

The Great Thanksgiving

Liturgy of Holy Communion and Remembering Our Saints
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First congregational response is sung; all other responses are spoken.

The Lord's Prayer

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Music During Communion

Goin' Home—arr. Langford
Chancel Choir; Mary DiBartolo, cello

Sicilienne—Maria-Theresia von Paradis

Prayer after Communion

* Hymn of Commitment *Sing with All the Saints in Glory* vs. 1 & 4
Hymnal 702

* Benediction

* Postlude *Litanies* Jehan Alain

Acolytes: Noelle Peterson, Morgan Tefft

Ushers: Frank Adams, Jim Bateman, Don Brandenburg,
Greg Eagleburger, Bill Howard, Crystal Rimsza, Don Wall

Assisting with Communion: Frieda Bateman, Maynard & Sue Blumer,
Anne & Tony Book, Jim & Pam Poley, Martha Rinne

Audio: Jim DeBusk Video: Craig McGaughey

*Chancel flowers are given by Maureen, Ken & Jim Rogers
in loving memory of Ken's parents, Ruth & Jim Rogers*



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Worship Celebration

November 6, 2016 — 9:30 am

All Saints Sunday



“In God We Trust”

Meditation

Ordinary folks

Shining with divinity

Every soul blessed

—All Saints Day Haiku, David Aslesen



God's Love in Action™

All are invited to share in communion this morning. As United Methodists, we practice an “open communion” where all are welcome to come forward as we meet the presence of the living Christ. You will be given a piece of bread to dip into the cup. *Gluten-free wafers are available.* Our prayer team is available at the rail during the serving of communion. You may share a prayer concern with the prayer team, or simply ask them to pray for your unvoiced concern.

Words of Welcome Rev. Eve Williams

Prelude *Lord I Want to Be A Christian* arr. Waldrop
Celebration Ringers

Choral Introit

* Call to Worship Rev. Dr. Dave Summers

Leader: For all the saints, from whom their labors rest.

People: We come thankful for all who have gone before us,

Leader: bringing light to our path and hope to our days,

People: seeding joy in our hearts and faith in our lives.

Leader: Praise God for saints beyond time!

All: Praise God for saints who walk beside us.

* Hymn of Praise *For All the Saints* verses 1, 4, 6 Hymnal 711

* Opening Prayer (in unison)

God of all times, help us run with perseverance
the race of faith before us.

We honor those who have finished their labors
and received their reward.

Like them, we need your guiding presence
as we continue our race.

As we worship today, may we become faithful saints
who always seek your grace and truth. Amen.

Invitation to Change the World Day

* Moments of Christian Fellowship

* Hymn of Fellowship *The Battle Hymn of the Republic* verse 1
Hymnal 717

(please fill out and pass the fellowship pads)

Anthem *God's Love is Alive in Us* Patterson
Music Makers

Foundation Moment Michael Colbert, President, PVUMC Foundation

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Holy God, we come before you aware of
how far we have fallen short.

You have given to us all that makes life good,
yet we do not live our thankfulness.

We grumble about what we lack.

We have squandered your blessings,
with little thought of those who will come after us.

We are more troubled by the few who have more
than by the many who have less.

Forgive us, O God, through the grace of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Silent Prayer and Words of Assurance

Leader: In the Name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People: In the Name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

All: Glory to God. Amen.

Scripture *I Corinthians 1:9-17* Martha Rinne

Leader: God's Word for God's people.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon *In God We Trust* Rev. Dr. Dave Summers

Sharing of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory *Our Island Barque* arr. Tillan
Paradise Singers; Mickey Price, snare drum

* Doxology *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow*
Hymnal 95

* Offertory Prayer

*When you see an * in the order of worship, please stand as you are able.*