ALL SAINTS DAY
THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 1, 2026
10:00 AM Service
Holy Communion: Rite II



Episcopal Church of the GOOD SHEPHERD

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Sunday Services at 8 and 10 AM • Wednesday at 6 PM
Our Sunday 10 AM service is livestreamed

WELCOME TO GOOD SHEPHERD

Restrooms: Handicap-accessible restrooms are located to the right as you go up the ramp through the archway across from the doors of the sanctuary.

We have gluten-free wafers available: Please tell us when you come to the altar rail.

Standing, sitting, and kneeling: Throughout the bulletin, there are invitations to stand, sit or kneel, as you choose. You are free to be seated at any time when that is best for you.

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A gentle Reminder: Please enter the Nave quietly and reverently and silence your phones.

Most of the sung music is found in the blue hymnal, *The Hymnal, 1982*. In the bulletin, an "H" indicates the hymn section of the book; an "S" indicates it's from the service music section in the front of the book.

Virtual Worship Bulletins

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

VOLUNTARY

For All the Saints — Karl Osterland
"*…sweet is the calm of paradise the blest…*"
Festive Intrada — Cynthia Dobrinski
Bells of Hope (1950-2021)

During the Voluntary, please prepare for worship by observing attentive silence.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

ENTRANCE HYMN H-287

For All the Saints — SINE NOMINE
(stanzas 1, 2, 3, 4)

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Blessed be God; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

COLLECT FOR PURITY

All **Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS S-280

Robert Powell

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his 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.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray… Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting.
All **Amen**.

THE WORD OF GOD

THE FIRST READING *The people sit.* Revelation 7:9-17

Lector *The First Reading is taken from Revelation chapter 7…*

After this I, John, 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. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."
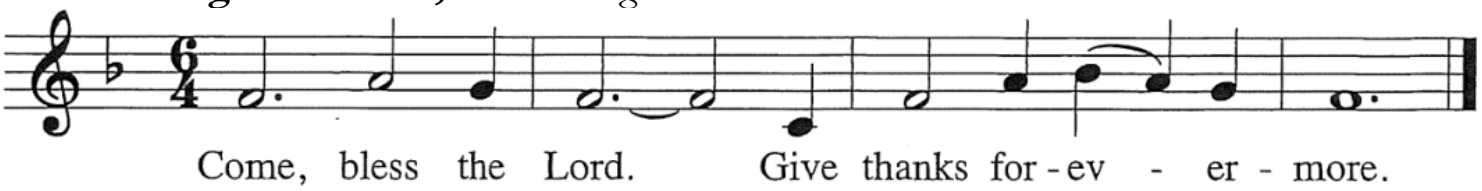
Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

"For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.
They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 34 Hal H. Hopson

All sing this refrain, *the choir sings the verses*



Unto the Lord my praise I sing, God's goodness ever bless;
the proud convictions of my soul speak out God's righteousness. ***(Refrain)***

Come, magnify the Lord with me! Together sing God's praise,
whose presence overcomes all fear, whose glory lights our days. ***(Refrain)***

O taste and see, the Lord is good! How blest are they who trust,
for those who know God's steadfast love, they walk among the just. ***(Refrain)***

How great the trials the faithful bear, yet greater is God's will,
that from the threat'ning chill of death God's truth redeems us still. ***(Refrain)***

THE SECOND READING 1 John 3:1-3

Lector *The Second Reading is taken from 1st John chapter 3…*

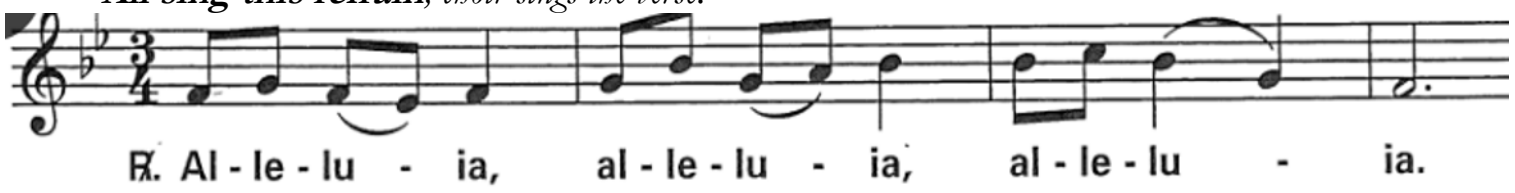
See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

