

SENDING

***BENEDICTION**

***RESPONSE** “Go Tell It on the Mountain”

Go tell it on the mountain
Over the hills and everywhere!
Go tell it on the mountain
That Jesus Christ is born!

***POSTLUDE**

***Please stand if you are able**

Scripture for February 22: Genesis 1:1-10
Revelation 21:1-4



OHIO UNITED
Presbyterian Church



***Loving God;
Loving Neighbors;***

Helping Our Neighbors to Love God

February 15, 2026

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you

People: And also with you

Leader: Let us share this peace with one another...

(please share the peace of Christ with those around you)

Let us prepare our hearts and minds for the worship of God.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Skye Lanham

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Liturgist Patti Strominger

On a high mountain, Jesus was transfigured,

And God said: This is my Beloved Son.

As God spoke, calling light out of darkness,

God's glory shines in the face of Jesus Christ.

At the mountain of the Lord, bow down,

For the Lord our God is holy.

***PRAYER OF ADORATION** (unison)

**Great God of dazzling beauty and overshadowing majesty,
in Jesus Christ, your beloved, we glimpse the image of your
glory. Teach us to listen to him so that we may hear your
voice and follow your holy way; through Jesus Christ our
Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen**

***HYMN** “O Wondrous Sight, O Vision Far”

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CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The profit and pleasures we pursue lay waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and have turned them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy on us; heal and forgive us. Amen.

Silence is kept for a time of personal confession

DECLARATION OF PARDON

The one who calls light out of darkness now shines in our hearts to reveal the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. In the name of Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

***RESPONSE** “Lord, I Lift Your Name on High”

Lord, I lift your name on high.
Lord, I love to sing your praises.
I’m so glad you’re in my life.
I’m so glad you came to save us.
You came from heaven to earth to show the way,
from the earth to the cross my debt to pay.
From the cross to the grave
From the grave to the sky
Lord, I lift your name on high.

HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER OF UNDERSTANDING

God of shining splendor, your voice makes the earth tremble in wonder. Overshadow us with your Spirit so that we may hear your Word and live as faithful disciples and covenant people; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

ANTHEM “Draw Us Together”

CHILDREN’S CHAT

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work (2 Timothy 3:16-17)

Now we are all [sitting] here in the presence of God, to listen to everything the Lord has commanded you to tell us (Acts 10:33)

SCRIPTURE 2 Peter 1:16-21

Matthew 17:1-9

SERMON “Transfiguration”

Rev. Dr. Judy Angleberger

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

***AN AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

O Lord our God, you are great indeed, clothed in majesty and splendor, wrapped in light as with a robe. In the solitude of a mountain height you revealed your glory in Jesus Christ even as he faced his crucifixion. We praise you for this glimpse of the mystery of our redemption. You loved the world so much that you sent your beloved Son to dwell with us. He who bears your very image, the firstborn of all creation, through whom all things have been created, took our flesh and suffered death that we may be made whole. By his death he conquered death, and by his rising he gives eternal life. We praise you for your saving grace. Transfigure us by your Spirit, and let your love shine in all we do and say that all the world may see the radiant light of God guiding all creation, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

***HYMN** “Praise to the Lord”

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THE LORD’S PRAYER AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY

***RESPONSE** “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

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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 Amen

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***HYMN** “Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain”

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday School

Children 3 yr - 6th grade during worship following children's chat

Adult Sunday School - at 9am studying the Holy Spirit

Wednesdays -Story Time is on Wednesdays at 9:30 or 10:30 am

Tuesday, February 17-Shrove Tuesday Dinner in Fellowship Hall 5-7pm

Wednesday, February 18-Ash Wednesday Service at Concord Presbyterian Church @6:30pm*

Sunday, February 22-Food Drive

Tuesday, February 24-MANNA @5:15pm

The Deacons are requesting donations for our food pantry. Any donations are appreciated but we are running low on cereal and canned vegetables. Donations can be placed in the bin at the back of the church.

We are looking for anyone interested in providing special music on those Sundays that the Choir is not singing. If you are interested, please sign up on the sheet outside the Choir Room

*Address of Concord Presbyterian Church
2832 Conway Wallrose Rd.
Baden

The Ohio Church Session has called a special congregational meeting for Sunday, February 22, immediately after worship for the purpose of electing "At-Large" members of the Church Nominating Committee (this is NOT the Pastor Nominating Committee - this will be done later this year) Nominations will be received and voted upon at the meeting. According to the OUPC By-Laws, no less than two persons are to be elected.

Keep Them in Your Prayers: Donna Olexick, Rich Kerlin, Lynn Smith, Peter Kerlin, Jack Gennaro, Paul Kulha, Jim William, Bonnie Martin, Cheryl Lachowicz

In the Military: William Barth, Nick Hoth

Those who are not able to worship regularly: Sarah Jane Shaffer, Dolores Skinner, Ella Mae Speiker, Edna Petrella, Dorothy Elko, Trudy Boggs, Betty Solinski, Ed & Evelyn Lawson, Everitt Laird, Betty Martin, Brenda Jones

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- Sunday worship 10:00 am
- Sunday School for our younger members (Grades Pre-K - 6th grade) during worship

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Worship Accompanist: Skye Lanham

Custodian: Monica Ward

Treasurer: Chris Hurni

Organist Emerita: Shirley Fluharty

OUR SESSION

CLASS OF 2028: Chris Mathias (2T), Patti Strominger (2T)

Cathy Kapton, Amy Muslin

CLASS OF 2027: Marcus McCowin, Christina Palmer

Michael Kamenski, Charles Hendrick

CLASS OF 2026: Joe Glatz, Jennifer Davis

Rich Palmer (2T), John Martin (2T)

OUR DEACONS

CLASS OF 2028: Denise Mathias (2T), Ken Jones (2T)

Jeff Barth, Missy Sardo

CLASS OF 2027: Eleanor Pike (2T), Bob Hurni (2T)

Chris Hurni, Ginny Adams

CLASS OF 2026: Dave Kocher, Ivonne Holsinger

Greg Holsinger, Dianne Kanitra (2T)

