

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

November 1, 2020 All Saints Sunday

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP- Revelation 7:9-10

Leader: 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.

People: They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!"

Leader: Today our voices join this ongoing heavenly hymn of praise. In Jesus' name, let us worship God.

*HYMN #747

1 Lead on, O King eternal, the day of march has come; henceforth in fields of conquest your tents will be our home. Through days of preparation your grace has made us strong; and now, O King eternal, we lift our battle song.

2 Lead on, O King eternal, till sin's fierce war shall cease, and holiness shall whisper the sweet amen of peace.

*OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN #751

1 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!

2 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. Lead On, O King Eternal

Liturgist: Maggie Brockman

For not with swords' loud clashing or roll of stirring drums with deeds of love and mercy the heavenly kingdom comes.

3 Lead on, O King eternal; we follow, not with fears, for gladness breaks like morning where'er your face appears. Your cross is lifted o'er us, we journey in its light; the crown awaits the conquest; lead on, O God of might.!

For All the Saints

Alleluia! Alleluia!

5 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! 6 From earth's wide bounds And ocean's farthest coast, Through gates of pearl stream in the countless host, singing Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: Alleluia!

GUIDED PRAYER

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - Apostle's Creed

Leader: Christian, what do you believe?

People: 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 to the dead. 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.

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Marge Mills

READING OF THE NECROLOGY

ANTHEM "Wonderous Love" H. DeCou

WORSHIPING GOD WITH OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

*Doxology- Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him all creatures here below:

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

SCRIPTURE: Colossians 3: 12-17

Pastor: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

SERMON: "A New Wardrobe"

Colossians: All Because of Jesus

And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. — Colossians 3:14

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Words of Introduction, Invitation, Institution Partaking of the Communion Elements Closing

Love Divine, All Loves Exceling

*CLOSING HYMN #558

1 Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of heaven to earth come down: fix in us thy humble dwelling, all thy faithful mercies crown: Jesus, thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art; visit us with thy salvation, enter every trembling heart.

2 Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit into every troubled breast; let us all in thee inherit, let us find the promised rest: take away the love of sinning; Alpha and Omega be; End of faith, as its Beginning, set our hearts at liberty.

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

3 Come, Almighty to deliver, let us all thy life receive; suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave. Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above, pray and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

4 Finish, then, thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be: let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee; changed from glory into glory, 'til in heaven we take our place, 'til we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise.