



**Lord of Life**  
Lutheran Church



*Loved by God,  
Sent to Serve.*

**All Saints Sunday  
November 6, 2022  
8:00 am**

**Evangelical Lutheran Worship**  
Setting Four

**GATHERING**

*The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.*

**Prelude: “Take My Life, That I May Be”**

**TOMA MI VOLUNTAD**  
**Setting, Hiram Titus**

**A Responsive Call to Worship for All Saints Day**

*(Hebrews 12: 1)*

We remember, O God...

**The countless saints of history who have blazed a trail of courage through time,**

We remember, O God...

**The tender touch of loved ones, the example of heroes, the healing words of comforters, the remarkable acts of fearless ones.**

We remember, O God...

**The gentle strength of grandmothers, the loyalty of friends, the kindness of strangers, the joy of children, the sacrifice of parents.**

We remember, O God...

**The supreme love of Jesus, the blessing of his Spirit, the reminder of his words, the sharing of his suffering, the glory of his resurrection: shown forth in the lives of his disciples, young and old, dead and living, articulate and silent, strange and familiar, brilliant and ordinary.**

We remember in every time and place the saints of God who have shown us the Lord.

*Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses... let us worship God with joy!*

- 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.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 3 Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine,  
we feebly struggle, they in glory shine;  
yet all are one in thee, for all are thine.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 4 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!
- 5 The golden evening brightens in the west;  
soon, soon to faithful servants cometh rest;  
sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 6 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!
- 7 From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,  
through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,  
singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

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Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872-1958

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## 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.**

## **Kyrie**

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**Amen.**

## **Canticle of Praise**

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

**Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,**

**we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,**

**you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;**

**you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,**

**you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,**

**in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

## **Prayer of the Day**

Let us pray.

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.**

## WORD

*God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.*

### **First Reading: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18**

*The book of Daniel was written in the second century BCE, when the Syrian king Antiochus Epiphanes was severely persecuting the Jews. Daniel's vision of the four beasts proclaims that human kings will come and go, but the kingdom will ultimately belong to God and to God's people.*

<sup>1</sup>In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: <sup>2</sup>I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, <sup>3</sup>and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

<sup>15</sup>As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. <sup>16</sup>I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: <sup>17</sup>“As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. <sup>18</sup>But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever—forever and ever.”

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 149** (read responsively)

<sup>1</sup>Hallelujah! Sing to the LORD a new song, God's praise in the assembly of the faithful.

<sup>2</sup>**Let Israel rejoice in their maker; let the children of Zion be joyful in their ruler.**

<sup>3</sup>Let them praise their maker's name with dancing; let them sing praise with tambourine and harp.

<sup>4</sup>**For the LORD takes pleasure in the people and adorns the poor with victory.**

<sup>5</sup>Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; let them sing for joy on their beds.

<sup>6</sup>**Let the praises of God be in their throat and a two-edged sword in their hand,**

<sup>7</sup>to wreak vengeance on the nations and punishment on the peoples,

<sup>8</sup>**to bind their kings in chains and their nobles with links of iron,**

<sup>9</sup>to inflict on them the judgment decreed; this is glory for all God's faithful ones.  
Hallelujah!

## **Second Reading: Ephesians 1:11-23**

*After giving thanks for the faith of the Ephesians, the writer of this letter prays that they might understand the wisdom, hope, and power of God that is embodied in Jesus Christ.*

<sup>11</sup>In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, <sup>12</sup>so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. <sup>13</sup>In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; <sup>14</sup>this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

<sup>15</sup>I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason <sup>16</sup>I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. <sup>17</sup>I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, <sup>18</sup>so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, <sup>19</sup>and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. <sup>20</sup>God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, <sup>21</sup>far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. <sup>22</sup>And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, <sup>23</sup>which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

## **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of eternal life.

Alleluia.

## **Gospel: Luke 6:20-31**

The holy gospel according to Luke.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

*In echoes of the prophet Isaiah and Mary's song of praise, Jesus reveals surprising things about who enjoys blessing and who endures woe. He invites his disciples to shower radical love, blessing, forgiveness, generosity, and trust even on enemies and outsiders.*

<sup>20</sup>Then [Jesus] looked up at his disciples and said:

“Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.

<sup>21</sup>“Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled.

“Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

<sup>22</sup>“Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. <sup>23</sup>Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

<sup>24</sup>“But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.

<sup>25</sup>“Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry.

“Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep.

<sup>26</sup>“Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

<sup>27</sup>“But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, <sup>28</sup>bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. <sup>29</sup>If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. <sup>30</sup>Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. <sup>31</sup>Do to others as you would have them do to you.”

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Sermon**

**The Rev. Paul Amlin**

**Hymn of the Day: *Shall We Gather at the River***

**ELW 423**

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

## Refrain

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.

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

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

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

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## Reading of Names

### Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the virgin Mary, 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,

he is seated at the right hand of the Father,

and he will come 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.

### Prayers of Intercession

... Lord, in your mercy, **receive our prayer.**

... through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

### Sharing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

## MEAL

*God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.*

**Offertory Music: “*Sicilian Mariners*”**

**setting, Timothy Shaw**

**Offering: *Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful***

**ELW 184**

Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord,  
and fill to the brim our cup of blessing.  
Gather a harvest from the seeds that were sown,  
that we may be fed with the bread of life.  
Gather the hopes and dreams of all;  
unite them with the prayers we offer.  
Grace our table with your presence,  
and give us a foretaste of the feast to come.



