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*We embrace our call to love and serve Jesus Christ
as we cultivate community and empower our neighbors.*

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A Service of Divine Worship on the Lord's Day February 15, 2026 ~ Transfiguration Sunday

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Song: *Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord*

*Call to Worship:

Liturgist: God of the mountaintop, you call us to journey with you.

People: Shine upon us; grant us sacred illumination; dazzle us with your glory.

Liturgist: In the midst of our weary souls and exhausted bodies,

People: Transfigure our imaginations and reveal to us what is possible.

Liturgist: In the face of unceasing violence and endless wars,

People: Transfigure our imaginations and reveal to us what is possible.

Liturgist: In the midst of crushing disasters, natural and humanmade,

People: Transfigure our imaginations and reveal to us what is possible.

Liturgist: Move us from scarcity and cynicism and transfigure our lowly visions to reveal the abundant life of your realm.

People: Help us to keep watch so that we might leave the mountaintop inspired to do your work of transformation in the valley below. Amen.

*Opening Hymn: *Be Thou My Vision*

Please be seated.

A Call to Confession (Liturgist)

Standing in the light of Christ, we see the shadows hidden in our hearts. Let us tell the truth about ourselves, trusting in God's grace, that we might receive mercy and be renewed.

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of transformation, you make new life where there was old, dazzling light where there were shadows, peace where there was violence, and friends where there were enemies.

Silent Confession *Please take a moment for silent confession*

Asking for God's Forgiveness

Liturgist: Let us now ask God's forgiveness.

People: Forgive us, O God, when we stand in the way of your transformative love. Forgive us when we do not live as people who have been changed by your grace. Call us to the mountain once more, and send us out to be witnesses of your transformative grace. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Liturgist: Those who trust in the Lord will renew their strength. They will rise up to fly like eagles, they will run and not be weary, they will walk and not grow faint.

People: What a wonder! Thanks be to God!

Sung Response to Confession: *Open Our Eyes, Lord*

*Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.
To reach out and touch Him and say that we love Him.
Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen.
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.*

*Passing the Peace of Christ, Sharing in Christ's Welcome

Liturgist: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And, also with you.

Liturgist: Let us stand and share the peace of Christ with one another.

(Congregation shares peace with one another in the pew, over the phone, across the screen.)

Anthem: *Come, Ye Thankful People Come*

Children's Moment

Prayer for Illumination

Our Lord and our God, now as we hear your Word, fill us with your Spirit. Soften our hearts that we may discern your ways. Fill us with your light. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Scripture Lesson Exodus 34:29-35, Luke 9:28-36

The Message: *Meeting Mystery on the Mountain*

Hymn of Affirmation: *Will You Come and Follow Me, verses 1,4,5*

Sharing Our Life Together

Offertory

Thanksgiving in Song:

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him, all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Amen.*

*Sending Hymn: *Shine, Jesus, Shine*

*Charge and Benediction

452 Open the Eyes of My Heart

D A/C#

O-pen the eyes of my heart, Lord. O-pen the eyes of my heart;

G/B G D

I want to see you; I want to see you;

1 2
Dsus D A Bm

to see you high and lift - ed up,

G A

shin-ing in the light of your glo - ry. Pour out your

Bm Em7 D/E A

pow-er and love as we sing "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly."

D A/C#

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly.

Bm G Em/D D

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, I want to see you.

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Be Thou My Vision

Capo 1: (D) (G) (D/F#) (A7) (D)
 Eb Ab Eb/G Bb7 Eb

1 Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;
 2 Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true Word;
 3 Rich - es I heed not, nor vain, emp - ty praise;
 4 High King of Heav - en, my vic - to - ry won,

(A) (D) (G) (A)
 Bb Eb Ab Bb

naught be all else to me, save that thou art;
 I ev - er with thee and thou with me, Lord;
 thou mine in - her - i - tance, now and al - ways;
 may I reach heav - en's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!

(G) (D) (F#m7) (G) (A)
 Ab Eb Gm7 Ab Bb

thou my best thought, by day or by night,
 thou my soul's shel - ter, and thou my high tower;
 thou and thou on - ly, first in my heart,
 Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,

(Bm) (D/F#) (G) (D)
 Cm Eb/G Ab Eb

wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.
 raise thou me heaven - ward, O Power of my power.
 High King of Heav - en, my trea - sure thou art.
 still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all.

726 Will You Come and Follow Me

The Summons

Capo 3: (D) (A7) (Bm) (Em7) (Asus) (A)
 F C7 Dm Gm7 Csus C



1 "Will you come and fol - low me if I but call your name?
 2 "Will you leave your-self be-hind if I but call your name?
 3 "Will you let the blind - ed see if I but call your name?
 4 "Will you love the 'you' you hide if I but call your name?
 5 Lord, your sum-mons ech - oes true when you but call my name.

(D) (A7) (Bm) (Em7) (G) (D)
 F C7 Dm Gm7 B^b F



Will you go where you don't know and nev - er be the same?
 Will you care for cruel and kind and nev - er be the same?
 Will you set the pris-oners free and nev - er be the same?
 Will you quell the fear in - side and nev - er be the same?
 Let me turn and fol - low you and nev - er be the same.

(Em7) (G) (F#m7) (G) (Asus) (A)
 Gm7 B^b Am7 B^b Csus C



Will you let my love be shown; will you let my name be known;
 Will you risk the hos - tile stare should your life at-tract or scare?
 Will you kiss the lep - er clean, and do such as this un - seen,
 Will you use the faith you've found to re-shape the world a - round,
 In your com - pa - ny I'll go where your love and foot-steps show.

(D) (A7) (Bm) (Em7) (G) (D)
 F C7 Dm Gm7 B^b F



will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?"
 Will you let me an - swer prayer in you and you in me?"
 and ad - mit to what I mean in you and you in me?"
 through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?"
 Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

431 Shine, Jesus, Shine

I am the Light of the world. John 8:12

Unison

1. Lord, the light of Your love is shin - ing, In the midst of the
2. Lord, I come to Your awe - some pres - ence, From the shad - ows in -
3. As we gaze on Your king - ly bright - ness So our fac - es dis -

dark - ness shin - ing; Je - sus, Light of the world, shine up - on us,
to Your ra - diance; By the blood I may en - ter Your bright - ness;
play Your like - ness, Ev - er chang - ing from glo - ry to glo - ry;

Set us free by the truth You now bring us; Shine on me,
Search me, try me, con - sume all my dark - ness; Shine on me,
Mir - rored here, may our lives tell Your sto - ry; Shine on me,

Harmony optional

Shine on me.
Shine on me.
Shine on me.

Shine, Je - sus, shine, fill this
Flow, riv - er, flow, flood the

land with the Fa-ther's glo - ry. Blaze, Spir - it, blaze; set our
 na - tions with grace and mer - cy. Send forth Your Word, Lord, and

1 hearts on fire. 2 let there be light. rit. *Optional transition to "Revive Us, O Lord"*