



**Online Worship Resource** (All Saints' Day, Sunday, November 1, 2020)

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Prelude: ***How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place*** J. Brahms

*Psalm 84 vss. 1,2,4*

*How lovely are Thy dwelling places, Lord of Hosts!*

*My soul longs and yearns for the forecourts of the Lord.*

*My body and soul delight themselves in the living God.*

*Blessed are they who live in your house, they praise you ever more.*

Jane Kerr, Organist

Welcome & Announcements

**Call to Worship** *Psalm 107:1-2* Erika Rissi, Liturgist

Please join me in the responsive Call to Worship:

O give thanks to the Lord, who is good.

**God's steadfast love endures forever!**

Let the redeemed of the Lord say so:

**God's steadfast love endures forever!**

## Opening Hymn: "For All the Saints"

For all the saints who from their labors rest, who thee by faith before the world confessed,

Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!

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

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,

Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Alleluia! Alleluia!

## Passing the Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

## Pastoral Prayer

## Children's Time

## Prayer for Illumination

Let us prepare our hearts to hear God's Word by praying together the Prayer for Illumination:

**Pour out your Spirit upon us, O God, that we might hear and receive your life-altering, world-changing, blessing-filled Word. Amen.**

Scripture Reading: 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13

<sup>9</sup> You remember our labor and toil, brothers and sisters; <sup>10</sup> we worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you while we proclaimed to you the gospel of God. <sup>10</sup> You are witnesses, and God also, how pure, upright, and blameless our conduct was toward you believers. <sup>11</sup> As you know, we dealt with each one of you like a father with his children, <sup>12</sup> urging and encouraging you and pleading that you lead a life worthy of God, who calls you into his own kingdom and glory.

<sup>13</sup> We also constantly give thanks to God for this, that when you received the word of God that you heard from us, you accepted it not as a human word but as what it really is, God's word, which is also at work in you believers.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon                      Church Reimagined: Cooperation Among the Saints  
Rev. Michelle Fincher

**Hymn after Sermon:                      "Come, Share the Lord"**

We gather here in Jesus' name; His love is burning in our hearts like living flame;  
For through the loving Son the Father makes us one; Come take the bread,  
Come drink the wine, Come, share the Lord.

No one is a stranger here; Everyone belongs. Finding our forgiveness here, we in  
turn forgive all wrongs.

He joins us here; he breaks the bread; the Lord who pours the cup is risen from  
the dead;

The one we love the most is now our gracious host: Come take the bread,  
Come drink the wine, Come, share the Lord.

We are now a family, of which the Lord is head. Though unseen he meets us  
here in the breaking of the bread.

We'll gather soon where angels sing; We'll see the glory of our Lord and coming  
King;

Now we anticipate the feast for which we wait; Come take the bread, Come  
drink the wine, Come, share the Lord.

Call to Offering

(Liturgist)

In sharing ourselves we cooperate with God's vision of love and justice for the world. It is a privilege to give freely, that the ministry of Christ may flourish in our community and beyond. Thank you for your gifts. Please pray with me the prayer of dedication:

**Prayer of Dedication:**

**Giver of all good gifts, how can we thank you for your never-ending love? Even our lives are not enough. Accept our offerings as tokens of our gratitude and signs of our cooperation and hope in the kingdom you have promised. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.**

### Sharing the Lord's Supper

Call to Confession

For the peace and unity of the saints and trusting in God's promise of grace, let us tell the truth about our lives, that we might receive mercy in our time of need. Let us pray together ....

**Prayer of Confession:**

**Merciful God, you call all of us to reconciliation, making us members of the very body of Christ. Yet we persist in wounding that body with our divisions, our suspicions, and our neglect. Forgive us and teach us to nurture cooperation and peace. For the sake of Jesus Christ and the world he came to save, we pray.**

Silent Confession

**Assurance of Pardon**

In the great compassion of God, the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ has shown us the depth of God's mercy.

**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Alleluia! Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise....**

Prayer after Communion

Benediction     **"May the God of Hope Go With Us Every Day"**

May the God of hope go with us every day, filling all our lives with love and joy and peace.

May the God of justice speed us on our way, bringing light and hope to every land and race.

Praying, let us work for peace; Singing, share our joy with all;

Working for a world that's new, Faithful when we hear Christ's call.

Postlude:

***Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty***

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!*

*Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;*

*Holy, holy holy! Merciful and mighty;*

*God in three persons, blessed Trinity!*

*Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,*

*Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;*

*Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,*

*Which wert, and art, and ever more shall be.*

Today's Worship Participants:

Rev. Michelle Fincher, Jane Kerr, organist, Judy Viccellio, guitar,

David Maley, piano, Erika Rissi, liturgist and Whitney Roberts, technology team

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Family and Friends

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Mary Wells	Mother of Pam Williams
Tom Davidson	Husband of Libby Davidson
Diane Hutchins	Former Interim Calvary Pastor & Wife of David Hutchins
Irma Langkamp	Friend of Lillian Rooks
Rebecca Yeboah	Wife of Kofi Yeboah & Mother of Hannah Yeboah
George Souza	Friend of Elsie Plues
Esther Williams	Wife of Samuel NiiAryee
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