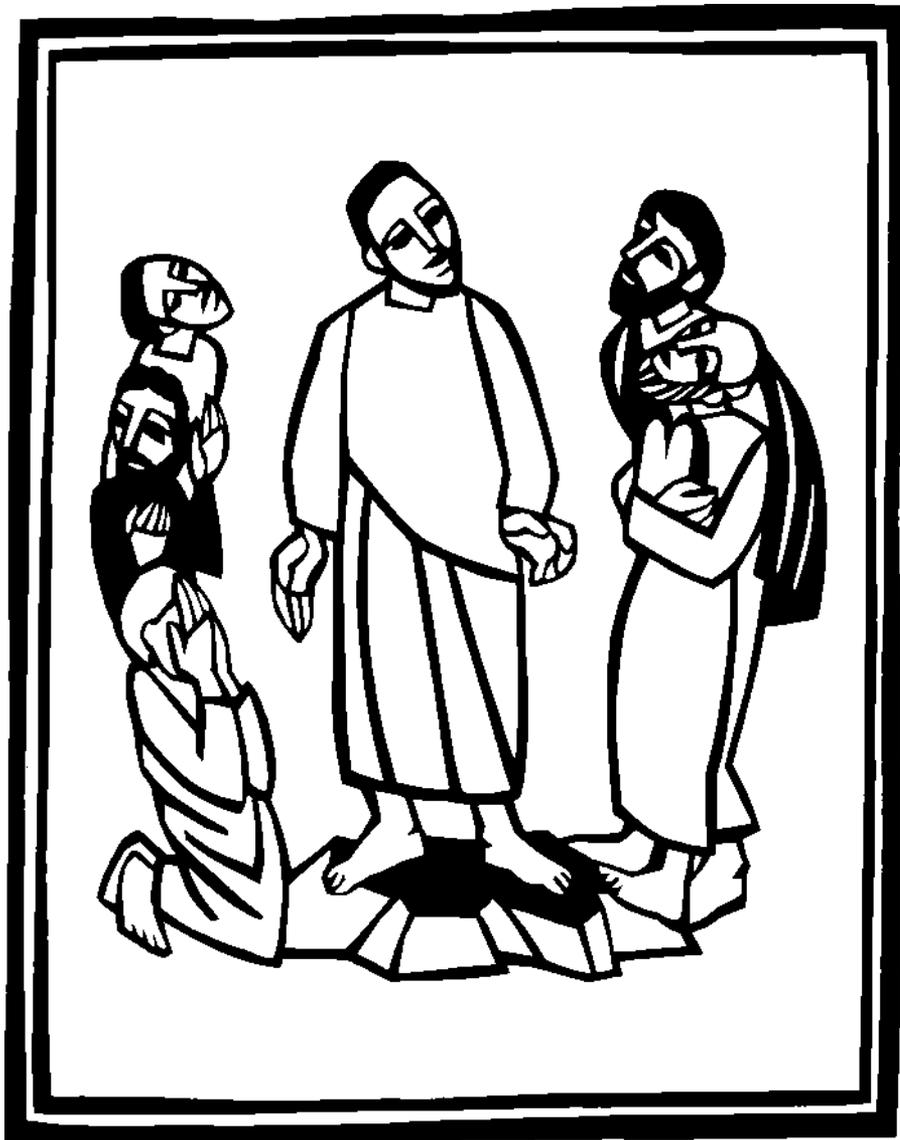


**Trinity Evangelical
Lutheran Church**



**February 15, 2026
The Transfiguration of Our Lord**

Good Morning and welcome! We invite you to worship with us often, and ask if you need any assistance! If you are visiting us today, please sign the Guest Register in the Narthex, please include your address and phone number. Please place your offering envelope in the plate in the Narthex. Thank You!

Remember in your prayers:

Lynn Wolfgang, Oscar & Angie Smith, Erika Zaiser, Brandon Stauffer, Betty Moore, Barbara Stewart, Kathy Gamler, Bill Brensinger, Richard Eck, Becky Yescavage, BillyRay Pearce, Sr., Kathy Sell, Dennis Brooke, Donna Day, Linda Allmendinger, Elaine Dotterer, Jeff Reitnauer, Ralph Rothenberger, Anna Spencer, RuthAnn Goode, Pete Schmoyer, John Logan, Carole Mest, Tammy Strunk, Mary Snyder, Linda Bewley, Tammy Kemp, Mike Wyda, Marcia Auge, Millie Merkel, Greg Mest and Louise Wolfgang.

