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### HELPFUL TO KNOW

If you'd like to join virtually, please connect with the following link:  
<http://upc-superior.com/youtube>  
(If you are here in person we offer hearing assistance devices-see technology desk.)

### NURSERY

Our nursery is open 15 minutes before the service begins for children who are newborn through 4 years old.

### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

After the Passing the Peace portion of our service, children ages 5 through 5th grade are invited to meet by the round table in the narthex for Children's Church.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

The Pastor is always glad to share prayer requests during the worship service. Share a request in the comments section. Additionally, the Prayer Chain may be activated by calling Dorothy Burriss 817-715-0968 (macb.dlb@sbcglobal.net) or Dean Hecht at 715-919-1325.

### RIDE SHARE

Need a ride? Please check the bulletin board by the fire extinguisher in the narthex.

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**Online Worship**

**The Transfiguration Of Our Lord Sunday**

**February 15th, 2026**

**10:00 AM**

If you're joining us online, please light a candle to remind yourself of the presence of God.

\* Please rise in body or spirit.

**If the text is bolded, everyone is invited to say the words in unison.**

**PRELUDE** Selah Swanson

**WELCOME**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP & INTROIT We Are One in Christ Jesus (2x) #322**

**\*PRAYER OF ADORATION & CONFESSION**

One: God who transfigures before our eyes...

**All: We praise You for transfiguring the deserts of our doubt, calling us beloved, and choosing to be with us.**

One: You dazzle before us and yet we are sometimes unsure of how to respond.

**All: We are beloved by You and yet we don't always understand our worth!**

One: God, we are sorry. So sorry for not seeing You for who You are.

**All: We are sorry for not seeing ourselves and our neighbors as You see us!**

One: Heal us.

**All: In Christ's name we pray, amen.**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

One: God has healed us.

**All: Really?**

One: Really.

**All: God created us in God's image. God calls us beloved**

One: What do we have to fear?

**All: Nothing because there is no fear in love and God loves us.**

One: God shows us love in and through his birth, life, death, and resurrection...

**All: Because of that that we are all forgiven, amen!**

**\*PASSING THE PEACE**

You are invited to bless those around you with the words, "The peace of Christ be with you." In response, you may say, "And also with you!" (you may pass the peace in the comments section)

*Children are invited to gather by the round table in the narthex for Children's Church.*

**\*RESPONSE For the Life That You Have Given #717**

**CHANCEL CHOIR Here on Jesus Christ I Will Stand**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS Sue Olson**

**Old Testament Exodus 24:12-18**

**Sermon You are Beloved: Transfigure Rev. Brett M. Foote**

**New Testament**

**Matthew 17:1-9**

**\*HYMN We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding #191**

**MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP & MISSION**

**OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY Selah Swanson**

**\*RESPONSE Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow #606**

**\*PRAYER OVER OFFERING**

One: Let us bless these gifts.

**All: God who transfigures our whole being, thank You for loving us.**

**Thank You for calling us each beloved. May we always reach out to our neighbors, whoever they are, wherever they are from, with care. Help us to give of our time, talents, and treasures as we serve the Superior community. May we live Your expansive love. We give You thanks for all of these gifts and what they mean for the kingdom of God. Send Your Spirit so we can connect with, serve, and care for this congregation, Superior community, and world. May we each be able to share the good news that Christ is at work in our communities! Amen.**

**TIME OF PRAYER**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**SILENT PRAYER**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**LORD'S PRAYER (Here's our suggested version, but feel free to pray the version you are most familiar with.)**

**All: 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.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*CLOSING HYMN Change My Heart, O God #695**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

## WAYS TO SERVE

There are plenty of ways to get involved here at United!

*\*Sign-up sheets are in the narthex.*

- Coffee Hour\*—Make coffee and bring treats for everyone.
- Liturgist\*—Being a liturgist is a great opportunity to get involved by leading the church in our scripture readings and our call to worship.
- Crafters Group—Every Wednesday at 10:00 AM in the crafting room inside the Fellowship Hall. Contact the office to learn more.
- Community Dinner—Our free Community Dinner is today. Volunteer for our next dinner in June. To learn more, contact the office or Dawn Long at 218-590-9376.
- Nursery—Come spend time with our babies and toddlers in the nursery during the Sunday service! Contact Laura at [laura.foote@upc-superior.com](mailto:laura.foote@upc-superior.com) to learn more or sign up. *A background check is required.*
- Children's Church—Come support our young ones as they grow in their faith! Children's Church takes place during the Sunday service. Contact Laura at [laura.foote@upc-superior.com](mailto:laura.foote@upc-superior.com) to learn more or sign up. *A background check is required.*
- Technology/AV Desk—Volunteer to run the AV on a rotating, weekly, or monthly basis. Training will be provided! Questions? Contact Mac Burriss 304-890-2375.

