

Sunday Worship

November 2, 2025 10:00 am

**Denotes Standing, in body and/or spirit*

Worship Theme: All Saints Sunday

WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude "I Need Thee Every Hour" Steven Scott

Welcome & Announcements (see insert) Anita Stabler-Hussey

***Call to Worship (Responsively)** Hebrews 12 Leader

Leader: Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,

People: let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely,

Leader: and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us,

People: looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith,

Leader: who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame,

People: and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

***Opening Hymn** "For All the Saints" UMH #711
(v. 1,2,4)

All Saint's Recognition

***Opening Prayer (Unison)** by Denise Wiley Leader
Merciful Jesus, bless this time of worship. Look into my heart, loving Savior. You know exactly how I need you. Fill me with the fruits of your Spirit so I will let you in and let you lead. How great is your love and mercy that knows no bounds! Please be merciful Lord for all the ways I fail to love and honor you as I should. I know *Lord, that I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.* May your word Lord be my daily bread that nourishes my heart and soul to face whatever comes my way and keeps my heart anchored to yours. I pray your perpetual light will shine upon me and all the faithful departed so that we may all know your peace. Amen

Words of Assurance Offering One Another the Peace of Christ

Gratitude Moment Sheryl Rajpolt

CHOIR ANTHEM "Feed Me, Lord" Patrick M. Liebergen

A Time for Children of All Ages

WE PROCLAIM THE WORD OF GOD

New Testament Lesson: [Ephesians 1:11-19](#) (NRSV) Leader

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

***Gospel Lesson:** [Luke 19:1-10](#) (NRSV)

Lector: The Word of God for the People of God

People: Thanks be to God!

Message "From Sinner to Saint" Pastor Chuck

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD OF GOD

We Lift Up to God Our Prayers and Concerns Pastoral Prayer

***Doxology** The Offering of our Gifts

Offering Prayer (Unison)

Holy Jesus, before we come to your table where you offer yourself to us, allow us to present our offering to you. We present this offering out of gratitude for all of the blessings that you've showered upon us. From our health, to the ability you give us to gather with our Church Family, to the blessings of love and faithfulness that you've witnessed through the Saints among us. For all of these things, we give you thanks, and offer our time, our talent, our treasures, and our thoughts, to you. May your will be done. We pray this all in your precious name. Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Giving of the Bread and Cup Pastor Chuck

Prayer of Thanksgiving

WE CARRY THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

*Sending Hymn "Freely, Freely" UMH #389

*Benediction

*Benediction Response "Rule of Life" WS #3117

Postlude

Join Us for Coffee Hour Hosted by the Hornak Family

Coming Up:

November 9th. - A special Sunday Worship Service @10am with Pivot Ministries! Join us LIVE or ONLINE as we welcome the men of Pivot to celebrate the power of healing and restoration through Jesus!

Join us Wednesday's @ 7:30am for
Wednesday-Wakeup Devotional & Fellowship



[Zoom Link](#)
(Live Meeting)



[YouTube \(https://bitly.com/WWakeup\)](https://bitly.com/WWakeup)
(Recorded Sessions)

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Pianist/Organist: RoseAnne Homola Lay Leader: Patti Early
Music Leaders: Patti Early and RoseAnne Homola

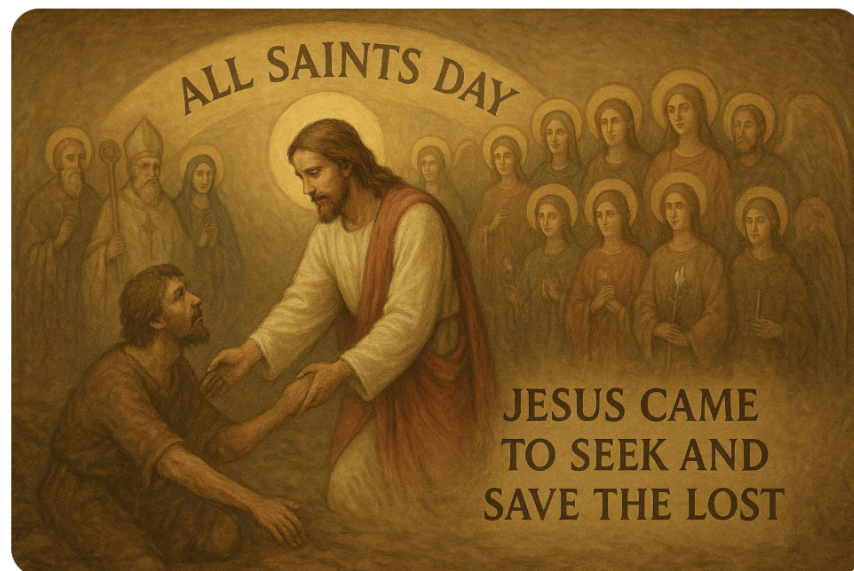
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Worship Livestream Zoom link:



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