A Warm Welcome to our Guests and Visitors!

Our church has a wonderful array of ministries that seek to spread the gospel into the world. If you are interested in finding out more about the church community or are interested in becoming a member, please contact us at:

Office: 218-281-4853 e-mail: crxpres@midconetwork.com Check out our Website: crookstonfirstpres.org

Calendar for this week:

Sunday, February 14, 2021 10:30 am Worship



Preaching..... Trey Everett Usher & Greeter..... Organist..... Music Director..... Sandy Perkins Coffee Fellowship......n/a Reader..... Jason Brantner

Sandy Perkins & Paula Waters **George French**

Wednesday, February 17 – ASH WEDNESDAY

12 noon & 5 pm 6:30 pm 7:30 pm

Imposing Ashes @ TLC (drive-thru) Ash Wednesday Service @ TLC Session Meeting

Next Sunday, February 21

Worship w/Communion 10:30 am

Preaching	Pastor Corey Lange
Communion Prep	Kerri Brantner
Usher & Greeter	Kerri & Ben Brantner
Organist	George French
Music Director	Sandy Perkins
Coffee Fellowship	n/a
Reader	Marsha Odom

First Presbyterian Church

Transfiguration of the Lord

February 14, 2021

*Those who are able may stand



PRELUDE MUSIC WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS SONG OF CONTEMPLATION

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive) Come let us go to the holy mountain. And worship Christ with the disciples! We will see Christ transformed before us. We will see our lives transformed before Christ. Come let us go to the holy mountain And worship the Son of God.

*GATHERING HYMN #12 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" (vs. 1 & 4)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: (Unison)

God of transformation, you make new life where there was old, dazzling light where there were shadows, peace where there was violence, and friends where there were enemies. Forgive us, O God, when we stand in the way of your transformative love. Forgive us when we do not live as people who have been changed by grace. Call us to the mountain once more, and send us out to be witnesses of your transformative grace.

SILENT CONFESSION

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS (Responsive)

Love is with us, always, for God is love. That love has no boundaries or borders, no limits. God's love is within you, now. You are forgiven, because you are beloved of God, so much so that Jesus came and showed us the way, the truth, and the life. Go into the world with the grace of God and share God's love. As God in Christ has forgiven us, let us forgive one another. The Peace of Christ be with you!

And also with you.

(Please share signs of peace with each other at a distance!)

*RESPONSE HYMN #<u>452</u> "Open the Eyes of My Heart"

*PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION: (Responsive)

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.**

SCRIPTURE

FIRST READING	Psalm 50:1-6
Leader: The Word of the Lord.	People: <u>Thanks Be to God</u>

GOSPEL READING...... Mark 9:2-9 Leader: The Word of the Lord. People: Praise to you, O Christ!

SERMON

Trey Everett

SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

*HYMN OF THE DAY #<u>192</u>....."Shine, Jesus, Shine" (vs. 1 & 3)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: Lord in your mercy

People: <u>Hear Our Prayer</u>.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (forgive us our "sins")

*BLESSING AND BENEDICTION (Responsive)

Beloved Children of God, receive the gift of the Holy Spirit, the grace of Jesus Christ, and the blessing of the Lord forever. <u>Alleluia! Amen.</u>

*CLOSING HYMN #<u>744</u>"Arise, Your Light Is Come!" (vs. 1 & 4)

*DISMISSAL (Responsive)

Go in Peace to love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God! Amen.

*POSTLUDE



SOUPER BOWL of CARING

Thank you to everyone who gave for this great cause! To date we have received \$460!



ANNUAL REPORTS REMINDER

All Annual Reports need to be turned in to the office by Tuesday, February 16th.

Please continue to be in prayer for:

Jeri & Cleon Melsa Hank Koza Debby Novotny (Lynne's sister) Karen Mullins (Lynne's sister-in-law) Nancy Amiot (the Finkenbinder's niece) Brent Blake and the Blake families JoAnn Westburg



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Refrain

Shine, Jesus, shine; Fill this land with the Father's glory. Blaze, Spirit, blaze; Set our hearts on fire. Flow, river, flow; Flood the nations with grace and mercy. Send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.

As we gaze on your kingly brightness, So our faces display your likeness, Ever changing from glory to glory, Mirrored here may our lives tell your story. Shine on me; shine on me.

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