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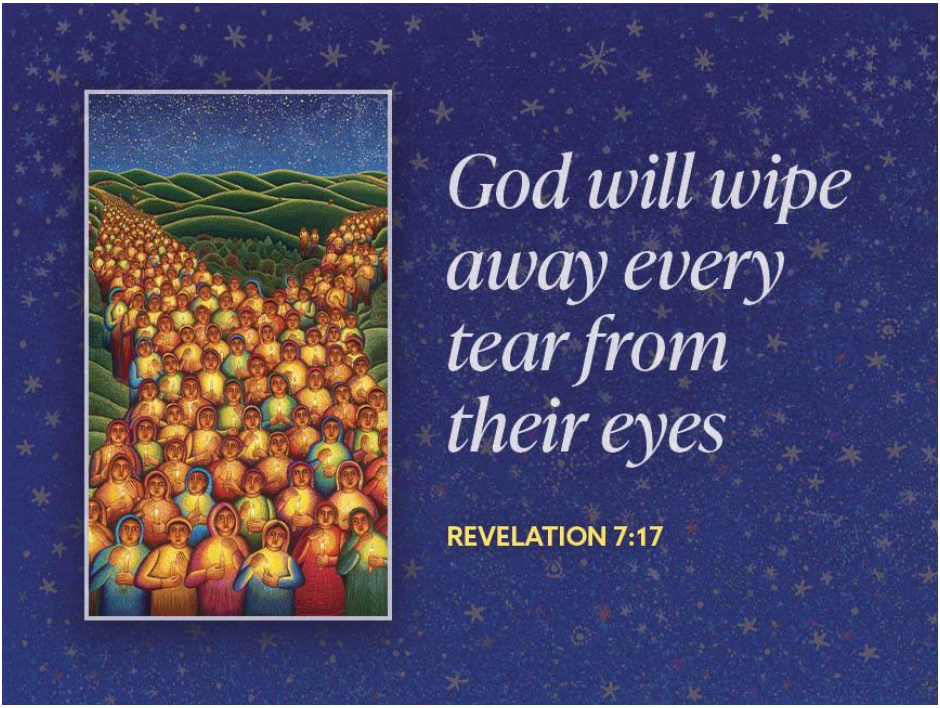
All Saints Sunday
November 1, 2026



All Saints celebrates the baptized people of God, living and dead, who are the body of Christ. As November heralds the dying of the landscape in many northern regions, the readings and liturgy call us to remember all who have died in Christ and whose baptism is complete. At the Lord's table we gather with the faithful of every time and place, trusting that the promises of God will be fulfilled and that all tears will be wiped away in the new Jerusalem.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God,
our dwelling place for all generations,
whose compassion never slumbers.
Amen.
Let us confess our sin in the presence of God
and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Holy God,
we confess that we have trusted in our preparation
instead of your invitation.
We prioritize our piety over care for your beloved.
We trust the voice of our shame and fear,
which keeps us from entering fully
into relationship with you and others.
We are not awake to the coming of your reign.
Rouse us and rescue us,
that we may enter into your joy.
Amen.
Inherit the riches of God's grace.
☩ Jesus, the good shepherd, feeds you with his mercy.
You are forgiven.
Blessed are you.
Amen.

PROCESSION OF REMEMBRANCE

GATHERING HYMN - FOR ALL THE SAINTS - VS. 1-4 **422**

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!

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!

Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine,
we feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
yet all are one in thee, for all are thine.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

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!

Text: William W. How, 1823-1897

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.

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.**

FIRST READING – Revelation 7:9-17

9 After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one
could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and
languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb,
robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. 10 They cried
out in a loud voice, saying,
"Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne
and to the Lamb!"
11 And all the angels stood 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 singing,
"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, robed in white, and where have they come from?"

