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November 7th, 2021

All Saints Sunday

ELW Setting 4



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PRELUDE:

GATHERING SONG: ELW 422 "For All the Saints" (verses 1-4)

For All the Saints

- 1 For all the saints who from their labors rest, who thee by faith before the world confessed, thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 2 Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might; thou, Lord, their captain in the well-fought fight; thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light. Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 3 Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine, we feebly struggle, they in glory shine; yet all are one in thee, for all are thine. Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 4 And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long, steals on the ear the distant triumph song, and hearts are brave again and arms are strong. Alleluia! Alleluia!

ANNOUNCEMENTS/WELCOME



CONFESSIONS/FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Have mercy on us, O God. We confess that we have sinned against you and against our neighbor. We have built walls instead of tables and have turned away the stranger. We have sought glory for ourselves and have treasured that which does not satisfy. Help us to love as you love, to welcome those you send, and to treasure mercy and justice. Turn us from our ways to your ways, and free us to serve those in need. Amen.

God, who makes all things new, forgives your sins for Jesus' sake and remembers them no more. Lift up your heads and your hearts. Yours is the kingdom of God. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

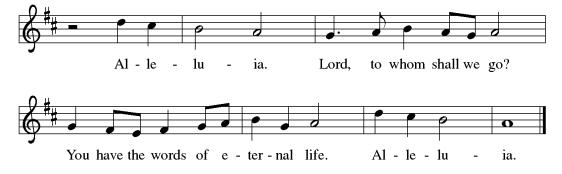
Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

WORD:

PSALM: Psalm 24

- R The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it, the world and those who dwell therein.
- A For the Lord has founded it upon the seas and established it upon the rivers.
- R Who may ascend the mountain of the Lord, and who may stand in God's holy place?
- A Those of innocent hands and purity of heart, who do not swear on God's being, nor do they pledge by what is false.
- R They shall receive blessing from the Lord and righteousness from the God of their salvation.
- A Such is the generation of those who seek you, O Lord, of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob.
- R Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O ever lasting doors, that the King of glory may come in.
- A Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle!
- R Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O everlasting doors, that the King of glory may come in.
- A Who is this King of glory? Truly, the Lord of hosts is the King of glory.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ELW p. 151 (please stand as you are able)



GOSPEL: John 11:32-44

R: The holy gospel according to John chapter 11

A: Glory to you, O Lord

Through the raising of Lazarus, Jesus offers the world a vision of the life to come, when death and weeping will be no more.

32When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." 33When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. 34He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." 35Jesus began to weep. 36So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" 37But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

38Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. 39Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." 40Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" 41So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. 42I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." 43When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" 44The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

R: The gospel of the Lord

A: Praise to you, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: Pastor Sue

Kids dismissed to Sunday School

"Jesus Loves Me" ELW 595

MESSAGE: Pastor Sue



SONG OF THE DAY: ELW 427 "For All Your Saints, O Lord" verses 1,4,5

For All Your Saints, O Lord

- For all your saints, O Lord,
 who strove in you to live,
 who followed you, obeyed, adored,
 our grateful hymn receive.
- For this, your name we bless
 and humbly pray anew
 that we like them in holiness
 may live and die in you.
- To God, the Father, Son,
 and Spirit, ever blest,
 the One in Three, the Three in One,
 be endless praise addressed.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

P: Eternal God, you hold firm amid the changes of this world. Hear us now as we pray for the church, the world, and everyone in need.

A: Your mercy is great.

P: God our protection and strength, we entrust to you all for whom we pray. Remain with us always, through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

A: Amen.



Benefit for Shawna TATORTOT HOTDISH LUNCHEON: Sponsored by Welca, Thrivent and Stewardship

Team

NOVEMBER 21ST, 10:30-NOON

Free will offering



All Saints' Day celebration has a long history in the worship life of the Christian Church. It began as a commemoration of the martyrs who had died for the faith, and it has since become a day when we honor and remember those who, in death, have joined the Church Triumphant, as well as the faithful saints of the present who serve Jesus Christ. Martin Luther held that all Christians are simultaneously sinner and saint--a sinner because of our rebellious nature, but a saint because of salvation in Jesus.

Today, by reading their names and by ringing a bell and lighting a candle for each, we remember those of our congregation who have died during the past year. Afterward, there will be an opportunity for anyone in the congregation to come forward to light a candle in memory of someone dear to them. This will proceed spontaneously and at will; there will be no ushers directing you.

Following the lighting of the candles, we proclaim the message of hope and life eternal through Jesus Christ. May all the saints, past and present, endure forever in God's grace!

The Liturgy of Remembrance

Announcement of Comfort and Hope (Please stand as you are able)

P: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all mercy and the God of all consolation. God comforts us in all our sorrows so that we can comfort others in their sorrows with the consolation we ourselves have received from God.

C: Thanks be to God!

P: When we were baptized in Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death. We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we, too, might live a new life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.

C: Thanks be to God!

P: Today, we remember our loved ones by first giving thanks to God for all the saints of our lives and the witness they have shared with us even as we continue to walk the journey of faith and make our way to the glory that God is preparing for all of us.

Let us pray:

God of all creation,

we praise you for all your servants who have witnessed to your truth,

who have shown us your love, who have inspired us to have hope.

By their example of faith, hope, and love, remind us of your calling to join in making your new creation real in this world and the next.

We remember David Johnson... Anne Hauge... Joyce Scharpen... Elaine Mellin... Jim Johnson... Lynn Perrin... Carol Anderson... Robert Stanius... Darius Anderson... Colleen Johnson... Philip Lundeen... and Ruth Maples... along with all those we now bring forward through the lighting of candles.

