

All Saints' Sunday with Holy Baptism

November 7, 2021

A Litany Of All The Saints

The congregation sings the verses to the hymn

**¶For all the saints, who from their labors rest,
Who thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy Name, O Jesus, be for ever blessed.
Alleluia, alleluia!**

Holy ones present at our beginnings:

¶ Stand here beside us!

Abraham and Sarah,
Isaac and Rebecca,
Jacob and Rachel and Leah, makers of the covenant, forebears of our race:
Stand here beside us!

Elizabeth and Simeon,
Joseph, Monica and Helen,
exemplars in the love and care of children:
stand here beside us!

Mary most holy, yes-sayer to God;
John the baptizer, map-maker of the Lord's coming:
stand here beside us!

Holy ones who showed the good news to be the way of life:

¶ Stand here beside us!

Mary Magdalene, apostle to the apostles;
Thomas the doubter; Augustine of Canterbury; Francis Xavier;
Samuel Joseph Schereschewsky;
all travelers who carried the Gospel to distant places: stand here beside us!

Bernard and Dominic;
Catherine of Siena, the scourge of popes;
John and Charles Wesley, preachers in the streets;
all whose power of speaking gave life to the written word:
stand here beside us!

Benedict of Nursia,
 Teresa of Avila;
 Nicholas Ferrar;
 Elizabeth Ann Seton;
 Richard Meux Benson; James Huntington;
 Roger of Taize; all founders of communities:

✖ **Stand here beside us!**

✖ **Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might:
 Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
 Thou, in the darkness drear, the one true Light.
 Alleluia, alleluia!**

Holy ones who gave their lives to the care of others:

✖ **Stand here beside us!**

Louis, king of France;
 Margaret, queen of Scotland;
 Gandhi the mahatma, reproach to the churches;
 Dag Hammarskjold the bureaucrat;
 all who made governance an act of faith:
 stand here beside us!

Peter of the keys, denier of the Lord;
 Ambrose of Milan, who answered the Church's summons; Hilda, abbess at Whitby;
 Robert Grosseteste, bishop of Lincoln, protector of the Jews;
 all faithful shepherds of the Master's flock:
 stand here beside us!

Luke the physician;
 Francis who kissed the leper;
 Florence Nightingale;
 Albert Schweitzer;
 all who brought to the sick and suffering the hands of healing:
 stand here beside us!

Holy ones who made the proclaiming of God's love a work of art:

✖ **Stand here beside us!**

John Merbecke;
 Johann Sebastian Bach;
 Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart;

Duke Ellington;
all who sang the Creator's praises in the language of the soul:
stand here beside us!

David and the Psalmists;
Caedmon; Dante Alighieri, the supreme poet;
John Milton, sketcher of Paradise;
William Blake, builder of Jerusalem;
John Mason Neale, preserver of the past;
all poets of the celestial vision:
stand here beside us!

Zaccheus the tree-climber;
Brother Lawrence;
Therese of Lisieux, the little flower;
Andrew of Glasshampton;
all cultivators of holy simplicity:

✉ **Stand here beside us!**

**✉ O may thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold,
Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,
And win, with them, the victor's crown of gold.
Alleluia, alleluia!**

Holy ones haunted by the justice and mercy of God:
✉ **Stand here beside us!**

Amos of Tekoa, who held up the plumbline;
John Wycliffe, who brought the Scripture to the common folk;
John Hus and Menno Simons, generals in the Lamb's war;
Martin Luther, who could do no other;
George Fox, foe of steeple-houses;
all who kept the Church ever-reforming:
stand here beside us!

Paul the apostle, transfixed by noonday light;
Augustine of Hippo, God's city planner;
Thomas Aquinas and John Calvin, architects of the divine;
Charles Williams, teacher of coinherence;
Dorothy Sayers, who danced with the Trinity;
Karl Barth, knower of the unknowable;
All who saw God at work and wrote down what they saw:
stand here beside us!

John, the seer of Patmos;
 Anthony of the desert;
 Julian, the anchoress of Norwich;
 Hildegarde, the sybil of the Rhine;
 Meister Eckardt;
 Bernadette of Lourdes;
 all who were called to see the Master's face:
 stand here beside us!

