



**FREELY YOU HAVE  
RECEIVED;  
FREELY GIVE.**

**MATTHEW 10:8 NIV**



PO Box 427 - 500 S Penn Ave

**Pastor Dave Martin**

9:30 AM Worship

*Transfiguration* – February 19, 2023

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## GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Songs “Oceans”

“Revelation Song”

Confession & Forgiveness

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: As God's beloved daughters and sons, let us call to mind our sin and our need for reconciliation with God and one another.

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

P: God of the nations,

**P & C: in baptism you anoint us to be your holy people in the world, yet we have not been faithful to you. We have not loved and accepted one another. We have not reached out to those who are poor, hungry, or lost. Forgive us, and fill us with your light, that we may delight in your goodness and serve you with joy, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

P: In Christ the grace and mercy of God are revealed among us. In Christ our sins are forgiven. Let us then walk as children of the light.

**C: Amen.**

## GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS HOLY WORD

Scripture Lessons:

Psalm 30:1-5

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1 Peter 2:22-25

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Children's Sermon

Sermon Text: Matthew 10:1-8 (NIV)

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Sermon “The Disciples’ Gift”

## GIVE THANKS TO GOD

Song “**Believe For It**”

Apostles Creed

Offering\*\*

Prayers of the Church

## CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Words of Institution

The Lord’s Prayer

Distribution

Communion Blessing

## GOD CALLS US TO SERVE

Song “**Stronger**”

Benediction

## ENTER TO WORSHIP – DEPART TO SERVE

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***Thank you for joining us this Sunday morning to worship our God together! We will have fellowship time with coffee and cookies following worship. We hope you will join us!***

***\*\*The offering plate will be in the narthex so please place your donations in as you enter or exit. To GIVE ONLINE through Breeze, go to our website [www.tlclplatted.org](http://www.tlclplatted.org). Click on “GIVING” on our homepage and you will be directed to our online giving platform Breeze. It is a convenient, safe and simple way for our members or visitors to make automated payments through bank ACH directly or credit/debit cards. Text-to-give (605) 741-4118.***

**Feb 12 General Offering:** \$2815.00 **Attendance:** 141

**Communion Servers:** Mike Konechne, Liz Spawn, Jim Holter

**Ushers Feb 19:** Eldon Qualm & Toby Qualm

**Feb 26:** Darrel Hildebrand & Jim Holter

## **Coffee/Cookie Servers**

**Feb 19:** Karen DeGroot, Nicole DeVries, Heidi Dingus

**Feb 26:** Darice DuFrain, Jan DuFrain, Karis DuFrain

**March 5:** Alison Dykstra, Rhonda Engebretson, Pearl Feiok

## **Today we will be celebrating Holy Communion.**

Visitors are welcome to share with us the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, given and shed for us, for the forgiveness of sins.

Join for prayer group on **Tuesdays at 9:30 AM** in the Pastor's study

**February Mission Offering:** In light of the devastating earthquakes that rocked parts of Turkey and Syria on February 6<sup>th</sup>, killing over 11,000 people and injuring over 10,000, the Mission Board has voted to send February's Mission Offering to Samaritan's Purse to aid them in their relief efforts there. Samaritan's Purse is in the process of airlifting a 52-person field hospital to Turkey along with emergency relief supplies, tarps, blankets, and solar lights. They are also working with local churches to distribute food, water, clothing, and other essentials, while providing spiritual and emotional care to survivors. Please give generously to support this worthy cause. **The offering will be taken today Sunday, February 19.** Checks can be made payable to "Trinity Lutheran Church" or give online through Breeze and choose "mission fund." The Mission Board will match funds up to \$1,000.00.

**The Hymn Sing at the nursing home is today at 2:30 pm.** We invite the congregation to join in some hymns and stay for fellowship time with coffee and cookies with the nursing home residents.

**Church Council meeting** will be held Monday, February 20 at 7 PM.

Please have information turned in for the **March newsletter** by Wednesday, February 22. Thank you!

Men, **please join us Saturday, February 25 at 7 AM** in the Fellowship Hall for our **weekly Men's Breakfast**. After eating, we will adjourn to the Fireside Room, where we will watch a video from the Authentic Manhood 33 Series. Following the video, we will break into small groups, discuss the video, and pray with and for one another.

