

St. Paul Lutheran Church of Catonsville



COMES FROM OUR
GOD UPON THE
THRONE AND FROM
THE LAMB

All Saints Sunday
November 5, 2023



If you are a guest with us today, we extend a special welcome in the name of Jesus! If you have questions or prayer requests or want to get in touch with us, please sign the guest book in the lobby (or use this QR code) or email or call.



Children's Bulletins are available in the lobby.

Service Live-streamed In The Learning Center Turn right when you leave the sanctuary and follow the hall around to The Learning Center if you need a break during the service.

Prelude: Please use the prelude as a time for quiet prayer and meditation before worship.

Prayer before Worship: *O Lord, creator, redeemer, and comforter, I come to worship You in spirit and in truth. Open my heart to the preaching of Your Word so that I may repent of my sins, believe in Jesus Christ as my Savior, and grow in grace and holiness. In Jesus name. Amen.*

For Those Who Desire to Receive the Lord's Supper

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at St. Paul in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an elder. (Non-alcoholic wine is available in the center of the communion trays.)

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All Saints Sunday

November 5, 2023

Prelude: Behold a Host Arrayed in White: *Den store hvide Flok*
Norwegian folk tune, 17th c.

John Ferguson
(b. 1941)

Children's Sermon

700 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

LSB 700



1 Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling, Joy of
2 Breathe, O breathe Thy lov - ing Spir - it In - to
3 Come, Al - might - y, to de - liv - er; Let us
4 Fin - ish then Thy new cre - a - tion, Pure and



heav'n, to earth come down! Fix in us Thy
ev - 'ry trou - bled breast; Let us all in
all Thy life re - ceive; Sud - den - ly re -
spot - less let us be; Let us see Thy



hum - ble dwell - ing, All Thy faith - ful mer - cies crown.
Thee in - her - it; Let us find Thy prom - ised rest.
turn, and nev - er, Nev - er - more Thy tem - ples leave.
great sal - va - tion Per - fect - ly re - stored in Thee,



Je - sus, Thou art all com - pas - sion, Pure, un -
Take a - way the love of sin - ning; Al - pha
Thee we would be al - ways bless - ing, Serve Thee
Changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry, Till in



bound - ed love Thou art; Vis - it of us with
and O - me - ga be; End of faith, as
as Thy hosts a - bove, Pray of praise Thee
heav'n we take our place, Till we cast our



Thy sal - va - tion, En - ter ev - 'ry trem - bling heart.
 its be - gin - ning, Set our hearts at lib - er - ty.
 with - out ceas - ing, Glo - ry in Thy per - fect love.
 crowns be - fore Thee, Lost in won - der, love, and praise!

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Confession and Absolution

Invocation

Matthew 28:19b; 18:20

P In the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

Exhortation

Hebrews 10:22; Psalm 124:8; Psalm 32:5

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Kneel/Sit

Confession of Sins

P Almighty God, our maker and redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

C **O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

Declaration of Grace

Mark 16:16; John 1:12

P Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved.

C Amen.

Service of the Word

Psalm 31:1, 3, 5; antiphon: Revelation 7:14b

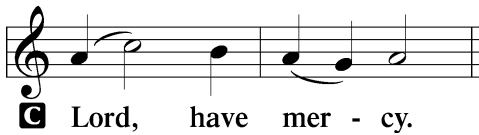
They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood | of the Lamb.

