

<sup>1</sup> (Glory, by Christine Jerrett - <https://revgalblogpals.org/2021/02/08/worship-words-transfiguration-sunday-2-14>)

<sup>2</sup>(Witness to Wonders: Service Prayers for Transfiguration Sunday, was written by the Rev. Madison Shockley, pastor of Pilgrim United Church of Christ in Carlsbad, CA and a member of the board of directors of ProgressiveChristianity.org.)

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**Thank you to those listed in the bulletin who participated in today's service.**

**We also thank:**

**Altar Guild:** Vera Baker

**Coordinators for Online Worship:** Clara Lee and Jim Sharrard

**Videographer:** Nic Odell

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**Reminders:**

**Social Media:** It is a great opportunity to share our church with all of our social media friends! We ask that everyone on Facebook and Instagram "like" and "share" our livestream each Sunday morning! The more we share, the more we can grow our church once we can gather together again.

**Check out the News & Events page under the Connect tab on the website.** There you can view the on-line monthly newsletter the Carillon, sign-up for the weekly on-line newsletter Thursday Thoughts, view the photo blog, or find out the latest information about what is going on in the life of the church at:

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**Celebrate** God's love  
**Nurture** relationships with God and one another  
**Serve** our community and world, as we share the light of Christ



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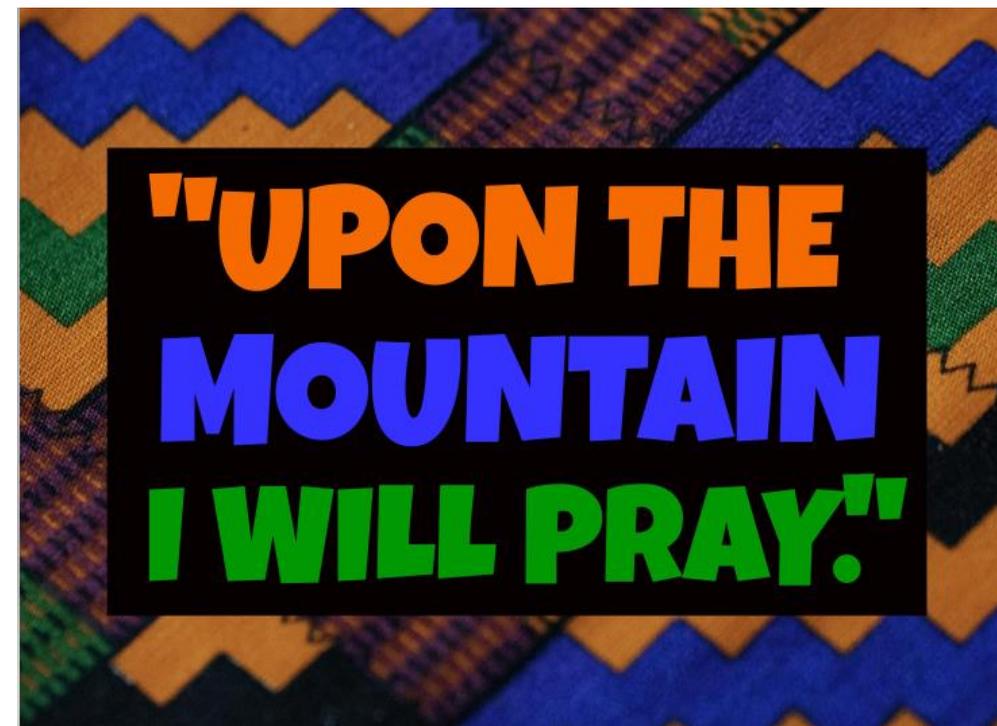
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**Senior Pastor, Rev. René Perez**



*Believing that all persons are created in God's image and are of sacred worth, that Jesus' message was one of inclusion of those rejected by mainstream society, and that each member makes inherent and valuable contributions to the Body of Christ, we of Trinity Church welcome into this congregation people of every age, race, ethnicity, gender identity, sexual orientation, socio-economic condition, family structure, and physical or mental ability.*

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Transfiguration Sunday ~ February 14, 2021

\*\* See words to the right \* See words on the back

**Prelude:** “All Creatures of Our God and King” M. Ijames  
Rev. Erin Newcomb-Moore, violin

### Welcome & Announcements

**Introit:** “In the Light of His Glory and Grace” M. Shepperd  
The Butcher Family – Ella, Melissa, Tommy, and Jacob

**Call to Worship:**<sup>1</sup> \*\*

**Prayer and Moment of Silent Reflection:**<sup>2</sup> \*\*

**The Lord’s Prayer:**

**Special Music:** “Every Time I Feel the Spirit” J. Schrader

**Scripture:** Mark 9:2-9 (NRSV)

**Hymn of Preparation** “I Stand Amazed In Your Presence”

**Sermon:** “Crossing Thresholds”

**Closing Response:** “This Little Light of Mine” M. Hayes

**(Video) Benediction:** \* The Gray Family

**Closing Hymn:** “Jesus Shall Reign” Duke Street

## WORDS TO FOLLOW ALONG

### Call to Worship:

Leader: We, who stumble in darkness and fall so often, longing for your light to shine upon us.

**People: We come, seeking your grace.**

**L:** Dazzle us with your holy love, draw us into your purifying presence, speak to us your transforming truth.

**P:** **We come, seeking to be changed.**

**L:** Grant us grace to live every moment changed by such glory—daring to live with hope and courage and love reflecting the life of Jesus, through whom your glory shines in the most unexpected ways.

**P:** **We come, vulnerable, ready to worship you.**

### Prayer:

O Holy God, on mountaintops and valley floors you reveal to us the light of your love. Our hearts desire is to bask in the amazing glory of your divine presence. With each encounter we are changed and transformed. Draw us nearer that we might receive a double portion of your Holy Spirit. Help us, O Holy God, to live our lives as a reflection of divine glory. May we journey this world as a blessing, bearing light into dark places, hope to displace despair, healing to the downtrodden, and love that casts out fear. Our world is hurting and we need to follow Jesus more closely. Maybe then we will hear your voice speaking to us and saying, “This is my Son, marked by my love. Listen to him!” Amen.

### The Lord’s Prayer:

Our Father, Who art in Heaven  
Hallowed be thy Name.  
Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done,  
On earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil  
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.