

SUNDAY WORSHIP

TRADITIONAL SERVICE | 8:30 AM

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LUTHERAN CHURCH
of the
RESURRECTION

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2 - ALL SAINTS

Prelude - “Prelude in C major, BWV 552” (J.S. Bach)

Welcome | Call to Worship

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Pastor: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good,

Congregation: ... his steadfast love endures forever. (*Psalm 136:1*)

Resurrection Choir - “Abide With Me” (G. M. Martin; dir. Kent Keating)

Brief Order of Confession

Pastor: My friends, in Jesus Christ we have a Lord who knows us and understands the challenges we face. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find the strength we need to move forward in faith. (*Hebrews 4*)

...silence for reflection...

Congregation: Most merciful God, we confess that we often dismiss the faith that lives within us and wander away from the truth. We are quick to use the gifts of creation without care or concern for those yet to come. We often ignore the struggles, loneliness and vulnerability of others in favor of our own wants and desires. For the sake of 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.

Pastor: God who is rich in mercy has revealed his love for us in Jesus Christ. We no longer stand separated from God, but in Christ we receive forgiveness and by the Holy Spirit we are strengthened by his presence. Your sins are forgiven in the name of Jesus.

Congregation: Thanks be to God! | ALL: Amen

Gathering Song - “Rise Up, O Saints of God” (ELW #669)

Greeting

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

Congregation: And also with you.

Hymn of Praise - “O Christ, Our Hope” (ELW #604, v. 1, 5)

Prayer of the Day

Pastor: 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.

Congregation: Amen



Children's Message

First Reading - Ephesians 1:11-23

Gospel Acclamation - "Christ, Be Our Light" (ELW #715, refrain only)

Gospel - Luke 6:20-31

Message - Pr. Jeff Frohner

All Saints Remembrance - *Come forward to light a candle in memory of your loved ones.*

Hymn of the Day - "For All the Saints" (ELW #422, v. 1, 2, 6)

Apostles' Creed | Prayers of the People

Pastor: Lord in your mercy...

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Sharing the Peace | Thanksgiving for Offerings | I.G.N.I.T.E.

Holy Communion | Words of Institution | Lord's Prayer

All: 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

Communion Blessing

Pastor: Now may the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, strengthen you now and for life everlasting.

Congregation: Amen

Canticle - "How Firm a Foundation" (ELW #796 vs. 1-2)

Announcements | Benediction

Sending Song - "Shall We Gather At the River" (ELW #423)

Dismissal

Pastor: "Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?'

Congregation: And I said, 'Here am I; send me!'"

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Postlude - "Lied, Op. 35, No. 1" (Josephine Lang (1815-1880))

THANKS TO THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY!

Worship Team: Pastor Jeff Frohner, Pastor Nate Montover

Cantor: Laura Lovseth | **Organ & Piano:** Tracy Qian

Greeters: Danielle & Craig Horak | **Ushers:** Robert & Carolyn Shay

Tech Team: Evelyn & Les Beck, Ralph Kendrick | **Nursery:** Jenni Ringwald

Café Hosts: Mary Jo & Roger Carlson, Kent Stock | **Donut Runner:** Larry & Marcia Edwards

Counters: Audrey Dolphin, Clark Gull, Darlene McGovern

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Gathering Song

“RISE UP, O SAINTS OF GOD”

Rise up, O saints of God!
From vain ambitions turn;
Christ rose triumphant that your hearts
with nobler zeal might burn.

Speak out, O saints of God!
Despair engulfs earth's frame;
as heirs of God's baptismal grace,
the word of hope proclaim.

Rise up, O saints of God!
The kingdom's task embrace;
redress sin's cruel consequence;
give justice larger place.

Give heed, O saints of God!
Creation cries in pain;
stretch forth your hand of healing now,
with love the weak sustain.

Commit your hearts to seek
the paths which Christ has trod;
and, quickened by the Spirit's pow'r,
rise up, O saints of God!

Hymn of Praise

“O CHRIST, OUR HOPE”

O Christ, our hope, our hearts' desire
creation's mighty Lord,
redeemer of the fallen world,
by holy love outpoured,
by holy love outpoured:

All praise to you, ascended Lord;
all glory ever be
to Father, Son, and Spirit blest
through all eternity, through all eternity!

Gospel Acclamation

“CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT”

*Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts.
Shine through the darkness.
Christ, be our light!
Shine in your church gathered today.*



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Hymn of the Day **“FOR ALL THE SAINTS”**

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!

But then there breaks a yet more glorious day:
the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of glory passes on his way.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Canticle **“HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION”**

How firm a foundation, O saints of the Lord,
is laid for your faith in Christ Jesus, the Word!
What more can he say than to you he has said
who unto the Savior for refuge have fled?

"Fear not, I am with you, oh, be not dismayed,
for I am your God and will still give you aid;
I'll strengthen you, help you,
and cause you to stand,
upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand."

J. S. Bach Fun fact:

Although this piece is known as one of the “Eight Little Preludes and Fugues,” they probably weren’t written by Bach himself. Most scholars now believe that they were probably composed by one of his students, Johann Tobias Krebs. Do you think it sounds like a composition by Bach himself?

Sending Song **“SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER”**

Shall we gather at the river,
where bright angel feet have trod,
with its crystal tide forever
flowing by the throne of God?

chorus:

***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.

~ chorus ~

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

~ chorus ~

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

~ chorus ~

Josephine Lang Fun fact:

Lang grew up in Munich surrounded by music. By the age of 11, she was already composing her own songs and performing piano works in public. Both Felix Mendelssohn and Clara Schumann were champions of her works. She wrote over 150 Lied (art songs) and her music blends lyrical beauty with Romantic poetry by writers like Eichendorff and Geibel. She set many of these texts before some of her more famous male contemporaries did!