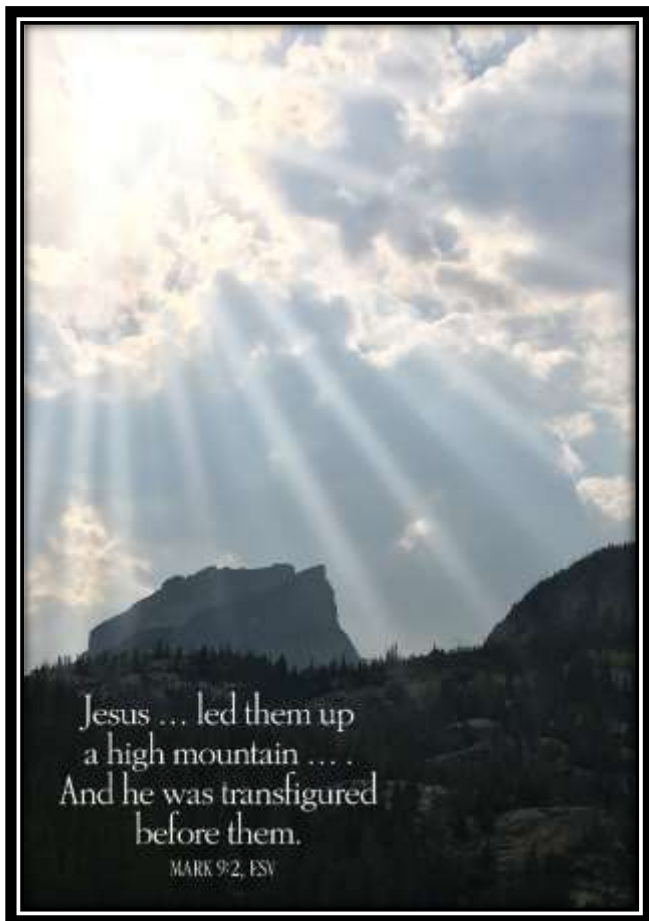


Makawao Union Church



Transfiguration
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Mahalo to the following for their talents and service:

To Martha-Lee Bohn for being our supply Pastor.

To Bill Kepler, Jay Slaughter and John Rowehl for our live music today.

To Lewis Gamble and Chris Kepler for being our hosts today.

To Terry Rose for being our reader today.

To our Worship Tech and Design Teams: Chris Kepler, Lewis Gamble, John Rowehl, Jay Slaughter, and Bill Kepler.

*Congregational responses are printed in **bold***

We Welcome and Prepare

Aloha and Announcements

One: May the peace of Christ be with you.

Many: And also with you.

Leader: We invite you to greet one another in a sign of God's peace.

Prelude *Give Me Jesus*

Trad. Spiritual arr. Mark Hayes

Prayers to Gather Us In

Martha-Lee will lead us in a gathering prayer this morning.

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies

1. Christ, whose glu - ry fills the skies, Christ, the true, the
 2. Dark and cheer - less is the morn un - ac - com - pa -
 3. Vi - sit then this soul of mine; pierce the gloom of

un - ly light, Sun of Right - eous - ness, a - rise,
 nied by thee; joy - less me, is the day's re - turn,
 sin and grief: fill me, Ra - dium - cy di - vine,

tri - umph o'er the shades of night; Day - spring from un
 till thy mer - cy's beams I see; till they in - ward
 scat - ter all my un - be - lief, more and more thy -

high, he near; Day - star, in my heart ap - preat.
 light im - part, cheer my eyes and warm my heart.
 self dis - play, shin - ing to the per - fect day.

We Listen

Anthem

Transfiguration

After six days, Jesus led Peter, James, and John
high upon a mountain top and was transfigured before them,
and his clothes became dazzling white,
And there appeared with him, Elijah and Moses.
Then came a cloud, overshadowing them,
and there came a voice,
"This is my beloved Son, O listen."

(Mark 9:2-4, 7)

Sacred Texts

Terry Rose

2 Kings 2:1-12 (New Revised Standard Version)

2 Now when the LORD was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. ² Elijah said to Elisha, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel." But Elisha said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they went down to Bethel. ³ The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he said, "Yes, I know; keep silent." ⁴ Elijah said to him, "Elisha, stay here; for the LORD has sent me to Jericho." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they came to Jericho. ⁵ The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he answered, "Yes, I know; be silent." ⁶ Then Elijah said to him, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So the two of them went on. ⁷ Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. ⁸ Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground.

⁹ When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, “Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you.” Elisha said, “Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit.” ¹⁰ He responded, “You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not.” ¹¹ As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. ¹² Elisha kept watching and crying out, “Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!” But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces.

Mark 9:2-9 (New Revised Standard Version)

² Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, ³ and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. ⁴ And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. ⁵ Then Peter said to Jesus, “Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.” ⁶ He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. ⁷ Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, “This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!” ⁸ Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them anymore, but only Jesus.

⁹ As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

Message

“Listen to Him!”

Martha-Lee Bohn

We Respond

Centering into Our Communal Prayer

Just As I Am

Larry Shackley

Prayers for All That Has Been Shared

Call to Our Offering

Martha-Lee

Hymn

We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding

(The New Century Hymnal #182)

We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding

Matt. 17:1-8; Mark 9:2-8; Luke 9:28-36

Carl P. Daw, Jr., 1988

1 We have come at Christ's own bid - ding to this high and
 2 Light breaks through our clouds and shad - ows, splen - dor bathes the
 3 Strength-ened by this glimpse of glo - ry, fear - ful lest our

ho - ly place, Where we wait with hope and long - ing for some
 flesh-joined Word, Mo - ses and E - li - jah mar - vel as the
 faith de - cline, We, like Pe - ter, find it tempt-ing to re -

to - ken of God's grace. Here we pray for new as -
 heav - enly voice is heard. Eyes and hearts be - hold with
 main and build a shrine. But true wor - ship gives us

sur - ance that our faith is not in vain, Search - ing
 won - der how the Law and Proph - ets meet: Christ with
 cour - age to pro - claim what we pro - fess, That our

like those first dis - ci - ples for a sign both clear and plain.
 gar - ments drenched in bright - ness, stands trans - fig - ured and com - plete.
 dai - ly lives may prove us peo - ple of the God we bless.

We Go Forth

Benediction

The Queen's Prayer Queen Lili'uokalani # 580

*'O kou aloha nō, Aia i ka lani
A 'o kou 'oiā i 'o, He hemolele ho'i. 'Āmene.*

English translation:

Your loving mercy is as high as heaven and your truth so perfect.

Postlude

Offertory on Hydrydol

Matthew J. Pool

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- ◆ **Please continue supporting MUC with your time, talents and treasures.**

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- ◆ **Ka Hale A Ke Ola Homeless Resource Dinner** will be this evening in Wailuku. We are asked to provide the dinner ingredients instead of the meal to observe their Covid-19 safety protocols. We thank our volunteers for continuing to provide this important community outreach.

- ◆ **Secondhand Heaven** is open on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 9AM to 2PM. Stop in and see them for your linens, books, arts'n'crafts, clothing and fine tableware needs!

- ◆ **Annual Reports Meeting** The February Annual Reports Meeting will take place next Sunday, February 21 after worship via Zoom. See you next week!

Upcoming Events:

- Feb. 17 ** Ash Wednesday – No Service **
 9AM Secondhand Heaven
- Feb. 18 5:30PM Council Mtg. – Online
- Feb. 20 9AM Secondhand Heaven
- Feb. 21 10:20AM Log/Dial in – Zoom Worship
 10:30AM Worship – Zoom
 Annual Reports Meeting directly after Worship

