

**REACH OUT IN CHRIST
TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY**

FEBRUARY 19, 2023

10:00am

Today's prelude, offertory, and postlude are selections of pieces that will be performed at the Choir Festival in Hudson this afternoon at 4pm (at Hudson FUMC)!

Prelude

Welcome

Hymn "All Creatures of Our God and King" #62:1-3

Call to Worship (John 15:9-13)

All: As the father loved me, I also have loved you; abide in my love. If you kept my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may remain in you, and that your joy may be full. This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends. These things I command you, that you love one another. Amen.

Offertory

Doxology

A Time of Prayer (*Also share your concerns through FB Live comments.*)

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not

into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Anthem

"Potter's Hand"

Larson

Choir

Scripture: Isaiah 50:4

The Lord God has given me the tongue of a disciple, so that I may know how to sustain the weary with a word. He awakens me morning by morning. He awakens my ear to listen as a disciple.

Sermon

"Tears of Kindness"

Alex Grimberg

Hymn

"We Are the Church"

#558

Benediction

Alleluia

Postlude

CIRCLE OF PRAYER—Sandra Buck, Douglas Pike, Charlie Monroe, Brenda and Mike Smeby, Lettie Witt, Sergei Barth, Rod and Michelle Bailey, Marv Hiuser, Rita Harned, John Griswold, Ginny Monroe, Charlotte Perolio, Linda Johnston, Volrie Olin, Anna and Hellwig Herber (Elke's mom and brother), Starla Knox, Tom Miller, Karen McGinley.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***MEETINGS ON TUESDAY, 2/21**—**Finance** Committee at 6pm in Choir Room, **Trustees** at 6pm, **Administrative Council** at 7pm.

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***WORSHIP COMMITTEE**—We are looking for volunteers to help prepare Communion. Please contact Pat McDowell at (727)534-7229.

***FOOD MINISTRY**—We need your plastic shopping bags from Publix, Walmart, etc. Please bring them to Sunday worship or drop them off in the office. Thank you!

***BIBLE STUDY**—Please join us on Wednesdays at 10am.

***CRAFT GROUP**—Meets Mondays 12:30-3pm. Come join us!

UPCOMING DATES—Ash Wednesday Service 2/22 at 5:30pm.

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ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE
OF THE UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 2023
8:00am - 1:00pm
&
SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2023
8:00am - 12:00 noon

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BAKED GOODS AND QUICHE**

***WE WANT your unwanted treasures
in good condition!***
***Small household items, small kitchen appliances,
dishes, linens and bedding, curtains, knick-knacks,
Christmas items, home and garden tools,
toys, games and books***

**NO CLOTHES, SHOES,
LARGE FURNITURE
OR COMPUTER ITEMS, PLEASE!!!**

Bring items to First UMC of NPR Henderson Hall
February 19 – February 28, 2023
9:00 am to 12:00 noon



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