



Dear All,

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

This coming Sunday, February 11, is our celebration of the Transfiguration of the Lord! Our annual celebration of this special day marks the end of Epiphany. Back at the beginning, we had the light of the star shining in the sky to guide the magi to him. Here at the end, we have the light of Christ shining from the mountain top to guide us all to him. In preparation for Sunday, I invite you to spend some time in your sacred imagination envisioning Jesus shining from the mountain top. What does that light mean to you?

This coming Sunday is a momentous one in my life, as it will be the day of my marriage to Vima! I will thus be away in Vieques, Puerto Rico, on the 11<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>. We will once again be blessed by Heather Casiano's gifted worship leadership. Thank you, Heather!

We will continue our practice of hybrid worship. This means that you are welcome to join us in person and that you are welcome to join us from home, whatever works best for you. If you are able to access technology for online worship, we will be live streaming the service via Youtube and Facebook. For Youtube Live, please go to our channel:

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPh2zjtSFxk2uo9\\_YWEusCQ/](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPh2zjtSFxk2uo9_YWEusCQ/), subscribe to it, and enable notifications. The live video should be up and running just before the service starts. If you watch later, click on our channel and then select "Live" videos. You can also watch afterward on our website at: <https://fpchighland.org/worship>. For Facebook Live, please go to our page here: <https://www.facebook.com/firstpchighland/> around the start of worship. A recording of the service will remain on our Facebook page if you want to watch later.

As always, I have included worship materials, including the bulletin, readings, hymns, a sermon, and creative activities for disciples of all ages.

I leave you with these words from *Mark*:

*And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus.*

In Christ and with Love,

Rev. Tyler Orem