You are invited to come to one of the candle lighting stations to remember your loved ones. After lighting one candle, please return to your seat in silence and reflection.

P: Gracious, heavenly Father. we send this light to you in remembrance of our loved ones who now rest in your eternal care. Strengthen those of us who remain; bring peace to those who grieve; and sustain us in our sorrow. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

These are our saints that we remember today: **David Johnson** Anne Hauge Joyce Scharpen **Elaine Mellin Jim Johnson** Lynn Perrin **Carol Anderson Robert Stanius Darius Anderson Colleen Johnson Philip Lundeen**

Ruth Maples

OFFERING:

OFFERING SONG: ELW 686 "We Give Thee But Thine Own" verses 1 & 4

We Give Thee but Thine Own

- We give thee but thine own, whate'er the gift may be; all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.
- And we believe thy word,
 though dim our faith may be:
 whate'er we do for thine, O Lord,
 we do it unto thee.

OFFERING PRAYER:

Holy God,

the earth is yours and everything in it,

yet you have chosen to dwell among your creatures.

Come among us now in these gifts of bread and wine,

and strengthen us to be your body for the world

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION:

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

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LORD'S PRAYER (Please stand as you are able) ELW p. 112

- P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.
- A: 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.

"Lamb Of God" ELW 154

COMMUNION SONGS:

"Just As I Am" ELW 592

"Take My Life That I May Be" ELW 685

POST COMMUNION PRAYER:

P: Blessed Jesus, at this table, you have been for us both host and meal. Now send us forth to extend our tables and to share your gifts until that day when all feast together at your heavenly banquet.

A: Amen.

BLESSING:

P: God, the beginning and the end, who has written your name in the book of life, bless and keep you in grace and peace from this time forth and forever more.

A: Amen.

SENDING SONG: ELW 376 "Thine Is The Glory"

DISMISSAL:

P: Led on by the saints before us, go in peace to serve the Lord.

A: Thanks be to God.



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What's happening this week...

Sunday, November 7th Live Nativity Meeting following service, 10:15 Youth and Education Meeting

Monday, November 8th Emotions Anonymous

Wednesday, November 10th Worship/ Confirmation/Children's Church 6:00 pm

Thursday, November 11th Prayer Group 9:00 am

Prayer/Psalms group meets on Thursday mornings at 9:00 am in Pastor Sue's office. We will read through the Psalms and pray through our congregation's prayer list, for current events, for the world and all in need.

Your church council has 3 openings coming up at our next annual meeting. We invite you to pray about stepping into a leadership position for your church. The terms are 3 years. It is a great opportunity to give of your time for the ministry of LLLC. For more information, please talk to any of our current council reps listed in the bulletin.

Bible Study on Thursday mornings at 10:30 am in the Conference Room. We are exploring "The New Testament You Never Knew" by N.T. Wright, explorPlease call if you need anything or have questions

Church Council Members: Kara Hepp, Council President 763-350-0250

Open, Congregational Life; John Hass, Property, Dennis Wanless, Finance; Ronda Fenlon, Missions; Rachel Maguire, Worship & Music; Julie Nielsen, Stewardship; Amanda Saelens, Education; Margaret Bauer, Youth & Family.

Join us on Wednesday evenings at 5:15 pm for food and fellowship! Each Wednesday we have a community meal before our Wednesday evening service. Suggested donation of \$5 per person or \$20 per family for meals. The food is good and the company is even better! Join us!

Holiday season is coming up fast, lets all help anyone that is in need of food for the holidays and anytime. The table is setup on the narthex as a reminder. Please help us to fill it up.

ing the purpose and meaning of the story of God.

It is time for the Thanksgiving Eve Silent Auction and Pie Social! This fundraiser benefits our youth ministry, and we need your help to make it happen! We are looking for donations of pies, and items for our silent auction. Please consider making a basket, or donating an item or gift certificate for us to auction off on Wednesday, November 24th! Sign up to donate at the information desk.

WELCA is doing a benefit for Shawna's medical bills on Sunday, Nov. 21st following the church service. They will be serving Tater Tot Hotdish, Rolls and Salad. The Stewardship Team will be serving pumpkin bars and hot apple cider. Free will donation.

PRAYER CONCERNS (Let us know how we can pray for you)

Pray for healing for: Dale Strike, Wanda Strike, Wanda's cousin Marie, Wanda's and Dale's friends Gene and William, Larry Oliver, Diane Englund, Sharon Johnson, Marcy Stoeckel's niece Erin, Karen Baker's mom Floy, Dave and Mel Ringstad's friend Sue and brother-in-law Cliff, Ron Selix's sister Donna, Becky Agranoff's uncle Del, Shawna's dad Mike, Claudia Hanson's friend Beth, Gary Grell's brother Dave and sister-in-law Pam, Kent and Joanne Eittreim's friends Scott and Katie, Carol Vogtlin's husband Jim, Kate Allison, Colleen Evenson, Marvel Dahl, Karen Baker's niece Angie Bentley, Sharon Stanius' sister-in-law Jackie Englund, Aaron Gustafson, Lisa Gustafson's friend Brenda, Lynn Ulwelling, John Hass' nephew Kevin Bagne, Julie Nielsen's cousin LaVerne, Odin Olson, Bill Sudeith's brother Russ, Joanne Eittreim, Shawna, Therese Cathers, Mary Johnson's husband Jerry.