ALL SAINTS Presbyterian Church

Seventh Sunday After Pentecost July 24, 2022

OUR LORD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM

† *Pastor*: Let us worship God! We are gathered in the name of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. Let us give thanks to the Lord.

Congregation: We give thanks to the Lord.

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

O magnify the Lord with me!

Let us exalt His name together!

I will praise You, O LORD, with my whole heart;

I will tell of all Your marvelous works.

I will be glad and rejoice in You;

I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High.

Psalm 34:3; 9:1-2



Lift up your hearts...

We lift them up to the Lord!

† COLLECT & LORD'S PRAYER

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 debts,
as we have forgiven our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory forever,
Amen.

† Congregational Singing

Let All Things Now Living—insert

OUR LORD CLEANSES US FROM OUR SIN

A Corporate Reading of Our Lord's Instruction

For the word of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

For it is written,

"I WILL DESTROY THE WISDOM OF THE WISE, AND THE CLEVERNESS OF THE CLEVER I WILL SET ASIDE."

Where is the wise man? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?

For since in the wisdom of God the world through its wisdom did not come to know God, God was well-pleased through the foolishness of the message preached to save those who believe.

For indeed Jews ask for signs and Greeks search for wisdom;

But we preach Christ crucified, to Jews a stumbling block and to Gentiles foolishness,

But to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God.

Because the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men.

1 Corinthians 1:18-25



AN INVITATION TO CONFESS OUR SINS

‡ CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

We Confess Our Sins, Together & Individually

Heavenly Father, we seek Your grace and pardon. You have shown Yourself a compassionate Father. You have not treated us as our sins deserve. Therefore, we come to You as Your children and with the boldness possible through Your beloved Son. Even our smallest sins deserve Your wrath. Forgive us for our treatment of others, especially those of the household of faith. Forgive our self-ishness and our false judgments. Forgive us for not leaving room for Your grace, for being harsh, and often without prayer. Pardon us for speaking ill of Your servants and for not seeking to build others up in the most holy faith. In Your kindness, You have chosen us and given us life; You have placed Your name upon each of us. Grant us Your pardon and our renewal, as we continue in prayer, confessing our sins...

[We pause in prayer, and then conclude together...]

O Lord, we give You thanks for Your kindness and abundant pardon; provided through Your Son who has died for us, taking the penalty which was our due, and You have received us in Him. Now grant, most merciful Lord, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, and this to the glory of Thy holy name. Amen.

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: Create In Me a Clean Heart, O God—415

† ABSOLUTION: Our Assurance of Forgiveness is declared "In the Name of God the Father, Son, & Holy Spirit"

"Thanks be to God!"

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: All People That on Earth Do Dwell [Psalm 100]—139



THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

We join together praying for the church, one another, and the world

OUR LORD TEACHES US FROM HIS WORD

Scripture Lesson from the Old Testament

Exodus 26:15-30

Scripture Lesson from the New Testament Acts 21:37-22:3

"This is the Word of the Lord"
"Thanks be to God!"

† Gospel Lesson—Luke 6:27-36

"This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ"

"Praise be to Christ!"

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: Gloria Patri—436

Sermon Text

1 John 4:7-19

Sermon First Love Pastor Jeff Niell

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: Praise to Thee and Adoration—insert

IN GRATEFUL RESPONSE

We Present the Lord's Tithes & Our Offerings

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: The Doxology

As the offering is brought forward, we lift our hearts, hands, and voices in thankful praise...

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Dedication

OUR LORD INVITES US TO HIS TABLE

We declare a portion of our faith — The Nicene Creed

† Pastor: Christians, in Whom do you believe?

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible; and in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made.

Who for us men and for our salvation came down from Heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into Heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and Giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spoke by the Prophets.

And I believe one holy catholic* and apostolic Church; acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

*Meaning universal or worldwide as well as complete in Jesus Christ

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

We commune with the Lord & with one another

The Lord's Supper should not be observed in individual homes.

