Peace Lutheran Church

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ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

November 6, 2022

As We Gather You are not alone—never have been, never will be! In His faithfulness to you, your heavenly Father has promised to never leave you nor forsake you! As you gather in His name on this All Saints' Sunday, the triune God fills you with His presence through His Word and through the body and blood of Christ in Holy Communion. In a mysterious way, this fellowship you have with God also unites you to all believers of every time and place. That's what you confess when you say you believe "in the communion of saints." You are not alone! You are a member of the Body of Christ! You are part of a community that is eternally blessed by Jesus and lives to confess His name before the world!

Attention Visitors We celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion this morning. This holy meal is intended for Christians who acknowledge their need of God's forgiveness in their lives. The Bible teaches that Christ's body and blood are received with the elements of bread and wine and that Christians need to examine themselves before receiving this holy meal. (1Cor. 10 & 11). This meal further expresses a unity of faith as we gather at one table to receive the assurance of God's forgiveness through the body and blood of our Lord in the sacrament. We welcome baptized Christians to commune with us, those who believe and confess this same faith and understanding of the sacrament and of the Christian life. Persons who desire to receive grape juice select from the darker glasses. If you have any further questions concerning the sacrament, please ask to speak to the Pastor.

<u>Hearing aids and large print bulletins are available.</u> If you would like a hearing aid or large print bulletin please see an usher.

A special welcome to those with young children. If needed, a cry room is located near the church entryway complete with a window and sound so you may fully participate in worship. If you need guidance please see an usher.

RINGING OF THE BELL

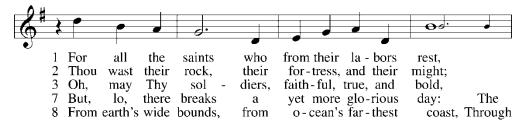
PRELUDE

WELCOME

+ PREPARATION +

OPENING HYMN

"For All the Saints"









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INVOCATION and OPENING VERSICLES

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Pastor: Behold a great multitude standing before the throne.

People: Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne,

and to the Lamb.

Pastor: Blessed are the poor in spirit,

People: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Revelation 7:9–10; Matthew 5:3

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Let us confess our sins to God our Father.

(There is silence to call to mind your sins.)

Pastor: Almighty God,

People: our heavenly Father, we, Your children,

confess to You all our sin and waywardness in

thought, word, and deed, by which we have denied that we belong to You as well as to one another in

Your holy Christian Church. Forgive us for not

following the example of those faithful saints,

Christians near and far who have come and gone

before us. Forgive us and renew us in the great hope

of living as Your children both now and in eternity.

Pastor: "As far as the east is from the west", so far has God

removed our transgressions from us. This is the

message of the Gospel, the Good News we proclaim and

believe. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

HYMN

"Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise



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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

+THE WORD OF GOD+

(Sealed for E	NG Revelation 7:9-17 Eternity)
	This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.
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_	This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.



HANDBELL CHOIR "Morning Canticle"

HOLY GOSPEL..... Matthew 5:1-12 (*Blest are they*)

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the 5th

chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord!

(The Gospel is read.)

Pastor: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

People: Praise to You O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Behold a Host, Arrayed in White"



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MESSAGE

Always Just A Breath Away: Everybody Wants To Go To Heaven, But Nobody Wants To Die To Get There All Saints' Sunday Pastor Rob Rebensal

CONFESSION OF FAITH (Apostles' Creed)

(The Apostles' Creed is a confession of the saving faith we were baptized into)

All: I believe in God, the Father Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, his 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 into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From thence he will come to judge the living and

the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Holy Christian Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERING

(Please sign and fill out the fellowship book and pass it down your pew. When finished, pass it back down your pew to the center aisle seat and the ushers will pick it up after the service.)

VOLUNTARY

OFFERTORY

"Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful"



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REMEMBRANCE OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Pastor: In joyful expectation of the resurrection to life eternal, we

remember before the Lord our departed family and friends who have gone before us in faith and all those

who are in our hearts and minds this day.

(Silence for Remembrance)

Pastor: We remember those who were near and dear to our

congregation who have departed this life in the past year

and are with the Lord today:

Ken Haugrud Al Johnson Liliana Baehr

Verna Rawlinson Gertrud Stenke

Bob Mucica Edith Braukis Dorothy Lewis Kirk Meyer

Pastor Matt Sullivan

Pastor: Let us pray.

