

**CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE  
THE TRANFIGURATION OF OUR LORD  
FEBRUARY 11, 2018  
“LISTEN TO JESUS”**

***PRESERVICE MUSIC.....“You Are So Good To Me”***

**You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song  
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song  
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song  
And I will sing again**

**You are so good to me  
You heal my broken heart  
You are my Father in Heaven  
You are so good to me  
You heal my broken heart  
You are my Father in Heaven**

**You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song  
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song**

**You ride upon the clouds  
You lead me to the truth  
You are the Spirit inside me  
You ride upon the clouds  
You lead me to the truth  
You are the Spirit inside me**

**You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song  
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song  
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song  
And I will sing again**

**You are my strong melody  
You are my dancing rhythm  
You are my perfect rhyme  
And I will sing of You forever**

**You poured out all Your blood  
You died upon the cross  
You are my Jesus who loves me**

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And I will sing again**

**You are my Father in Heaven  
You are the Spirit inside me  
You are my Jesus who loves me**

*"You Are So Good To Me" written by Ben Pasley, Don Chaffer, Robin Pasley 1999 Blue Renaissance Music Hey Ruth Music  
Squint Songs Scripture Reference: Mark 8:27-30; Matt: 16:13-20; Isaiah 12:1-6 CCLI Song # 2757944 CCLI License # 51072*

### **"When We Love"**

**Hey, are we listening?  
There's someone crying out right now  
And yeah, we all know what it feels like  
When up is really upside down  
Everybody's got their story  
The hard days and the long nights  
Everybody needs somebody  
Now might be the time**

**When we love, when we love, when we love someone  
We're the evidence, the evidence of You  
When we love like You love, we can see You move  
You're alive in us when we love someone**

**Hey, I keep thinking  
Life is more than where we are  
So come on, let's be part of something  
Something that can change somebody's heart  
Cause everybody's got their story  
The heartbreaks and the hard times  
And everybody needs somebody  
Standing by their side**

**When we love, when we love, when we love someone  
We're the evidence, the evidence of You  
When we love like You love, we can see You move**

**You're alive in us when we love someone  
So God give me a heart like Yours  
Help me to look at the world like You do  
I wanna be caught up in Your love  
Cause Your love is enough to mend the most broken of lives  
Please God, help me to love like You  
Help me to love like You**

**When we love, when we love, when we love someone  
We're the evidence, the evidence of You  
When we love like You love, we can see You move  
You're alive in us when we love someone**

**When we love someone  
When we love someone  
When we love someone  
When we love someone**

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**WORSHIP THEME: "Listen to Jesus" Mark 9:2-9**

At the Transfiguration, Jesus conversed with two Old Testament pillars—Moses and Elijah. A voice from heaven proclaimed, "This is my Son, whom I love. Listen to him!" and immediately Jesus was left standing alone in front of Peter, James, and John. This pivotal moment displayed Christ as the hope of the world as He would provide a New Covenant through His death and resurrection, bringing light and life to this dark world. As we reflect on the Transfiguration, let's turn off the voices of this world and tune our ears to listen to Jesus.

**+ We Lift Our Hearts in Worship +**

**OPENING SONG..... "This Is My Father's World"**

**This is my Father's world  
And to my listening ears,  
All nature sings, and round me rings  
The music of the spheres.**

**This is my Father's world  
The birds their carols raise,  
The morning light, the lily white,  
Declare their Maker's praise.**

This is my Father's world  
I rest me in the thought  
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas;  
His hand the wonders wrought.  
This is my Father's world  
O let me ne'er forget,  
That though the wrong seems oft so strong,  
God is the Ruler yet.

This is my Father's world  
Why should my heart be sad?  
The Lord is King, let the heavens ring,  
God reigns; let the earth be glad!

This is my Father's world  
He shines in all that's fair;  
In the rustling grass I hear him pass;  
He speaks to me everywhere.  
In the rustling grass I hear him pass;  
He speaks to me everywhere.

*"This Is My Father's World" written by Franklin Sheppard, Maltbie Davenport Babcock 2003 Triune Music, Inc.  
Scripture Reference: Acts 4: 24; Genesis 28:16; Psalm 33:5 CCLI Song: 3927278 CCLI License: 51072*

## **INVOCATION**

**Pastor:** We come together to hear from the Lord, to learn from His Word, and to encourage one another in love.

**People:** **Grow our faith, Lord.**

**Pastor:** Let's take a deep breath and focus on Jesus. Let's tune our ears to hear His voice.

**People:** **He is the Light in the darkness.**

## **OPENING PRAYER**

**Pastor:** Father, we praise You. Thank You for giving us another day of life. Thank You for giving us breath and a fresh start through Your Son, Jesus.

**People:** **Thank You, Lord. We love You, Amen.**

## **TIME OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

**Pastor:** Darkness veils the hearts of unbelievers, yet the light of Christ pierces that darkness.

**People:** **We walk from darkness and shame into the Light!**

Pastor: There was a time when we were blind, but by the mercy of the Father and through the sacrifice of the Son, we were set free from darkness.

**People: We are free indeed!**

Pastor: Christ forgives us of sin. Let us not walk in the ways of the world, but listen to Him.

