

Worship Service ~ November 2, 2025

All Saint's Sunday

VISION: Be the body of Christ:
welcoming all, inspired by God, and sent out to live our Faith.
MISSION: Led by the Spirit to share God's grace.

Today's Worship Broadcast is sponsored by Lew Berge in memory
of Rita Berge on their 65th Wedding Anniversary.

PRELUDE *"Prayers of the People"*
by Arndt/Gungor/Cron/Kilgore/Wickham; FAME Choir

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SHARING OF THE PEACE

L: The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

OPENING HYMN ELW #422 *FOR ALL THE SAINTS* stz 1, 5, 6

INVOCATION

L: In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

L: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.
~Silence for reflection~

L: Faithful God,

C: you have shown us the ways of your heart, yet we stray from your paths. We are stuck in sinful systems of oppression and do not embrace the freedom of your faithful promises. We ignore our neighbors. We exploit the earth. We reject your abundance, trusting our impulses instead of your steadfast love. Repair our relationships, restore what we have broken, renew our hearts, and bring us to new life. Amen.

L: Hear the good news: God the Faithful One loves you, ✠ in Christ Jesus your sins are forgiven, and by the power of the Holy Spirit you are set free. **Amen.**

L: God of all time...

We hear the names of saints from the Faith Lutheran community who have died in the last year:

At this time, there will be a slideshow of Faith members.

Marlene Rachie, Marlys Carlson, Scott Atwater, Richard Olson, Gladys Hervig,

Richard Smith, Cullin Schwintek, Bev Radtke, Shirley Doberstein, Mike

Boeckmann, Ed Coleman, Rita Berge, Mary Jo Mills, Sue Gort,

Richard Forster, Nancy Ensrud, Bryan Bothman

L: We acknowledge people who have served as saints in our own lives—parents, teachers, mentors, and friends across time who have challenged us to be all God created us to be. *We remember them through this slide show, or through a candle lit in their memory.*

L: For all these saints and those in our hearts, let us pray...

C: we remember those saints who have gone before us. We remember how each one brought a touch of your light into our world. We recall how each one reflected the radiance of your goodness.

Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for each of us. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC *“Christ Be With Me”* Worship Band

PRAYER LAB MINUTE

R: A reading from Psalm 149.

Psalm 149:1-4

¹ Praise the Lord!

Sing to the Lord a new song,
his praise in the assembly of the faithful.

² Let Israel be glad in its Maker;
let the children of Zion rejoice in their King.

³ Let them praise his name with dancing,
making melody to him with tambourine and lyre.

⁴ For the Lord takes pleasure in his people;
he adorns the humble with victory.

R: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ELW #172 *Halle, Halle, Hallelujah*

R: A Gospel reading from the 6th chapter of Luke.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

Luke 6:20-31

²⁰ Then he looked up at his disciples and said:

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

²¹ "Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled.

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

²² "Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³ Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven, for that is how their ancestors treated the prophets.

²⁴ "But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.

²⁵ "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.

²⁶ "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is how their ancestors treated the false prophets.

²⁷ "But I say to you who are listening: Love your enemies; do good to those who hate you; ²⁸ bless those who curse you; pray for those who mistreat you. ²⁹ 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. ³⁰ Give to everyone who asks of you, and if anyone takes away what is yours, do not ask for it back again. ³¹ Do to others as you would have them do to you.

R: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

MESSAGE Pastor John Klawiter

SONG OF THE DAY ELW #631 *LOVE DIVINE ALL LOVE'S EXCELLING*

MUSICAL OFFERING "Goin' Home" arr. Robert Lehman; Faith Choir;
Alan Ball, organ; Linda Burk, director



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the exits or placed in the offering plate. Thank you for
giving to Faith!*

Goin' home, goin' home, Lord I'm goin' home.

No more tears, no more cares,
No more grief to bear, Jesus, Jesus is waiting over there.
All the saints in heav'n above, all the saints we knew,
gone home to Jesus, I am goin' too.

OFFERTORY ELW #692 *WE ARE AN OFFERING*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

L: Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING

The LORD bless you and keep you; The LORD's face shine upon you and be gracious unto you, The LORD look upon you with favor, + and give you peace. **Amen.**

You are welcome to recess out to the Prayer Garden or light a candle for a loved one in the Narthex.

DISMISSAL FROM THE PRAYER GARDEN

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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