Mark 10:47

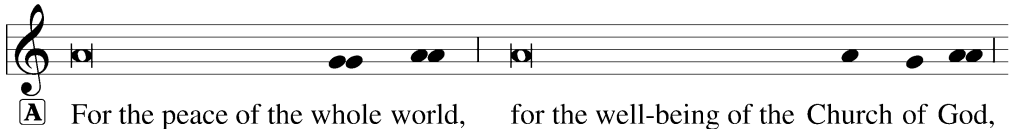


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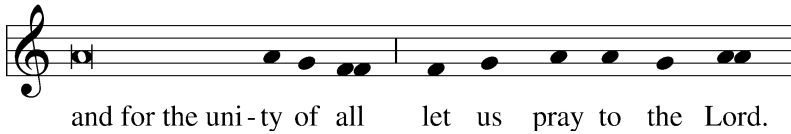
A For the peace from a-bove and for our sal-va-tion let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



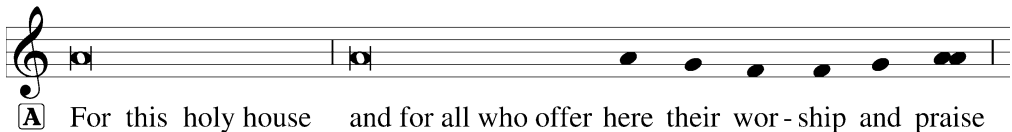
A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



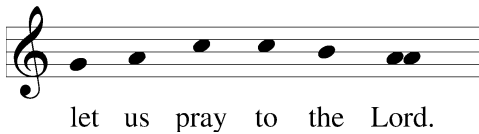
and for the uni - ty of all let us pray to the Lord.



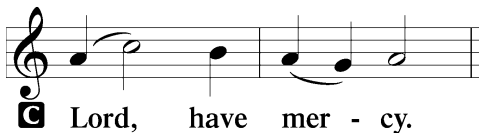
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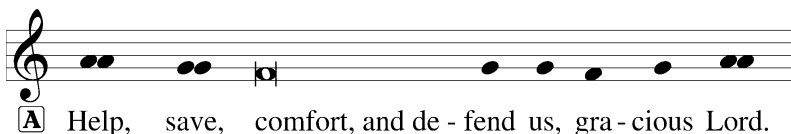
A For this holy house and for all who offer here their wor - ship and praise



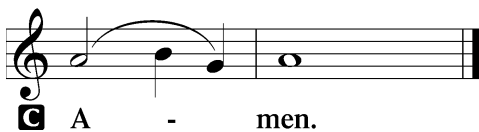
let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



A Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



C A - men.

Hymn of Praise

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1 Glo - ry to God, we give You thanks and praise;
 2 Lord Je - sus Christ, the Fa - ther's on - ly Son,
 △ 3 A - lone, O Christ, You on - ly are the Lord,



Of heav'n - ly joy and earth - ly peace we sing.
 You bore for us the load of this world's sin.
 At God's right hand in maj - es - ty most high:



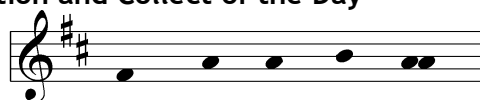
We wor - ship You, to You our hearts we raise,
 O Lamb of God, Your glo - rious vic - t'ry won,
 Who with the Spir - it wor - shiped and a - dored,



Lord God, al - might - y Fa - ther, heav'n - ly King.
 Re - ceive our prayer, grant us Your peace with - in.
 With all the heav'n - ly host we glo - ri - fy.

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Salutation and Collect of the Day



P The Lord be with you.



C And al - so with you.

P Let us pray.

C 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.



Sit

Anthem: *In Paradisum*

Heather Krakat, Soprano

Gregory Hamilton
(b. 1959)

May choirs of angels escort you into paradise
and at your arrival may the martyrs receive you, welcome you;
may they bring you home into the holy city, Jerusalem.
May the holy angels welcome you,
and with Lazarus who lived in poverty, may you have ever lasting rest.

First Reading

Revelation 7:9–17

⁹After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, ¹⁰and crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!” ¹¹And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹²saying, “Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

¹³Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?” ¹⁴I said to him, “Sir, you know.” And he said to me, “These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

¹⁵“Therefore they are before the throne of God,
and serve him day and night in his temple;
and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.

¹⁶They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore;
the sun shall not strike them,
nor any scorching heat.

