

ALL SAINTS Presbyterian Church

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
October 15, 2023

OUR LORD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM

Membership of the Zurn Family
Baptisms of Timothy Andrew and Trudy Elaine Zurn

† *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 give thanks to the LORD! Call upon His name;

Make His deeds known among the peoples!

Glory in His holy name;

Let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!
Seek the LORD and His strength; seek His face evermore!

Remember His marvelous works which He has done, His wonders, and the judgments of His mouth.

Psalm 105:1-4



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**

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing—insert

OUR LORD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

A Corporate Reading of Our Lord's Instruction

“You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt has become tasteless, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled under foot by men.

“You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden; nor does anyone light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house.

“Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven.”

Matthew 5:13-16



AN INVITATION TO CONFESS
OUR SINS:

† The congregation is invited to stand

‡ CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

We Confess Our Sins, Together & Individually

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth. Your rule covers all of creation, and Your judgments are righteous and holy. Your holiness demands our confession of sin. You are glorious, and we have fallen short of Your glory. We have sinned against You and against others. We have broken Your holy laws. We have been selfish and lacking in grace. We have been filled with pride and have been quick to condemn our closest neighbors—our family members, friends, and others in the household of faith. In this, we have not honored You. For the sake of Your beloved Son, our Savior, we ask You to pardon our sins; wash us and make us clean; grant us Your peace, and do this for the glory of Your name. Hear and forgive, as we confess our sins to You...

[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: *Amazing Grace*—insert



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**
Genesis 14:1-16

**Scripture Lesson from
the Epistles**
1 Corinthians 6:12-20

“This is the Word of the Lord”
“Thanks be to God!”

† **Gospel Lesson**—Luke 18:35-43

“This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ”
“Praise be to Christ!”

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: *Gloria Patri*—436

Sermon Text
Acts 2:42-47

Sermon
The Church’s Four Foundations
Pastor Steve Jeffery

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

‡ The congregation is invited to kneel

† The congregation is invited to stand

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

1 Timothy 3:16

† *Pastor:* We join to confess the great mystery of godliness:

**God was revealed in the flesh,
Vindicated by the Spirit,
Seen by the angels,
Proclaimed among the nations,
Believed in the world,
Taken up in glory.**

Christ our Passover was sacrificed for us:

Therefore let us keep the feast!

The gifts of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord.

It is good and right so to do.

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: *Be Thou My Vision*—342

OUR LORD COMMISSIONS US

† Benediction & Singing

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

New Members — The Zurn family will be presented for membership just prior to our service today.

Baptism — Timothy Andrew and Trudy Elaine Zurn will be baptized at the beginning of our service.

Baptism Reception — A reception will be held in the Fellowship Hall after our service. All are welcome.

THIS WEEK

Midweek at All Saints — A New Shape for Wednesday Evenings!

Join us in the Fellowship Hall Wednesday evenings for a meal, a time of singing, and Bible study. Please refer to the email sign-up to RSVP for dinner. Contact Pastor Shaw with any questions.

5:30 - 6:15 p.m. — Dinner provided by the church

6:15 - 7:00 p.m. — Understanding the Psalms, led by Pastor Jeffery

7:00 - 7:45 p.m. — Learn to Sing Your Part, led by Nathan Whittlesey

NEXT SUNDAY

New Members — The Schaub family will be presented for membership just prior to our service next Sunday.

Baptism and Reception — Evelyn Marie Schaub will be baptized at the beginning of our service next week. A reception will be held in the Fellowship Hall after our service.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Reformation Celebration — Saturday, October 28th, from 4:00 - 8:00 p.m.

We've reserved the Jones Barn in Cleburne for our Reformation Celebration. You won't want to miss this festive celebration! Please refer to the email invitation to RSVP.

Prospective New Members Lunch — Sunday, November 5th, Fellowship Hall following our service.

If you are a regular visitor interested in pursuing membership at All Saints, we encourage you to attend this lunch where you'll have the opportunity to interact with our elders and their families. A simple sandwich and salad lunch will be provided. Please RSVP to admin@allsaintskirk.com.

