

Welcome to **OUR SAVIOUR'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
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Transfiguration of Jesus Feb. 08 & 11, 2024  
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*\* All who are able please stand* L: Leader; P: People  
Prelude Acc.: Nicole Burdick

Words of Welcome and Good News.

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: From the rising of the sun to its setting God speaks to us and summons us.

**P: God gathers us in covenant; God's glory shines forth.**

***ALL: Let us worship God!***

**\*HYMN:** "Come, Thou Almighty King" R15/Projected

**\*INVOCATION**

***ALL: Mighty God, you call to us. You call to the heavens and to the earth in covenant. And so, we call to you: be present as we worship. Gather us, that we may hear your voice and respond to your ways of righteousness. We pray in the power of your Holy Spirit. Amen.***

**\*RESPONSE & INVITATION: "Spirit of the Living God" B283/Projected**  
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me; Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

WITNESS OF FAITH: 2 Kings 2:1-12

WITNESS OF FAITH: Psalm 50:1-6

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

L: God invites us to come to worship as our whole selves. God offers us a new beginning day by day and week by week. Trusting in God, we pray for transformation and new life:

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

***All: Mighty God, you call to us and summon us to live in covenant and walk in righteousness, yet we forsake your covenant and walk in ways of injustice, ignorance, or disdain. Your beauty shines forth in creation, yet we abuse and tarnish what you have created. We use the earth as if it is disposable and we sometimes use each other in the same way; not cherishing each moment we have with each other. May we be willing to do the hard thing: may we see what is happening. May we see what we do. May we trust you to Renew us. Help us to be present in each moment with***



OFFERTORY

\*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below.  
Praise God above, you heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (Responsive)

*ALL: Mighty God, you live, and you do not leave us. With these gifts, we do not leave each other, but use them in mutual support. Bless those who receive and benefit from these gifts. May they know your presence with them. With these gifts, our prayers rise up to you. Amen.*

\*BENEDICTION: "Go Now In Peace"

Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong, and true. Know he will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

\*Postlude

### **THIS WEEK'S EVENTS**

Sun.	February 11	9:00 am - Worship Service in Sanctuary 10:00 am - Altar Guild Meeting 4:00 pm - AOL Pack 3735 Meeting
Mon.	February 12	6:15 pm - Scott Street Puppeteers Practice 6:30 pm - Church Council Meeting
Tues.	February 13	5:00 pm - Community Meal at Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church 6:30 pm - Pack 3735 Den Meeting till 7:30 pm
Wed.	February 14	6:30 pm - <b>Ash Wednesday Worship Service in the Sanctuary</b>
Thur.	February 15	5:15 pm - Senior Choir Practice 6:30 pm - Worship Service in Chapel
Sat.	February 17	<b>Article Deadline for March Messenger</b>

### **NEXT WEEK'S EVENTS**

Sun.	February 18	9:00 am - Worship Service in Sanctuary 10:15 am - <b>Annual Meeting of the Congregation in the Sanctuary</b> 4:00 pm - AOL Pack 3735 Meeting
Mon.	February 19	4:30 pm - Worship Committee Meeting 5:30 pm - Christian Ed Committee Meeting 6:15 pm - Scott Street Puppeteers Practice 6:30 pm - Evangelism Committee Meeting
Tues.	February 20	5:00 pm - Community Meal at Immanuel United Methodist Church 6:30 pm - Pack 3735 Den Meeting till 7:30 pm
Wed.	February 21	6:30 pm - <b>Lent Worship Service in the Sanctuary</b>
Thur.	February 22	9:30 am - Called to Care Committee Meeting 5:15 pm - Senior Choir Practice 6:30 pm - Worship Service in Chapel
Fri.	February 23	Women's Wild Weekend at Moon Beach

### **UPCOMING EVENTS OF INTEREST**

Tues.	February 27	6:30 pm - Pack 3735 Dinner and Crossover Ceremony 5:30 pm - Community Meal at First Congregational Church of Ripon
Wed.	February 28	6:30 pm - <b>Lent Worship Service in the Sanctuary</b>



**We welcome all visitors and guests and are glad you can join us for our services.**

**OUR SAVIOUR'S**  
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FAITH FAMILY FRIENDSHIP

*Large print bulletins and regular bulletins are available in the vestibule and online. If you would like one mailed to you, please let us know.*

## **Join us for worship on or Sunday's at 9:00 am and Thursday's at 6:30 pm**

Sunday Service is broadcast live via radio at 11:00AM on WRPN, AM station 1600.

