



All Saints Sunday
10:30 AM Sunday, November 6, 2022
Officiated by a Lay Minister

“Blessed are you.”

In holy baptism God makes saints out of sinners. In holy communion God forgives the sins of all the saints. In worship today we give thanks for all the saints “who from their labors rest.” In the same breath we petition our God for the strength to hear and to heed the admonitions of Jesus in today’s gospel. Sealed by the Spirit and sustained by the Savior’s body and blood, we live with joy as God gives us breath, to the praise of God’s glory.

GOOD SHEPHERD EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
MANISTEE, MICHIGAN

GATHERING

GATHERING VOLUNTARY

“Be Still, My Soul”

Setting by Robert J. Powell (b. 1932)

Setting by J. Wayne Kerr (b. 1958)

WELCOME

All who are able, stand at the invitation of the presiding minister.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

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

As we prepare for this great gift, let us confess our sins and hear the promise of forgiveness.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are in bondage 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.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ as given to die for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

“For All Your Saints, O Lord” ELW 427

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

KYRIE

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. **Amen.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.

Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us
free to be peo - ple of God. Pow - er and rich - es and wis - dom and
strength, and hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.
This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God. Al - le - lu - ia.
Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the
hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing and hon - or and glo - ry and
might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.
This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain
has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose people are knit together in one holy Church, the body of 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 your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

All are seated.

WORD

FIRST READING

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

A reading from Daniel:

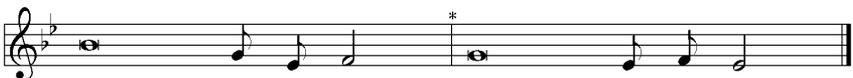
In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another. As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: "As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever--forever and ever."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Psalm 149



**Hallelujah! Sing to the LORD | a new song;
sing his praise in the congregation | of the faithful.
Let Israel rejoice | in his maker;
let the children of Zion be joyful | in their king.
Let them praise his name | in the dance;
let them sing praise to him with tim- | brel and harp.
For the LORD takes pleasure | in his people
and adorns the | poor with victory.
Let the faithful | rejoice in triumph;
let them be joyful | on their beds.
Let the praises of God be | in their throat
and a two-edged sword | in their hand;
to wreak vengeance | on the nations
and punishment | on the peoples;
to bind their | kings in chains
and their nobles with | links of iron;
to inflict on them the judg- | ment decreed;
this is glory for all his faithful people. | Hallelujah!
Glory to the Father and | to the Son
and to the | Holy Spirit
As it was in the beginning is now
and will | be forever.
A | --men.**

SECOND READING

Ephesians 1:11-23

A reading from Ephesians.

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a

spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

All who are able, stand for the Gospel.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

Luke 6:20-31

For All Saints, the Holy Gospel comes to us from the 6th Chapter of the Gospel of Luke.

Glory to You, O Lord.

Then he looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. "Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. "Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. "Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. "But woe to you who are rich, for you have

received your consolation. "Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. "Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets. "But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to You, O Christ.

All are seated.

MESSAGE

*All who are able, **stand** to sing the hymn.*

HYMN OF THE DAY

"For All The Saints" ELW 422

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

Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

Gracious Heavenly Father, You have wonderfully created all things and with Your grace and mercy, granted us new life through Christ our Savior. Clear the path before us that we may remain in Your grace and mercy and do those things which are pleasing to You. Guide our footsteps and enliven our hearts that in all we do, we bring praise to You by the grace You grant through Jesus Christ our Lord. Lord, in Your mercy . . .

Hear our Prayer.

Lord Jesus, the One who was, who is, and who is to come, You have given us Your word of hope and promise. You are the living Gospel which has been poured into our hearts and given us hope through the promise of the redemption which is ours through You. By the grace You have poured out from the cross, lead us in the way of the cross that we might now and forever abide in You as You abide in us. Lord, in Your mercy . . .

Hear our Prayer.

Come Holy Spirit and kindle in us the fire of Your love. Renew in us a right spirit and cleanse our hearts and minds that we may be prepared to live in the hope which is ours in the redemption of Christ our Savior. Lead us this day, and all of the days You grant us, in order that we may be prepared for all that is to come. Keep our hearts and minds close to the truth which has been revealed through the Gospel. Lord, in Your mercy . . .

Hear our Prayer.

We thank You Almighty God for the manifold benefits which are ours through the promise which produces the hope within us in the saving knowledge of the Gospel which You have given us. In Your mercy and grace, guide us into all righteousness, conforming our lives to the image of Your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Lord, in Your mercy . . .

Hear our Prayer.

All authority belongs to You Lord God. You grant authority to whom You grant authority. Help us to obey all of Your commands and honor those whom You have appointed to positions of oversight. Be with all who are in positions of authority and be the One who leads them. Watch over our president, governor, and all who are in authority. Lead our bishop, dean, and all pastors to rightly proclaim the Gospel You have given us. Lord, in Your mercy . . .

Hear our Prayer.

Great Physician, bring healing into our midst. Bind up those who are hurting, heal those who are sick, and let the truth of Your Gospel heal those who are estranged from You. Be with all care-givers and help them to be mindful of the tasks You have given them to do. Hear us now as we pray for those for whom we have concern, lifting their names up to You, whether spoken aloud or in the silence of our hearts. Lord, in Your mercy . . .\

Hear our Prayer.

Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

REMEMBERING THE SAINTS AT REST

As the names of those who have died during the past year are read, bells are rung.

GREETING OF PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

The people exchange signs of peace, all are seated.

Anthem:

“Blest Are They”

Words and Music by David Hass (b.1958)

Arrangement by David Hass and Michael Joncas (b. 1951)

MEAL

God of all creation, all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

COMMUNION

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit Be with you [all].

Amen.

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.

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, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

LAMB OF GOD

Sung by all.





you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

All are invited to commune.

COMMUNION VOLUNTARY

“Thy Holy Wings”
Setting by John Ferguson” (b. 1941)

All who are able, please stand.

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace now and forever. **Amen.**

COMMUNION HYMN

“Word of God, Come Down on Earth” ELW 510

PRAYER

Let us pray.

God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

SENDING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

SENDING HYMN

“Shall We Gather at the River” ELW 423

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SENDING VOLUNTARY

“Festal Song”

Setting by Seth Bingham (1882–1972)

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