Friends & Family:

Michelle Hiriak, Linda Stark, Martha Van Parys, Joyce Kemp, Linda Gilbert, Dennis Weller, Jo Garber, Helene Kushnir, John McCarron and Tanner Antalosky.

Families Of:

Billy Freed, Jerry Jacobs, Fay Bauman, David Freed, Jerry Parsons and Joan Gonzales.

Also members, relatives and friends in the community who are serving in the military including:

Christopher Heffner, BillyRay Pearce, Jr., Noah Heydt, Ben Rhode, Steven Herbst, David Crews, Jeff Lydic, Seth Kurtz, Clinton Bowen, Eli Abner and Johnne Knepp.

Our sister congregation, the Marienkirche in Borna, Germany.
(Website: Kirche-bornaer-land.de)

Today we share in the Sacrament of Holy Communion. We invite everyone to the Lord's table who recognizes Christ's presence in His holy sacrament. We will be communing using the continuous method this morning. When the time comes, the usher will direct you forward—simply receive the bread from the Pastor and move to the side to the communion server to receive the wine (or grape juice). When you have received both elements, please return to your seat by the side aisle.

February 15, 2026 — The Transfiguration of Our Lord

Today we will be receiving a Free Will Offering for Beacon of Hope.

The Altar Flowers are presented to the glory of God, by Mrs. Karen Irely, in Memory of her Sister & Brother-In-Law Diana & Cliff Minford.

The Extra Bouquet of Flowers are presented to the glory of God in Honor of Oscar & Angie Smith's Wedding Anniversary.

The Bulletins are presented to the glory of God by Oscar & Angie Smith in Memory of Oscar's Sister.

The Eternal Flame Candle is presented to the glory of God by Carol Rothermel, in Memory of Erma & Eugene Reidenauer.

Today's Worship Assistants:

Assisting Minister: Diane McElwee

Server: Waynette Shafer

Ushers: Kay McGowan* & Howard Shafer

Lector: Eileen Heffner

Acolyte: Erika Zaiser

- (those who are able may stand)

Prelude — Bell Choir w/Harpist Vicki Mest

"The Water Is Wide" (The Gift of Love)

Announcements and Concerns

● **Confession and Forgiveness**

P In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen**

P Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C **Amen**

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination

P Most merciful God,

C we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

P Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen

- **Processional Hymn** LBW# 90
"Songs of Thankfulness and Praise"
- **Greeting**

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

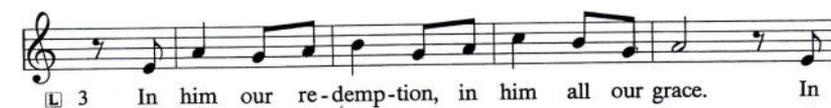
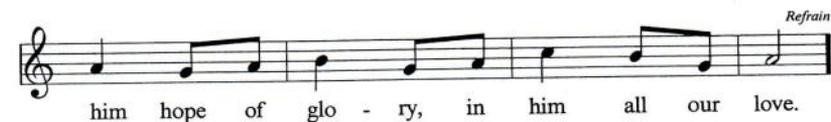
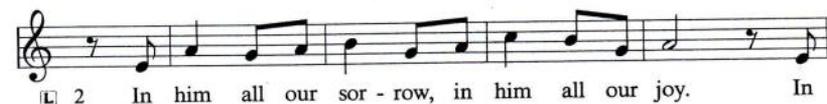
C And also with you.

• Kyrie

Keep in Mind that
Jesus Christ Has Died for Us

CANTICLES

13



• Hymn of Praise

14

Listen! You Nations



Lis-ten! you na-tions of the world: lis-ten to the Word of the Lord. An-



nounce it from coast to coast; de-clare it to dis-tant is-lands.



1 The Lord who scat-tered Is-ra-el will gath-er his peo-ple a-gain; and



he will keep watch o-ver them as a shep-herd watch-es his flock.



2 With shouts of joy they will come, their fac-es ra-diant-ly hap-py, for the



Lord is so gen-erous to them; he show-ers his peo-ple with gifts.