Tekakwitha, Native American Woman and confessor of Christ;
 Johnny Appleseed, mad planter of Eden;
 Sojourner Truth, pilgrim of justice;
 Benedict Joseph Labre, priest and panhandler;
 all whose love for God was beyond containment:
 Stand here beside us!

Holy ones who died in witness to the Christ:

✖ Stand here beside us!

Stephen the deacon, the first martyr, stoned in Jerusalem:
 James the Apostle, put to the sword by King Herod,
 Justin, Ignatius and Polycarp, who refused the incense to Caesar:
 Perpetua and Felicitas, torn by beasts in the arena at Carthage:
 Thomas Cranmer, Hugh Latimer and Nicholas Ridley, burned in Oxford;
 Constance and her Companions, martyrs of Memphis;
 Bernard Mizeki, stabbed in Rhodesia;
 Maximilian Kolbe and Edith Stein, put to death at Auschwitz:
 stand here beside us!

James Reeb, Jonathan Daniels, Michael Schwerner,
 Medgar Evers, Viola Liuzzo, shot in the South:
 Martin Luther King, shot in Memphis:
 Janani Luwum, shot in Kampala:
 Oscar Romero, shot in San Salvador:
 Martyrs of Rome, of Lyons, of Japan, of Eastern Equatorial
 Africa, of Uganda, of Melanesia,
 martyrs of everywhere:

✖ Stand here beside us!

✠ But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day;
 the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
 the King of glory passes on his way.
 Alleluia, alleluia!

Holy ones of every time and place:

✠ **Stand here beside us!**

Glorious company of heaven:

✠ **Stand here beside us!**

All runners of the celestial race:

✠ **Stand here beside us!**

The necrology is read.

The congregation is invited to call out the names of departed loved ones.

Great cloud of witnesses:

✠ **Stand here beside us!**

Jesus our liberator, creator of all:

✠ **Stand here beside us!**

Jesus our liberator, redeemer of all:

✠ **Stand here beside us!**

Jesus our liberator, sanctifier of all:

✠ **Stand here beside us!**

Jesus our liberator, the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end:

✠ **Stand here beside us!**

✠ **O blest communion, fellowship divine!**
 We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
 Yet all are one in thee, for all are thine.
 Alleluia, alleluia!

The Opening Acclamation

Blessed be God; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

✠ **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

There is one Body and one Spirit;

✠ **There is one hope in God's call to us;**

One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
¶ One God and Father of all.

The Lord be with you.
¶ And also with you

Let us pray.

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.

The First Reading

Revelation 21:1-6a

I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals.
 He will dwell with them as their God;
 they will be his peoples,
 and God himself will be with them;
 he will wipe every tear from their eyes.
 Death will be no more;
 mourning and crying and pain will be no more,
 for the first things have passed away."

And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

The Word of the Lord.

¶ Thanks be to God.

The Sequence Hymn

I want to walk as a child of the light

Hymnal 490

The Holy Gospel

John 11:32-44

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

✠ Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

The Gospel of the Lord.

✠ Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Nan N. Kennedy

HOLY BAPTISM

Presentation and Examination of the Candidate

The Candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Parents and Godparents

I present N. to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

When all have been presented the Celebrant asks the parents and godparents

Will you be responsible for seeing that this child you present is brought up in the Christian faith and life?

Parents and Godparents

I will, with God's help.

Celebrant

Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

Parents and Godparents

I will, with God's help.

Then the Celebrant asks the following questions of the candidates and of the parents and godparents who speak on behalf of the infant and younger children.

<i>Question</i>	Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?
<i>Answer</i>	I renounce them.
<i>Question</i>	Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?
<i>Answer</i>	I renounce them.
<i>Question</i>	Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?
<i>Answer</i>	I renounce them.
<i>Question</i>	Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?
<i>Answer</i>	I do.
<i>Question</i>	Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?
<i>Answer</i>	I do.
<i>Question</i>	Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?
<i>Answer</i>	I do.

Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ?

✠ We will.

The Celebrant then says these or similar words

Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant

Do you believe in God the Father?

✠ I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

✠ 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.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

✠ **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.**

Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Prayers for the Candidates

Let us now pray for these persons who are to receive the Sacrament of new birth.