Almighty God, we remember with thanksgiving those who loved and served You in Your Church on earth and now rest from their labors. Keep us in fellowship with all Your saints, and bring us at last to the joy of Your

heavenly kingdom; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and

reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

+ SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION +

PREFACE

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

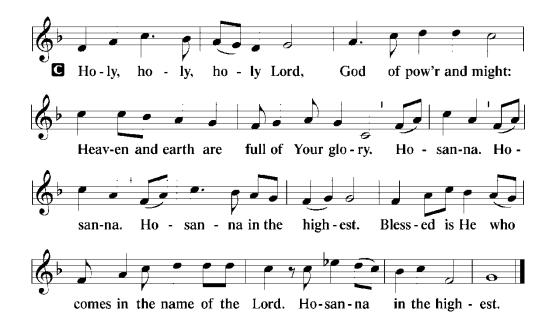
People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

Pastor:

It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. In the communion of all Your saints gathered into the one body of Your Son, You have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses that we, encouraged by their faith and strengthened by their fellowship, may run with perseverance the race that is set before us and, together with them, receive the crown of glory that does not fade away. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

SANCTUS



THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor: Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray.

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.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PEACE OF THE LORD

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: And also with you.

(Please be seated)

AGNUS DEI

"The Lamb"



HYMNS DURING DISTRIBUTION

"By All Your Saints in Warfare"



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"I'm But a Stranger Here"



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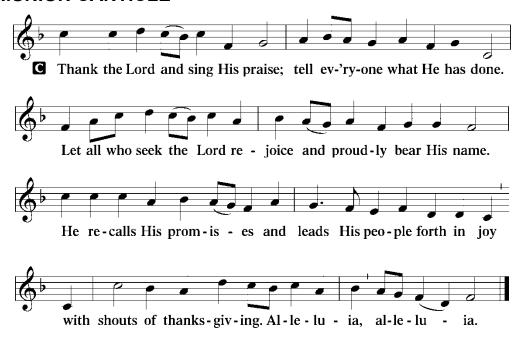
"How Great Thou Art"



"Come, We That Love the Lord"



POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE



POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

Pastor: For all the saints who from their labors rest, **People: all thanks and praise be to You, O God.**

Pastor: For the love that has made us children of God,

People: all thanks and praise be to You, O God.

Pastor: For the hope laid up for us in heaven,

People: all thanks and praise be to You, O God. Amen.

BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make

His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

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

People: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

"Jerusalem the Golden"



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

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Altar Flowers: Given to the glory of God by Bill and Linda Young and in celebration of their 51st anniversary.

Attendance on 10/30/22: 9:00–73 11:00–29 Total: 102 Sunday School–10

THOSE WHO SERVE US TODAY November 6, 2022

9:00 am <u>11:00 am</u>

Elder: Dave Schmidt Dave Hutter/Phil Hamilton

Greeters: Susan Klein

Readers: Bill Young Stacy Hunter

Acolyte: Lucas Williamson Ushers: Scott Klittich

Steve Rusch Mike Elbert

Altar Care: Lori Schultze/Irene Hutchison Rachael Ylizaliturri/Jane Morici

Organist: Karen Foote

Choir Director: Linda La Jeunesse

THOSE WHO SERVE US NEXT SUNDAY NOVEMBER 13, 2022

<u>9:00 am</u> <u>11:00 am</u>

Elder: Dave Schmidt Dave Hutter/Phil Hamilton

Greeters: Carol Yung

Readers: Linda Young Jeff Magill

Acolyte: Michelle Ullerick
Ushers: Blaine Wanke

Henry Andermann

Todd Harter

Altar Care: Lori Schultze/Irene Hutchison Rachael Ylizaliturri/Jane Morici

Organist: Karen Foote

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THIS WEEK AT PEACE November 6, 2022

Today: 9:00 am Traditional Communion Service

11:00 am Praise Service (FH)

9:20 am Sunday School

10:00 am Adult Bible Study (Coffeehouse)

12:15 pm VOTER'S MEETING

1:30 pm New Life Christian Fellowship

4:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)

Monday: Office Closed

Tuesday: 10:00 am Women's Bible Study

Wednesday: 10:00 am Luther's Attic Volunteers

6:00 pm High School Bible Study

6:30 pm A.C.A. Women's Support Group

Thursday: 6:45 am Men's Bible Study

9:30 am Thursday Morning Bible Study 10:00 am LifeLight Bible Study via Zoom

5:45 am Handbell Rehearsal 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

Sunday 11/13: 9:00 am Traditional Service

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9:20 am Sunday School

10:00 am Adult Bible Study (Coffeehouse)1:30 pm New Life Christian Fellowship

4:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF November 6, 2022

<u>TUESDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY</u> will meet at 10am. Our study of the book of "Daniel" has resumed. For more info, contact Connie @ 805-987-5116.