3 Young wom-en will dance for joy, and men young and old will make



mer-ry. Like a gar-den re-freshed by the rain, they will nev-er be in want a-

gain. Break in - to shouts of great joy: Ja - cob is free a - gain! Teach
na - tions to sing the song: "The Lord has saved his peo - ple!"

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© Tune: J. Bess Carlson, b. 1937

- **Prayer of the Day**

P The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

- P Let us Pray . . .

C O God, in the transfiguration of your Son you confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the witness of Moses and Elijah, and in the voice from the bright cloud declaring Jesus your beloved Son, you foreshadowed our adoption as your children. Make us heirs with Christ of your glory, and bring us to enjoy its fullness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

FIRST READING: Exodus 24:12-18

At Mount Sinai, Moses experienced the presence of God for forty days and forty nights. The "glory of the LORD" settled on the mountain, and on the seventh day God called out to Moses. On the mountain God gave Moses the stone tablets inscribed with the ten commandments.

¹² The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain and wait there; I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction."¹³ So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up onto the mountain of God.¹⁴ To the elders he had said, "Wait here for us, until we come back to you. Look, Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them."

¹⁵ Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. ¹⁶ The glory of the Lord settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. ¹⁷ Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the Israelites. ¹⁸ Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

PSALM: Psalm 2

¹ Why are the nations | in an uproar?

Why do the peoples mutter | empty threats?

² **Why do the kings of the earth rise up in revolt, and the
princes | plot together,
against the LORD and against the | LORD's anointed?**

³ "Let us break their | yoke," they say;

"let us cast off their | bonds from us."

⁴ **God whose throne is in heav- | en is laughing;
the LORD holds them | in derision.**

⁵ Then in wrath God | speaks to them,
and in rage fills | them with terror.

⁶ **"As for me, I have anoint- | ed my king
upon Zion, my | holy mountain."**

⁷ Let me announce the decree | of the LORD,

who said to me, "You are my son; this day have I be- | gotten you.

⁸ **Ask of me, and I will give you the nations for | your
inheritance
and the ends of the earth for | your possession.**

⁹ You shall crush them with an | iron rod
and shatter them like a | piece of pottery."

¹⁰ **And now, you | kings, be wise;
be warned, you rulers | of the earth.**

¹¹ Submit to the | LORD with fear,

and with trembling | bow in worship;

¹² **lest the LORD be angry, and you perish in a sudden | blaze of
wrath.**

Happy are all who take ref- | uge in God!

SECOND READING: 2 Peter 1:16-21

At the transfiguration, God's voice was heard, declaring Jesus to be the beloved Son. By the activity of the Holy Spirit, God's voice continues to be heard through the word of scripture.

¹⁶ We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. ¹⁷ For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, "This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." ¹⁸ We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

¹⁹ So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. ²⁰ First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, ²¹ because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

GOSPEL: Matthew 17:1-9

Shortly before he enters Jerusalem, where he will be crucified, Jesus is revealed to Peter, James, and John in a mountaintop experience of divine glory called the transfiguration.



P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the seventeenth chapter



Presentation of the Gospel by Heart

¹ Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. ² And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became bright as light. ³ Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. ⁴ Then Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will set up three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." ⁵ While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" ⁶ When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. ⁷ But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." ⁸ And when they raised their eyes, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone.

⁹ As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, "Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

P The Gospel of the Lord.



Senior Choir Anthem

"Come, Taste the Goodness of the Lord"

Sermon

- Hymn of the Day

LBW# 89

"How Good, Lord, to be Here!"

- **Apostles Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy
Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at
the right hand of the Father. He will come
again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen

- **The Prayer of the Church**

P Let us pray for the whole people of God, in
Christ Jesus, and for all people according to
their needs.

A brief silence.

After each portion of prayers:

P Lord, in your mercy.

C **hear our prayer**

The prayers conclude:

P Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C **Amen**

• **Sharing of the Peace**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

• **The Great Thanksgiving**



• **The Proper Preface**

P It is indeed right and salutary...
 (Here the minister continues with the preface
 appropriate to the day or season,
 concluding) ...we praise your name and join their
 unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might;
 Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
 Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
 in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

• **Eucharistic Prayer**

P Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth.
 In mercy for our fallen world you gave your
 only Son, that all those who believe in him
 should not perish, but have eternal life.
 We give thanks to you for the salvation you
 have prepared for us through Jesus Christ.
 Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts,
 that we may receive our Lord with a living
 faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

C Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P In the night in which he was betrayed,
 Our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
 broke it, and gave it to his disciples,
 saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given
 for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

• The Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen



Communion**Communion Hymn**

WOV# 764

"Blest Are They"

- **Post-communion Blessing**

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C **Amen**

- **Post-communion Canticle**



- **Post-communion Prayer**

P Let us pray. We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C **Amen**

- **Our Mission Statement**

P People of Trinity, what is our mission?

