

All Saints' Day

November 1, 2020

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Order of Worship

We invite you to follow the service in the Book of Common Prayer by referencing the page numbers listed. If you do not have a Prayer Book, you can order one [here](#). All liturgical parts of the service are projected in-building or subtitled in our live video.

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Revelation 7:9-17

9 After 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, 10 and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" 11 And 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, 12 saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

13 Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" 14 I 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.

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

17 For 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."

Psalm 149

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- 1 Praise the Lord. O sing unto the Lord a new song; *
let the congregation of the faithful praise him.
- 2 Let Israel rejoice in the one who made him, *
and let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.
- 3 Let them praise his Name in the dance; *
let them sing praises unto him with timbrel and harp.
- 4 For the Lord has pleasure in his people *
and gives victory to those who are oppressed.
- 5 Let the faithful be joyful with glory; *
let them rejoice upon their beds.
- 6 Let the praises of God be in their mouth *
and a two-edged sword in their hands,
- 7 To inflict vengeance on the nations, *
and to rebuke the peoples,
- 8 To bind their kings in chains, *
and their nobles with links of iron,
- 9 That they may execute judgment upon them, as it is written; *
this is the honor of all his servants. Praise the Lord.

Ephesians 1:15-23

15 For this reason, because I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, 16 I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, 17 that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, 18 having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, 19 and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might 20 that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, 21 far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. 22 And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, 23 which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Gradual

Matthew 5:1-12

- 1 Seeing the crowds, he went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.
- 2 And 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. 12 Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

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The Prayers of the People

Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, “hear our prayer.”

For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.

Lord, in your mercy: *Hear our prayer.*

For Foley, our Archbishop, and Neil, our Bishop, and for all the clergy and people of our Diocese and Congregation.

Lord, in your mercy: *Hear our prayer.*

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others.

Lord, in your mercy: *Hear our prayer.*

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.

Lord, in your mercy: *Hear our prayer.*

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service.

Lord, in your mercy: *Hear our prayer.*

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

Lord, in your mercy: *Hear our prayer.*

For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, in thanksgiving let us pray.

Lord, in your mercy: *Hear our prayer.*

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“The Lamb has Overcome”

By Luke Morton

The Lamb has overcome, The Lamb has overcome
The battle's done and the victory is won
For the Lamb has overcome

No grave could hold him down, no grave could hold him down
Up from the ground, "He is risen!" was the sound
No grave could hold him down

At God's right hand is he, at God's right hand is he
Our Perfect Plea as he lives to intercede
At God's right hand is he

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain

Glory be unto his name

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Glory be unto his name

The table now is spread, the table now is spread
This wine and bread, broken body and blood shed
The table now is spread

The day is drawing near, the day is drawing near
He shall appear and will wipe away each tear
The day is drawing near **Refrain**

The Lamb has overcome, The Lamb has overcome
The battle's done and the victory is won
For the Lamb has overcome

The Blessing

The Dismissal

To honor this parish's origins in the Anglican Church of Kenya we use the dismissal from the Kenyan Prayer Book.

October Mission Spotlight

It's time to begin Operation Christmas Child! Each year shoeboxes are filled around the country and shipped to children all over the world, along with the Gospel told in a culturally sensitive way. You can build a box online for \$25 (other fees such as shipping may apply). Visit samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child to build a box or learn about filling one of your own. Contact Suzie Guerry with any questions at (352) 258-3546.

Prayer Reminders for the Week

Those who labor for our common good: researchers and restaurant kitchen staff

The least reached people group: the Mongol of Northeast Asia

The persecuted church in: Kenya

First responders, relief & healthcare workers, and armed forces personnel connected to Servants: Tom Benton, Jeannie Bey, Sarah Chandler, Scottie Daquila, Danielle Elswick, Ethan Gibson, Rick Guerry, Annette Hall, John Harris, Lisa Kincaid, Libby King, Peter King, Chris Lewis, Barbara Matthews, Tiebout McCrea, Steve McCready, Tom McGee, Taylor Moore, Kate Norton, Josh Pothen, and Andrew Thompson

Clergy of our parish: All Saints Anglican Church, Tallahassee, FL; All Souls Anglican Church, Jacksonville, FL; Anglican Church of the Word, Pembroke Pines, FL

Churches in our diocese: Apostles by the Sea, Rosemary Beach, FL; Christ Church Anglican, Jacksonville, FL; Church of the Good Shepherd, Auburn, AL