## WAYS TO LEARN, GROW, & GET INVOLVED

- Pickleball—Every Tuesday & Thursday at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall at UPC. All are welcome!
- Volleyball—Every Sunday at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall at UPC.
- Men's Breakfast—First Saturday of each month at 9:00 AM at Superior Family Restaurant. March 7 is the next breakfast. Questions? Contact Tom Lisak at 218-348-5390.
- Women's Breakfast—First Saturday of each month at 9:00 AM at Superior Waffles. March 7 is the next breakfast. Contact Dorothy Burriss at 817-715-0968 with any questions.
- Presbyterian Women—Meet the first Wednesday of every month (except January, February, and July) at 9:30 AM. December and June meetings are lunches at 12:30 PM. To learn more, contact Bonnie Wallin at 715-392-7029.
- Lenten Small Group—Pick up our devotional book for Lent this year and join us in the Youth Room on Sundays at 8:45a beginning on February 22nd. If you have any questions, contact Laura at [laura.foote@upc-superior.com](mailto:laura.foote@upc-superior.com).

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### OLD TESTAMENT

### **Exodus 24:12-18**

**24:12** The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain and wait there; I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction." **13** So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up onto the mountain of God. **14** To the elders he had said, "Wait here for us, until we come back to you. Look, Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them." **15** Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. **16** The glory of the Lord settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. **17** Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the Israelites. **18** Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

### NEW TESTAMENT

### **Matthew 17:1-9**

**17:1** Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. **2** And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became bright as light. **3** Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. **4** Then Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will set up three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." **5** While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" **6** When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. **7** But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." **8** And when they raised their eyes, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone. **9** As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, "Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SOUP & BREAD POTLUCK

Our soup & bread potluck is today, right after the service. Everyone is welcome to join us for a delicious meal!

### COMMUNITY DINNER

Today at 4:00 PM is our free community dinner. We'll be serving chili, cornbread, and carrot cake.

### WALKING GROUP UPDATE

- We continue to walk Wednesdays 12:00-1:00 PM.
- Averaging 5-7 people a week.
- There is a data information sheet hanging in the gym by the big doors.
- Lap counters are available in the office.
- A church member can come and walk anytime the church is open and not being used. No walking during pickleball or not in the worship area during piano lessons.
- If someone wants to start another day and time for walking, contact the office.

### ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Our Ash Wednesday Service will be held on February 18 at 5:45 PM, including the Imposition of Ashes. All are welcome to join us as we begin the Lenten season together.

### SPUD DAY

Join us for our Spud Day lunch next Sunday, February 22, right after the service. Everyone is welcome to join us!

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### SUNDAY 2/15

8:45 AM Chancel Choir  
11:00 AM Soup & Bread Potluck  
4:00 PM Dungeon & Dragons  
4:00 PM VBS Planning Meeting  
4:00 PM Community Dinner  
6:00 PM Volleyball

### TUESDAY 2/17

10:00 AM Pickleball  
1:00 PM AA Meeting  
5:00 PM Bell Choir  
5:15 PM Personnel Committee  
6:30 PM Fat Tuesday Feast  
7:00 PM Gym Rental

### THURSDAY 2/19

10:00 AM Pickleball  
3:30 PM Piano Lessons  
5:00 PM Kickstarters Soccer

### SATURDAY 2/21

### MONDAY 2/16

2:30 PM Piano Lessons  
6:01 PM Mission Committee

### WEDNESDAY 2/18

10:00 AM Crafters Group  
12:00 PM Walking Group  
12:00 PM Staff Meeting  
2:00 PM CSA Pick-up  
5:45 PM Ash Wednesday Service  
6:45 PM Session Meeting

### FRIDAY 2/20

#### Birthdays This Week

2/15— Ed Anderson  
2/15—Diedrick Nikoi  
2/15—Mike Petite  
2/15—Eric Schlacks  
2/16—John Gephart  
2/16—Doug Standen  
2/17—Kelsi Evenstad  
2/21—Joel Johnson

#### DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN DONATE ONLINE?

At United Presbyterian Church, we offer many opportunities to give of yourself to glorify God. From signing up to volunteer to donating financially, if you'd like to support the mission and vision of the church you can do so at the following link:

<https://www.upc-superior.com/donate>

# 322 We Are One in Christ Jesus

*Somos uno en Cristo*

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# 717 For the Life That You Have Given

For the life that you have giv - en, for the love in

Christ made known, with these fruits of time and la - bor, with these

gifts that are your own: here we of - fer, Lord, our prais - es;

heart and mind and strength we bring; give us grace to

love and serve you, liv - ing what we pray and sing.



# Change My Heart, O God 695

*Cámbiame, Señor* 항상진실케

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Change my heart, O God; make it ev - er true.  
*Cám - bia - me, Se - ñor,* con tu gran po - der.  
 항 상 진 실 케 내 맘 바 꾸 사

Change my heart, O God; may I be like you.  
*Haz - me co - mo tú,* tu yo quie - ro ser.  
 주 님 의 모 습 닳 게 하 소 서

You are the Pot - ter; I am the clay.  
*Tú el al - fa - re - ro,* yo el ba - rro soy.  
 주 는 토 기 장 이 나 는 진 흙

Mold me and make me; this is what I pray.  
*Só - lo a tu j - ma - gen,* quie - ro siem - pre ser.  
 날 빛 으 소 서 기 도 하 오 니

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