Scan code to give now.

**Offering Prayer in Unison**

Let us pray.

**Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.**

**Amen.**

**Great Thanksgiving**

**Dialogue**

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.**

**Preface**

## **Holy, Holy, Holy**

Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might:  
Heav'n and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.

## **Thanksgiving at the Table**

### **Lord's Prayer**

*Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.*

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.

## **Invitation to Communion**

### **Lamb of God**

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;  
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;  
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;  
grant us peace, grant us peace.

- 1 When we are living, it is in Christ Jesus,  
and when we're dying, it is in the Lord.  
Both in our living and in our dying,  
we belong to God, we belong to God.
- 2 'Mid times of sorrow and in times of pain,  
when sensing beauty or in love's embrace,  
whether we suffer, or sing rejoicing,  
we belong to God, we belong to God.
- 3 Across this wide world, we shall always find  
those who are crying with no peace of mind;  
and when we help them, or when we feed them,  
we belong to God, we belong to God.

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Music: Spanish traditional

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## **Prayer after Communion**

Let us pray.

God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**Amen.**

## **SENDING**

*God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.*

## **Announcements**

### **Blessing**

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ☩ give you peace.

**Amen.**

## **Sending Song: *Oh, When the Saints Go Marching In***

- 1 Oh, when the saints go marching in,  
oh, when the saints go marching in,  
O Lord, I want to be in that number  
when the saints go marching in.
- 2 Oh, when the Lord in glory comes,  
oh, when the Lord in glory comes,  
O Lord, I want to be in that number  
when the Lord in glory comes.
- 3 Oh, when the new world is revealed,  
oh, when the new world is revealed,  
O Lord, I want to be in that number  
when the new world is revealed.
- 4 Oh, when they gather round the throne,  
oh, when they gather round the throne,  
Oh, Lord, I want to be in that number  
when they gather round the throne.
- 5 Oh, when they crown him King of kings,  
oh, when they crown him King of kings,  
O Lord, I want to be in that number  
when they crown him King of kings.
- 6 And on that hallelujah day,  
and on that hallelujah day,  
O Lord, I want to be in that number  
on that hallelujah day.

Text: African American Spiritual

Music: WHEN THE SAINTS African American Spiritual

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### **Dismissal**

Go in peace. Christ is with you.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Postlude: “As Saints of Old”**

**FOREST GREEN  
setting, Richard Lind**

## Announcements

### **Worship Online**

#### **Zoom:**

<https://bit.ly/2PvSCQJ>  
Meeting ID: 563 582 7371  
Passcode: Luther

#### **Phone in at:**

(312) 626-6799  
Meeting ID: 563 582 7371  
Passcode: 456037

### **Altar Flowers**

Today's altar flowers are provided Sam and Sue Deaver in honor of all veterans.

### **This Week at Lord of Life**

Today	8:00 AM	Worship in-person or online
	9:00 AM	Breakfast with the Saints
	10:30 AM	Worship NOW in-person or online
Monday, November 7	7:00 PM	Julien Chamber Choir Rehearsal
Tuesday, November 8	6:30 PM	Council Meeting
Wednesday, November 9	6:00 PM	Confirmation
Thursday, November 10	6:30 PM	Stephen Ministry
Saturday, November 12	8:30 AM	Men's Breakfast
		Julien Chamber Choir Rehearsal

### **Breakfast with the Saints**

Join us this morning between services in the fellowship area downstairs.

### **Cross-Generational Sunday School**

Cross Generational Sunday School is November 13th. We will follow up on Breakfast with the Saints with a theme of Remembering the Saints. We will test our memories, talk about who is a Saint, and open our Bibles to learn about the Beatitudes. All ages are invited to join in the fun. Meet in the sanctuary at 9:15 am.

### **Youth Event**

Youth (6th grade and up) are invited to join us for a game day Sunday, November 13th from 2-3:30pm. Friends from St. Peter's Lutheran church will be meeting up with us at Lord of Life. We will play a variety of group games. Come play some new games and meet some new friends!

## Choir Concert at Lord of Life

Julien Chamber Choir, under the direction of Kristen Eby and accompanied by Jill Klinebriel, presents their fall concert “Vices and Virtues” on Sunday, November 13 at 4 PM at Lord of Life Lutheran Church. The 20-voice ensemble will perform a variety of styles and genres, including works by Hassler, Chilcott, Lauridsen, and Rutter. Freewill donations accepted.

### Prayer List

Jake & Susan Ohms  
Dan & Denise Philippi  
Ann Philippi  
Barry & Mary Pickart  
Scott & Liza Pollitt and family  
Alex & Cassie Renken and family  
Ken & Christine Resch

### Servants:

#### Sunday November 6

	<b>Tech</b>	<b>Assisting</b>	<b>Reader</b>	<b>Ushers</b>
<b>8:00 AM</b>	Nate Frambach	Diane Frambach	Diane Frambach	Deckers
<b>10:30 AM</b>			Karla Wildberger Teresa Troftgruben	

#### Sunday November 13

<b>8:00 AM</b>		Susan Hansen	Jenn Cartee	Deavers
<b>10:30 AM</b>	Nate Frambach Timothy Troftgruben	Joan Cram	Adalyn Mairet Kris Erickson Eipperle	Autumn Wiedenman Mona Sorenson

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