14 I said to him, “Sir, you are the one who knows.” Then he said
to me, “These are they who have come out of the great ordeal;
they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood
of the Lamb.
15 For this reason they are before the throne of God
and worship him day and night within his temple,
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.
16 They will hunger no more and thirst no more;
the sun will not strike them,
nor any scorching heat,
17 for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their
shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of
life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

Word of God, Word of Life.
Thanks be to God.

PSALM 34:1-10, 22

1 I will bless the LORD at all times;
the praise of God shall ever be in my mouth.
2 **I will glory in the LORD;**
let the lowly hear and rejoice.
3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD;
let us exalt God’s name together.
4 **I sought the LORD, who answered me**
and delivered me from all my terrors.
5 Look upon the LORD and be radiant,
and let not your faces be ashamed.
6 **I called in my affliction, and the LORD heard me**
and saved me from all my troubles.
7 The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear the
LORD and delivers them.
8 **Taste and see that the LORD is good;**
happy are they who take refuge in God!
9 Fear the LORD, you saints of the LORD,
for those who fear the LORD lack nothing.
10 **The lions are in want and suffer hunger,**
but those who seek the LORD lack nothing that is good.
22 O LORD, you redeem the life of your servants,
and those who put their trust in you will not be punished.

SECOND READING – 1 JOHN 3:1-3

1 See what love the Father has given us, that we should be
called children of God, and that is what we are. The reason the
world does not know us is that it did not know him. 2 Beloved, we
are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been
revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will
be like him, for we will see him as he is. 3 And all who have this
hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

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GOSPEL - MATTHEW 5:1-12

The Gospel according to Matthew, the fifth chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord.

1 When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and
after he sat down, his disciples came to him. 2 And he began to
speak and taught them, saying:
3 "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of
heaven.
4 "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
5 "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
6 "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
for they will be filled.
7 "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.
8 "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
9 "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called
children of God.
10 "Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of
righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
11 "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute
you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.
12 Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in
the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before
you."

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

SERMON - Pastor Jon

HYMN OF THE DAY - FAITH OF OUR FATHERS - VS. 1-3 **812**

Faith of our fathers, living still
in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword.
Oh, how our hearts beat high with joy
whene'er we hear that glorious word.

Faith of our fathers, holy faith,
we will be true to thee till death.

The martyrs, chained in prisons dark,
were still in heart and conscience free;
and blest would be their children's fate
if they, like them, should die for thee.

Faith of our fathers, holy faith,
we will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our fathers! We will love
both friend and foe in all our strife;
proclaim thee too, as love knows how,
by saving word and faithful life.

Faith of our fathers, holy faith,
we will be true to thee till death.

Text: Frederick W. Faber, 1814-1863, alt.

APOSTLES' CREED

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION - RESPONSE: Hear our prayer.

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

PASSING OF THE PEACE

OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERING HYMN - SPECIAL MUSIC

OFFERING PRAYER

Eternal God,
our time, talents, and treasures are gifts from you.
Receive what we offer,
and all that you entrust to us,
until hungry no more, all the world is fed,
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY **P. 144**
Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of pow'r and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION HYMN - SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER **423**
Shall we gather at the river,
where bright angel feet have trod,
with its crystal tide forever
flowing by the throne of God?

Yes, we'll gather at the river,
the beautiful, the beautiful river;
gather with the saints at the river
that flows by the throne of God.

On the margin of the river,
washing up its silver spray,
we will walk and worship ever,
all the happy golden day.

Yes, we'll gather at the river,
the beautiful, the beautiful river;
gather with the saints at the river
that flows by the throne of God.

Ere we reach the shining river,
lay we ev'ry burden down;
grace our spirits will deliver,
and provide a robe and crown.

Yes, we'll gather at the river,
the beautiful, the beautiful river;
gather with the saints at the river
that flows by the throne of God.

Soon we'll reach the shining river,
soon our pilgrimage will cease;
soon our happy hearts will quiver
with the melody of peace.

Yes, we'll gather at the river,
the beautiful, the beautiful river;
gather with the saints at the river
that flows by the throne of God.

