## February 14, 2021 "Driven To Their Knees" (Mark 9:2-9)

Today, in the church, is the day we celebrate the
of Christ.
This morning we are going to a with 3 of Jesus' disciples.
A good lesson when it comes to mountaintop experiences – first go to your!
In the presence of the 3 disciples, Jesus was "transfigured," which means "toform."
The disciples saw Jesus talking with and,
both of whom had been for hundreds of years.
Moses gave the people the and led them to
the Promised Land.
Elijah was taken up into heaven in a chariot of
These two men represented the and the, the sources of authority in Jewish life.
This is not the only time the disciples were in Jesus' presence.
All 3 Gospel writers record that God spoke and identified Jesus as His and commanded the disciples to " to him!"
It was a striking experience that the disciples would all of their lives.
Imagine the impact that this experience had on them. They were in the presence of the Son of God!

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The disciples came back down from the mountain, but their
had been transformed to!
Jesus and the disciples still had to do. That's why they couldn't on the mountain.
Dwight L. Moody – "When we get so high that we can't reach down to other people, there is something wrong!"
Today, in our minds and hearts, hopefully we've been driven to our!
Now, it's our turn to witness with our as well as our that we have been in the presence of Christ!

Jesus Christ – Son of man.... Son of God.... Savior of the world.... Immanuel...God with us...King of Kings and Lord of Lords!!