C We shall, as individuals and as a congregation, strive through word, worship, and witness to further the kingdom of God by knowing and sharing Christ's Love in our hearts, in our homes, in His church, in the community, and in the world.

- **Benediction**

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C **Amen, Amen, Amen**

- **Recessional Hymn** LBW# 518
"Beautiful Savior"

- **Dismissal**

P Go in peace, serve the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

"Fanfare"
J. Lemmens

Please join us today for our annual Talent Show/Cook Off at 4PM. Sign up sheet for the cook off is posted on the bulletin board, if you would like to participate in the Talent Show, please see LaRue Sheetz. It's always a great time of fun and fellowship!

Today is the deadline for the March Newsletter, please submit your information to Karen in the church office.

Prayer Listing: If you wish to make any changes to the prayer listing, please contact Linda Ritter, Pastor Gene or the church office, in order for the change to be made in the March Newsletter.

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, February 16th, in observance of the President's Day Holiday.

The 2025 Financial Statements are now available, if you would like a statement, there is a sign up sheet posted on the bulletin board, or you may contact Heidi Yescavage or the church office.

Ash Wednesday service will be on Wednesday, February 18, 2026, at 7pm. There will be the imposition of ashes and communion as we mark the start of our lenten journey together. Prior to the service on Wednesday, we cordially invite you to our annual fastnacht social beginning at 6:15 pm.

First Communion Classes will begin on Wednesday, February 25th at 6:15 and will continue each Wednesday evening during Lent. Any young person 10 years of age or older who has not yet received their first communion is eligible to participate in these classes. Please let Pastor Gene know if you are interested.

Soup Supper will be held at 6:00PM each Wednesday during lent prior to the 7PM Worship Service. A Sign Up Sheet will be posted on the bulletin board.

We are collecting non-perishable items for the **Boyertown Area Multi Service** during lent. A list of needed items is printed in the bulletin. Thank you for your generosity to help.

Bread, Bowl & Bible will be held on **Sunday, March 8th & March 15th 3PM-6PM** at **St. Joseph's Hill Church, Boyertown.** The theme this year will be **"Seeing the Gospel in the Movies"** with **Pastor Rich Moore.**

Free Will Offerings will be received the 3rd Sunday of every month. The next Free Will Offering will be Sunday, March 15th for the Boyertown Area Multi-Service. Thank you for your support.

If you would like to order Easter flowers, envelopes are available in the narthex. The following are offered to be purchased in honor or memory of loved ones:

Lilies (4 blooms +).....	\$12
Hyacinths (3 blooms).....	\$10
Daffodils (6" pot).....	\$10
Tulips (5 & 6 blooms).....	\$10

Final flower orders are due Sunday, March 22.

You may sponsor Altar Flowers, the cost is \$32.00 for one vase and \$64.00 for 2 vases. Please Note: As of April 1st, the cost of the flowers will increase for (1) vase \$34.00 and (2) vases \$68.00, please contact Mary Snyder. **If you wish to sponsor flowers and that date is not available, you can always sponsor an extra bouquet of flowers for \$40.00. When sponsoring flowers, please use a flower envelope found in the rack in the narthex or clearly mark the envelope "Flowers". If you sponsored flowers in the past but no longer wish to, please let Mary Snyder 610-473-8885 or the church office know. You may also sponsor the bulletins for \$15.00 to offset the cost of printing them.**

Trinity's Gift Card Program - Gift card orders are accepted before and after the church service the first Sunday of each month and distributed the second Sunday. Order forms for Redners, Giant and Raise Right (for other retail gift cards) are available in the narthex. The Raise Right order form is also available for download on Trinity's website. Payment must be submitted with your order. **Please make checks payable to Trinity Lutheran Church and include your phone number on your order form.** If you have any questions regarding this fund raising program please see Sharon Kemp, Kathy Kuser or Kurt Yescavage.

