



# *First Congregational United Church of Christ*

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## **Transfiguration Sunday**

**February 19, 2023**



### **Worship Leader**

Laurie Allbaugh

### **Mini-Message**

Karen Jensen

### **Director of Music**

Luke Overton

### **Guest Speaker**

Dr. John Burnight

### **Organist**

Hudson Lourenço-Feld

### **Office Manager**

Michelle Wolfe

### **Custodian**

Kyle Lindaman

*No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey,  
you are welcome here.*

<b>Prelude</b>	Hymn Improvisation	Hudson Lourenço-Feld
<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>Call to Worship</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
Leader: O God, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!		
<b>All: You have set your glory above the heavens</b>		
Leader: God is a stronghold for the oppressed,		
<b>All: A stronghold in times of trouble.</b>		
Leader: And those who know your name put their trust in you,		
<b>All: for you, O God, have not forsaken those who seek you.</b>		
Leader: Sing praises to God, who dwells in Zion.		
<b>All: Declare God's deeds among the peoples.</b>		
<b>*Prayer of Invocation</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>*Opening Hymn</b>	<i>You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore</i>	#173 (NCH - Black)
<b>Joys &amp; Concerns</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>Prayers of the People &amp; The Lord's Prayer</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.		
<b>Mini-Message</b>		Karen Jensen
<b>Invitation to Offertory</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>Offertory</b>	Hymn Improvisation	Hudson Lourenço-Feld
<b>*Doxology</b>		#515 (Pilgrim - Red)

<b>*Prayer of Dedication</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>Scripture Lesson</b>	Mark 1-2	Dr. John Burnight
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>Jesus Calls Us o'er the Tumult</i>	#172 (NCH - Black)
<b>Message</b>	<i>"Confusion about Jesus' Identity in the Gospel of Mark"</i>	Dr. Burnight
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>You Walk along Our Shoreline</i>	#504 (NCH - Black)
<b>Benediction</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>Postlude</b>	Hymn Improvisation	Hudson Lourenço-Feld

\* You are invited to Stand

Sunday School for students up to 6th grade is provided after the Mini-Message.

We welcome your child(ren) to follow our Sunday School leaders to the youth director's office at the conclusion of the Mini-Message.

After church, you will be able to pick up your kids in the church basement.