

Anthony United Methodist Church

Transfiguration Sunday

Rev. Sheryl K. Ashley, Pastor

March 3, 2019 10:00 AM

(God is light and in him there is no darkness at all. 1John 1:5)

We Gather in God's Presence

Prelude and Lighting of Altar Candles

Welcome, Announcements and Holy Greeting Pastor Sheryl

***Opening Song "When Morning Gilds the Skies" # 185**

*Call to Worship Liturgist: Adam Mitchell

L: Let us go up the mountain. To the place of voices and conversations,
to the place of listening.

P: To the place of meeting, to the place of mists.

L: Let us go up to the place where the land meets the sky, where the earth
touches the heavens.

P: To the place of meeting to the place of mists.

All: Let us go up the mountain to worship Christ the King.

***Opening Prayer**

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 you foreshadowed our adoption as your children. Enlighten us from our darkness and make heirs of your glory that we might enjoy its fullness through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

We Hear God's Word

First Reading Exodus 34:29-35 Adam Mitchell

Children's Message Penny Rosso

***Hymn of Preparation "Christ, upon the Mountain Peak" # 260**

Second Reading Luke 9:28-36 Pastor

L: This is the Word of the Lord! **P: Thanks Be to God!**

Today's Message "Let There Be Light..." Pastor Sheryl

God Calls Us to Respond

PRAYERS OF THE PASTOR AND PEOPLE (Joys and Concerns)

Praise of Praise...we respond "**Praise the Lord!**"

Prayer of Concern or request...we respond "**Lord, Hear Our Prayers**"

The Lord's Prayer

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION P. 13

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology #95, Prayer of Dedication**

***Closing Hymn "Christ Is the World's Light" #188**

*Sending Forth with Blessing

Postlude//Extinguishing of candles

- Ministers.....EVERYONE!
- Pastor.....Pastor Sheryl Ashley
- Liturgist.....Adam Mitchell
- Organist/Pianist.....Eileen Van Meeteren
- Choir Director.....Shirley Nelson
- GreetersJerry & Shelley Boggs
- UshersJerry & Shelley Boggs

IN THE CIRCLE OF OUR CONCERN:

Bobby Lewis, Cal & Joyce Gothier, Tracy Lewis, Kenny Anderson, Susan Redenius, Royce Miller, Pastor Sheryl, Keith Determann, Jeff and Jamie Griebel (Jacque Gothier's brothers), Lyle Schram, Hannah Hoy, Anita Cooch, Eunice Clause, Jean Petersen, Barb Madsen, Holly Brown, Judee Schumann, Nina Osborne and Darcie Davis
Special Prayers for Janice Murray's family
Remember our Nursing Home Residents!

Please let us know if anyone should be added or removed from this list.

ASH WEDNESDAY IMPOSITION OF ASHES @ 7 PM.

Sunday, March 10th, First small group with Simple Supper Lenten Study on Peter begins 5-6 pm, supper follows. Worship Team is in charge of meal with Shirley Nelson chairing.

Dates to Remember: March 10, Daylight Savings Time.

April 6th: Lay Leader School, following changes from the focus.

Classes will be Basic, Life Together in the UM Connection (Polity) and Accountable Discipleship. The cost will be \$20 per person. It will need to be paid online at the time of registration. If you have any questions, contact Shirley Nelson (712-281-0432).

Easter Lilies: Mapleton Hometown Variety will be offering lilies this season. Bulletin is posted on the board.

Poinsettias: If you have left a poinsetta and do not wish to take home, they will be replanted and given new life by our very own Penny Rosso.

E-mail to Church: Please continue sending your e-mail messages to BOTH the church at AUMC5288@gmail.com and to Pastor Sheryl at graceska@aol.com.

Current Printed Copies of the District Newsletter and AUMC Focus are on the back table in the Fellowship Hall.

Current Copies of the Pastor's Sermons are on the back table and on the church's website.

Current Upper Room Devotionals are on the table in the Fellowship Hall.

Weekly Birthdays and Anniversaries: Zach Gothier (3), Bill & Marge Speirs (5), Roger & Shirley Nelson (6), Courtney Redenius (8), Trisha Thiessen (9).

Anthon Military: Sara Harbaugh, Tony Jensen, Dan Hoy, Bradley Roush, Melissa Roush, Andrew Renneker, Nick Brant, Jay Hoth, Nicholas Wadsworth, Bob Corrie, Trisha Thiessen, Randy Claussen, Louis Dahlman, Lucas Dahlman, Joshua Harris, Anthony Diamond, Brant Sharp, Clinton Pierce, Brennan Webb, and Jonathan Madsen

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Next Sunday, March 10,

Greeters: Mike Kerns, Lisa Kerns

Children's Time: Roger Hladik

Ushers: Lloyd Parker, Jake Parker

Reader: JoLynne Reimert

March Cleaning: SPRC

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