



FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

VANCOUVER, BC | EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN CANADA

TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

FEBRUARY 15, 2026

Prelude: Prière and Lied - Denis Bédard

Words of welcome & Announcements

Land Acknowledgement

GATHERING

Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God,
the Creator of heaven and earth,
the Word who spoke life into being,
the Wind stirring the waters. **Amen.**

Let us turn in confession to the one who knows us completely.

Mighty God, lover of justice,
**you call us to life in community, but we have served our own interests
at the expense of our neighbors.**

We have sown deceit where honesty was needed.

We say the right words, but our hearts are far from you.

Turn us to seek your face.

**Knit us together and give us the mind of Christ,
that we may do justice, love mercy,
and walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.**

The former things have passed away, and new things God now declares:

Like a spring of water that never fails,

God covers you in the righteousness of Christ,
and forgives your sin in Jesus' name.

May the Spirit give you strength to live for others,
and bless you with the gift of peace. **Amen.**





Gathering Hymn- Beautiful Savior (ELW 838)

Greeting (ELW page 175)

Kyrie 7

Gloria 7 (ELW page 176)

Prayer of the Day

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.**

WORD

First Reading: Exodus 24:12-18

Psalm: Psalm 2

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-21

Gospel Acclamation 7 (ELW page 179)

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew. **Glory to you O Lord**

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.”

The Gospel of our Lord. Praise to you, O Christ

Homily - Rev. Clifford Reinhardt

Hymn of the Day- Be Thou My Vision (ELW 793)

Apostles Creed (ELW page 105)

Prayers of Intercession

Peace

Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise (ELW 207)

Offering Prayer

MEAL

Dialog & Preface (ELW page 180)

Holy, Holy, Holy 7

Great Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer (ELW page 182)

Lamb of God 7 (ELW page 182)

Invitation to Communion

Communion Hymn- Here Is Bread (ELW 483)





Prayer after Communion

SENDING

Blessing

Sending Hymn- The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing (ELW 531)

Dismissal

Postlude: Grand Choeur - Denis Bédard

AGM POTLUCK LUNCH (February 22nd in the Narthex)

In order to minimize cleanup, the Fellowship Team is requesting the following:

- *Please bring Cold dishes only that are ready to be served.*
- *Before the AGM starts, place your leftover food in the refrigerator, if necessary*
- *Place your used plates, cups, cutlery, etc., in the recycling areas*

We will need all hands on deck for the cleanup.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Those Serving the Servants Today

Presiding Minister	Rev. Clifford Reinhardt	Livestream Tech	Emmanuel Manu
Minister of Music	Rachel Alflatt	Usher	-
Assisting Minister	Sylvia Harris	Communion Set-Up	Rev. Mei Sum Lai
Cantor	Lorna Hau	Communion Assist.	-
Lector	-	Coffee Hour Hosts	Emmanuel Manu Harry Mikelson