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: Rejoice, the Lord is King—326

OUR LORD COMMISSIONS US

† Benediction & Singing

I Bind unto Myself Today (St. Patrick's Breastplate) — 351-352 (verses 8 & 9)

Christ be with me, Christ within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me, Christ to comfort and restore me. Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ in quiet, Christ in danger, Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

I bind unto myself the name,
The strong name of the Trinity,
By invocation of the same,
The Three in One, and One in Three.
Of whom all nature hath creation;
Eternal Father, Spirit, Word:
Praise to the Lord of my salvation,
Salvation is of Christ the Lord

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CALENDAR

TODAY

FORUM – After worship today, you are invited to join us in the Fellowship Hall for some coffee, fellowship, and Q & A. During this time, Pastor Niell and Pastor Jeffery will lead an informal Q & A time giving an opportunity for further discussion about our church, the service, or the sermon. We'll finish at 1:30 p.m. with some quick cleanup.

THIS WEEK

No Wednesday Evening Bible study this week. Bible study will resume in the future.

NEXT SUNDAY

SACK LUNCH SUNDAY - Please see description below.

BLESSING OF THE CHILDREN



MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Ladies Fellowship Brunch—Saturday, August 13th: The theme of the morning will be "Joy." More details to follow soon.

Sack Lunch Sundays – 7/31, 8/28, and 9/25 This is an additional time of fellowship that will follow our worship services on the last Sunday of each month through September. A few notes:

- ⇒ This is a "Bring Your Own Everything" (food, drinks, plates, napkins, etc.) for lunch. Water and coffee will be available.
- \Rightarrow Plan on some extra food beyond your family so that we might invite visitors to join us.
- \Rightarrow Bring a simple dessert to share.
- ⇒ There may be some games (bring some to share!), hymn singing, or other such fun.
- \Rightarrow No forum and more fellowship.



If you're visiting All Saints and would like to get to know us better or receive news and updates, please fill in the online form at allsaintskirk.com/visitors, or scan code.

The Lord's Supper

The Lord's Supper is observed every Lord's Day at All Saints, and we warmly invite to the Lord's Table all who are baptized disciples of the Lord Jesus, under the authority of Christ and His body, the Church, and this includes covenant children. By eating the bread and drinking the wine with us, you are acknowledging that you are a sinner, without hope except in the sovereign mercy of God, and that you are trusting in Jesus Christ alone for salvation. You also acknowledge to the overseers of this congregation that you are in covenant with God, being an active member of a congregation which belongs to the Triune God and is marked by the Word and sacraments. If you have any questions about your participation, please speak to one of the elders before or after the service.

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Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God

Psalm 51:10-12

From a melody by J. A. Freylinghausen, 1704 adapted, Harold W. Gilbert



All People That on Earth Do Dwell

Psalm 100



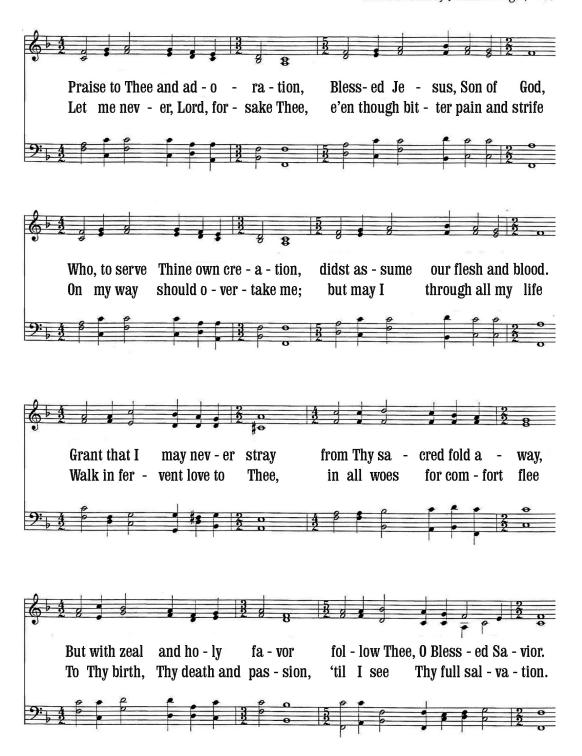
Gloria Patri



Praise to Thee and Adoration

Thomas Hansen Kingo, 1634-1703

Genevan Psalter, 1551 Harmonized by Johann Cruger, 1658



Rejoice, the Lord Is King