We will be kicking off the Lenten Season at Trinity with two opportunities to worship on **Ash Wednesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>**. You may join us at **2:00 PM at Twilight Vista** or at **6:00 PM in the sanctuary**. Both services will consist of Lenten hymns, a rite of confession, repentance, and forgiveness, the imposition of ashes (marking the forehead with ashes), scripture readings, and a message. The service at Twilight Vista will also include Communion and fellowship with the residents.

Beginning **Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, at 2:00 PM**, we will begin Lenten services at senior facilities in Platte. The first will be held at the **Avera Care Center**. **These services are a great place for Confirmation students to earn volunteer service hours. Please see the entire schedule below and join us as you are able.**

| <u>Date:</u> | <u>Location:</u>  | <u>Time:</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 2/26         | Avera Care Center | 2:00 PM      |
| 3/05         | Twilight Vista    | 2:00 PM      |
| 3/12         | Avera Care Center | 2:00 PM      |
| 3/19         | Twilight Vista    | 2:00 PM      |
| 3/26         | Avera Care Center | 2:00 PM      |
| 4/02         | Twilight Vista    | 2:00 PM      |

### **Children’s Worship Sunday is scheduled for Sunday, March 5.**

The Sunday School will be participating in the worship service through ushering, the Children’s Sermon, reading Scripture, and special music. We will also be taking our “Noisy Offering”

**The orders of our directory pictures are here!** If you haven’t ordered and would like to yet, fill out an order form (located on the narthex table) and drop in the church office door slot.



Pictures are now up on Breeze if you would like to preview before buying. To login, download “BreezeChms” app in your app store. Our Church domain: [tlcplattsed](http://tlcplattsed)

The **WOW group will be collecting laundry products** for the Helping Hands Food Pantry for their mission project through the end of February. Please place your donations in the blue totes in the fellowship hall and they will be delivered to the pantry.

**Platte Community Student Ministry Upcoming Teaching topics:**

**February 22nd** Christian Sexuality “Porn & Masturbation”

*Parents, if you'd like to know more about the teaching series or have any questions, please call Paul at 605-680-5069.*

The **Vine's Bountiful Table's next meal is moved up to March 4,**

**2023** The menu will be Overnight French Toast, sausage, and yogurt bar. Sign up sheet is in the foyer of Platte CRC or call Norma at 605-680-1691 **Sign up deadline is February 26, 2023.** Invite friends and neighbors to join us.

# PRAYER PRAISES AND CONCERNS

## Those in nursing and assisted living homes or home-bound:

Mary Lee Erickson, Mike Erickson, Laura Johnson, LaDene Nelson,  
Maylou Stanforth

### Praise God:

- **Floyd & Karen Dimick** are feeling a little better with each passing day. Pray the Lord would relieve all their symptoms, renew their strength & energy levels, & fill them with a deep sense of His close-abiding love, comfort, & peace. Pray for them to know a period of sustained good health & vitality.
- **Lee Hanten** continues to recover well from knee replacement surgery. Thank God the swelling in his knee is greatly diminished and Lee has been able to return to work full time. Pray for the Lord's continued healing, strengthening, protection, & provision & for Lee & his loved ones to walk in the Lord's peace. Lee thanks everyone for their prayers.
- Pastor Dave's & Peggy's friend, **Mike Binder**, continues to recover well from open-heart surgery. Please pray he would improve with each passing day & feel the Lord's hand upon him & his family. Mike thanks everyone for their prayers.
- Pastor Dave's & Peggy's friend from Longview, WA, **Kathy Jones**, is recovering well from her leg wounds. Please pray for the Lord's hand of healing to be upon Kathy and for Him to see her safely through these complications. Pray she knows His perfect peace and love throughout.

