



SEVEN OAKS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 14, 2021

Transfiguration of the Lord

Welcome! We pray that you will truly experience God's love and grace as you worship!

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Zoom Worshipers: Once worship begins, please do not unmute yourselves. Zoom is very sensitive to sounds coming from our computers and to provide for the most fluid and clear worship experience for everyone, this is a small thing you can do to celebrate this worship opportunity!

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Jana Creighton

PRELUDE

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Arr. Pilkington

OPENING PRAYER

Rev. Jana Creighton

The darkness of winter has been our companion, Lord. Now the days are lengthening. Bring your light to us, that we might see your glory and may work for you, offering hope and peace to this world. We ask this, in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

GATHERING OF OUR HEARTS

Rev. Jana Creighton and Rev. Dan Loffredo

Leader: In the midst of our darkness, Jesus brings holy light!

People: Pierce our darkness; scatter the shadows of doubt and fear! Bring us your light, O Lord.

Leader: We seek the light but have long lived in the darkness. Bring your light, O Lord.

People: Help us be ready to receive that light!

Leader: Come to the shining presence of Jesus. Receive healing and hope.

People: Lord, our lives are ablaze with your love and healing power. Praise be to you, O Christ! AMEN.

Hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy

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**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

**Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.**

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

CALL TO CONFESSION

Rev. Dr. Barry Shatzer

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Patient Lord, you know how accustomed we are to "magic" tricks. Our spirits and our senses get fooled easily. We would be just like the disciples, at first not believing what we were seeing and then wanting to make a monument to the event. Thank you for being so patient with us. Forgive us when we get so wrapped up in the moment that we don't take time enough to understand its significance. Help us pause, reflect, think, and thank you for the blessings of unexpected revelations. Give us wisdom and strength to be your disciples, proclaiming your transforming love to all people. AMEN.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Kings 2:2-12

Rev. Dr. Barry Shatzer

If you need a Bible, please contact the church office or one of the Pastors

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 9:2-9

MESSAGE

Moments of Transfiguration

Rev. Jana Creighton

SPECIAL MUSIC

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

arr. Pilkington

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Barry Shatzer

OFFERING

Text Sevenoaks to 73256 or use the SOPC website with this link:

<https://onrealm.org/SevenOaksPresby/-/give/now>

VIDEO PRESENTATION

Additional Video presentation of TPF Organization and historical perspective of the organization's Investment Funds

Richard Brinkley

Hymn

O Worship the King

Grant/Krause

**O worship the King, all glorious above,
And gratefully sing His pow'r and His love;
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.**

**Thy bountiful care, what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light,
It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,
And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.**

**Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
In thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail;
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end!
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.**

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Rev. Jana Creighton

POSTLUDE

Fanfare on Coronation

arr. Pilkington

Music Notes: The lyrics for *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* were written by Oliver Holden. Those great words have been sung to a number of different hymn tunes. In worship today, the Special Music is a setting of that text to the tune *Diadem*, and the Postlude is based on the tune *Coronation*. What a fitting text for our worship today as we acknowledge the glory of our Lord revealed at his transfiguration.

Today at SOPC
(Zoom links on last page)

Adult Sunday School at 9:00 am

* NEW: Youth Check-in at 10:00 am.

Called team leader meeting after worship, 12:15 pm on zoom session for approximately 10 minutes. All More Justice Leaders, we hope to see you there!

Children's Sunday School at 1:30 pm.

Announcements



Lent begins February 17th, 2021. In preparation, you are each invited to begin setting aside a small (or large) space within your home dedicated to reflection and drawing close to God during this season. The ultimate hope of our lives comes at Easter, how will we prepare?

Ash Wednesday, February 17, 2021

Join us from 10 am - 2 pm for a masked and socially distanced interactive art project for the entire congregation and to pick up your ashes.

Join us again at 7:00 pm for Virtual Zoom Worship

Thursday: 6:00 pm—7:00 pm Youth meeting in the Pavilion. Bring your own dinner or snack. (2 parent volunteers needed). For questions or to volunteer please contact Pastor Dan at

dannyloffredo@hotmail.com

February 21, 2021 is the next JAM for Children. Contact Kathy Keane for more info.

In our continued prayers...



Edith Blanchett	Nan Foster	Ed Keelen	Al Charles
Linda Floyd	Scott Wilhide	Joe Gause	SOPC Covid Task Force
Daniel and Elizabeth Turk		Iglesia Presbiteriana de Nueva Paz	
Ed Keelen	John Anderson		

Please join us on Wednesdays at Noon via Zoom for our Prayer Meeting.

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This Week at SOPC

Sunday

Adult Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.

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Meeting ID: 508 111 743 Password: 046739

Youth Check-In at 10:00 a.m.

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Meeting ID: 857 7866 3914 Passcode: 847828

Sunday Service at 11:00 a.m.

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Meeting ID: 743 754 044 Password: 072863

By Phone: 1(646)558-8656 743754044 #

Children's Check-In and Sunday School at 1:30 p.m.

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Wednesday

Lunch & Prayer: Wednesday at Noon

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[pwd=d3JZSTROa3RFVTlvd0U3WnZwNmhnZz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89705113395?pwd=d3JZSTROa3RFVTlvd0U3WnZwNmhnZz09)

Meeting ID: 897 0511 3395 Password: 300498

By Phone: 1(301)715-8592 89705113395#

Friday

Lanterns: Fridays at 7:30 a.m.

<https://meet.google.com/gei-nbcw-upo>