

A glowing lantern with a warm yellow light inside, resting on a piece of weathered wood. The background shows a calm body of water reflecting the soft light of a sunset or sunrise, with a dark horizon line under a twilight sky.

*You must pay close attention to what they wrote, for their words are like a lamp shining in a dark place—until the Day dawns, and Christ the Morning Star shines in your hearts.
2 Peter 1:19b*

*February 19, 2023, 10:30 a.m.
Transfiguration Sunday*

Order of Worship

(*Please rise in body or in spirit.)

PRELUDE	“Andante” (Vierne)	Henry Repp
GREETING		Rev. Todd Lattig
*CALL TO WORSHIP		Kathleen Meredith
The LORD is Sovereign.		
Let the people tremble in awe.		
God is enthroned between the cherubim.		
Let the earth shake.		
The LORD is great in Zion.		
God is high above all peoples.		
Come let us worship our glorious Lord.		
*OPENING HYMN	“Open the Eyes of My Heart”	W&S 3008
*OPENING PRAYER (unison)		Kathleen Meredith
God of glory, grace us with your presence. Overwhelm us with your love. Guide us with your wisdom and fill us with your Holy Spirit, as we worship and praise you this day. Amen.		
ANTHEM	“Come, Christians, Join to Sing” (Raney)	Chancel Choir
COMMUNITY PRAYER		Rev. Lattig
CHORAL RESPONSE TO PRAYER		Chancel Choir
KIDS ROCK CHILDREN’S SERMON		Rev. Lattig
SCRIPTURE READING		Kathleen Meredith

2 Peter 1:16-21

¹⁶For we were not making up clever stories when we told you about the powerful coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. We saw his majestic splendor with our own eyes ¹⁷when he received honor and glory from God the Father. The voice from the majestic glory of God said to him, “This is my dearly loved Son, who brings me great joy.” ¹⁸We ourselves heard that voice from heaven when we were with him on the holy mountain.

¹⁹Because of that experience, we have even greater confidence in the message proclaimed by the prophets. You must pay close attention to what they wrote, for their words are like a lamp shining in a dark place—until

the Day dawns, and Christ the Morning Star shines in your hearts.

²⁰Above all, you must realize that no prophecy in Scripture ever came from the prophet's own understanding, ²¹ or from human initiative. No, those prophets were moved by the Holy Spirit, and they spoke from God.

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God for this Word.

ANTHEM "Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God" (Mueller) Chancel Choir

SERMON "Not a Myth" Rev. Lattig

OFFERTORY "Sonatina" (Bach) Henry Repp

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*DOXOLOGY UMH 95

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison) Kathleen Meredith
Embolden us, Mighty God, to give as fully as we have received. Multiply the gifts we return to you now, that they may empower the lives of many with your glory and your grace. Amen.

*CLOSING HYMN "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies" UMH 173

*BENEDICTION Rev. Lattig

POSTLUDE "Epilogue" (Gilbert) Henry Repp



Schedule This Week...

Monday, February 20:	10 Chair Yoga HH 2 ABC Book Club (zoom)
Tuesday, February 21:	10 Manna House Lunch Prep and Serve
Wednesday, February 22:	5:45 Soup Supper 7 Ash Wednesday Service
Thursday, February 23:	7 Choir Rehearsal
Saturday, February 25:	9-2 Treasures of Hope 10 Unity Choir Rehearsal 10-2 Craft Fellowship
Sunday, February 26:	9 Joy Fellowship Service & Sunday School 10:30 Sanctuary Service 2 Unity Choir Rehearsal

Today's Worship Leaders

Pastor
Liturgist
Organist/Music Director
Greeter
Camera Operator
Soundboard Operator

Rev. Todd Lattig
Kathleen Meredith
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