



ORDER OF WORSHIP
Transfiguration of the Lord

Shelby Presbyterian Church
February 11, 2024
10:00 a.m.

*Please rise as you are able.

PRELUDE: *"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"* (Wagner) Emily Monroe

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Drew Mangione

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Patrick Glenn

The glory of God shines like a consuming fire.

We have seen the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

The voice of God thunders like a mighty storm.

Out of the cloud, God speaks: This is my beloved Son; listen to Him!

*HYMN OF PRAISE #193: *"Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain"*

CALL TO CONFESSION Patrick Glenn

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION: **God of all glory, beauty, and grace, we have tried to hide our faces from you and tried to hide our sin. Yet you have never hidden your love for us. We have tried to search for you in buildings, in clouds, and on mountaintops. Yet you revealed yourself to us in the face of Jesus, our anointed King and brother. Forgive us, Lord. Transform us, so that our lives may shine with your glory, beauty, and grace. Amen. (silent confession)**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Sisters and brothers, believe the good news!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

*GLORIA PATRI (sung): ***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.***

*THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The Peace of the Lord be with you! **And also, with you!**

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN

Claire McCullough

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Patrick Glenn

FIRST SCRIPTURE 2 Kings 2: 1-12

ANTHEM: *"Swing Low, Sweet Chariot"* (arr. Moser) Brett Niblack, soloist
(text found in Hymn #825)

SECOND SCRIPTURE Mark 9: 2-9

SERMON "How Do You Follow That?" Drew Mangione

*RESPONSIVE HYMN #320: *"The Church of Christ in Every Age"*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (1 Cor. 15:1-6, Matt. 16:16, Rev. 22:13, John 20:28):
This is the good news which we have received, in which we stand and by which we are saved if we hold it fast: That Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures, that He was buried, that He was raised on the third day, and that He appeared, first to the women and to Peter, and to the Twelve and to many faithful witnesses. We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God. Jesus Christ is the first and the last, the beginning and the end; He is our Lord and our God. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CALL TO PRESENT TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory : *"The Peaceable Things"* (Christiansen) Emily Monroe

*Doxology (sung): ***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

*Prayer of Dedication

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the Table

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also, with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give thanks and praise.

It is truly right to...

Therefore, with all creation we sing your praise:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Acclamation of Faith

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Words of Institution

Distribution of Elements

Prayer after Communion

*CLOSING HYMN #192: *"Shine, Jesus, Shine"*

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Drew Mangione

*CHORAL BENEDICTION: *"Arise!"* (Moser)

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

Anna Grace McCullough

*POSTLUDE: *"Prelude in Classic Style"* (G. Young)

Emily Monroe

Music Licenses: 1575277 (CCLI)/ A-739540 (One License)

Sound Board: Chip Blackley & Joe Petrilli

Ushers: Jennifer Niblack, Fred Harrill, Thomas Monroe, May Reed

Scriptures read in service are original translations, unless otherwise noted.

Feel free to read a familiar translation and listen for different word choices.

CHILDCARE is available for infants through preschool in Room 102, staffed by

Lindsay Carter, Lilly Hamilton, and Holly Conner

In order to protect your children, please be sure they are accompanied at all times by a parent or responsible adult caregiver.

WE WELCOME all who worship with us this morning. If you are interested in more information or in becoming a member of our family of faith, please call the church office, 704-487-8503. If you have questions about our hearing loop system, please call the church office Monday-Thursday, 9:00-4:00, Friday 9:00-12:00. **After the service, all first-time visitors are invited to the back of the church where a church member will welcome you with a special greeting.**

THIS WEEK (FEBRUARY 11-17, 2024):

Today	11:15 am	Handbells in Bell Room
	5:00 pm	Diaconate Meeting in Back Parlor
Monday	9:30 am	Food Ministry in Ellis Hall
	1:30 pm	Clerk's Council in Pastor's Study
	7:00 pm	Boy Scout Troop 100 in Scout House
	8:00 pm	AA in Ellis Hall
Tuesday	10:30 am	Staff Meeting in Ellis Hall
	6:00 pm	Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper
Wednesday	11:00 am	Rainbow Committee in F3 Room
	12:00 pm	Lenten Service at Aldersgate UMC
	6:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Service in Sanctuary
	7:00 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal in Choir Room
Thursday	12:00 pm	Rainbow Connection early dismissal
	8:00 pm	AA in Ellis Hall & AI – Anon in Back Parlor

VALENTINE'S DAY COFFEE for all single women of SPC at the home of Agaat Den Hertog (402 Fairview Dr.) from 10:00 until 12:00 Wednesday, February 14th. Please RSVP Agaat at 704-661-0318.