¹⁷For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of living water,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
C **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual (*spoken responsively*)

Revelation 7:14b; Psalm 84:5

These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation.

They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

**Blessèd are those whose strength is in you,
in whose heart are the highways to Zion.**

Epistle

1 John 3:1–3

¹See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ²Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. ³And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

John 6:68

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 5:1–12

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.



¹Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.

²And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

³"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

⁴"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

⁵"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

⁶"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

⁷"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

⁸"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

⁹"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

¹⁰"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

¹¹"Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. ¹²Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



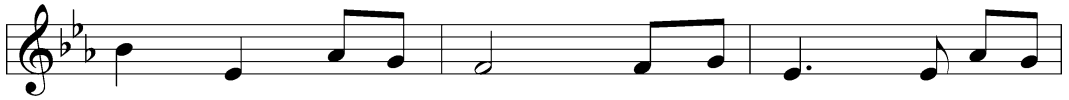
Sit

932 Jesus Sat with His Disciples

LSB 932



1 Je - sus sat with His dis - ci - ples On a
2 "Bless-ed are the meek and hum - ble, All the
3 "Bless-ed are God's sons and daugh - ters, Mak - ing



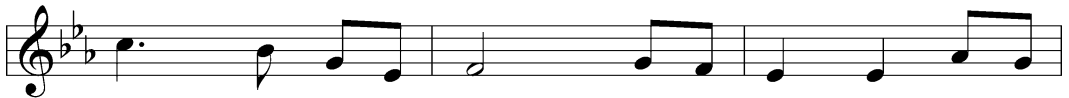
moun - tain - side one day; As the crowds of peo-ple
earth to them is willed. Those who hun - ger to be
peace where there is strife. Bless - ed are the per - se -



gath - ered, He be - gan to teach and say:
ho - ly, They are bless'd and will be filled.
cut - ed, Who for righ - teous - ness lose life;



"Bless-ed are the poor in spir - it, Heav - en's
Yes, the mer - ci - ful are bless - ed, Mer - cy
Their re - ward is great in heav - en, In the



king - dom they will share. Bless-ed are the sad and
will to them be shown. And the pure in heart are
king - dom up a - bove— So be glad to share My



mourn - ing, Joy and com - fort will be theirs.
bless - ed, They have eyes for God a - lone.
suf - f'ring And re - joice to know My love."

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Sermon

Stand

Apostles' Creed

**C 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.**

Prayer of the Church

Remembrance of the Faithful Departed

A Responsive Reading

After each name is read the bell will toll. After each toll, the Pastor and congregation continue with the responsive reading. The remembrance concludes with the prayer.

+ Judy Brown +

(Mother of Jeff and Pam Piegols' brother-in-law)

(The bell tolls.)

P I know that my Redeemer lives, and that in the end He will stand upon the earth.

C And after my skin has been destroyed, yet in my flesh I will see God. (Job 19:25-26)

+ Jim Piegols +
(Relative of Jeff Piegols)
(The bell tolls.)

- P For none of us lives to himself alone and none of us dies to himself alone. If we live, we live to the Lord; and if we die, we belong to the Lord.
- C **So, whether we live or die, we belong to the Lord. (Romans 14:7-8)**

+ Frederick Neebe +
(Cousin of the Gigueres)
(The bell tolls.)

- P God himself will be with them and be their God.
- C **He will wipe every tear from their eyes. (Revelation 21:3-4)**

+ Paula Staudinger +
(Wife of Bruce Staudinger)
(The bell tolls.)

- P I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me will live, even though he dies;
- C **And whoever lives by believing in me will never die. (John 11:25-26)**

+ Buddy Sunstrom +
(Husband of Melissa Sunstrom)
(The bell tolls.)

- P I tell you the truth, whoever hears My word and believes in Him who sent me has eternal life.
- C **He will not be condemned: He has crossed over from death to life. (John 5:24)**

+ Ron Loudon +
(Husband of Carolyn Loudon)
(The bell tolls.)

