

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church



February 15, 2026

Transfiguration of the Lord

February 15, 2026

10:30 A.M.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE

"You, Lord, are Both Lamb and Shepherd"

"Be still and know that I am God."

Psalms 46:10

(Please use this time to prepare for worship in silence.)

WORDS OF WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISCIPLESHIP

PASSING THE PEACE

"...I was a stranger and you welcomed me."

Matthew 25:35b

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

(The people may greet each other in the spirit of Christ.)

CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist

From seashore to mountain top, from lonely place to hillside, from touching lepers to touching glory, this has been the reign of God.

From baptism's water to a mountain top of glory, from calling disciples to the teaching of the crowds, from the blessing of Simeon to the transfiguration, we have moved in the glory of God.

The revealing, the manifesting, the unveiling, the unmasking of Jesus.

From the Jordan to the present, from the beginning to now, from Galilee to this place, let us gather in the transfigured light of God.

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN 193

"Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain"

UNSER HERRSCHER

*CONFESSION AND PARDON

Standing in the light of Christ, we see the hidden errors of our actions in our hearts. Let us tell the truth about ourselves, trusting in God's grace, that we might receive God's renewing mercy. Let us pray:

Amazing God, whose glory outshines the sun, open our lives to the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, that we may more fully reflect the glory of your love. We know that you can do this, God of no limits. Our love, on the other hand, has limits; we are stingy with it. Your love is as solid as the great mountains, as hot as flames, and as constant as the air we breathe. We, on the other hand, are unclear and erratic in the living of our faith. Forgive us and make us whole.

Silent Confession

*KYRIE

**You are the Lord, giver of mercy.
You are the Christ, giver of mercy.
You are the Lord, giver of mercy.**

Hear the good news! We are forgiven, again and again, by this glorious God.

What a wonder! Alleluia! Amen.

*RESPONSE: 314 (Refrain) "Longing for Light, We Wait in Darkness" CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT

**Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness.
Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gathered today.**

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional)

(Page 35, *Glory to God Hymnal*)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Exodus 24:12-18

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

CHORAL ANTHEM

"He Is King of Kings"

HE IS KING

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 17:1-9

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

"The Glorious Mountain"

THE RESPONSE

*HYMN 274

"You, Lord, Are Both Lamb and Shepherd"

PICARDY

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: (Unison) (From *The Study Catechism* PC(USA); Questions 1, 8, 18, 23)

God wills that we should live by the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, for the love of God, and in the communion of the Holy Spirit. We understand the love and power of God through Jesus Christ. In his life of compassion, his death on the cross, and his resurrection from the dead, we see how vast is God's love for the world – a love that is ready to suffer for our sakes, yet so strong that nothing will prevail against it. We are created to live wholeheartedly for God. When we honor our Creator as the source of all good things, we are like mirrors reflecting back the great beam of love that God shines on us. We are also created to honor God by showing love toward other human beings. Entrusting ourselves wholly to God's care, we receive the grace to be patient in adversity, thankful in the midst of blessing, courageous when facing injustice, and confident that no evil may afflict us that God will not turn to good. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 581)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

"Change My Heart O God"

arr. Hayes

*DOXOLOGY/Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow (606)

*PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

THE SENDING

*HYMN 354

"Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory"

BATTLE HYMN

*BENEDICTION (Responsive)

Go now, and speak of what you have seen of God's glory.

We will not cling to the holy moments when the heavens overshadow us.

**As the Lord lives, we will listen to Christ and follow him,
from the places of revelation
to the places of mission.**

And may God shine the light of glory into your hearts.

May Christ's light radiate from you.

And may the Spirit shine in those whose lives you touch.

Amen.

*POSTLUDE

"Battle Hymn of the Republic"

arr. Greer



PARTICIPANTS IN WORSHIP

The Rev. Dr. Anne Hébert, Pastor

Carla Gipson, Liturgist

Al and Bonnie Garbrecht, Ushers

Beth and Paul Olin, Jerry Heiman, Greeters

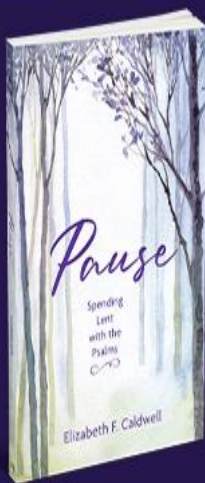
Diane Pharr, Online Digital Greeter

Michael Beery, Music Director

Polly Mauer, Pianist



Join us for worship
Wednesday, February 18
12pm



Do you feel drawn to taking something up by doing less?

May this Lenten journey be a welcome interruption in the rhythms of your daily life. May you find the space and the time for just a few minutes each day to let God's Spirit awaken and renew your spirit.

ATTENTION!! ARTISTS!! VISIO DIVINA 2026

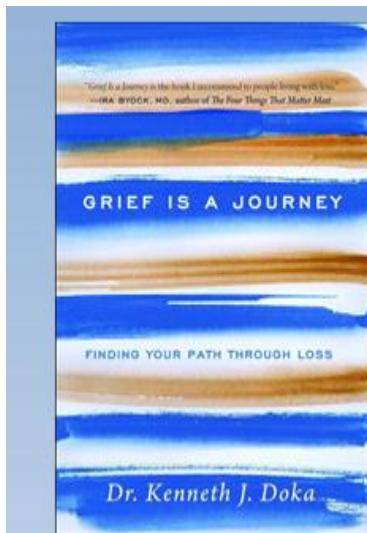


WHEN? May 10, 17, and 24

WHAT? Art projects in a variety of mediums: paintings, drawings, photography, fabric art, sculpture, ceramics, needlework. Something newly created or created in the past.

WHERE DO I SIGN UP? There are sign-up forms on the table in the Gathering Space by the door

QUESTIONS? Call Peggy Hawley (231-352-6197), Judy McQuilkin (231-383-5352), or Barb Perry (630- 235-1470)



GRIEF IS A JOURNEY FINDING YOUR PATH THROUGH LOSS by Dr. Kenneth J. Doka

Grief Group meets Mondays at
2PM



Polly Mauer will be playing at the Hotel Frankfort on Saturdays, 6pm—9pm, now through the end of February.