SIGN UP TODAY FOR SNOW TUBING Sunday, February 18th! Cost is \$20 per person, must sign up with Carol Ann carolann@shelbypres.org.

RAINBOW NEEDS SUBSTITUTES: If you are interested in helping Rainbow out now and then and spending a little extra time with some super cute kids and a great staff please email Abby at rainbow@shelbypres.org.

MYSTERY LUNCH Tuesday, February 27th. Carol Ann is taking the adults on a mystery lunch trip. Where will we go? Carol Ann knows but she isn't telling. Meet at the church at 10:00 and join in on the fun.

HABITAT WORKDAYS - Saturday, February 24, is a workday this month. Work will start at 8:00 am and conclude at 12:00 noon. We expect to be painting on the Church Build house. Anyone interested in volunteering on this day should contact Richard Hart to sign up. The number of volunteers are limited, so please indicate your interest as soon as possible. Please call (229)563-1253 or send a message to rchart1121@gmail.com. Thank you for your continued support and prayers for our Habitat affiliate.

THE MISSION AND MINISTRY COMMITTEE invites you to Love Your Neighbor. During the month of February, we will be collecting items to create hygiene kits for our neighbors that come to our Hot Lunch Ministry as well as those that use our community fridge. We need both sample and full-size items. We are collecting toothbrushes, toothpaste, washcloths, razors, soap, body wash, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, lip balm, lotion, and feminine hygiene products. There will be a container in the narthex as well as one by the boxes near the office. Thank you so much for helping us to Love Our Neighbors.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE FOR LENT: Shrove Tuesday, February 13th at 6:00 in Ellis Hall. The Youth will provide a pancake dinner. Donations will be taken for the Youth Fund. Ash Wednesday, February 14th at 6:00 in the sanctuary. Worship service and imposition of ashes. Maundy Thursday, March 28th at 6:00 in Ellis Hall. Worship service with table communion.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER (also see ongoing prayer list in newsletter) . . .

John Auten, JoAnn and George Beattie, Pam Birmingham, Dick Bowling, J.W. & Pat Brotherton, JoAnn Callahan, Hannah Carpenter, Karen Carpenter, Myra Carpenter, Sandy Carpenter, Chris Denning, Debbie Ferrell, Ina Harrington, August Hohne, Andi Houser, Alene Lang, Cheryl Lutz, Shayvonne Maddox, Brooke McCurry, Lisa Perkins – Dodrill, Pauline Persing, Ellen Poston, Clay Pruett, Larry Stern, Linda Ware, Jackie Weathers, Stephanie Williams, Teresa Wingo, and our homeless neighbors; all with respiratory illnesses; the victims of natural disaster and war, including in Ukraine, Israel-Gaza, and Guatemala; all in military service and their families; Food Ministry; Turning Point Academy, Rainbow Connection, our brothers & sisters of Monte los Olivos; Tenwek Hospital; John McCall in Taiwan; Christians around the globe who are persecuted for their faith.

**Aldersgate United Methodist
Lenten Lunchtime Worship
Wednesdays 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm
Sanctuary & Epworth**

Worship will be at noon in the sanctuary and virtually on Facebook and YouTube. Our first Lenten Lunchtime Worship service will occur on Wednesday, February 14th (Ash Wednesday), and the final Lenten Lunchtime Worship service will meet March 27th. For this ecumenical gathering, we welcome pastors and special musicians from congregations in our community and region.

We will provide a “light lunch” (sandwich, side item, drink, and dessert) immediately following worship in the Epworth Gym. The cost is \$7.00 per person. If you are on a tight schedule, please feel free to go to the front of the line.

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| February 14 | Randy Blanton (Aldersgate UMC)
Creamy Tortellini Soup with BBQ Sliders |
| February 21 | Eddie Padgett (WNCC UMC Collective)
Chicken Noodle Soup with Cheese Toast |
| February 28 | Drew Mangione (Shelby Presbyterian)
Tomato Lentil & Sausage Soup with
Pimento Cheese Sandwich |
| March 6 | Amy Vaughan (Lakeshore Collective)
Broccoli Cheddar Soup with Egg Salad Sandwich |
| March 13 | Robert Canoy (First Baptist)
Chicken Chili with Cornbread |
| March 20 | Lisa Moore (Well's Spring, Brook's Chapel, Mundy's
Chapel UMCs)
Pasta E Fagioli with Parmesan Breadsticks |
| March 27 | Pastor to be announced.
Loaded Potato Soup with Chicken Salad Sandwich |