

**The Transfiguration:
A Glimpse of Glory on the Road to the Cross**

Mark 9:2-13

1. Jesus' glory is revealed on the mountain, vv. 2-8

2. Jesus' glory is concealed on the road to the cross, vv. 9-13

3. Jesus' glory is proclaimed after his resurrection, v. 9; 2 Peter 1:16-18

Our response to the apostles' witness

Questions for Further Reflection and Application

1. Review: How is Jesus' glory revealed on the mountain: (a) in his appearance, (b) in the presence of Elijah and Moses, and (c) in the voice from the cloud?
2. Review: How does the transfiguration point not only "up" but also "forward"? (Hint: relate the appearance of the Son in the transfiguration with the "glory" mentioned in Mark 8:38.)
3. "This is my beloved Son; listen to him." How can you hear the Son's voice? In what areas of your life are you struggling to listen to him? How might the glory of Jesus, revealed in the transfiguration, move you to listen to him?
4. How can the transfiguration encourage you as you "take up your cross" (Mark 8:34) and follow Jesus?