Specific needs in our parish: Healing—Tim Austin, Jeannie Bey, Larry Goble, Lourdes Gonzalez, Ken Langeland, Karen Langer, Mark Ludlow, Sandra Mixson, and Jim Moulthrop; Servants at home—Barbara & Tim Austin, Charlotte Barrett, Judi Burger & Rick Mulligan, Jan Campana-Schrottke & Gus Schrottke, Lina Colondres, Mary Coryell, Walter & Alice Crosby, Kathleen Crosby, Shirley Edelstein, Jerri Fisher, Ruben Flores, Marcelo Flores, Larry & Leslie Goble, Ken Handley, Andrew & Claudia Hanson, Karen Haskell, Lynn Jacobs, Joyce La Cagnina, Anne Lawson, Bob Lyons & Rae Maren-Lyons, Jim & Raye Moulthrop, Elena Rhodes, Felix Santana, Nan Szypulski-Lewis, Al Thrower

Announcements

CoffeeChat: Join Fr. Bob and others in our congregation on Zoom at 11:00am today for fellowship. Visitors to our online service are most welcome! Bring your coffee and hang out for half an hour. Get the link at servantsanglican.org/coffeechat.

Soaking Prayer: Tuesday, November 3, on Zoom, 6:30-7:30pm. Join the prayer team to pray and be prayed for in a quiet, reverent atmosphere. All the details on how to connect are below the Financial Update section. Contact Mary Langeland with any questions at marylang704@gmail.com.

Wednesdays at Servants: This Wednesday at 7:00pm, Fr. Alex will continue his series on Romans. If you missed the first few weeks of the class you can catch up a little by watching weeks 1 and 2 on our [YouTube channel](#). The link to the class on Wednesday can be found at servantsanglican.org/zoom. Email alex@servantsanglican.org with any questions!

Youth Group: All 6th-12th graders are invited to Youth Group this Wednesday from 7:00-8:00pm. Come with a mask to the front of the church! Also, this Saturday, November 7, 10:00-11:30am, the youth are invited to gather outside the narthex again, this time for games (masks again required).

Synod: Synod will be offered virtually this Friday and Saturday. Anyone can attend for free! You can get more information about the theme, workshops and registration at the diocese's [website](#).

Community Relief Day-Strike Out for Hunger: Tuesday, November 10, at the Alachua County Fair Grounds.

This Community Relief Day will be hosted by The Long Foundation, the foundation that puts on the Strike Out Hunger food drive each November. The event will be run as a drive-thru and volunteers will place boxes into the trunks of the cars. Volunteers should arrive by 8:30am for a health screening (bring a mask and gloves if you have them; provided if you don't). Box preparation is from 9:00am-12:00pm; the drive-thru is 12:00-2:00pm. A boxed lunch will be provided for volunteers at 2:00pm. Get all the details at <https://fb.me/e/1e6owH8LB> and sign up to be a volunteer [here](#).

Communion: For those attending in person, a reminder that during Communion you will be invited by an usher to go to the railing. At the railing, you will see cushions on the kneelers delineating where household units should stand (no kneeling at this time, please). We are working to keep everyone safe by encouraging social distance and we appreciate your help!

RSVP for Services: RSVPing allows us to keep track of attendance and will let us know when we need to add a second service to accommodate everyone who wants to come. Thank you so much for your help in this! You can RSVP at servantsanglican.org/reopening. To be added to our email list or get text messages from us which include reminders, complete our [digital connect card](#).

Aletheia in the Parking Lot: We'd like to make sure that those of you attending in person (and those who may want to attend soon) know that Aletheia is meeting outside in the parking lot behind the church. They have left a way out for us, so be sure not to go out the campus entrance, but go as far north in the parking lot as possible, then east as far as you can go to get around their service. We're asking that all drivers honor the traffic pattern of the campus so that accidents can be avoided.

Financial Update

We know that money talk can be a real turn-off. We rarely talk about it, but we always include this as a way to be transparent to our parish. Amounts are current as of October 25.

September Budget: \$26,555

2021 Budget YTD: \$113,212

September Giving: \$19,163

2021 Giving YTD: \$81,005

You are invited to Soaking Prayer via Zoom!

Soaking Prayer will be Tuesday, November 3, 2020 from 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. We will meet online using the Zoom app.

+ Email questions to Mary Langeland at marylang704@gmail.com or call or text 352-226-0209. If you text, please indicate your name in the text.

+ On the evening of November 3 at 6:30 p.m., click <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3686416869> which will bring you to the narthex/main meeting room. There a host will greet you, answer any questions and admit you to one of the prayer/breakout rooms, each with two intercessors who will pray privately for you.

+ If you need to wait for an available prayer room, the host will admit you to the sanctuary/breakout room with worship music by Rick Guerry. You may soak in the sacred sounds as you wait or turn the sound down on your computer and mediate.

+ Once you have received prayer, you leave the prayer room to return to the narthex, either leaving the service, or the host can admit you to the sanctuary to listen to Rick's music.

"Behold now, bless the Lord, all you servants of the Lord, you that stand by night in the house of the Lord. Lift up your hands in the holy place and bless the Lord; the Lord who made heaven and earth bless you out of Zion." Psalm 134