WAWA Hoagie Coupons Available 1st Sunday of the month at the Scrip Table. Coupons are also available in the church office Monday—Thursday, 9:00AM-2:00PM. Tickets are \$5.00. This project benefits the Social Ministry.

Coffee Hour - Volunteers are needed to host Coffee Hour for March & April. Please sign up for this time of Fellowship. The sign up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

Bibles are available in the rack in the Narthex for you to reference during worship. You may also take home to reference, please return when you are finished.

Winter Weather In the event of inclement winter weather, news of cancellations or postponements of church activities will be posted on the following: 1) Channel 69 2) Online at WFMZ.com, or log on to the Trinity's website: www.trinitybech.com

Please pick up your 2026 General Fund Envelopes, they are on the table in the Parish Hall. This will help the church with the cost of mailing them.

Devotionals are available in the rack in the Narthex. If you enjoy the devotionals, please give a donation to help offset the cost. Thank You.

HOSPITAL INPATIENT STAY: Please contact Pastor Gene if you are admitted to the hospital and would like a visit, due to privacy laws, the hospital no longer contacts the church.

Need a ride? We have volunteers in the congregation who are willing to provide transportation to medical appointments, etc., for those who can't find a ride. Please contact Pastor Gene 610-322-0901 if you need a ride or would like to volunteer as a driver.

Trinity's events for the upcoming week:

Sunday, February 15th- 8:00 Cont. Worship Serv.
 9:15 Sunday School
 10:30 Worship Service
 w/Communion
 4:00 Talent Show/Cook Off

Monday, February 16th- 6:30 Scouts

Tuesday, February 17th- 6:30 Scouts

Wednesday, February 18th- **Ash Wednesday**
 6:15 Fastnacht Social
 7:00 Ash Wednesday Serv.
 w/Communion
 Sr. Choir Practice

Thursday, February 19th- 6:30 TLC Stitchers

Sunday, February 22nd- 9:15 Sunday School
 10:30 Worship Service

Ash Wednesday's Worship Assistants:

Assisting Minister: Jenn McCarron
 Server: Waynette Shafer
 Ushers: Kay McGowan* & Howard Shafer
 Lector: Diane McElwee
 Acolyte: Diane McElwee

Next Week's Worship Assistants**Sunday, February 22nd:**

Ushers: Sharon Renninger* & Mardell Blanford
 Lector: Maddy Wyda
 Acolyte: Uta Hahn

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS: 02/08/2026

<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Offerings</u>		
<u>Worship/S.S.</u>	<u>General</u>	<u>Hunger</u>	<u>Scrip</u>
65/11	\$2,608.00	\$65.00	\$750.00
	<u>Benevolence</u>	<u>Bldg. Maint.</u>	
	0	\$70.00	

**January Update on Church Financial Status From
The Finance Committee:**

The latest monthly report from the Treasurers shows:

- The General Fund has a Positive Balance.
- During December 2025, the General Fund increased \$9364 from -\$1583 to +\$7781.

Please see the report and additional details including suggested action items from the Finance Committee in the Newsletter which is available by mail or on the church website.

Questions or input? Kindly reach out to a Finance Committee member as listed in the monthly newsletter, or chairperson Kurt Yescavage.

Monthly Free-will Offerings 2026

A free-will offering is scheduled for the third Sunday of each month. They are as follows:

February 15 – Beacon of Hope

March 15 – Boyertown Area Multi-Service

April 19 – Lutheran Disaster Relief

May 17 – geraniums for Pentecost

June 21 – Save the Children

July 19 – Samaritan's Purse Shoe Boxes

August 16 – American Foundation for
Suicide Prevention

September 20 – Boyertown Area Multi Service

October 18 – Eastern Berks Fire Dept.

November 15 – Elf Bags (Multi-Service)

December – No free-will offering. Thank you for supporting the various Christmas giving opportunities.

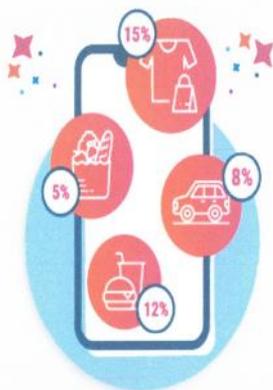
Thank you for your contributions to these special causes!

**Boyertown Area Multi-Service
Non-Perishable Items Needed:**

1. Paper Towels
2. Tissues
3. Laundry Detergent
4. Shampoo and Conditioner
5. Syrup
6. Pancake Mix
7. Instant Mashed Potatoes
8. Stuffing Mix
9. Hamburger Helper
10. Chef Boyardee Meals
11. Cake/Brownie Mix
12. Jelly
13. Peanut Butter
14. Canned Chicken
15. Canned Mixed Vegetables

Sodium free, sugar free, gluten free and low-fat items are also appreciated for clients with dietary restrictions.

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**The Community Clothing Rack
Schedule**

1st Wednesday
Donations Accepted

2nd, 3rd & 4th Wednesdays
Shoppers Welcome

2nd Thursday
Shoppers Welcome
6:00PM-8:00PM

5th Wednesday
CLOSED

Hours
1:00PM-4:00PM

Summer Hours Only
June-August
9:00AM-12:00PM

Closed on all major holidays.
In the case of inclement weather,
Refer to Boyertown Area School district closure.
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Our mission is to serve Jesus Christ by providing
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Readings for Personal Devotion



M Exodus 33:7-23
T 1 Kings 19:1-3, 9-18
W Joel 2:1-2, 12-17
Th Jonah 3:1-10
F Jonah 4:1-11
Sa Isaiah 58:1-12

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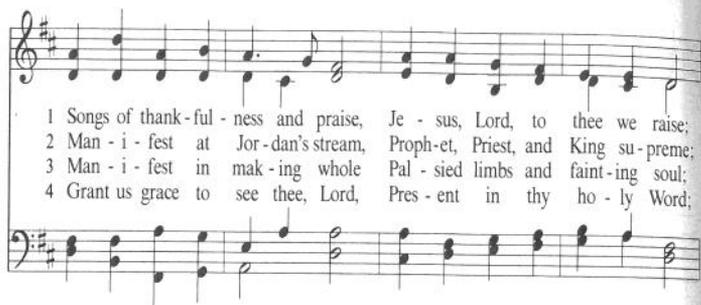
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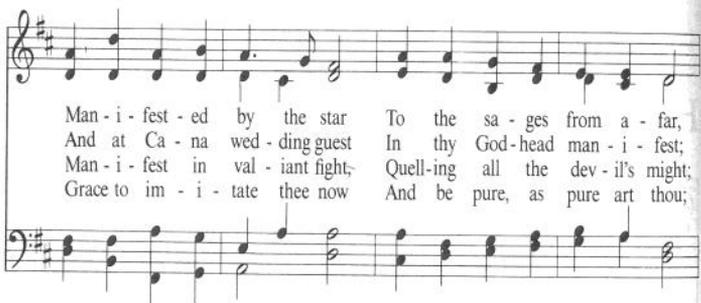
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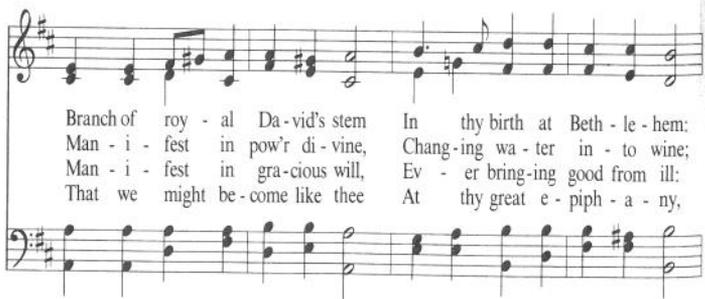
1 Songs of thank-ful-ness and praise, Je - sus, Lord, to thee we raise;
 2 Man - i - fest at Jor-dan's stream, Proph-et, Priest, and King su-preme;
 3 Man - i - fest in mak-ing whole Pal-sied limbs and faint-ing soul;
 4 Grant us grace to see thee, Lord, Pres-ent in thy ho-ly Word;



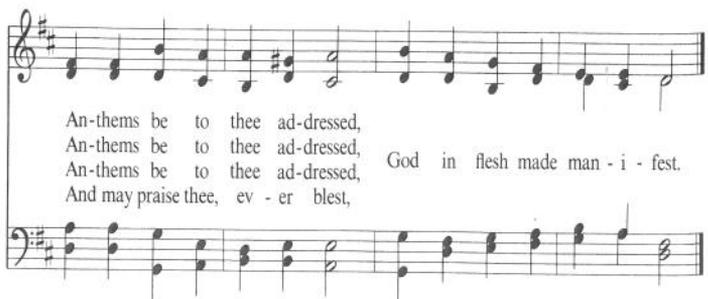
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Man - i - fest - ed by the star To the sa - ges from a - far,
 And at Ca - na wed - ding guest In thy God-head man - i - fest;
 Man - i - fest in val - iant fight- Quell-ing all the dev - il's might;
 Grace to im - i - tate thee now And be pure, as pure art thou;