All stand as able.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION John Schiavone

All sing this refrain*; choir sings the verse:*



Choir: My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord;
I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia. ***(Refrain)***

THE GOSPEL Matthew 5:1-12

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Celebrant When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:
"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.
"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SERMON *The people sit.* The Reverend Whitney Burton

NICENE CREED *All stand as able.*

People **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,**
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.
AMEN.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Please sit, stand, or kneel, as you prefer.

Celebrant Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Lector Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.
Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.
Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. We give thanks for the flowers given to the Glory of God, and for all the blessings of this life, especially the birthdays this coming week of The Reverend Whitney Burton, Briony Tomalesky, Stephen Gill, and Karen Garrett; and the anniversaries of Dan Depies and Andrea Zahn, and Joseph and Kaitlyn Statile.
Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; especially those on our parish prayer list and those we now name aloud or in our hearts *(Pause)*, give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.
Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector We commend to your mercy all who have died, especially Rose Marie Walter, and those we now name aloud or in our hearts *(Pause)* that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.
Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

The Celebrant adds a concluding collect.

NECROLOGY

CHORAL RESPONSE (from H-286) ZEUCH MICH, ZEUCH MICH

Who are these like stars appearing, these before God's throne who stand?
Each a golden crown is wearing, who are all this glorious band?
Alleluia! Hark, they sing praising loud their heavenly King.

THE GREETING OF PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

All may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS FOR NOVEMBER
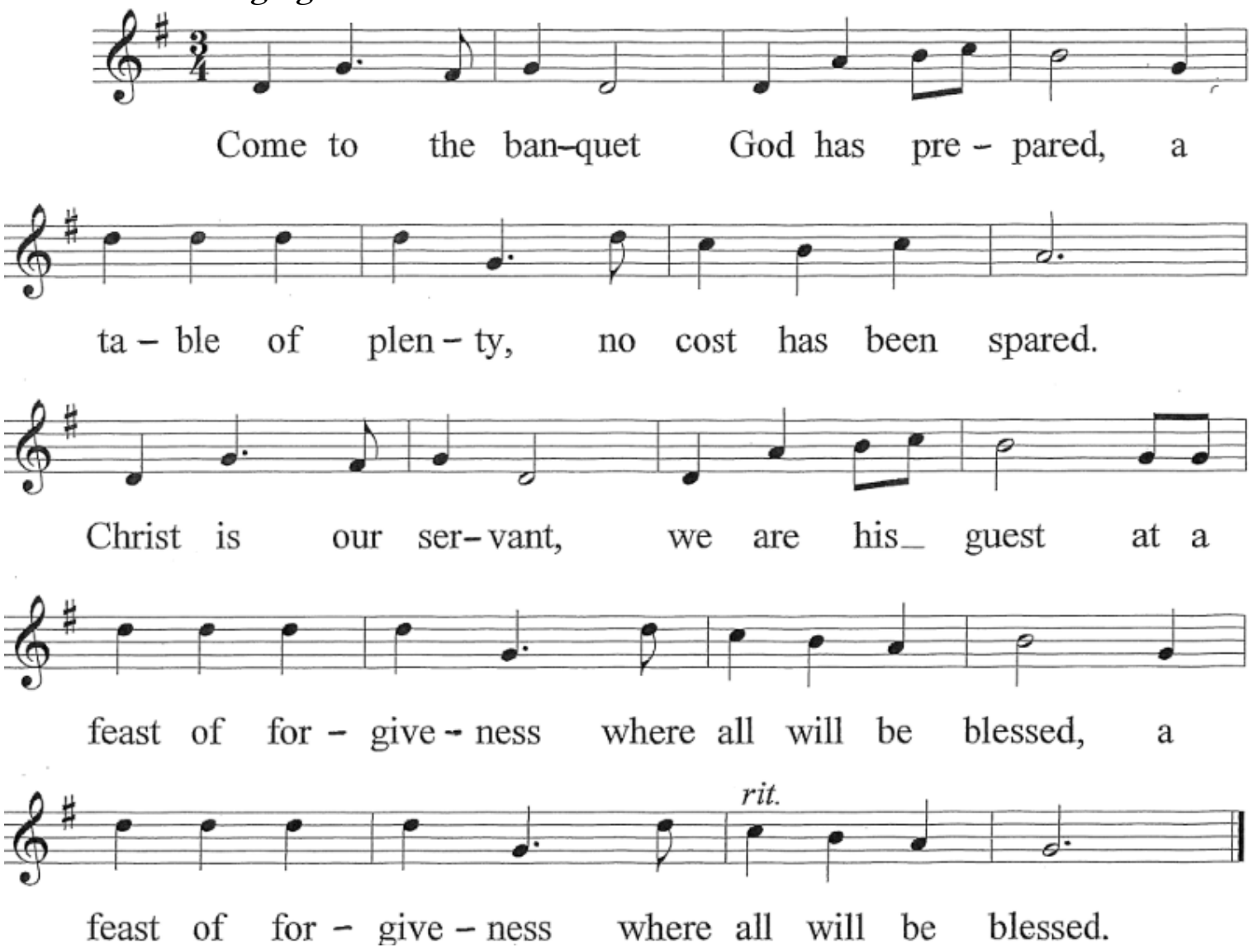
THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY SENTENCE *Please be seated.*

