



Sunday, February 27, 2022 ~ Transfiguration of the Lord
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship (Miller Commons)

Way of the Week

14. GROW FAITH. Take advantage of every chance you have to form your faith – through Small Groups, classes, and personal study. Be a disciple, and look to learn from those who know more of the Bible and Christian life than you do; then look for opportunities to share what you’ve gained with someone else.

“You have heard me teach things that have been confirmed by many reliable witnesses. Now teach these truths to other trustworthy people who will be able to pass them on to others.”
(II Timothy 2:2)

Ideas for Action: If you’re not currently in a Small Group, call the church office and ask for assistance in finding one. Ask for some time with someone whose faith you respect and pick their brains on their practices of faith formation.

Welcome and Work of God’s People

Paul Savage

Songs of Praise

Worship Team

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High
Reckless Love

Prayer of Confession *(offered in unison)*

Rev. Stuart Spencer

Gracious God, Source of all life, Lord of mercy and grace, hear our prayer.
We come before You in need of healing:
The healing of our bodies and souls, the healing of our relationships,
The healing of our pride and fear and apathy.
We know that with You, nothing is impossible not even our healing,
Not even the restoration of the whole world.

***We pray that You will heal us, that You will heal our world,
So that we will be freed to serve and love and dream and be as Christ calls us. Amen.***

Silence for personal prayer

Assurance of Forgiveness

Rev. Spencer

Sisters, brothers: hear this Good News and see the grace of God. You are forgiven. You are free to go and live in the light of love.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

Sharing with Our Children

Rev. Wes Allen

Offertory & Moment for Lent

Rev. Allen

THANK YOU for your faithful giving and for remembering the church as we begin a new year in ministry. Your offerings dramatically impact our ministry and allow us to support church operations and our work around the world. Those attending in person may leave an offering in the box. Electronic giving is here to stay! Take advantage of this simple, secure [automatic withdrawal](#). Donate directly from your phone via the Church Center app, too.

Praise Song

Worship Team

Do It Again

Sermon

Rev. Spencer

Humility Handbook

Scripture Text: [Romans 12:9-21 \(NLT\)](#)

Sermon Series: Your Best Friend, Your Worst Enemy

Closing Song

Worship Team

I Lift My Hands

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

Rev. Allen

Benediction and Going Forth

Rev. Spencer

11:00 a.m. Worship Ministry

Audio:	Taylor Adair
Livestream:	Jonathan Nawrocki
Visuals:	Alice Conley
Worship Team:	Martin Bass-Guitar; Christine Bass-Keys; Rebecca Neindorff-Piano; Don Stevens-Bass; Barry Overton-Drums; Michelle Davis-Vocals; Cheryl Stevens-Vocals
Flower Arrangers:	Stacy Schaffer and Karin Miller
Ushers:	Greg Connlain and Steve Connlain
Trustee Greeter:	Jeff Legath
Check-in:	Steve Drzaszcz

Today's flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of her mother, Ruth Fisher, by Jane Murphy.

Check-ins: Check-in is self-check in only on your smart phone (no QR code to swipe). Volunteer(s) remain available to assist. Please remember to check in from home when watching the live stream.

New Protocols: Effective January 12, Session approved revised COVID-19 safety protocols effective immediately. **All individuals entering our building are required to mask.** This includes all meetings for all groups. Congregational singing remains discontinued. We will not serve nor eat food indoors. Session and staff will continue to monitor the pandemic and make changes as warranted.

Paul Savage is leading a study on **The Four Gospels**. The class meets from 9:45-10:45 a.m. in Room 8 and is also be accessible via Zoom.

Visit **Grand Central Table** in the Commons Lobby! This is our "headquarters" to learn and sign up for all things to do with this year's Lenten Study of The Way of a Pilgrim.

Families: You can pick up your Lent-in-a-Bag at Grand Central Table beginning TODAY.

Pick up a copy of "**Grace Unbounded**," our Lent devotional, (at Grand Central Table) for \$3.00 or in the church office. *Grace Unbounded* provides daily devotions from Ash Wednesday to Easter from the Gospel of Luke.

Service Pledge: The Stewardship Committee has created a simpler online Service Pledge for members to indicate ways in which they wish to connect and serve this year. How can you best use the talents God has given you? The form is available ONLINE. Please fill it out by Feb. 28.

Praying the Jesus Prayer Seminar: For the Thursdays in Lent, Pastor Spencer offers a 30-minute Zoom seminar on the Jesus Prayer. He'll provide additional background and teaching before leading participants in praying the prayer. Please register through the Events page on our website. There's no cost; and friends outside the church are welcome.

We are looking for additional **Ushers** for the 11:00 a.m. Contemporary Service. Men and women welcome. Contact coordinator Steve Connlain at sconnlain@gmail.com or the church office.

PW is collecting **white cotton socks** for the Christian Caring Center. A box is located in the Commons Lobby through Easter.