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Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

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1. Come, thou fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;
2. Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer; hith - er by thy help I'm come;
3. O to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly I'm con - strained to be;

streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est praise.
and I hope, by thy good plea - sure, safe - ly to ar - rive at home.
let that grace now, like a fet - ter, bind my wan - d'ring heart to thee.

Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by flam - ing tongues a - bove;
Je - sus sought me when a strang - er, wan - d'ring from the fold of God:
Prone to wan - der—Lord, I feel it—prone to leave the God I love:

praise the mount! I'm fixed up - on it, mount of God's un - chang - ing love.
he, to res - cue me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed his pre - cious blood.
here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts a - bove.

Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God

Psalm 51:10-12

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

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of five systems, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature is three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are: "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."

Amazing Grace

John Newton, 1779

arr. Edwin O. Excell (1851-1921), alt.

1. A - maz - ing__ grace! how sweet the sound that
2. 'Twas grace that__ taught my heart to fear, and
3. Thro' man - y__ dan - gers, toils and snares I
4. When we've been__ there ten thou - sand years, bright

saved a__ wretch like me! I once__ was__ lost but
grace my__ fears re - lieved; How pre - cious did that
have al - read - y come; 'Tis grace__ hath brought me
shin - ing__ as the sun, We've no__ less__ days to

now__ am__ found, Was blind but__ now I see.
grace__ ap - pear the hour I__ first be - lieved!
safe__ thus__ far, and grace will__ lead me home.
sing__ God's praise than when we__ first be - gun.

Gloria Patri

GLORIA PATRI (Irreg.)
Charles Meineke, 1844

2nd century

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the

The first system of musical notation consists of a treble and bass staff. The treble staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. The melody starts with a dotted quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass staff begins with a bass clef and the same key signature. It features a series of chords: a dotted quarter note G2, a quarter note A2, and a quarter note B2, followed by a series of chords in the right hand.

Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er

The second system continues the melody. The treble staff has a dotted quarter note D5, followed by quarter notes E5, F#5, and G5. The bass staff continues with chords: a dotted quarter note C3, a quarter note D3, and a quarter note E3, followed by a series of chords in the right hand.

shall be, world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

The third system concludes the piece. The treble staff has a dotted quarter note A4, followed by quarter notes B4, C5, and D5. The bass staff continues with chords: a dotted quarter note F#2, a quarter note G2, and a quarter note A2, followed by a series of chords in the right hand. The system ends with a double bar line.

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

Psalm 100

OLD HUNDREDTH (L.M.)

William Kethe, 1561

Genevan Psalter, 1551

Louis Bourgeois, 1510-1561

1. All peo - ple that on earth do dwell, Sing
2. Know that the LORD is God in - deed; With -
3. O en - ter then His gates with praise; Ap -
4. For why! the LORD our God is good; His

to the LORD with cheer - ful voice. Him serve with mirth, His
out our aid He did us make; We are His folk, He
proach with joy His courts un - to; Praise, laud, and bless His
mer - cy is for - ev - er sure; His truth at all times

praise forth tell; Come ye be - fore Him and re - joice.
doth us feed, And for His sheep He doth us take.
Name al - ways, For it is seem - ly so to do.
firm - ly stood, And shall from age to age en - dure.

Be Thou My Vision

SLANE (10 10. 9 10)
 Traditional Irish melody
 harm. David Evans, 1927

Ancient Irish
 tr. Mary Byrne, 1927
 versified by Eleanor Hull, 1927

Unison

1. Be Thou my Vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;
 2. Be Thou my Wis - dom, and Thou my true Word;
 3. Rich - es I heed not, nor man's emp - ty praise,
 4. High King of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won,

Nought be all else to me, save that Thou art—
 I ev - er with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;
 Thou my in - her - i - tance, now and al - ways:
 May I reach heav'n's joys, O bright heav - en's Sun!

Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
 Thou my great Fa - ther, I Thy true son;
 Thou and Thou on - ly, first in my heart,
 Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,

Wak - ing or sleep - ing, Thy pres - ence my light.
 Thou in me dwell - ing, and I with Thee one.
 High King of heav - en, my Treas - ure Thou art.
 Still be my Vi - sion, O Ru - ler of all.