OFFERTORY Jubilate! Michael Bedford
Choir

PRESENTATION HYMN Joseph M. Martin

All singing:



THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: Eucharistic Prayer A BCP 361

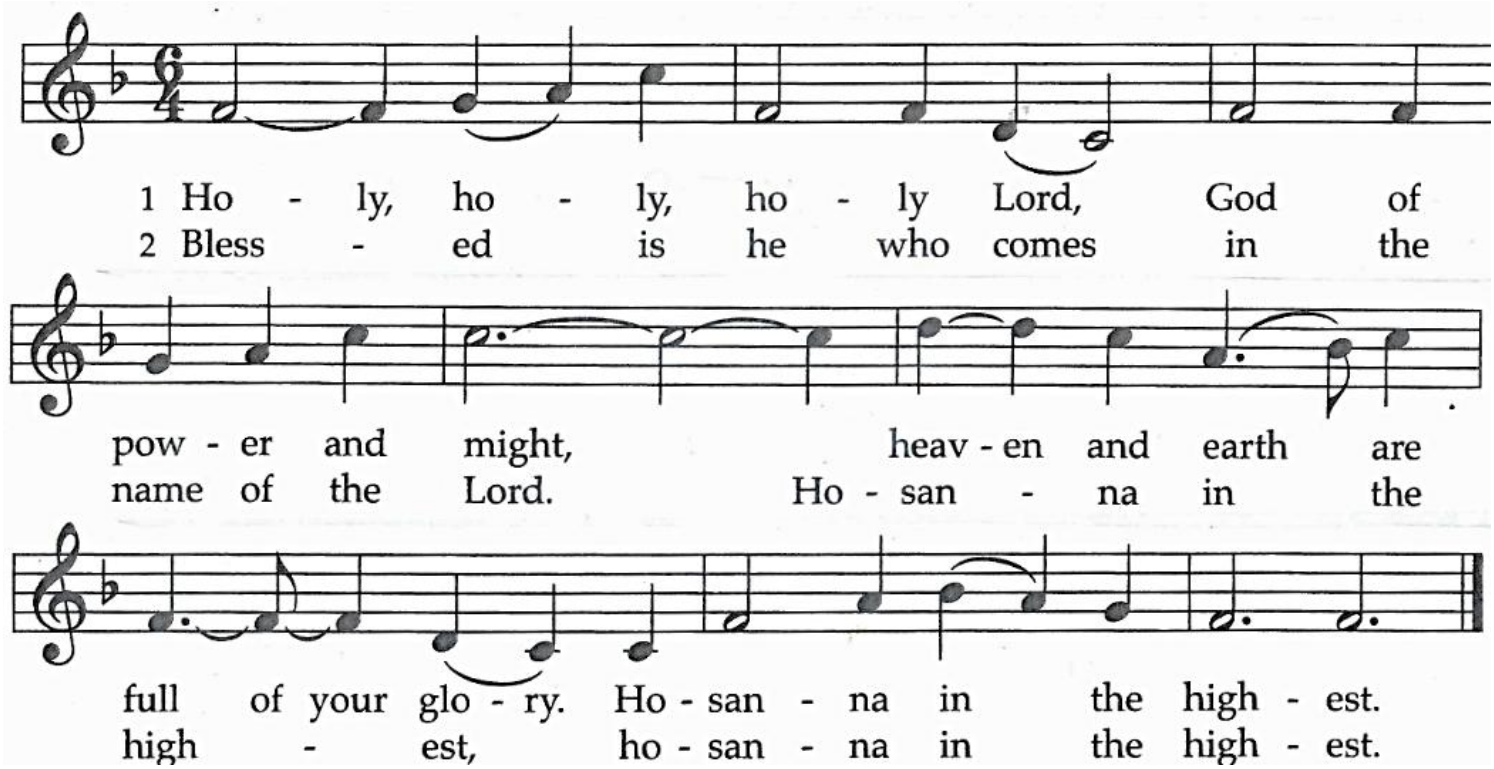
Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant adds a proper preface.
Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your name:

SANCTUS LAND OF REST



The Celebrant continues
Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is My Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."
Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:
All **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**
The Celebrant continues
We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.
People **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,
People **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, for ever and ever.
Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread. A period of silence is kept.

THE FRACTION ANTHEM S-154 David Hurd
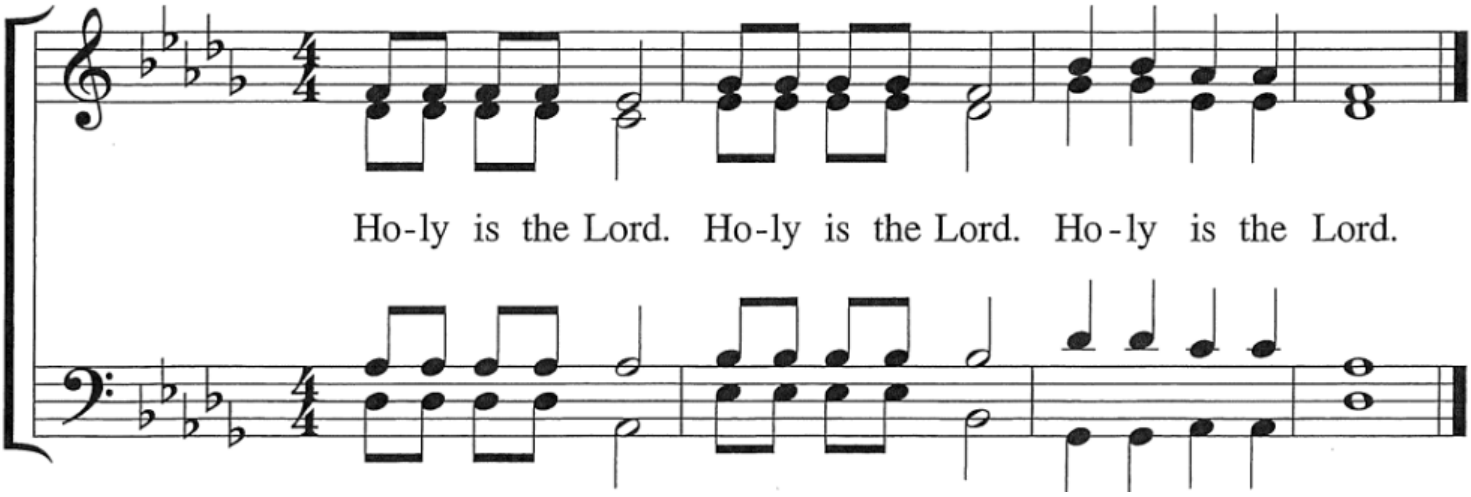
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All are invited to receive the Sacrament. If you would like to receive wine you may do so by sipping from the Chalice or allowing the Eucharistic Minister to intinct (dip) the wafer for you.
If you desire a blessing instead of Communion, cross your arms over your chest.

