

Cross Lutheran Church

THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

February 7, 2016

Evangelical Lutheran Worship Book – Holy Communion Setting One

We encourage worshippers to use the time in the sanctuary before the liturgy begins for silent meditation and prayer. The entire assembly will read the Gospel together; pew Bibles can be found in front of you, children's Bibles and large print lessons are available from the ushers. Prayer for healing and anointing with oil is offered in the narthex during Holy Communion. Any worshipper wishing to receive these gifts may proceed there after receiving the host and the cup, and before returning to the pew.

Bold Print – indicates congregation responds as a whole

* – indicates congregation should stand as able

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CONFESSIO AND FORGIVENESS		p. 94 (red tab)
*OPENING HYMN	<i>Jesus on the Mountain Peak</i>	ELW # 317
*GREETING		p. 98
*KYRIE		p. 98
*HYMN OF PRAISE	<i>Glory to God</i>	p. 99

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

Holy God, mighty and immortal, you are beyond our knowing, yet we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. Transform us into the likeness of your Son, who renewed our humanity so that we may share in his divinity, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

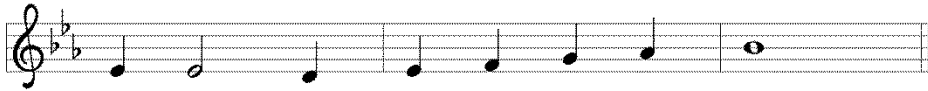
PSALM – Psalm 99

Cantor sings refrain (R). The congregation then repeats the refrain.

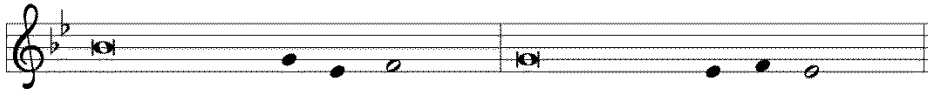
*Congregation responds with the **bold verses**.*



Pro - claim the great - ness of the LORD;



wor - ship up - on God's ho - ly hill.



The LORD is king; let the ¹ people tremble.

The LORD is enthroned upon the cherubim; let ¹ the earth shake.

²**The LORD, ¹ great in Zion,**

is high a- ¹bove all peoples.

³Let them confess God's name, which is ¹ great and awesome;

God is the ¹ Holy One.

⁴**O mighty king, lover of justice, you have es- ¹tablished equity;**

you have executed justice and righteous- ¹ness in Jacob. R

⁵Proclaim the greatness of the LORD and fall down be- ¹fore God's footstool;

God is the ¹ Holy One.

⁶**Moses and Aaron among your priests,**

and Samuel among those who call upon your ¹ name, O LORD;

they called upon you, and you ¹ answered them,

⁷you spoke to them out of the pil- ¹lar of cloud;

they kept your testimonies and the decree ¹ that you gave them.

⁸**O LORD our God, you answered ¹ them indeed;**

you were a God who forgave them,

yet punished them for their ¹ evil deeds.

⁹Proclaim the greatness of the LORD and worship upon God's ¹ holy hill;

for the LORD our God is the ¹ Holy One. **R**

SECOND LESSON II Corinthians 3:12 – 4:2

N.T. p. 180

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia

p. 102

***GOSPEL**

*** (P) The Holy Gospel according to Luke 9:28-36**

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*** (C) Glory to you, O Lord.**

*** (P) The Gospel of our Lord.**

*** (C) Praise to you, O Christ.**

THE SERMON

*HYMN OF THE DAY *How Good, Lord, to Be Here!* ELW # 315

*NICENE CREED p. 126 (blue tab)

*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*SHARING THE PEACE OF THE LORD

OFFERING

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Praise God, from Whom All Blessing Flow* ELW # 885

*OFFERING PRAYER

Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

*WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*THE LORD'S PRAYER p. 112

DISTRIBUTION

To make the distribution of the Lord's Supper as easy as possible, we ask that people who wish to commune and who use a wheelchair or walker come to the front first to receive the Sacrament.

LAMB OF GOD

We Come to the Hungry Feast p. 112
ELW # 479
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling ELW # 631
Oh, Praise the Gracious Power ELW # 651
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise ELW # 834

*POST COMMUNION PRAYER

*BENEDICTION p. 114

*CLOSING HYMN *Arise, Your Light Has Come* ELW # 314

*DISMISSAL p. 115

POSTLUDE

To Our Guests and Visitors Today: Every baptized believer who is of age is invited to receive the Lord's Supper as we worship. The invitation is extended to each of us by the Lord himself, because he is the host of the meal. We also believe that he is the meal; that is that "in, with, and under" the bread and wine we do receive the body and blood of Christ, given and shed for us for the forgiveness of sins. Please follow the directions of the ushers if you wish to commune. Children under the age of ten are invited to receive a Word of blessing. ***Worshipers unable to commune at the front of the church...Please register with an usher and a lay minister will bring the Supper to you in your pew.***

THIS WEEK AT CROSS

- Today, February 7**9:30am Worship Service
10:45am Sunday School Classes
11:00am Adult Education “My Calling”
12:00pm Board of Church Properties Meeting
3:30pm – 7:00pm Roca de Horeb
- Monday, February 8**6:30pm Board of Education Meeting
- Tuesday, February 9**6:00pm Board of Stewardship Meeting
7:30pm Roca de Horeb
- Wednesday, February 10**.....10:30am Ash Wednesday Worship Service
11:30am Soup Luncheon
5:45pm Soup Supper
6:45pm Ash Wednesday Worship Service
7:30pm Hands, Hearts and Voices Choir
- Thursday, February 11**10:30am Bible Study at The Shores of Lake Phalen
3:00pm Worship Service at Bel Rae of Mounds View
5:30pm – 6:00pm Serve at the Family Service Center
6:30pm Worship Service at The Shores of Lake Phalen
7:30pm 7th Day Adventist Prayer Group
- Friday, February 12**6:00pm – 9:30pm Roca de Horeb
- Saturday, February 13**6:00am – 8:00am Roca de Horeb Fasting
6:00am – 4:00pm Roca de Horeb – Upper Classroom
9:30am – 12:30pm 7th Day Adventists
5:30pm – 2:00am Roca de Horeb Vigil
- Sunday, February 14**9:30am Worship Service
10:45am Sunday School Classes
11:00am Adult Education “My Calling”
3:30pm – 7:00pm Roca de Horeb

Today you will find in the bulletin a table prayer. We know that our Lord is the source of all blessings, and that it is most fitting for us to give thanks before we eat. Some people always pray the same prayer. Others prefer to pray different prayers – some don’t pray at all. A different prayer will be included each month to help us all in this daily devotion.



Table Prayer:

Our health is given by this food; our food, dear Lord, comes by your grace. Our thanks we offer in return at every meal, in every place. Amen.

Stewardship Verse
Micah 6:6a, 8



With what shall I come before the LORD, and bow myself before God on high? He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?



Be a good steward of the earth; if you aren’t taking your bulletin home, please drop it in the recycling bin in the narthex. Thank you!