Branch of roy - al Da-vid's stem In thy birth at Beth - le - hem:
 Man - i - fest in pow'r di - vine, Chang-ing wa - ter in - to wine;
 Man - i - fest in gra-cious will, Ev - er bring-ing good from ill;
 That we might be - come like thee At thy great e - piph - a - ny,

An-thems be to thee ad-dressed,
 An-thems be to thee ad-dressed,
 An-thems be to thee ad-dressed, God in flesh made man - i - fest.
 And may praise thee, ev - er blest,



- 5 For us by wickedness betrayed,
For us, in crown of thorns arrayed,
He bore the shameful cross and death;
For us he gave his dying breath.
- 6 For us he rose from death again;
For us he went on high to reign;
For us he sent his Spirit here
To guide, to strengthen, and to cheer.

- 7 All glory to our Lord and God
For love so deep, so high, so broad;
The Trinity whom we adore
Forever and forevermore.

Text: attr. Thomas à Kempis, 1380-1471; tr. Benjamin Webb, 1819-1885, alt.
Tune: English, 15th cent.

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How Good, Lord, to Be Here!

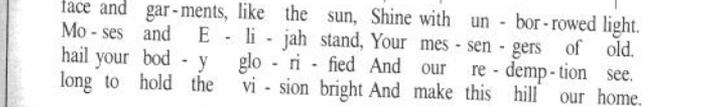
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- 1 How good, Lord, to be here! Your glo - ry fills the night; Your
2 How good, Lord, to be here! Your beau - ty to be - hold Where
3 Ful - fill - er of the past And hope of things to be, We
4 Be - fore we taste of death, We see your king - dom come; We



- face and gar - ments, like the sun, Shine with un - bor - rowed light.
Mo - ses and E - li - jah stand, Your mes - sen - gers of old,
hail your bod - y glo - ri - fied And our re - demp - tion see.
long to hold the vi - sion bright And make this hill our home.



- 5 How good, Lord, to be here!
Yet we may not remain;
But since you bid us leave the mount,
Come with us to the plain.

© Text: Joseph A. Robinson, 1858-1933, alt.
Tune: Mercer, Church Psalter, 1854

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Blest Are They

1 Blest are they, the poor in spir - it;
 2 Blest are they, the low - ly ones;
 3 Blest are they who show mer - cy;
 4 Blest are they who seek peace;
 5 Blest are you who suf - fer hate,

they
 they
 they
 glo -
 shine

theirs is the king - dom of God.
 they shall in - her - it the earth.
 mer - cy shall . . . be theirs.
 they are the chil - dren of God.
 all . . . be - cause . . . of me. Re -

Blest are they full of sor - row;
 Blest are they who hun - ger and thirst;
 Blest are they, the pure of heart
 Blest are they who suf - fer in faith; the
 joyce, be glad, yours is the king - dom;

Refrain
 Re
 E

Chords: Gsus, G, D/F#, C, Dsus, Gsus, G

They

they shall be con - soled.
 they shall have their fill.
 they shall see God!
 glo - ry of God is theirs.
 shine for all to see.

C Dsus D C/G G

Refrain

Re - jice and be glad!

C Dsus D G D/F#

the Bless - ed are you,

Em G/D C G/B

Hymn continues on next page.

Beautiful Savior

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1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion, Son of
 2 Fair are the mead - ows, Fair are the wood - lands, Robed in
 3 Fair is the sun - shine, Fair is the moon - light, Bright the
 4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions, Son of

God and Son of Man! Tru - ly I'd love thee, Tru - ly I'd
 flow'rs of bloom - ing spring; Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is
 spar - kling stars on high; Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines
 God and Son of Man! Glo - ry and hon - or, Praise, ad - o -

serve thee, Light of my soul, my joy, my crown.
 pur - er, He makes our sor - rowing spir - it sing.
 pur - er Than all the an - gels in the sky.
 ra - tion, Now and for - ev - er - more be thine!