COMMUNION Holy Is the Lord Hal H. Hopson

All sing this refrain, *choir sings the verses*



COMMUNION HYMN H-554 'Tis the Gift to Be Simple SIMPLE GIFTS

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Celebrant Let us pray…

All **Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

THE BLESSING

SENDING HYMN H-286 Who Are These like Stars Appearing ZEUCH MICH, ZEUCH MICH

THE DISMISSAL

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

You are invited to remain for the final act of worship, the closing voluntary.

VOLUNTARY Simple Gifts Douglas E. Wagner

(based on the tune of the Communion Hymn, H-554)

SERVING US TODAY

Celebrant	The Reverend Whitney Burton
Organist/Choirmaster	Tom Huffman
Bells of Hope	Tom Huffman, Interim Director
Psalm Bell Ringers	Dave and Robin Megel
Crucifer	Nancy Vallely
Torch/Chalicists	Joe Nixon and Miriam Benitez-Nixon
Lectors	Linda Corliss and Sharon Ozbun
Prayers of the People	Nancy Fisher
Ushers	Gidget DiRienz and Nancy Fisher
	Linda Corliss and Alan Mackay
Building & Grounds	Pat Cates

ALL SAINTS NECROLOGY

We remember those who have died in the last year: Anthony Hill, Nace Hopple, Bonnie Staatz, Edward Steponaitis, Charles Statler, Robert McClure, Rose Marie Walter, Robert Jennings.

PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR

Nancy V, Cliff M, Dick and Charlotte S, Helen Marie, Mary Ann W, Elena G, Millie L, Hilda M, Hazel D, Reverend Kathy, Pat and Carol C, Sherry B, Tony and Priscilla B, Gus R-P, Cheryl S, the Ozbun family, Jim and Barbara G, Ana M, the people of Ukraine, Gloria and Dan S, Maureen B, Bill G, Indra E, Mark and Maryellen, Kam M.

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

Birthdays – The Reverend Whitney Burton, Briony Tomalesky, Stephen Gill, and Karen Garrett
Anniversaries – Dan Depies and Andrea Zahn, and Joseph and Kaitlyn Statile

FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES

Wednesday Bible Study meets from 1:30-3 PM.
Daughters of the King meet each 4th Sunday at 11:30 AM in the lounge.
Cursillo Gathering is every 3rd Sunday in the Patio Room.
Sunday School is available during the 10 AM service.
The **Nursery** is available for infants through pre-K and begins at 9:45 AM on Sundays.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Come to the Banquet: Stewardship Pledge Drive - We will celebrate God's banquet throughout this stewardship season with guest preachers, stewardship moments and special events: Pledge ingathering Chili Cook-off November 13, 5-8pm, and Blessing of the Pledges November 15th at one combined 9am service where we will also bless the new Food & Essential Needs Pantry.

Advent Study – Our first meeting will be on Monday, Nov 30 from 6-7 pm in the Patio Room on "Gospel Voices" leading us to Christmas. Please see Michelle Schombs for more information.