

SERVICES FOR AUGUST

Sundays at 8am

- 6th Communion by Extension with John
13th no service
20th Communion by Extension with Keith
27th no service

Sundays at 10.30am

- 6th Morning worship with Keith
- The Transfiguration
13th Communion with Revd. Anna Wallis
20th All Age Communion with Revd. Lynne Grey
27th Morning Worship with John (this is a correction)
27th Taizé Service at 6.30pm in All Saints'

Wednesdays at 10.30am

- 2nd Communion with Revd. Kate Butler
9th Morning Worship with Ann and Pauline
16th Morning Worship with Carole and Leslye
23rd Communion by Extension with Keith
30th Morning Worship with Carole and Leslye



Sunday 6th August 2023

TRINITY 9

THE TRANSFIGURATION
OF OUR LORD



8am Communion by extension with John
10.30 Morning Worship with Keith

Readings - 2 Peter 1.16–19 and Luke 9.28–36



by Mike Moyers

An article from the Parish Pump

This month we celebrate Jesus' transfiguration, when Jesus took Peter, John and James with Him up a mountain to pray (Luke 9:28-36). Jesus was transfigured alongside Moses and Elijah: *'As He was praying, the appearance of His face changed, and His clothes became as bright as a flash of lightning.'* (29).

Jesus' Transfiguration: Watch!

The disciples' eyes were opened, as Jesus' hidden divinity was revealed. The presence of Moses and Elijah confirmed Him as God's promised Messiah, who fulfilled God's plan and purposes. By foreshadowing the cross, resurrection and ascension, this event powerfully calls us to entrust our lives into Jesus' hands to experience His presence and power.

The Father's Word: Listen!

There came a voice from the cloud covering them: *'This is my Son, whom I have chosen; listen to Him.'* (35). *God affirmed His love and call on Jesus, as His beloved and chosen Son. This is the second time God spoke audibly about Jesus (cf Luke 3:22), but on this occasion He was speaking for the benefit of the disciples. Do we hear God speaking these same words to us? We listen to what Jesus says to us, knowing that like Him we are deeply loved and accepted by God.*

The Disciples Response: Learn!

'The disciples kept this to themselves and did not tell anyone at that time what they had seen' (36). They were impacted by this experience and needed time to reflect on what they had seen and heard about Jesus. Eight days before they were asked by Jesus: 'Who do you say I am?' (Luke 9:20). In the transfiguration their understanding of Jesus was being transformed. As we reflect on Jesus' ministry, to encounter the real Jesus, we are also transformed.

'No one who meets Jesus ever stays the same.' (Philip Yancey)

FOOD BANK - still urgently needed

- tinned meat and fish (potatoes, rice pudding, custard)
- pasta & pasta sauces and rice
- food that can be reconstituted with hot water, e.g. pasta/noodles in sauces, mashed potatoes
- toilet rolls, shower gel, deodorant (especially for men),
- shampoo, toothpaste
- wipes for adults sanitaryware – tampons, incontinence pads
- nappies (sizes 3, 4, 5), baby wipes
- breakfast cereals, long-life milk, biscuits, fruit squash

Large supermarket plastic bags would also be appreciated

Donations can be placed in a black box half way up the drive at

34 Main Street, Barwick.

Or left at the back of All Saints' on the big table.

THANK YOU

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