Text: Robert Lowry, 1826-1899

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Holy God,
we have received your never-ending mercy in this meal.
You continuously seek the lost,
bind the injured,
and feed your people abundantly.

Now send us out,
awake to your presence,
now and forever.
Amen.

COMMUNITY LIFE ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

SENDING HYMN - WE PRAISE YOU, O GOD **870**

We praise you, O God, our redeemer, creator;
in grateful devotion our tribute we bring.
We lay it before you; we kneel and adore you;
we bless your holy name; glad praises we sing.

We worship you, God of our fathers and mothers;
through trial and tempest our guide you have been.
When perils o'ertake us, you will not forsake us,
and with your help, O Lord, our struggles we win.

With voices united our praises we offer
and gladly our songs of thanksgiving we raise.
With you, Lord, beside us,
your strong arm will guide us.
To you, our great redeemer, forever be praise!

Text: Julia C. Cory, 1882-1963

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Encourage one another.
Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Announcements

Statistics
Attendance last Sunday, October 25 was 65.
Online: 8

This week's offerings to General Fund: $4711.24
Received online: $335.83

Upcoming Dates:

November 5	Chair Yoga New Session Starts - 3:45 PM
November 8	CSLC 60th Anniversary
November 14	Women's Bible Study - 9:30 AM
November 15	Commitment Sunday
November 21	Men's Breakfast - 9:00 AM
	Come Tie with Us - 9:30 AM
November 22	Joint Service at Eternal Flame - 11:00 AM
	Thanksgiving Potluck to follow
November 25	Thanksgiving Eve/Pie Fest - 7:00 PM
November 26	Happy Thanksgiving
November 28	Women's Bible Study - 9:30 AM

Chair Yoga
We have a new session of Chair Yoga starting on November 5th at 3:45 PM and will run thru December 17th. (no class November 26). Cost is $72. Look for the sign-up sheet in the narthex.

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST THE SERVANT

Today: Sunday, November 1 – All Saints Day
8:30 AM - Bible Study
9:30 AM - Worship
10:30 AM - Fellowship
Monday, November 2
9:00 AM - Package Bread and Delivery
10:30 AM - Book Club
12:00 PM - Piecemakers (FH)
Tuesday, November 3
7:00 AM - Bread Preparation (FH)
8:30 AM - Bread Distribution (FH)
6:30 PM - AA (FH)
6:45 PM - Lake Country Chorus Practice
Wednesday, November 4
10:00 AM - Bible Study (FH)
6:00 PM - Youth
7:00 PM - AA Meeting (Class A)
Thursday, November 5
3:45 PM - Chair Yoga
Friday, November 6

Saturday, November 7
12:00 PM - UCG Church (S/K/FH)
Sunday, November 8 – 24th Sunday after Pentecost
60th Anniversary Celebration
8:30 AM - Bible Study
9:30 AM - Worship
10:30 AM - Fellowship

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY! THANK YOU!

Greeter: Katie Wright
Ushers: Tigges Family
Reader: Peter S.
Sound Booth: Tim, Tom, Peter, Kim, Tony
Communion Assistants: OPEN
Musician: Gaye, Tony & Carol
Coffee Servers: OPEN
Cub Bread Pickup: Jan J.
Counters: Linda W. & Sue W.
Flowers: From Kathy P. in celebration of Jenna's birthday.

PRAYER REQUESTS…

We pray for those in need of healing and mercy:
Kayla, (Tasha's friend), Norma, (Leila's Mother), Jennifer C. (best friend of Angie M), Brian I. (son of Pam I.), Salomie (sister-in-law of Peter S.), Patty W. (sister of Mike W.), Clarice, Jean A, Anne, Peter, Shawn and Ken (relatives of Kathy P.), Pat S., Katie W.

We pray for our service men and women:
Laiden S (deployed to Germany)

(Please call the church office with prayer concerns or updates.)

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