All worship services are livestreamed to our Social Media Platforms and available at your convenience. If you are viewing worship from one of our Social Media Platforms, make sure to leave a comment or like our post to know you are worshipping with us! If there is an issue with the stream, or you have any feedback, please reach out to Conrad Winkelman.



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### **OFFICE HOURS**

Our office hours are Monday through Thursday from 9:00 AM till Noon. There is also a drop box adjacent to the office door if you need to drop off items when the office is not open.

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*Linda Graff, Dustin Lawless, February 11, Trudith Frei, February 12,  
Patricia Schaalma, February 16, Elizabeth Handrich, February 17*

### **ATTENDANCE AND CONTRIBUTIONS FOR LAST WEEK**

In-Person:	Thursday: 11	Sunday : 109
Livestream Views:	Thursday: 83	Sunday: 116
General Fund: \$2,743.00	OCWM: \$188.50	Capital Improvements: \$374.50

*Thank you so much for your continued support of in-person, mailed in, and online contributions.*

### **9:00 AM WORSHIP TEAM**

**Audio Operator:** Bob Meyer

**Liturgist:** Heidi Schwanke

**Musician:** Nicole Burdick

### **OSUCC ANNUAL MEETING NEXT SUNDAY**

Our Annual Meeting is scheduled for February 18, 2024 at 10:15 AM. We hope all will make the time to be present and take part in this important process for our religious community here at OSUCC. Copies of the Annual Report is available for your review in the office, the East Narthex, and the main doors into the Sanctuary.



### **OPPORTUNITY TO HELP VENEZUELAN REFUGEES**

Rev. Mundell's niece, Jaycie Mundell, volunteers with an organization in Rockford, IL that has shifted from working with primarily children in need to trying to help work with the Venezuela refugees living on the streets of Chicago. She asked Rev. Mundell if our church would help.

Our Missions committee liked the idea and would like to help. Here are the items of most need: new or slightly used winter gloves; new or slightly used winter coats infant to medium adult in size; new or slightly used pajamas infant to medium adult in size; new diapers sizes 0-6; new underwear sizes 2T up to adult medium.

We have a box located in the East Narthex labelled where items may be dropped off. We will be collecting for the next couple of months. If you are able, please help. Thank you so much!

## PLEASE WELCOME OUR NEW PARISH NURSE

Hi, my name is Emily Burk and I am excited to be your new Parish nurse! I graduated from UW Oshkosh in 2013 with a Bachelors degree in nursing. I have worked in various roles including the operating room, wound care, telephone triage, and most recently I worked as a nurse case manager for a major insurance company. I enjoy being a nurse because I am constantly learning and there are so many different opportunities available to me. I am looking forward to serving the members of Our Saviour's.

I grew up in Ripon and have been a member of Our Saviors since my baptism in 1990. I currently live in Berlin with my husband Dennis, my 4 month old baby Bennett, and all our fur babies which include a dog, cats, and horses.

## PRAYER CHAIN MINISTRY

Feel free to use our prayer chain ministry by contacting Caroline Retzlaff at 920-748-2367.



***IN OUR PRAYERS:** Kathy Luedke, Tara Koller, Pat Schaub, Bob Schouten, Edna Schwandt, 21 Unspoken, and all others.*

## MISSIONS FOOD COLLECTION



Suggested food items *for February* are:

Unsweetened applesauce, canned beans, canned chicken, canned fish (tuna and salmon), canola or olive oil, crackers, dried herbs and spices, fruit (dried or canned), granola bars, instant mashed potatoes, shelf stable or powdered milk, rice, peanut butter, nuts, pasta, or canned vegetables.

These can be brought to the East Narthex. It is always best to buy canned items with a pull-tab for ease of opening and avoid glass containers whenever possible. Thank you to all who have already donated this month!

## BULLETIN AND MESSENGER INFORMATION DEADLINES

If you are interested in getting information placed in the **bulletin** or would like to sponsor an item through the Altar Guild, please email the office or drop off by **Tuesday at 11am.**

Events, committee updates, etc. for the **March Messenger** should be emailed to the office or dropped off at church by Saturday, **February 17<sup>th</sup>**. Thank you!