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*Worship Bulletin of the United Methodist Church of Vista*

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**In-house and Live-stream Worship**

**February 19, 2023  
10:00 a.m.  
Transfiguration Sunday**

**Gathering**

**Gathering Music**

**Piano Sonata 13, K.333**

Music: W. A. Mozart, 1783

Adam Ferrara

**Pastoral Welcome** with Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw

**Opening Prayer** with Dakota Koenig, Certified Lay Minister

Bright and shining God, center us in for this mountaintop of our faith. We gather in worship to praise and rejoice. We gather in worship to look to you and listen for your Word. We gather in worship in this place and every place where hearts are open and willing. Bless us for these moments of worship. Amen.

**Song of Welcome**

**Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies UMH 173**

Words: Charles Wesley

Music: J.G. Werner's *Choralbuch*

Adam Ferrara

**\*Children's Time (and released to Sunday School)**

**Sharing the Word**

**Scripture** with Scott Lyons

2 Peter 1:16-21 and Matthew 17:1-9 ([NRSV](#))

**Message**

**Super Sunday**

Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw



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**Song of the Word**

**Unsettled World FWS 2183**

Words: David Sparks

Music: Hal H. Hopson

Adam Ferrara

**Call to Prayer Song**

**Change My Heart O God FWS 2152**

Words and Music: Eddie Espinosa

Praise Band

**Pastoral Prayer with Lord's Prayer** with Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw

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.

**Response to the Word**

**Special Music**

**I Feel the Spirit**

Words Traditional & Nancy Price

Music: Traditional arr. Don Besig

Chancel Choir

**\*Call to Offering and Action** with Rollin Grider

**Invitation and Dedication: Prayer**

Holy God, source of all good things, you have blessed your children with many gifts, and each of us can serve and help build your kingdom here on earth. We know at times we have denied our giftedness and dismissed the impact our gifts can have. As we ask you to dedicate our tithes and offerings today, we remind ourselves that you seek not only that we open our wallets but open our hearts and our whole being to the work of making your love and compassion the norm, not the exception in this world. We pray this in Christ's name. Amen.



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**Commissioned into the World**

**Song of Sending**

**My Lighthouse**

Words and Music: Gareth Gilkeson and Chris Llewellyn

Praise Band

**Benediction**

**Postlude**

Praise Band

**Pastors:** Senior Pastor, Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw, Associate Pastor of Music and Visitation,  
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### Announcements

The **Call to Offering and Action** highlights our response to God's love through our action, service and financial support. Each week we pray for a community partner, special project and/or people who are making a difference in our community and world. The United Methodist Church and this local congregation live our faith through our giving in many ways. Your giving starts here and is multiplied by God. Thank you.

**Giving Thank you for your Support and Contributions:** You are essential to all we do for Vista and beyond. Please consider making a financial contribution to the ongoing work of this faith community. Your monetary gifts can be dropped in the offering box or a giving plate in the narthex/lobby after worship. Thank you!

Are YOU interested in officially joining our fellowship and becoming a part of this church family? You are invited to attend our **New Member Class today** at 11:15 a.m. in the conference room; and join us **Feb. 26 for a New Member Luncheon**. Please RSVP by Feb. 15 to Paula Amaro, 760.726.0442. Note: Committee Chairs are welcome to join the New Member Luncheon.

Please join us for **Shrove Tuesday** dinner on February 21, 2023. We will meet at Denny's Restaurant in Vista (540 W. Vista Way, across from St. Francis) from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. You may purchase Denny's gift cards at the Scrip table on Sundays. Any questions, please call Sara Baldwin, 760.726.0442.

President's Day, Monday, Feb. 20 - Church office closed.



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