

St. James Presbyterian Church is a Christ-centered community where God is celebrated. We are committed to discerning and answering the Holy Spirit's call.

In response to God's call St. James is and will continue to be a spiritual community that:

Worships joyfully in a manner that is Scriptural, inspirational, educational, active, varied and prayerful.

Welcomes all in an open, inclusive, and caring manner, accepting that all are equal before God.

Honours and takes care of each other as we seek to know God together in the spirit of Christ.

Puts its faith into action visibly and tangibly in the surrounding community, serving through faith, speaking for Christ, and seeking justice.

Remains connected to its heritage of faith, reform, and active witness, and looks forward in faith and confidence to God's presence.

At the Kirk this Week

Today	10:30am	Sunday Service & Children's Worship
	Greeters:	Linda Godfrey & Rebecca Wellner
	6:30pm	Kirk NERDs Youth Group
Wednesday	12:10pm	Ash Wednesday Service
	1:00pm	Presbyterian Women's Meeting
	7:15pm	Choir practice
Thursday	7:00pm	Grief Book Study
Sunday	10:30am	Lent 1 with Communion & Children's Worship
	Greeters:	Michele Coles & David Harrison

St. James Presbyterian Church

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Transfiguration Sunday

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Sunday, February 11th, 2018 10:30 am

(* Those who are able are invited to stand. Responsive text is in bold.)

Approach to Worship

Prelude: *All glory be to God on high* J. Pachelbel

Call to Worship

*Processional Hymn: *Swiftly pass the clouds of glory* 186

Prayer of Adoration

Welcome and Announcements

Introit: *Jesus on the mountain peak* C. V. Taylor

*Hymn of Praise: *Lord, the light of your love is shining* (Vs. 1-2) 376

Children's Time

(The children are to follow the banner to the Children's Worship Service)

*Hymn of Praise: *Lord the light of your love is shining* (Vs. 3) 376

Rite of Reconciliation

Invitation

Unison Prayer of Confession:

**You call us to walk in your light,
but we too often choose darkness.**

**Holy God, you have called us to freedom,
but we bind ourselves with fear.**

**You have called us to new directions,
but we cling to the path we know.**

**You have called us to reach out in love,
but we draw inward for protection.**

**You have called us to choose you and life
but we choose ourselves and death.**

**Forgive us, O God, help us to trust you,
and lead us to wholeness and peace.**

Assurance of Pardon

Sung Response (v. 3) 141

**Good Christians, all rejoice with heart and soul and voice;
now you need not fear the grave: Jesus Christ was born to save,
calls you one and calls you all to gain the everlasting hall.
Christ was born to save; Christ was born to save.**

The Word Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination: (Unison)

God of this season of light, we long to hear your Word and wisdom in fresh and transforming ways. Open our ears to the call of your voice. Open our eyes to the dawning of a new day. Open our hearts to a new way of living. Amen.

Old Testament Reading: 2 Kings 2:1-12 P. 332 OT

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 50:1-6 R. 1

New Testament Reading: Mark 9:2-9 P. 44 NT

(L: *The Word of the Lord: All: Thanks be to God.*)

*Hymn: *We have come at Christ's own bidding* 187

Sermon: Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton

Response and Thanksgiving

Anthem: *O worship the Lord* J. Travers

Offering announcement

Offertory: *Dies Dominica* A. V. Fish

*Doxology 830

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Offertory Prayer

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors)

Returning To Service

*Recessional Hymn: *The God of Abraham praise* 331

*Commission and Benediction

Choral Amen

Postlude: *Grand Chorus* T. Dupois

In Worship This Week

Minister: Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton

Music Director/Organist: Frances McBurnie

Scripture Reader: Daphne Scott

Sound System: David Hooley