All Saints Sunday

November 1, 2026 – 8:30 AM

Prelude Music, Welcome & Announcements

***Greeting** P: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **C: And also with you.**

***Hymn #632 "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"** PD

*Confession and Forgiveness

A: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.
C: Amen.
A: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**
If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Time of silence for reflection

A: Most merciful God, **we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**
For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.
P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith. **Amen.**

*Prayer of the Day

Choir Anthem *"The Dwelling Place of God" -by John Purifoy OL: 128061*

Dismissal for Children's Church *Children from ages 4 to 8 are invited to go to the children's church program for an age-appropriate bible lesson. They will return after the sermon.*

Word

Reading – Revelation 7:9-17

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could
number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages,
standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes,
with palm branches in their hands, [10] and crying out with a loud voice,
"Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!"
[11] And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders
and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne
and worshiped God, [12] saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and
thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and
ever! Amen."

[13] Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in
white robes, and from where have they come?" [14] I said to him, "Sir, you
know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great
tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the
blood of the Lamb.

[15] "Therefore they are before the throne of God,
and serve him day and night in his temple;
and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.
[16] They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore;
the sun shall not strike them,
nor any scorching heat.
[17] For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of living water,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Sermon

Lighting of the All Saints Candles

***Sermon Hymn #654 "The Church's One Foundation"** PD

*Apostles Creed

A: *"Let us celebrate our common faith, using the words of the Apostles' Creed."*
I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He

ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Prayers of Intercession

During the prayers a bell will toll for the following persons who passed away this year:
Trevor Harder, Suzanne Campbell, Ingrid Wehber, Judy Cancellier, Sue Slichter, Edward Burke.

Offering & Reflection Music

Offering Prayer

P: Merciful God, we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us: ourselves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Words of Institution

*Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Sharing the Meal

Our Lord Jesus is the host of this communion meal. We welcome all baptized Christians to join us.

- All those who believe Jesus is Lord are welcome.
- Children who haven't received communion instruction are more than welcome to come forward for a blessing.
- If you need non-alcoholic or Gluten Free just ask your server.
- And the ushers will direct you forward.

Hymn #423 "Shall We Gather at the River" CCLI: 93731

Hymn #468 "Around You, O Lord Jesus" PD OL: 05738

Communion Blessing

Angel Choir *"Jerusalem My Happy Home" -by ?* PD

Sending

Benediction

***Hymn #422 "For All the Saints"** PD

*Dismissal

A: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord! **C: Thanks be to God!**

Postlude Music

Offerings can be placed in the basket in the narthex on your way out.

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