A Person appointed leads the following petitions:

Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

✠ **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Open their hearts to your grace and truth.

✠ **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

✠ **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

✠ **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.

✠ **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Send them into the world in witness to your love.

✠ **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.

¶Lord, hear our prayer.

Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever.

¶Amen.

Thanksgiving over the Water

The Celebrant blesses the water, first saying

The Lord be with you.

¶And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

¶It is right to give God thanks and praise.

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life. We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

At the following words, the Celebrant touches the water

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever.

¶ Amen.

The Baptism

The candidates are presented by name to the Celebrant, or to an assisting priest or deacon, who then immerses, or pours water upon, the candidates, saying

N., I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

¶ Amen.

Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon these your servants the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.

✠ **Amen.**

Then the Priest places a hand on the person's head, marking on the forehead the sign of the cross [using Chrism if desired] and saying

N., you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever.

✠ **Amen.**

When all have been baptized, the Celebrant says

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

✠ **We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

✠ **And also with you.**

The Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

The Holy Communion

The Offertory

Down to the River to Pray

Parish Choir

The Doxology

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Him all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer D

The Lord be with you.

✠ **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

✠ **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

⌘It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks; for you alone are God, living and true, dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and for ever.

Fountain of life and source of all goodness, you made all things and fill them with your blessing; you created them to rejoice in the splendor of your radiance.

Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you night and day; and, beholding the glory of your presence, they offer you unceasing praise. Joining with them, and giving voice to every creature under heaven, we acclaim you, and glorify your Name, as we sing,

⌘The Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

We acclaim you, holy Lord, glorious in power. Your mighty works reveal your wisdom and love. You formed us in your own image, giving the whole world into our care, so that, in obedience to you, our Creator, we might rule and serve all your creatures. When our disobedience took us far from you, you did not abandon us to the power of death. In your mercy you came to our help, so that in seeking you we might find you. Again and again you called us into covenant with you, and through the prophets you taught us to hope for salvation. Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time you sent your only Son to be our Savior. Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin. To the poor he proclaimed the good news of salvation; to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy. To fulfill your purpose he gave himself up to death; and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new.

And, that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us, he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe, to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all.

When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end; at supper with them he took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption. Recalling Christ's death and his descent among the dead, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

Presider and People

**¶We praise you, we bless you,
¶we give thanks to you,
¶and we pray to you, Lord our God.**

Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.

Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name.

Remember, Lord, your one holy catholic and apostolic Church, redeemed by the blood of your Christ. Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace.

Remember all who minister in your Church.

Remember all your people, and those who seek your truth.

Remember all who have died in the peace of Christ, and those whose faith is known to you alone; bring them into the place of eternal joy and light.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with the Blessed Virgin Mary, with patriarchs, prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past. We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever.

¶AMEN.

The Lord's Prayer

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

✠ **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, forever and ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

✠ **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving

A spiritual communion is a personal devotional that anyone can pray at any time to express their desire to receive Holy Communion at that moment, but in which circumstances impede them from actually receiving Holy Communion. Those worshiping virtually are invited to say the following prayer while communion is being distributed to the in-person gathering.

✠ **Jesus, we believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar, and we desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving as we proclaim your resurrection. Loving you above all things, we long to be united to you in love. Since we cannot receive you in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, come spiritually into our hearts. Cleanse and strengthen us with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let us never be separated from you. May we live in you, and you in us, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.**

(Adapted from St. Alphonsus de Liguori, 1696-1787)

The Communion Hymns

I sing a song of the saints of God

For the bread which you have broken

Hymnal 293

Hymnal 341

The Post-Communion Prayer

Let us pray.

✠ **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Blessing

The priest pronounces the blessing after which the people respond:

✠ **Amen.**

✠ **The Recessional**

Ye holy angels bright

Hymnal 625

The Dismissal

The Priest announces the dismissal, after which the congregation respond:

✠ **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.**

The Postlude

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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Sunday, November 7

8:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I
 Breakfast in the Courtyard
 10:30 AM All Saints Sunday with Holy Baptism,
 (Nursery Care Available)
 10:30 AM Livestream Holy Eucharist

Tuesday, November 9

9:00 AM Worship in the Courtyard
 Holy Eucharist