# **Announcements**

Welcome to Zion's liturgical/contemporary service today! A contemporary service is planned for next Sunday. For more details about Zion's worship planning, please check out the Worship Task Force report on our website (zionsaskatoon.com)

**WAYS TO GIVE AT ZION** – did you know there are many ways to give financially to Zion? Along with your offering envelope with cheque or cash inside, there are other ways to give at Zion. We accept e-transfer (sent to zion.office@sasktel.net – it is set up for auto-deposit) and we can set up monthly withdrawals from your bank account. You can also donate to Zion through canadahelps.ca.

2022 Charitable Receipts have been mailed. Contact Kaylyn in the office if you have any questions.

Adolf Peters recently passed away on February 9<sup>th</sup>. The funeral service will be held at Rock of Ages LB Church on Monday, February 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am. It

will also be live-streamed through Martins Funeral Home.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER will be on Tuesday, February 21 starting at 5:30 pm in Heritage Hall. Service of private absolution will be available during this time as well in the chapel.



In Our Prayers: Derwin Hall, Andrea Nostbakken, Nandari Swamy, Weldeyesus family, Mallory Jess, Cecelia Jurgens, Betty McManus, Aaron Froese, Glenn Wood, Borgny Lokken, Samhara & Saraq, Thor Kliev, Ivar Moen, Don Peterson, Louise Dahlen, Mary Kamineski, Linda and Steven, Jennifer Finstad, Bereket and family, Alice Olson, Paul Nostbakken, Gloria Hamp, Kaye Senum, Maxine Olson, Ione Tysseland, Keri Schaffel, Ron & Doreen Boldt, Dick Hall, Paul Hansen, Clara Davidson, Connie Friggstad, Allan Grundahl, Darren Stephenson, Margaret Fast, Marilyn Borch, Rick Pfeifer and family on the loss of Patti

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OFFICE HOURS: Mon – Fri 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

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WELCOME VISITORS! If you would like more information about us, please fill out a communion card (found in the pew) and give it to an usher. Communing members of Zion are encouraged to fill out a communion card each time they commune. We invite all who are baptized in the Christian faith to commune. If you do not commune, we invite you to come forward to receive our Lord's Blessing from our Pastor. If you wish to receive communion in your pew, please notify your usher. Grape juice (in the middle of the tray) and red wine are available. Gluten free wafers available on request.

MUSIC FOR LENT – please join us for a series of recitals on the Walker organ in the Heritage Hall. The concerts will be each Sunday in Lent (except for March 5<sup>th</sup>) at 3 pm. They will feature some of the finest organists in Saskatoon. See poster on bulletin board for more details.

## 7 Churches Lenten Service Schedule: (all services at 7:30 pm)

Date	Host	Preacher
Feb 22 (Ash Wednesday)	Trinity	Redeemer
March 1	Zion	Augustana
March 8	Augustana	King of Glory
March 15	Resurrection	Good Shepherd
March 22	Good Shepherd	Zion
March 29	Redeemer	Resurrection

Trinity Lutheran will be hosting the Joint Ash Wednesday service at 7:30 pm on February 22. All are welcome! If you can't attend in person, but would like to worship online, please go to Trinity Lutheran Church Saskatoon on Youtube to find the channel where the livestream will be made available.

### **ORDER OF SERVICE - Setting Four**

#### **GATHERING**

Prelude

Invocation & Welcome

**Confession & Absolution** 

Gathering Hymn: "Alleluia, Song of Gladness"

- ELW #318

Kyrie – ELW pg. 147

Glory to God - ELW pg. 148

Prayer of the Day: (see front of bulletin)

**WORD** 

First Lesson: Exodus 24:12-18

Psalm 2

**Second Lesson:** 2 Peter 1:16-21 Gospel Acclamation: ELW pg. 151 **Gospel Lesson:** Matthew 17:1-9

Homily

Hymn of the Day: "Dazzling Presence on the

Mountain" – ACS #917

**Apostles' Creed** 

Prayers of Intercession (P: Lord, in your mercy

C: Hear our prayer)

**MEAL** 

The Peace

Offering: "Majesty"

The Great Thanksgiving – ELW pg. 152

The Lord's Prayer (contemporary version)

Lamb of God - ELW pg. 195

Holy Lord

Communion: "Beautiful Savior"

**Communion Blessing** 

**SENDING** 

**Blessings & Announcements** 

Sending Song: "We are Marching in the Light"

– ELW #866

Go in peace. Follow in the way of Jesus.

"Thanks be to God!"

Postlude

#### **SCRIPTURE LESSONS:**

#### Exodus 24:12-18

The LORD said to Moses, 'Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction.' So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, 'Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them.'

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the LORD settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the LORD was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud, and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

#### 2 Peter 1:16-21

For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honour and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, 'This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.' We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

#### Matthew 17:1-9

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, 'Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!' When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, 'Get up and do not be afraid.' And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone.

As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, 'Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead.'

# Transfiguration of our Lord February 19, 2023 10:30 am

# **Evangelical Lutheran Worship**

Prayer of the Day: O God, in the transfiguration of your Son you confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the witness of Moses and Elijah, and in the voice from the bright cloud declaring Jesus your beloved Son, you foreshadowed our adoption as your children. Make us heirs with Christ of your glory, and bring us to enjoy its fullness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



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