- P I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.
- C **Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness. (2 Tim. 4:7-8)**

+ Peggy Brannan +
(Mother of Donna Fields)
(The bell tolls.)

- P For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who looks on the Son and believes in him should have eternal life,
C **and I will raise him up on the last day. (John 6:40)**

+ Jeff Grams +
(Brother of Dana Stigdon)
(The bell tolls.)

- P Since, then you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God.
C **Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. (Col. 3:1-2)**

+ Jean Wendt +
(Aunt of Dana Stigdon)
(The bell tolls.)

- P He will swallow up death forever; the Sovereign Lord will wipe away the tears from all faces.
C **He will remove the disgrace of his people from all the earth. (Isaiah 25:8)**

+ Hans Gude +
(Brother-in-law of Robbin & Kevin Dungey)
(The bell tolls.)

- P My sheep hear my voice, I give them eternal life
C **They will never perish and no one will snatch them out of my hand. (John 10:27-28)**

+ John Garland +
(Brother-in-law of Robbin & Kevin Dungey)
(The bell tolls.)

- P Lord now let your servant depart in peace; your word has been fulfilled.
C **My own eyes have seen your salvation. (Luke 2:29-30)**

+ Frances Peck +
(Aunt of Robbin Dungey)
(The bell tolls.)

- P I shall not die but I shall live;
C **And proclaim the deeds of the Lord. (Psalm 118: 17)**

+ Edgar Bowers +
(Friend of Paul Lubell)
(The bell tolls.)

- P The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in.
C **From this time forth and forevermore. (Psalm 121:8)**

+ Darrell Neily +
(Friend of Paul Lubell)
(The bell tolls.)

- P These are they who have come out of the great tribulation;
C **They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.
(Revelation 7:14)**

+ Francoise Shah +
(Friend of Paul & Rosalind Lubell)
(The bell tolls.)

- P Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom."
C **Jesus answered him, " I tell you the truth, today you will be with me in paradise."
(Luke 23:42-43)**

+ Minh Nguyen +
(Father of David Nguyen)
(The bell tolls.)

- P I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers,
C **Neither height nor depth nor anything else in all creation will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Romans 8:38-39)**

+ Faith Welty +
(Aunt of Carol Taylor)
(The bell tolls.)

- P God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.
C **The Lord Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge. (Psalm 46: 1, 7)**

+ Angeline Wickham +
(Close companion of Thomas Alder, father of Doreen McDonald)
(The bell tolls.)

- P The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom I shall be fear?
C **The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? (Psalm 27:1)**

A moment of silence is kept.

- P For the faithful, who have gone before us and are with you, let us give thanks to the Lord.
C **Thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Corinthians 15:57)**
- P Let us pray . . . Almighty God, in your glorious presence live all who depart in the Lord and before you all the souls of the faithful who have gone before are in joy and peace. We give You thanks for Your loving kindness to all Your servants who have finished their course in faith and now rest from their labors, and we humbly ask that we, together with all who have departed in the saving faith, may have our perfect consummation and rest, in both body and soul, in Your eternal and everlasting glory; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
C **Amen.**

Offering

(An offering plate is available in the narthex. You may also give electronically through our website at stpaulcatonsville.org/donation. If you would like to send in an electronic offering via text, text the dollar amount you would like to give to 410-888-0161.)

Offertory

Psalm 51:10–12

C Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

2 Timothy 4:22; [Colossians 3:1]; [Psalm 136]

P The Lord be with you.
C And al-so with you.
P Lift up your hearts.



C We lift them to the Lord.



P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Proper Preface

P It is truly good, right, and salutary . . . evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus

Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9



C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of



pow'r and might: Heav'n and earth are full of Your



glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.