### Please pray for:

- **Pastor Mike De Jager** of the First Reformed Church in Platte. Thank God for seeing Mike safely through his stem cell transplant procedure recently and for blessing his scoliosis treatments. Please pray for the Lord to heal his spine & stabilize his neck, especially where it attaches to the brain stem. Pray for the Lord to heal him quickly & completely & for Mike to be blessed with many years of active life ahead of him. Pray Mike, his wife, and his entire family would know the Lord's comfort, love, strength, and peace as they go through this trial.
- **Maylou Stanforth** as she recovers from Covid & pneumonia. Thank God she was able to return to the nursing home. Pray for the Lord to strengthen & heal her. Pray for her remaining days to be good days. Pray for her & her loved ones to know the Lord's comfort, love, peace, & presence in everything they do.

- **Nicole Olesen** (Pr. Dave & Peggy's niece) in her battle with cancer. Praise God her double mastectomy was successful, and she is recovering well. Pray her upcoming radiation treatments to eradicate the cancer in her lymph nodes would go well and her body would remain strong through the regimen. Pray for her, her husband, Mark, & their children to know the Lord's peace, strength, & presence throughout.
- **Dan Hauser** (Pr. Dave's & Peggy's brother-in-law) in his battle with bladder & kidney cancer. Praise God for the encouraging reports Dan continues to receive from his doctors. Please pray the cancer would be completely eradicated & would not return. Pray he & his wife, Brenda, would know the Lord's love, peace, strength, & comfort as they go through this trial.
- The earthquake **survivors in Turkey and Syria** and for all the volunteers providing emergency response. Please pray for the doctors, nurses, and other medical personnel that God would give them His strength and enable them to do amazing work in His name. Pray for needed supplies to get there without trouble and for the Church to show itself strong in the area. Pray for the love and compassion of God's people to give the survivors His love, hope and encouragement.



## **Oceans**

You call me out upon the waters. The great unknown where feet may fail  
And there I find You in the mystery in oceans deep my faith will stand

*Chorus:* And I will call upon Your name and keep my eyes above the waves;  
When oceans rise my soul will rest in Your embrace  
For I am Yours and You are mine

Your grace abounds in deepest waters  
Your sov'reign hand will be my guide  
Where feet may fail and fear surrounds me  
You've never failed and You won't start now

### *Chorus*

Spirit lead me where my trust is without borders  
Let me walk upon the waters wherever You would call me  
Take me deeper than my feet could ever wander  
And my faith will be made stronger in the presence of my Savior (3x)

I will call upon Your name and keep my eyes above the waves  
My soul will rest in Your embrace  
For I am Yours and You are mine

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## **Revelation Song**

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain; Holy, holy is He  
Sing a new song to Him who sits on Heaven's mercy seat.

*Chorus:* Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
Who was, and is and is to come,  
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings,  
You are my everything and I will adore you.

Clothed in rainbows of living color. Flashes of lightning, rolls of thunder  
Blessing and honor, strength and glory,  
And power be to You the only wise King.

### *Chorus*

Filled with wonder, awestruck wonder  
At the mention of Your Name  
Jesus, Your Name is power  
Breath and living water such a marvelous mystery.

### *Chorus*

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## **Believe For It**

They say this mountain can't be moved. They say these chains will never break. But they don't know You like we do. There is power in Your name

We've heard that there is no way through. We've heard the tide will never change. They haven't seen what You can do  
There is power in Your name. So much power in Your name

*Chorus:* Move the immovable. Break the unbreakable  
God we believe. God we believe for it. From the impossible we'll see a miracle. God we believe. God we believe for it

We know that hope is never lost  
Oh for there is still an empty grave. God we believe no matter what  
There is power in Your name. So much power in Your name

*Chorus*

You are the way when there seems to be no way  
We trust in You God You have the final say (x2)

*Chorus*

You said it. I believe it. You said it. It is done (*repeat*)  
God we believe for it

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## **Stronger**

There is Love that came for us; Humbled to a sinner's cross  
You broke my shame and sinfulness, You rose again victorious  
Faithfulness none can deny; Through the storm & through the fire  
There is truth that sets me free; Jesus Christ who lives in me

*Chorus:* You are stronger, You are stronger, Sin is broken, You have saved me. It is written, Christ is risen; Jesus You are Lord of all

No beginning and no end; You're my hope and my defense  
You came to seek and save the lost, You paid it all upon the cross

*Chorus*

So let Your Name be lifted higher. Be lifted higher. Be lifted higher

*Chorus*

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