

# The Worship of God

February 22, 2009

8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

The Feast of the Transfiguration

Color: White

## THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

Patrick Morgan, Jr.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

*please print your name in the register in the pew*

## PRELUDE

Peggy Fuller (8:30), Pat Morgan (11:00)

## LIGHTING OF CANDLES

Ashley Newns

## INTROIT

Choir

## ✠ CALL TO WORSHIP

Scott Wilson-Parsons

*Pastor:* The Lord is Sovereign; let the people tremble in awe.

*People:* **God is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.**

*Pastor:* The Lord is great in Zion, and is high above all peoples.

*People:* **Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God,  
and worship Yahweh upon the holy mountain.**

## ✠ OPENING PRAYER

**God of glory and mercy,**

**before his death in shame your Son went to the mountain top,  
and you revealed his life in glory.**

**Where prophets witnessed to him, you proclaimed him your Son,  
but he returned to die among us.**

**Help us face evil with courage,  
knowing that all things, even death,  
are subject to your transforming power.**

**We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## ✠ HYMN 703

*Swing Low, Sweet Chariot*

SWING LOW

## ✠ THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 881

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;  
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried;  
the third day he rose from the dead;

he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

from thence he shall come to judge the quick 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 GLORIA PATRI 71

GREATOREX

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen.

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Scott

## 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. Amen

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Scott

*Children kindergartner age through fourth grade may be dismissed for children's church.*

## OFFERTORY

## ✠ DOXOLOGY 95

OLD 100TH

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 451

*Be Thou My Vision*

SLANE

## SCRIPTURE LESSON

2 Kings 2:1-13

OT, p. 325

## ANTHEM

Choir

## SERMON

“Succession”

Scott

## ✠ HYMN 717

*Mine Eyes Have Seen The Glory*

BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC

## ✠ BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Scott

## ✠ CHORUS (143)

*On Eagle's Wings*

UNISON

And God will raise you up on eagle's wings,

bear you on the breath of dawn,

make you to shine like the sun,

and hold you in the palm of God's hand.

## POSTLUDE

Peggy Fuller (8:30) Pat Morgan

*Members of the congregation may stand as they are able*

## Leading in Worship Today

<b>Nursery:</b>	Beth O'Briant	<b>Pastor:</b>	Scott Wilson-Parsons
<b>Acolyte:</b>	Ashley News	<b>Pianists:</b>	Peggy Fuller, Ruth Ambrose
<b>Ushers:</b>	Ray Cohoon, Bob Huey	<b>Organist/Choir Director:</b>	Pat Morgan

FLOWERS ARE GIVEN BY: Marion Dannert in Memory of Her Dad, Donald Clark

**Prayer Concerns:** Jerry Barnett; Connie Cerrone; Elizabeth Creekmore; Doris Cunningham; Hill Daniel; Lisa Dasen; Mamie Grandy; Dick Horn; Gerald Jackson; Bobbette Parsons; Joe Pritchard; Beula Short; J.S. Steele.

### District Laity Rally

The annual Elizabeth City District Laity Rally will be held this afternoon at 3:00 pm at First UMC of Elizabeth City. The speaker this year is Neil Alexander, head of the United Methodist Publishing House in Nashville. Alexander is a noted author and editor leading the publishing house in the development of our new Hymnal.

### Family Night Supper

Now you can check on upcoming family night suppers and even make reservations on the Web. Check out our family night supper page for current menus and a reservation form today!

### Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday is the traditional beginning of Lent, a season of spiritual preparation leading up to Holy Week and Easter. We host two events on Ash Wednesday. The first is a Pancake supper in the social hall (sponsored by our UMYF) and the second is "A Service of the Ashes" in the sanctuary. Supper begins at 6:00 and service will begin at about 6:45.

### Relay for Life

Support our Pilmoor team as we fight cancer through the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life, an annual team-based fund raiser for the American Cancer Society. This year's relay will be held at the Currituck County High School Stadium beginning at 6:00 pm Friday, May 29 and ending at noon on Saturday, May 30. Register online through the website. PS: We still need a Coordinator!

