

Welcome to



26 February 2017 Transfiguration Sunday

May God who gathers us around Himself in the Word and Sacrament to bless us with His forgiveness this morning be your source of comfort, strength and renewal as you worship today. In the Name of Christ, we are all called to come and hear that the Lord is Good!

Our Gospel reading is Matthew 17.1-9 and our response is,
“Praise be to thee, O Christ” spoken in unity aloud.

Call to Worship: Psalm 2.6-12

Hymns: Opening #338 Prayer #342 Closing #626

At the presentation of our offerings we sing the Doxology # 668

Studies this week: Woman's Group – *Entrusted* – 6:30pm –
Men's Study – James – Tuesday – 7:00pm
Thursday Study – “I Believe” – 10:30am or 7:00pm

We are pleased to have David Harker from Gideons' International with us this morning to preach on the Importance of the Word of God.

The Ash Wednesday Serive is this Wednesday at 7:00pm.

During Lent we will make a fast paced 7 sessions look at the Apostls' Creed during our Thursday studies. Please join us for 7 weeks as we learn together what the entire Church has always believed. Begins this Thursday! Should be a fun and practical study.

Our church follows the ancient practice of reading, studying and preaching the readings of Scripture that are called the Lectionary. This unites us with Christian churches around the world and throughout history all studying the same passages. You can get the Readings for the upcoming Sunday each Monday so you can read and study through the week. If you would like, send an email to jreynolds@piedmonteye.com Talk with Jennifer if you have any questions or would like a hard copy. Thanks.

New Breakfast Time Starting 5 March: 8:15 – 9:15am!

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Invocation & Confession

P: In the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit. (Matthew 28:19)

C: Amen

P: Make us to know your ways, O Lord, and teach us your paths. Lead us in your truth and teach us, for you are the God of our salvation; for whom we wait. (Psalm 25:4-5)

C: Amen

P: If we say we have fellowship with God while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not live according to the truth; but if we walk in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin. (1 John 1:6-7)

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P: Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love.

C: According to your abundant mercy, blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity and cleanse us from our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within us. Cast us not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation, and uphold us with a willing spirit. Amen (Psalm 51:1-2, 10-12)

P: Let it be known to you, that through Jesus Christ, the forgiveness of sins is proclaimed to you. (1 John 1:6-7) He commanded us to preach and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name. (Acts 10:42-43)

C: Amen

Call to Worship: Responsive reading of Psalm 2