Bless - ed is He who comes in the name



of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

- P Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

- C **Amen.**

Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9–13

- P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

- C **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.**

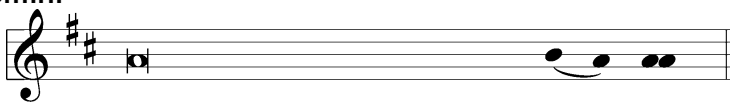
The Words of Our Lord

- P 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 T 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 T blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

John 20:19



P The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



C A - men.

Agnus Dei

John 1:29



C Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world;



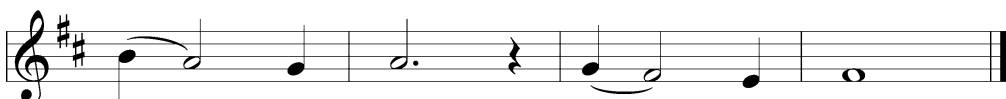
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the



sin of the world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of



God, You take a - way the sin of the world;



grant us peace, grant us peace.

Sit



725 Children of the Heavenly Father

LSB 725



1 Chil - dren of the heav'n - ly Fa - ther Safe - ly
 2 God His own doth tend and nour - ish; In His
 3 Nei - ther life nor death shall ev - er From the
 4 Though He giv - eth or He tak - eth, God His



in His bos - om gath - er; Nest - ling bird nor star in
 ho - ly courts they flour - ish. From all e - vil things He
 Lord His chil - dren sev - er; Un - to them His grace He
 chil - dren ne'er for - sak - eth; His the lov - ing pur - pose



heav - en Such a ref - uge e'er was giv - en.
 spares them; In His might - y arms He bears them.
 show - eth, And their sor - rows all He know - eth.
 sole - ly To pre - serve them pure and ho - ly.

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474 Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen

LSB 474



1 Al - le - lu - ia! Je - sus is ris - en! Trum - pets re -
 2 Walk - ing the way, Christ in the cen - ter Tell - ing the
 3 Je - sus the vine, We are the branch - es; Life in the
 4 Weep - ing, be gone; Sor - row, be si - lent: Death put a -
 5 Cit - y of God, Eas - ter for - ev - er, Gold - en Je -



sound - ing in glo - ri - ous light! Splen - dor, the Lamb, Heav - en for -
 sto - ry to o - pen our eyes; Break - ing our bread, Giv - ing us
 Spir - it the fruit of the tree; Heav - en to earth, Christ to the
 sun - der, and Eas - ter is bright. Cher - u - bim sing: "O grave, be
 ru - sa - lem, Je - sus the Lamb, Riv - er of life, Saints and arch -



ev - er! Oh, what a mir - a - cle God has in sight!
 glo - ry: Je - sus our bless - ing, our con - stant sur - prise.
 peo - ple, Gift of the fu - ture now flow - ing to me.
 o - pen!" Clothe us in won - der, a - dorn us in light.
 an - gels, Sing with cre - a - tion to God the I AM!



Refrain
 Je - sus is ris - en and we shall a - rise:



Give God the glo - ry! Al - le - lu - ia!

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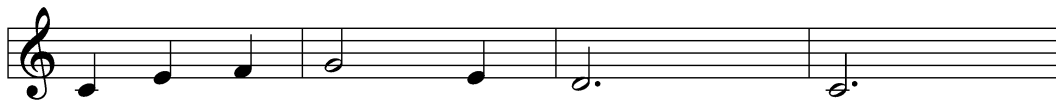
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411 I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light

LSB 411



1 I want to walk as a child of the light.
 2 I want to see the bright-ness of God.
 3 I'm look - ing for the com - ing of Christ.



I want to fol - low Je - sus.
 I want to look at Je - sus.
 I want to be with Je - sus.



God set the stars to give light to the world.
 Clear Sun of Righ - teous - ness, shine on my path,
 When we have run with pa - tience the race,



The star of my life is Je - sus.
 And show me the way to the Fa - ther.
 We shall know the joy of Je - sus.



Refrain

In Him there is no dark - ness at all.



The night and the day are both a - like.



The Lamb is the light of the cit - y of God.



Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

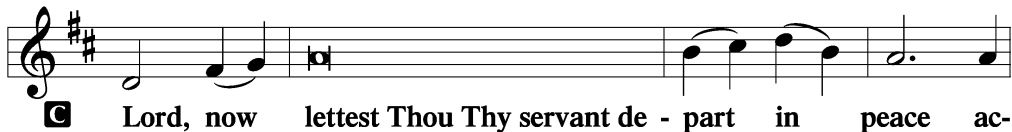
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Stand
Post-Communion Blessing

Nunc Dimittis

Luke 2:29–32



Post-Communion Collect

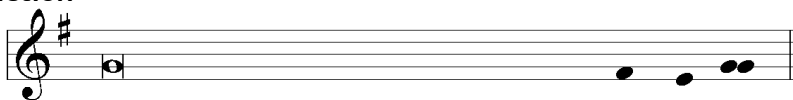
A Let us pray. . . .



C A - men.

Benediction

Numbers 6:24–26



P 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.



C A - men.

677 For All the Saints

LSB 677



1 For all the saints who from their labors rest,
2 Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might;
3 Oh, may Thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold,
4 Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine!



Who Thee by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, Thy
Thou, Lord, their cap - tain in the well-fought fight;
Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old And
We fee - bly strug - gle, they in glo - ry shine; Yet



name, O Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.
Thou, in the dark - ness drear, their one true light.
win with them the vic - tor's crown of gold!
all are one in Thee, for all are Thine.



Al	-	le	-	lu	-	ia!	Al	-	le	-	lu	-	ia!
Al	-	le	-	lu	-	ia!	Al	-	le	-	lu	-	ia!
Al	-	le	-	lu	-	ia!	Al	-	le	-	lu	-	ia!
Al	-	le	-	lu	-	ia!	Al	-	le	-	lu	-	ia!

5 And when the fight is fierce, the warfare long,
Steals on the ear the distant triumph song,
And hearts are brave again, and arms are strong.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

6 The golden evening brightens in the west;
Soon, soon to faithful warriors cometh rest;
Sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

7 But, lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day:
The saints triumphant rise in bright array;
The King of Glory passes on His way.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

D 8 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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Dismissal

Postlude: When the Saints Go Marching In

Rebecca Groom Te Velde
(b. 1956)

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News & Notes

Altar Flowers

Flowers on the altar today are given by the Dungeys in celebration of Carter's 15th birthday.

Fellowship Hour

Fellowship Hour today is sponsored by the *Elders*. Please join them downstairs after church.



**LUTHERANS
FOR LIFE**

Lutherans For Life

The next meeting of the Maryland chapter of Lutherans for Life will be held at our church THIS Saturday, November 11th from 10 am to noon. To learn more visit www.mdfl.org.

Voter's Meeting November 12th

Short meeting to vote on the use of surplus funds. NEXT Sunday, in the fellowship hall, after worship.

Community Craft Day

The Community Craft Day for November will be THIS Saturday November 11th, beginning at noon. All are welcome to enjoy fellowship while you pursue your creativity. There will be open table space ready for you to bring any craft of your choice to work on. For more information contact Kate Baeder.

Concordia Prep

Saints Bag Bingo, featuring Coach, Kate Spade, Michael Kors, Vera Bradley, Bogg, and more, will be held in the Concordia Prep gymnasium on Friday, November 10 from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. (doors open at 6:00 p.m.); food and drink will be available for purchase. Tickets are \$30 per person. All proceeds from this event will support student financial aid.

Advent by Candlelight

Saturday, Dec 2nd 9:00 – 11:00 AM. Advent by Candlelight is an opportunity to intentionally step away from the secular preparations for Christmas in favor of preparing hearts and minds for the Advent of our King. We will walk through Old Testament and New Testament promises of God and prepare a simple Advent project to help you jumpstart your journey into Advent. Contact Dana for more information or call the church office. Sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board.

