Heavenly Father, You revealed a glimmer of the Divine nature of Your Son when He was transfigured on the mount. This points us to the hope in which we live as a result of the Heavenly gift provided to us through the work of Your Son. May the holiness that our Lord revealed be upon us into eternity.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH The Transfiguration of Our Lord Church Phone: 867-5088 Pastor's Cell Phone: 760-1854 February 11, 2024 --- 10:15 am – Order of Morning Worship p. 184

Opening Prayer Opening Hymn: "O Wondrous Type O Vision Fair" 413 (tune 832)

Invocation: p. 184 Confession and Absolution: p. 184-185

Introit: Psalm 50: 1-6

- P: The Mighty One, God, the Lord, speaks and summons the earth from the rising of the sun to the place where it sets. C: *From Zion, perfect in beauty, God shines forth.*
- P: Our God comes and will not be silent; a fire devours before Him, and around Him a tempest rages. C: *He summons the heavens above, and the earth, that He may judge His people:*
- P: "Gather to Me my consecrated ones, who made a covenant with me by sacrifice." C: And the heavens proclaim His righteousness, for God Himself is Judge.

(Immediately follows Gloria Patri p. 186, The Kyrie p. 186, The Gloria in Excelsis p. 187)

Collect: O God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah. In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with the You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C:** *Amen.*

Hymn: "God Has Spoken by His Prophets" 583 (tune 803)

(Prefatory remarks) O.T. Lesson: 2 Kings 2: 1-12

Epistle Lesson: 2 Corinthians 3:12-13; 4: 1-6

Please stand Gospel Lesson: Mark 9: 2-9

Confession of Faith: *Apostle's Creed pg. 192* (please be seated)

Sermon Hymn: "'Tis Good, Lord, to Be Here" 414

Children's Sermon Sermon

Offering brought to the Altar

Prayers: The families of Smith, Paul, Tammy, Jaelin; Melissa Faw, Jimmy, Cody; and Smith Emily and Jessa; Snow, Jeff and Debbie; and Snow, Amanda, Amelia and Audrey.

Lord's Prayer: pg. 196 Closing Hymn: "Beautiful Savior" 537

Closing Collect: O God, from Whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your Commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C:** *Amen*.

Benediction

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WHAT THE SCRIPTURES TEACH CONCERNING THE LORD'S SUPPER

In I Corinthians 11 the Holy Spirit led Paul to write, "This is my body" and "This cup is the new covenant in my blood" to explain the spiritual truth of the Supper: Christ is truly present in His body and blood in the bread and wine. This is a mystery, a Heavenly gift; one we can only understand in faith. Paul further says, "Therefore whoever eats the bread and drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner, shall be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord" and, "let a man examine himself...for he who eats and drinks, eats and drinks judgment to himself if he does not judge the body rightly." There is no doubt from our Lord's Word, we are receiving His body and blood. The Father offers us forgiveness, unity of faith, strengthening of faith, etc.; it is never our right, we approach His altar only by His invitation. If you are visiting we ask that you please speak with the Pastor before receiving the Lord's Supper. We strive to lovingly carry out our responsibility to ensure the supper remains a blessing for all, never a curse. May His richest blessing be upon you all.

THIS WEEK

TODAY:	Worship 8 am, SS 9:10 am, Worship 10:15 am
TUESDAY:	Confirmation 6:00 pm
WEDNESDAY:	Choir Practice 6 pm, Ash Wednesday Service w/HC 7 pm, Meal 6:15 pm
THURSDAY:	Bible Study 9:30 am and 6 pm
Next SATURDAY:	Confirmation 9:30 am, Worship w/HC 5:30
Next SUNDAY:	Worship at w/HC 8:00 am, SS 9:10 am, Worship w/HC 10:15 am,

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE: Sat, Feb 3: 57 LS: 50; Sun, Feb 4: 8am: 44 LS: 34;10:15 am: 87 LS: 58

Member Prayer List: Next Saturday and Sunday we will be praying for the families of Snyder, Cindy; Somers, Brandon, Kayla, Evelyn and Ainsley; Somers, Mark and Debbie.



On February 12, Joyce Frazier will be celebrating her 90th Birthday. Let's all celebrate with her and shower her with cards for the special day! *Joyce Frazier*, 4397 E. 1300 S., Evansville, IN 47725