**People: We are no longer bound to sin, we are free and forgiven. Hallelujah and Amen!**

**+ We Hear God's Word +**

**Exodus 34:29-35(ESV)(page 4 in bulletin)..... (on page 142 in NIV pew Bible)**

**2 Corinthians 3:12-4:6(ESV) (page 5 in bulletin)..... (on page 1797 in NIV pew Bible)**

**Mark 9:2-9(ESV)(page 5 in bulletin) ..... (on page 1567 in NIV pew Bible)**

### ***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH***

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen

### ***SERMON SONG ..... "Blessings"***

**We pray for blessings**

**We pray for peace**

**Comfort for family, protection while we sleep**

**We pray for healing, for prosperity**

**We pray for Your mighty hand to ease our suffering**

**All the while, You hear each spoken need**

**Yet love us way too much to give us lesser things**

**Cause what if Your blessings come through raindrops**

**What if Your healing comes through tears**

**What if a thousand sleepless nights**

**Are what it takes to know You're near**

**What if trials of this life are Your mercies in disguise**

We pray for wisdom  
Your voice to hear  
And we cry in anger when we cannot feel You near  
We doubt Your goodness, we doubt Your love  
As if every promise from Your Word is not enough  
All the while, You hear each desperate plea  
And long that we'd have faith to believe

Cause what if Your blessings come through raindrops  
What if Your healing comes through tears  
What if a thousand sleepless nights  
Are what it takes to know You're near  
And what if trials of this life are Your mercies in disguise

When friends betray us  
When darkness seems to win  
We know the pain reminds this heart  
That this is not, this is not our home  
It's not our home

Cause what if Your blessings come through raindrops  
What if Your healing comes through tears  
And what if a thousand sleepless nights  
Are what it takes to know You're near

What if my greatest disappointments  
Or the aching(s) of this life  
Is the revealing of a greater thirst this world can't satisfy  
And what if trials of this life  
The rain, the storms, the hardest nights  
Are Your mercies in disguise

*"Blessings" written by Laura Story 2011 New Spring Laura Stories Scripture Reference: James 1:2-4; Romans 5:3-5  
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**MESSAGE ..... "Listen To Him" .....Mark 9:2-9 by Rev. E. Wade Helmkamp**

**OFFERING SONG....."Awesome God"**

Our God is an awesome God,  
He reigns from Heaven above,  
With wisdom, power and love,  
Our God is an awesome God.

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He reigns from Heaven above,

**With wisdom, power and love,  
Our God is an awesome God.**

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He reigns from Heaven above,  
With wisdom, power and love,  
Our God is an awesome God.**

*"Awesome God" written by Rich Mullins © 1988 BMG Songs, Inc. Scripture Reference: Psalm 135:5 CCLI Song: 41099 CCLI License: 51072*

**+ We Pray +**

**PRAYERS**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**+ We Celebrate the Lord's Supper +**

*Here our Lord gives to us His Own Body and Blood for the forgiveness of all our sins.*

**WE PREPARE**

**Pastor:** Can you imagine being on that mountain when Jesus was transfigured before the eyes of His disciples? Can you fathom the shock that came when Moses and Elijah disappeared and there before them standing was Christ alone? When we partake of the Lord's Supper together, let's pause and remember that Jesus Christ, Son of God, is worthy of our listening. He is worthy of our worship and worthy of our surrendered hearts.

**People:** **Christ's body was broken for us and in His blood, was given to us a New Covenant.**

**Pastor:** We thank You, Lord.

**People:** **Amen.**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**COMMUNION SONG** ..... **"Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"**

**Amazing grace, how sweet the sound,  
That saved a wretch like me.  
I once was lost, but now am found,  
Was blind but now I see.**

**'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved.  
How precious did that grace appear,  
The hour I first believed.**

**My chains are gone, I've been set free,  
My God, my Savior has ransomed me.  
And like a flood His mercy reigns,  
Unending love, amazing grace.**

**The Lord has promised good to me,  
His word my hope secures.  
He will my shield and portion be,  
As long as life endures.**

**My chains are gone, I've been set free,  
My God, my Savior has ransomed me.  
And like a flood His mercy reigns,  
Unending love, amazing grace.**

**The earth shall soon dissolve like snow,  
The sun forbear to shine.  
But God Who called me here below,  
Will be forever mine,  
Will be forever mine,  
You are forever mine.**

*"Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)" written by Chris Tomlin, John Newton, Louid Giglio 2006 worshiptogether.com songs  
Scripture Reference: Ephesians 2:8-9, Psalm 44:8 CCLI Song: 4768151 CCLI License: 51072*

### ***BENEDICTION***

**Pastor:** May the peace of the Lord be with you in all that you do.

**People:** Let us glorify God. Amen!

### ***CLOSING SONG..... "My Redeemer Lives"***

**I know He rescued my soul  
His blood covered my sin  
I believe I believe**

**My shame He's taken away  
My pain is healed in His name  
I believe I believe**

**I'll raise the banner  
'Cause my Lord has conquered the grave  
My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives  
My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives**



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His blood covered my sin  
I believe I believe

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My pain is healed in His name  
I believe I believe

I'll raise the banner  
'Cause my Lord has conquered the grave  
My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives  
My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives

You lift my burdens; And I rise with You  
I'm dancing on this mountain top  
To see Your Kingdom come

My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives  
My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives  
My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives  
My Redeemer lives, my Redeemer lives

*"My Redeemer Lives" written by Reuben Morgan 1998 Hillsong Music Publishing Scripture Reference: 1 John 1:7  
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## We Exit to Serve!

*If this service has moved you spiritually and you have questions regarding your spiritual life, please feel free to visit with one of the Pastors after the service.*