Operation Christmas Child



Deliver great joy and the Good News of Jesus Christ to children in need around the world through gift-filled shoeboxes. Empty shoeboxes are available in the narthex. Shoeboxes are due back to church NEXT SUNDAY, November 12th. There will be a blessing of the boxes in church next week.

A Bible for Every Student & Family Project

Donations are requested to equip every school family with a Bible and to provide new classroom Bibles for 2nd through 5th grades. If you would like to support this project, there are envelopes in the narthex (make checks payable to St. Paul Lutheran) or you may use this QR Code to donate.



Life Quote

“Our comfort and motivation do not derive from laws. We neither live only according to the body nor labor for this world alone. No matter who holds office or how they decide and lead, the Lord our God reigns.” Pastor Michael Salemink, Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org

Text to Give

If you would like to send in an electronic offering via text, text the dollar amount you would like to give to 410-888-0161 and follow the directions.

Serving at St. Paul

	This week	Next week
Cantor	JB Jaeger	JB Jaeger
Reader	Jay Barringer	Karen Eichelman
Usher	Ben Haberl	Kevin Dungey
Usher	Jim Baeder	Taylor Dungey
Greeter	Doris Schascheck	Robbin Dungey
Acolyte	Paul Baeder	Joshua Unglesbee

Daily Readings: Nov 5: Jer 7:1–29, Matt 23:1–12; **Nov 6:** Jer 8:18–9:12, Matt 23:13–39; **Nov 7:** Jer 11:1–23, Matt 24:1–28; **Nov 8:** Jer 20:1–18, Matt 24:29–51; **Nov 9:** Jer 22:1–23, Matt 25:1–13; **Nov 10:** Jer 23:1–20, Matt 25:14–30; **Nov 11:** Jer 23:21–40, Matt 25:31–46.

Prayer List

CHURCH MEMBERS

Rik Johnsson (recovering from neck surgery)
David Carnes (knee surgery on Nov. 9)
Rich Foks (physical therapy after knee surgery)
David Nguyen (recovering from back surgery)
Ann-Eliese Jordan (recovering from a leg procedure)
Barbara Kester (recovering from gall bladder surgery)
Lindsey Gay (recovering from recent hospitalization)
John Gay (cancer, accepted into clinical trial of new treatment)
Janice Gay (caretaker)
Marilyn Blomster (blood pressure issues)
Debbie Frech (cancer, chemotherapy treatments)
Marilyn Haberl (scleroderma)



SHUT-INS

Mildred Klein, Betty Blackburn, and Janet Conklin.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

We pray for peace and an end to terrorism and bloodshed in the Middle East.
Keith Powell, uncle of Bill Oldhouser (prostrate cancer, surgery on Nov. 8) 11/5
Skylar Strauss, granddaughter of Ray & Donna Fields (in the NICU) 11/5
Susan Sadler, sister-in-law of the Dungey's (breast cancer) 10/29
Joan Spears, friend of the Kyne's (hospitalized, recovering from back surgery)
Gayle Hirst, friend of the Foks (thanksgiving for good scan results after cancer therapy!) 10/29
Sarah Harrison, friend of the Krakats (undiagnosed health issues) 10/29
Kathy Linton, friend of the Borths (rare blood cancer) 10/29
Tyler Stevenson, Erwin family member (prayers for his blood platelet numbers to improve) 10/29
Chaz, nephew of our florist (paralyzed on one side) 10/29
Sandy Miller, friend of the Kyne's (breast cancer) 10/15
Kay Nelson, mother of Aaron Nelson (recovering from open heart surgery) 10/8
Elsie Cox, friend of the Kyne's (congestive heart failure) 10/8
Walt O'Reilly, husband of Renata (recovering from surgery, cancer treatments) 9/3
Steve Schafer, father of Alicia Dreessen (skin cancer) 9/3

Thank You

Deep thanks for your heartfelt prayers. Surgery went well, underway to recovery-David Nguyen



Sermon Notes

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