WELCOME
to WORSHIP

St. Paul's United Church

(Kindersley, Saskatchewan)

Worship Leader: The Rev. Piotr Strzelecki

Musician: Clayton Braybrook

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WELCOME TO THIS COMMUNITY OF FAITH
to observe
ALL SAINTS DAY
and remember our dead

GREETING:

The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ,
the love of God and the presence of the Holy Spirit
be with you all
And also with you

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Today is the day in the life of the church
that we remember the saints.
Let's remember those who suffered
bringing the word of God to the world.
Let's remember those who lived
what appeared to be perfect, pious lives
bringing the word of God to the world.
But let's also remember that we are
God's saints here on earth,
sinners called to new life in Christ.

Yes, we are saints of God
because we have been called
to be living witnesses to God's purposes
here and now.
We have been set apart for God.
We know we are not perfect
but we are being transformed.
So come, let us worship together,
allowing the Holy Spirit
to continue our transformation.

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WE SING: "For All the Saints" (VU# 705)

WE ARE NOT ALONE:

The lighting of the Christ Candle ((Matthew 18:20/John 8:12)

Light creeps into the sky at dawn,
illuminating the early morn.
A single lamp glows and
brightens the room.
A flash of lightning across the evening sky
brings splendour to the night.
The Christ candle burning
on the communion table
brings radiance and delight to our worship.
We remember that Christ
is the Light of the World.
Thanks be to God!

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-- the candle is lit –

OPENING PRAYER

WE LEARN TOGETHER
(time with our younger brothers and sisters)

WE SING: “I Can Feel You Near Me God” (MV# 48)

WE READ FROM OUR SACRED STORY

Revelation 7:9-17
Matthew 5:1-12

Listen to what the Spirit is saying to the church.
May our hearts and ears be opened.

REFLECTION

WE SING:
“Come Touch Our Hearts” (MV# 12)

WE DEDICATE WHAT WE BRING:
Sometimes our offering seems so small compared to the needs of the world.
As a spark can roar into flame, we trust in your power to do more with them than we can ask or imagine. Amen.

OUR PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

WE SING:

"Jesus Christ is Waiting" (VU# 117)

PASTORAL BLESSING:

... and may the blessing of God,
The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit
Be with you now and always
Amen!

PASSING OF THE PEACE:

As you go from here, to share the Good News
with all those you will encounter,
as you go from here ...
may the Peace of the Lord be with you all.
And also with you.