

**Holy Cross Lutheran Church Minneapolis
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Minneapolis, MN 55407**



**ALL SAINTS SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 6, 2022**

Silent Prayer Before Worship: 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.

Hymnals: *Evangelical Lutheran Worship (ELW, the red cover hymnal), The Lutheran Hymnal (TLH, blue hardcover hymnal), and With One Voice (WOV, blue paperback cover)*

Today's Order of Service is TLH page 5.

Welcome

Opening Hymn, TLH 468, "For All Thy Saints, O Lord"

Invocation

Confession of Sins and Forgiveness

Gloria Patri

Kyrie

Gloria in Excelsis

Salutation

Collect of the Day

We pray, O LORD, that we might be able to recognize that we, like the believers who live with You in heaven, are Your saints...not because of the good things we have done, but

because of Your love that reigns in our hearts. Thank You for this most wonderful of gifts! Amen.

Old Testament Reading, Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18 (NIV)

Daniel's vision concludes that God's people will receive His Kingdom

In the first year of Belshazzar king of Babylon, Daniel had a dream, and visions passed through his mind as he was lying in bed. He wrote down the substance of his dream.

Daniel said: "In my vision at night I looked, and there before me were the four winds of heaven churning up the great sea. Four great beasts, each different from the others, came up out of the sea ... "I, Daniel, was troubled in spirit, and the visions that passed through my mind disturbed me. I approached one of those standing there and asked him the meaning of all this.

"So he told me and gave me the interpretation of these things: 'The four great beasts are four kings that will rise from the earth. But the holy people of the Most High will receive the kingdom and will possess it forever – yes, for ever and ever.'

L: Here ends the reading.

Epistle, Ephesians 1:11-23 (NIV)

Paul continues praying for others in Ephesus who know Jesus.

In [God] we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of Him Who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of His will, in order that we, who were the first to put our hope in Christ, might be for the praise of His glory. And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in Him with a seal, the promised

Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession – to the praise of His glory.

For this reason, ever since I heard about your faith in the LORD Jesus and your love for all God's people, I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers. I keep asking that the God of our LORD Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know Him better. I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which He has called you, the riches of His glorious inheritance in His holy people, and His incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength He exerted when He raised Christ from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly realms, far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come. And God placed all things under His feet and appointed Him to be head over everything for the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him Who fills everything in every way.

L: Here ends the reading.

Alleluia

Holy Gospel, Luke 24:1–12 (NIV)

Luke's version of the Beatitudes ("Blessed are...")

P: The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 6th chapter.

C: (sung) Glory be to Thee, O LORD.

Looking at His disciples, [Jesus] said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the Kingdom of God.

Blessed are you who hunger now, for you will be satisfied.
Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

Blessed are you when people hate you, when they exclude you and insult you and reject your name as evil, because of the Son of Man.

“Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, because great is your reward in heaven. For that is how their ancestors treated the prophets.

“But woe to you who are rich, for you have already received your comfort. Woe to you who are well fed now, for you will go hungry. Woe to you who laugh now, for you will mourn and weep. Woe to you when everyone speaks well of you, for that is how their ancestors treated the false prophets.

“But to you who are listening I say: Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. If someone slaps you on one cheek, turn to them the other also. If someone takes your coat, do not withhold your shirt from them. Give to everyone who asks you, and if anyone takes what belongs to you, do not demand it back. Do to others as you would have them do to you.”

P: Here ends the Gospel.

C: (sung) Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Apostles Creed

Remembering Our Saints

Sandy Berg, Matt Bristol, Bob Dean, Vicky Dean, Ed Grimm, Lilly Grimm, Mike Gorski, Elmer Horrmann, Vira Horrmann, Mark Newfield, Anna Nitz, Gloria (Horrmann) Noetzelman, Howard Rosene, Evelyn Rosene, Evelyn Sand, Joseph Sorenson, Alda Sorenson, Ken Sorenson, Dick Swanson.

Hymn, TLH 463, verses 1, 2, 6, 7, "For All the Saints"

Sermon, "

"The holy people of the Most High will receive the Kingdom and will possess it forever – yes, for ever and ever." – Daniel 7:18

The Offertory, "Create in Me"

Offering (*The plate is available in the back of the church.*)

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Closing Hymn, TLH 465, verses 1 & 4 "Christ Is Our Cornerstone"

Spoken Announcements

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Statistics

Attendance on Sunday (10/30) was 40. The total offering was \$1,311 including \$50 for the Sharing Pantry and \$100 for Use of Building.

All Saints Sunday

Today is All Saint's Sunday. It is a good time to look back and remember those special people (Saints) in our lives who have helped us on our way to where we are today in our faith. We will remember them in our worship today.

Celebrations

Happy Birthday to Jude Yeager (11/6), Paul Brammer (11/6) and Donna Daniels (11/7), Anneliese Tatham (11/10), Keith Lange (11/10), Amelia Erickson (11/12), Darcy Tatham (11/12), Marsha Katasonova (11/12) and Carol Rusk (11/24).

Happy Anniversary to Lyle and Carol Horrmann (11/6), and Jason and Jaime Lustfield (11/8)

Complimentary Tickets

On the table in the back of the sanctuary you will find free tickets to the Minneapolis Gift & Art Expo at the Minneapolis Convention Center. Today is the last day.

Pillar of Warmth and Love

We are once again collecting new or gently used hats, scarves, mittens and warm socks for the Holy Cross pillar throughout the winter. Your donations are greatly appreciated. The collection bin is in the Family room. We'll start putting items out in mid-December when the really cold weather sets in. *Hands in Ministry*

Veterans Day

November 11, is set aside to honor veterans – those who have served in the military forces. We remember the following members of Holy Cross (past and present) who have served:

Army: Bob Baago, Bob Dean, Guy Dibble, Howard Kise, Phil Phelon, Dick Schiller, Ed Copeland, Dave Schlueter.

Air Force: Dale Groenke, Keith Lange, Margaret Schiller (Royal Air Force).

Marines: David Platt

Navy: Errol Sorenson

SERVING THE LORD

Today, November 6

November Altar Guild: Carol Rusk
November Elder: Jim Likely
Choir Director: David Hinrichs
Choir Accompanist: Wendy Kofoot
Counters: Lynn Oolman & Sandi Likely
Lector: Kimberly Blomberg
Organist: Julie Wright
Interim Pastor: Rev. Don Mulfinger
Recorder: James Blomberg
Treats: Arlene Kise
Ushers: Lynn Oolman & Andy Tatham

Next Sunday, November 13

November Altar Guild: Carol Rusk
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Counters: Adam Horrmann & Gail Klatt
Lector: Linda Scanlon
Organist: Julie Wright
Interim Pastor: Rev. Don Mulfinger
Recorder: James Blomberg
Treats: Open
Ushers: Tim Phelon & Keith Lange