<u>MEN'S BIBLE STUDY</u>- This study is on "Politics Is Driving Me Crazy!" on Thursdays, 6:45am with breakfast in the Fellowship Hall. Join us. For more info, call Dave Hutter @ (805)386-7007.

THE LIFELIGHT BIBLE STUDY If you would like to join this study of the book of "Hebrews", please contact Diana Wanke at: (805)490-8212.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY meets @ 9:30AM in rotating homes, with a study of the "Gospel of John." If you have any questions please call Dave Schmidt at: 805-482-3867.

PRAYER CHAIN- If you have a prayer request please call *Sandi Stepp* at: 805-625-0479 or e-mail: footstepps@verizon.net.

THE 2022 FLOWER CHART is in the Narthex. Sign up for the Sunday(s) of your choice. Arrangements are \$40.00 each. A check or money can be placed in the offering plate. Please note on the check or on the envelope that it is designated for "Flowers". Following the 9:00 service, you may take your arrangement home.

THE FOOD BANK- Donations for the food pantry at St. Columba's Episcopal Church can be put in the donation box in the narthex. Donations are taken to the pantry weekly. Shelf stable milk, cereal, canned vegetables, tuna, and peanut butter are always needed, but all non-perishable, unexpired donations are appreciated. The pantry serves our Camarillo seniors and families that need a helping hand. We thank you for your continued support.

<u>PASTOR ROB RETIREMENT LUNCHEON</u> – On Sunday November 20 we will be having a <u>single service at 10:30</u> in the Sanctuary. After the service we will be having a retirement celebration luncheon for Pastor Rob. All food and drink will be provided. Please plan on joining us in giving Pastor Rob a proper send off as he begins the next chapter of his life.

<u>CALL UPDATE</u> We have scheduled a Voter's Assembly meeting for the sole purpose of calling a Pastor **TODAY** - **November 6 after the 11:00 service**. Any questions, speak to an Elder.

We originally had 12 candidates. Five asked to be removed from consideration.

The remaining seven are:

Pastor Bruce Alberts, Good Shepard, Titusville FL

Pastor Ernest Jeong, Faith Lutheran Church, Moorpark CA

Pastor Matthew Kohl, Our Redeemer, Cloquet MN

Pastor Kevin Kritzer, Bethany, Long Beach CA

Pastor Dustin Parker, Concordia, Cerritos CA

Pastor John Scott, Crosspoint Lutheran Church, Lakewood IL

Pastor Brian Wright, Christ Lutheran Church, Cairo NE

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You can look them up on the LCMS website LCMS.org or google their names to get some background information. Most of them have sermons on their church websites, YouTube or Facebook. Feel free to conduct any type of research you like, but we ask that you do not contact them or anyone at their current church. The elders plan on presenting all seven candidates for consideration at the Voter's Meeting without endorsing any of them. We prefer to let the Holy Spirit work inside each one of you. Of course, you can ask an elder their personal opinion if you wish.

<u>PEACE LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL</u> has some appliances available. If you know of anyone in need of any of the appliances, please contact Rachael Ylizaliturri (805) 603-3542 for more information. Full Size Refrigerator no ice maker. - \$75 and a Gas Oven - \$75

THANK YOU TO ALL BLOOD DONORS - Thanks to all the Peace donors and our community donors, the September 24th Blood Drive was one of the best ever. Twenty-eight pints of blood were collected, which helps up to eighty-four people. Our next Blood Drive is scheduled for Saturday, 2023 - save the date! THANKS for your continued support of this program.

Remember in your Prayers:

HEALTH AND HEALING: Ashley (Sandi Stepp's niece), Brandee Brand, Terry Breckinridge, Brian Derozer, Mike Elbert, Bruce Fraser, Beverly Gandy, Keith & Diane Hedrick, Helen (friend of Carol Yung), Damon Hermann (friend of Greg Olewiler), John Hollenbeck (friend of Eunice Harter), Karen Johnson, Susan Klein, Mrs. Mai, (friend of Greg Olewiler), Carol Marker, Ryan Scott Morrison, Gene O'Neal, Jim Pedersen, Ann Marie Ramirez (friend of Carol Yung), Mike Reuter, Tim Schmidt, Don Schultz, David Stafford, Leslie Stenke, Ashley Stephen, Lara Tate, Bev Toro, Dusty Urban, Sandy Williamson, Lisa (Cassidy) Wright, Carol Yung and Ele Zorkocy. *Pray for all military men, women and their families:* Jared Bautista, Jacob Chiles, Andrew Geib, Daniel Gross, Michael Hanson, Brian Miller, Kevin Schleicher, Stephen Volpei, Lucas Wentland and Henry Andermann.

