

Dear Families:

Today is Transfiguration Sunday. It is a day we remember when Jesus revealed His divine nature to a select few of His disciples. Peter, James and John accompanied Jesus up a mountain. He was looking to get away from the crowds for a bit and find a peaceful place to pray. When they made it up the mountain, Jesus went a little ways off by himself, leaving His drowsy disciples behind. Suddenly, the disciples were snapped to attention by a bright, dazzling light. Jesus had started glowing! They also noticed two other people standing with Jesus, talking to Him about Jerusalem. One was Moses, and one was Elijah. Peter, always needing to say something, stammered out how pleased this made him and offered to build a shelter for the three men. But as quickly as they had appeared, they were gone. Jesus was left, standing once again as they knew Him. They told no one about what they had seen.

This story reminds us that we may not understand everything about Jesus, because He is, after all, divine. He is not a regular man- thank goodness! But we can continue to hold Him in awe, worship Him and His power over evil, and remain amazed that He sacrificed Himself for all of us.

This Wednesday, we will begin the season of Lent by commemorating Ash Wednesday. The service will be held in the chapel at 5:30. We hope you will join us as we prepare ourselves for the Lenten season of drawing closer to God.

Today, we continued our hot chocolate sales to benefit Literacy of Love. For \$1, you can enjoy a cup of gourmet hot chocolate! We encourage you to use your own mug, but cups will be available if needed. We will have a variety of flavors and toppings available. Please help support the boys in their mission work! The sales will continue as long as the cold weather lasts.

Thank you for being with us today!

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