### CPR Class

We have openings for Sat, March 14<sup>th</sup>. Cost is \$25 per person. Contact the office to sign up!

### Sunday, February 22

7:30 am Hilda Brumsey Circle  
 8:30 am Early Worship  
 9:45 am Sunday School  
 11:00 am Worship  
 3:00 pm District Laity Rally at FUMC EC  
 No UMYF

### Monday, February 23

7:00 pm Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts

### Tuesday, February 24

7:00 pm Girl Scouts Adult Meeting  
 7:00 pm Missions Ministry Workgroup

### Wednesday, February 25

6:00 pm Family Night Supper/Bible Study  
 7:15 pm Ash Wednesday Service

### Friday, February 20

6:00 pm Girl Scout Leader Meeting

### Sunday, March 1

8:30 am Early Worship  
 9:45 am Sunday School  
 11:00 am Worship  
 5:30 pm UMYF

### Our Faithfulness February 15, 2009

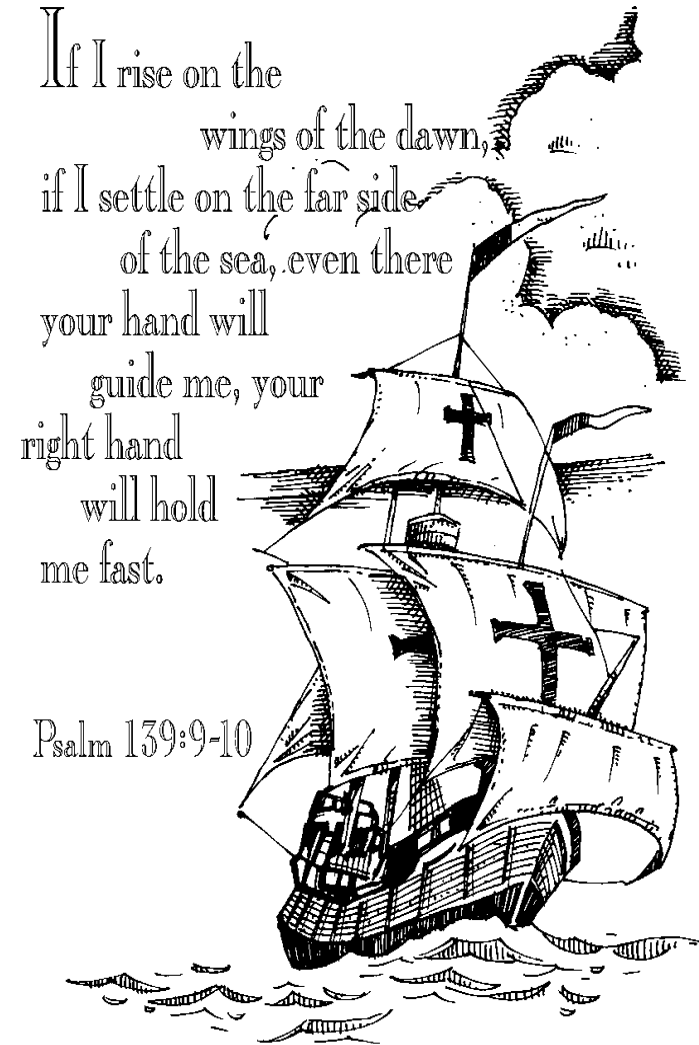
**Attendance:**  
 8:30 ..... 43  
 11:00 ..... 72  
 Total ..... 115  
 Sunday School ..... 18

### Offering:

February 01, Received ..... \$ 3,153  
 February 08, Received ..... \$ 3,872  
 February 15, Received ..... \$ 2,645

### Additional Gifts have been received 2/15/09

- ◆ Building Fund
- ◆ Food Pantry
- ◆ Memorial: Birdie Beasley



Psalm 139:9-10

## *Pilmoor Memorial United Methodist Church*

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