

The Words of Institution

Communion of the People
(gluten free bread served)

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Offering

Offertory

*Gloria Patri No. 581

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

WE GO FORTH TO SERVE

*Hymn of Commissioning

We Go Out in Joy

No. 539

*Benediction

Postlude

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Special Thanks Today:

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Usher: Jim Anderson

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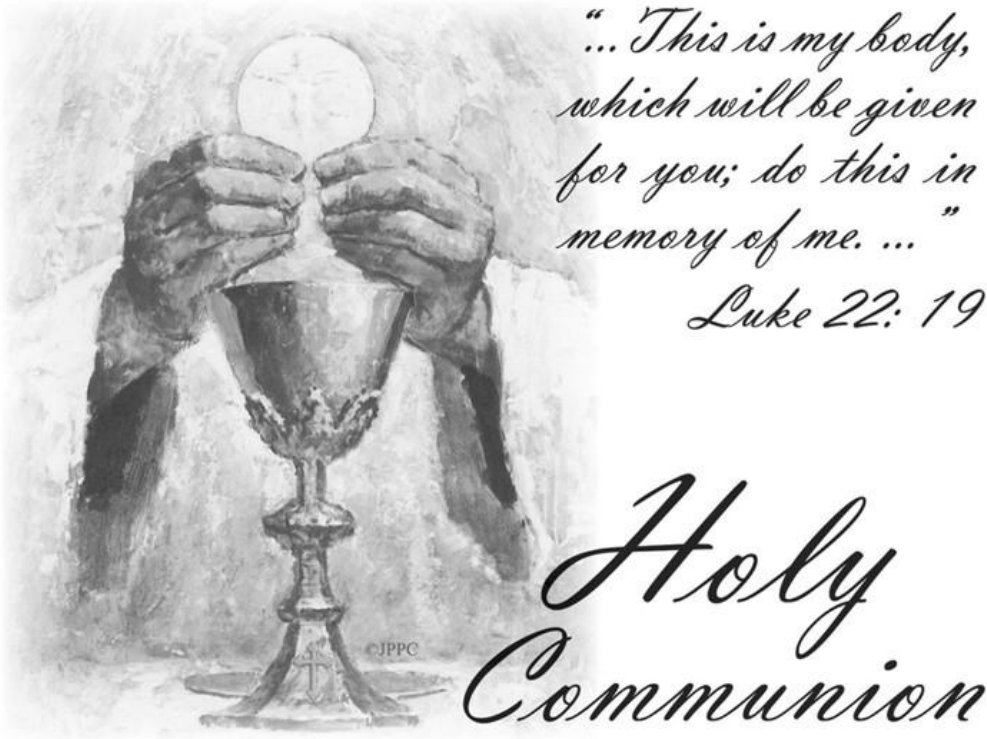
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Transfiguration Sunday

Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church

Sunday Order of Worship
February 15, 2026

* Those who are able, please stand. **Bold** is to be read in unison.

Prayer of Preparation

God of power and wonder, we are awestruck by the glory of Your presence. We rejoice at what we can see; we marvel at what we cannot see. You dazzle us with Your brightness; You overshadow us as with a great cloud. Loving, protecting, challenging, nurturing, You strengthen and transform us. May we love and serve You in all that we are and do. Glory be to You. Amen.

Welcoming and Announcements

Everyone is asked to sign the Friendship Folder in the pew rack. **Visitors:** Please completely fill out your name, mailing address, and e-mail address to enable us to extend our Christian hospitality. Please pass the folder to your neighbor, and then return it to the center aisle with the cover open so that you may learn the names of the other worshipers. **For sight impaired worshipers:** Large Print Hymnals are available from the ushers. **For hearing impaired worshipers:** We recommend downloading the Listen Everywhere app.

*Greeting One Another in Love

PREPARATION FOR THE WORD

Prelude

The Lord’s Prayer

Victor Holton

Call to Worship (Responsive)

Leader: Great is the Lord—

People: exalted among the nations.

Leader: Mighty is the Lord—

People: King of heaven and earth.

Leader: Holy is the Lord—

People: beyond our understanding.

Leader: Let us worship our God and King!

*Hymn of Praise

Guide me O Thou Great Jehovah

No. 65

*Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Eternal God, we confess that we do not expect and long for the transforming power of Your love to work miracles in these hard hearts of ours. Yet we secretly long for a rescue, an escape, a miracle, to relieve us of the responsibilities and the challenges You set before us. Healing Spirit, renew our confidence in Your power and in the power of love to change our lives, and give us courage to be the fully responsible persons Christ calls us to be. We come to You now in our silent confession.....Amen.

Time for silent confession

*Assurance of God’s Grace (Responsive)

Leader: Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another, for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven and transformed! Praise be to God!

—based on 2 Corinthians 3:17-18, NRSV

WE LISTEN TO GOD’S WORD

Prayer of Illumination

First Scripture Lesson

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalms 27:1-4

Pew Bible page 393

Second Scripture Lesson

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

John 9:1-41

Pew Bible pages 758-759

Anthem

Goodness of God
Mike Thorpe

Sermon

The Light Shines Brightly

The Rev. Dr. Russ Weekley

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

*Hymn of the Day

As the Dear

No. 626

*Affirmation of Faith

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Sacrament of Communion

Invitation to the Lord’s Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving

