9:30 AM Women's Book Study
- 12:30 PM Worship Staff Meeting
- 3:00 PM After School Tutoring

Wednesday, February 26

Ash Wednesday

- 7:15 AM High School Devotions
- 9:00 AM GED classes
- 9:30 AM Beginning Yoga
- 10:00 AM AA Meeting

1:00 PM Staff Meeting

- 2:00 PM Hammered Dulcimers
- 5:30 PM Ash Wednesday Meal
- 6:30 PM Ash Wednesday Service
- 7:30 PM Norton Center Event
- 8:00 PM Choir

Thursday, February 27

- 9:00 AM GED classes
- 10:30 AM Bible Study
- 3:00 PM After School Tutoring
- 6:00 PM NAMI

Friday, February 28

- 10:00 AM AA Meeting

Saturday, February 29

Sunday, March 1

First Sunday in Lent

- 8:30 AM Worship with Eucharist
- 9:30 AM Christian Formation for All Ages
- 11:00 AM Worship with Eucharist
- 5:15 PM NYC at First Christian

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