

**Welcome to Worship** on this Transfiguration of the Lord Sunday. Today marks a transition from the Sundays After Epiphany, in Ordinary Time, to the upcoming season of Lent, which begins this Wednesday, March 6, on Ash Wednesday.

May this time of worship and fellowship is a blessing in your life.

If you are here today for the first or second time, we hope you feel welcome as a guest of this community of faith. Faith in Jesus Christ is the mark of a Christian and a disciple of Christ, and is therefore the only requirement for membership in this church. Please prayerfully consider joining this family of faith! Please talk with our pastor, and learn more by visiting us at [www.cwupc.org](http://www.cwupc.org) and [www.pcusa.org](http://www.pcusa.org) and on Facebook: Carter-Westminster United Presbyterian Church.

**Assisting us in worship today** are Susan Saylor, flute; Leo Radosavljevic, bass baritone; Pat and George Radosavljevic, John Yonan, the Chancel Choir, and Ken Hockenberry

We will gather this Wednesday, March 6, at 7:00 PM for our Ash Wednesday Service.

**Next Sunday** is the First Sunday in Lent, and the scripture lessons are Deuteronomy 26:1-11 and Luke 4:1-13.

You and yours are most welcome.

**The Session, Deacons, Trustees, and Staff of  
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*The Community of*

**Carter - Westminster United  
Presbyterian Church**

*Gathered for Worship  
on the Sundays after Epiphany*

**Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 AM**



**March 3, 2019**

The Transfiguration of the Lord Sunday

**Gathering in God's Name**

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Gathering of the People

Prelude "Be Thou My Vision" arr. John Purifoy  
Susan Saylor, flute

Greeting, Welcome, and Announcements

One: The Lord be with you. All: And also with you.

## Call to Worship

Sing to the Lord a new song;  
**sing to the Lord, all the earth.**

As God spoke, calling light out of darkness,  
**God's glory shines in the face of Jesus Christ**

\*Hymn # 431 "Shine, Jesus Shine" SHINE JESUS SHINE

## Call to Confession and Prayer of Confession

**Holy One, your reign is marked by justice and peace;  
you are on the side of those who are oppressed.  
Our lives are marked by comfort and avoidance;  
we choose what is fair instead of what is just.**

**You seek transformation and compassion in this world,  
yet we are content to wait for the promise of heaven.**

**Holy One, forgive our failings, and convict us by your spirit.  
Move us beyond our shallow faith  
to know the depth of your life among us. Amen.**

## Words of Forgiveness

One: ...Sisters and brothers, believe this good news.  
All: **In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Amen**

\*Act of Praise (*On screen*) "Glory to God"  
**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,  
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,  
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.**

\*The Peace  
One: ... The peace of Christ be with you. All: **And also with you.**  
(*Please share the peace of Christ with one another.*)

## Word Proclaimed

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### Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Exodus 34:29-35 (p. 81)  
The Word of the Lord - **Thanks be to God**

Offering of Music "Psalm 97" Antonín Dvořák  
Leo Radosavljevic, bass-baritone

Second Lesson: 2 Corinthians 3:12-18 (p.180) and Luke 9:28-36 (p. 69-70)  
The Word of the Lord - **Thanks be to God**

Time with Young Disciples  
(*Children are invited to come to the chancel steps, and then go to child care.*)

\*Hymn # 240 "Of the Father's Love Begotten" DIVINUM MYSTERIUM

Sermon "The Imprint of God's Glory"

Affirmation of Faith - *from* "A Brief Statement of Faith" (*See insert*)

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

## Thanksgiving

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Offering

Offertory "Celtic Communion" arr. Mark Hayes

\*Doxology # 815 "Praise God" OLD HUNDREDETH

Celebration of the Lord's Supper (*See Insert*)

## Sending

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\*Hymn (*See insert*) "Open the Eyes of My Heart" OPEN THE EYES

\*Invitation to Discipleship

\*Charge and Benediction

Postlude "Anonn's Anall" Gráinne Yeats and Colm O Lochlainn  
Susan Saylor, flute  
(*You are invited to remain seated for the Postlude.*)

\*Going Forth  
(*You are most welcome to coffee hour downstairs - follow the crowd*)

*\*Please rise in body and/or in spirit!*