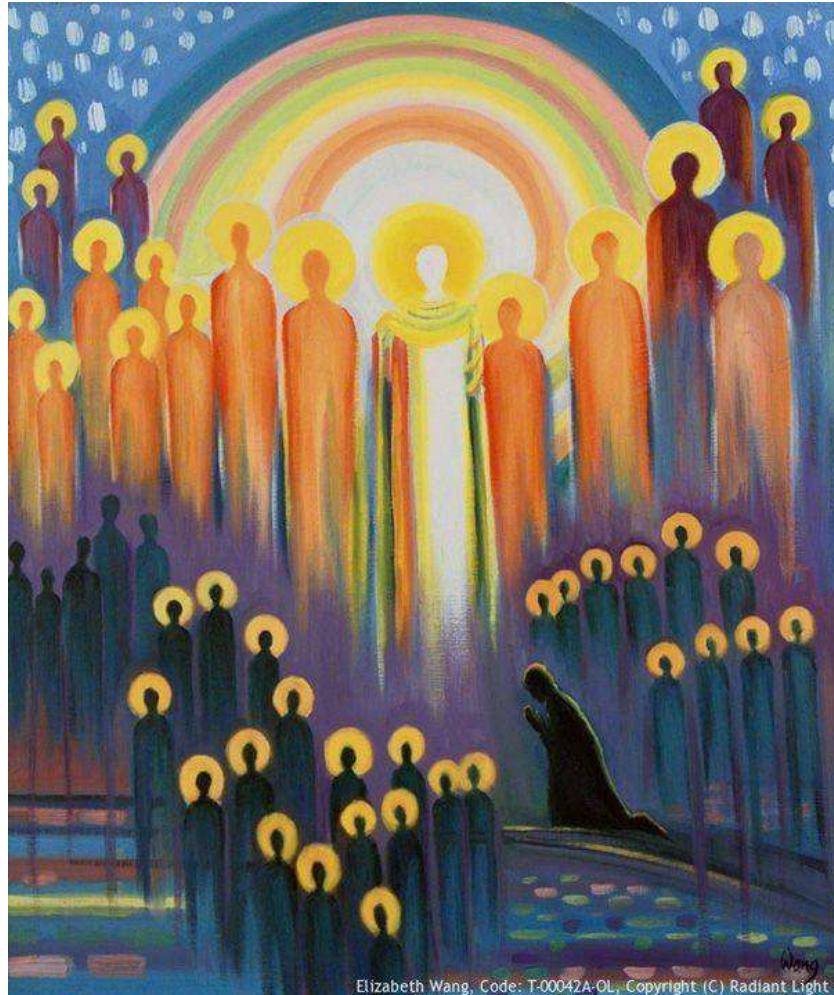


All Saints Day

Sunday, November 1, 2020



Elizabeth Wang (c) Radiant Light

*People respond using the words in **Bold***

Gathering Music

Aria in F Major (from Rodelinda)

G. F. Handel (1685-1759)

Satish Casie Chetty, violin

Howard Helvey, organ

Announcements and Birthday and Anniversary Blessings

Children's Message

Opening Music I am the Church

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Words & Music: Richard Avery and Donald Marsh

Danny Mylott, Family Musician

Opening Sentence: You are no longer strangers and sojourners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin

Priest: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

People: Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Priest: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

Invitatory and Psalter

Priest: Lord, open our lips.

People: And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Priest: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever.

People: **Amen. Alleluia.**

Priest: Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness:

People: Come let us adore him.

Venite

Come, let us sing to the Lord; *

 let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving *

 and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God, *

 and a great King above all gods.

In his hand are the caverns of the earth, *

 and the heights of the hills are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it, *

 and his hands have molded the dry land.

Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, *

 and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is our God,

and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. *

 Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

Psalm 34:1-10,22 Anglican Chant: Charles V. Stanford (1852-1924)

Sharon Grayton, cantor

Howard Helyve, organ

- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times; *
 his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
- 2 I will glory in the Lord; *
 let the humble hear and rejoice.
- 3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; *
 let us exalt his Name together.
- 4 I sought the Lord, and he answered me *
 and delivered me out of all my terror.
- 5 Look upon him and be radiant, *
 and let not your faces be ashamed.

6 I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me *
and saved me from all my troubles.
7 The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him, *
and he will deliver them.
8 Taste and see that the Lord is good; *
happy are they who trust in him!
9 Fear the Lord, you that are his saints, *
for those who fear him lack nothing.
10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger, *
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good.
22 The Lord ransoms the life of his servants, *
and none will be punished who trust in him.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

1 John 3:1-3

Read by John Campbell

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

Hymn *For all the saints*

words: William Walsham How (1823-97)

music: Sine Nomine, Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

Sharon Grayton, soloist

Howard Helvey, organ

The Gospel Reading Matthew 5:1-12

Read by John Campbell

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Homily

The Reverend Allison R. English

Choral Anthem *O quam gloriosum*

words: the antiphon to the Magnificat for the Feast of All Saints (Vespers)
music: Howard Helvey (b 1968)

O quam gloriosum est regnum,
in quo cum Christo
gaudent omnes Sancti!
amicti stolis albis,
sequuntur Agnum
quocumque ierit. Alleluia!

[English translation:]

O how glorious is the kingdom,
where, with Christ,
all the Saints rejoice!
Clothed in white robes,
they follow the Lamb
wheresoever he goes. Alleluia!

This choral anthem was commissioned in 2003 for the Cliff Singers of Briar Cliff University, Sioux City, Iowa; Dr. Mark I. Simmons, Conductor.

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The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant	Do you believe in God the Father?
People	I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
Celebrant	Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?
People	I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
Celebrant	Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
People	I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
Celebrant	Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?
People	I will, with God's help.
Celebrant	Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?
People	I will, with God's help.
Celebrant	Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?
People	I will, with God's help.
Celebrant	Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People	I will, with God's help.
Celebrant	Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?
People	I will, with God's help.

The Prayers

Officiant The Lord be with you.
 People **And also with you.**
 Officiant Let us pray.

The Lord's Prayer said by all

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Suffrages A

V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;
 R. **And grant us your salvation.**
 V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;
 R. **Let your people sing with joy.**
 V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;
 R. **For only in you can we live in safety.**

 V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;
 R. **And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**
 V. Let your way be known upon earth;
 R. **Your saving health among all nations.**
 V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
 R. **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**
 V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;
 R. **And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.**

The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

Prayer

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. **.Amen.**

Prayers of the People

Necrology

The rector then reads the necrology, then adds a concluding collect

William Charles Helvey
Hubert Schilb
Marty Milligan
James Louis Caldwell
Gloria Conard
Gordon Grender
Gloria Conard

Robert John "RJ" Fredenburgh
Bernie Martin
Dale Bowman
Paul Potter
Peggy Mullin
The Reverend Richard Rasner

Jennifer Ebichi
Terri Gomes
Larry Rooney
Holly Gardner
Glenn Oliver Gristock
Gayle and Ray Laible

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

In union, blessed Jesus, with the faithful gathered at every altar of your Church where your blessed Body and Blood are offered this day, and remembering particularly Calvary Parish and those worshiping there I long to offer you praise and thanksgiving, for creation and all the blessings of this life, for the redemption won for us by your life, death, and resurrection, for the means of grace and the hope of glory. *And particularly for the blessings given me....*

I believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament, and, whether I am able to come at this time to receive communion or not, I pray you to come into my heart. I unite myself with you and embrace you with all my heart, my soul, and my mind. Let nothing separate me from you; let me serve you in this life until, by your grace, I come to your glorious kingdom and unending peace.
Amen.

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. **Amen.**

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