All Saints' Sunday

November 3, 2024

Virtual Bulletin with Holy Communion, Setting IV

Hill Avenue Grace Lutheran Church

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Order of the Liturgy

Prelude "Holy, Holy, Holy" arr. Bill Wolaver

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the Name of the Father, and of the \pm Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the \pm Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**







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GREETING

The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ; the love of God; and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**





CANTICLE OF PRAISE



PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING: Isaiah 25:6-9

- ⁶ On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear.
- ⁷ And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples,

the covering that is spread over all nations; 8 he will swallow up death forever.

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces,

and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth,

for the LORD has spoken.

⁹ It will be said on that day,

"See, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us.

This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 24 The congregation responds with the bold verses.

- ¹ The earth is the LORD's and all [|] that is in it, the world and those who [|] dwell therein.
- ² For the LORD has founded it up- | on the seas and established it up- | on the rivers.
- ³ Who may ascend the mountain ¹ of the LORD, and who may stand in God's ¹ holy place?
- ⁴ Those of innocent hands and puri- ¹ ty of heart,
 - who do not swear on God's being, nor do they pledge by | what is false.
- ⁵ They shall receive blessing ¹ from the LORD and righteousness from the God of ¹ their salvation.
- ⁶ Such is the generation of those who seek | you, O LORD, of those who seek your face, O | God of Jacob.
- ⁷ Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O ever- ¹ lasting doors, that the King of glory ¹ may come in.
- ⁸ Who is this | King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, might- | y in battle!
- ⁹ Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O ever- ¹ lasting doors, that the King of glory ¹ may come in.
- ¹⁰ Who is this | King of glory? Truly, the LORD of hosts is the | King of glory.

SECOND READING: Revelation 21:1-6a

¹I 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. ² And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³ And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them and be their God;

- ⁴ 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."
- ⁵ 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." ⁶ 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.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL: John 11:32-44

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." ³³ When Jesus saw her weeping and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. ³⁴ He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." ³⁵ Jesus began to weep. ³⁶ So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" ³⁷ But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

³⁸ Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. ³⁹ 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." ⁴⁰ Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?" ⁴¹ So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. ⁴² 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." ⁴³ When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" ⁴⁴ 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."

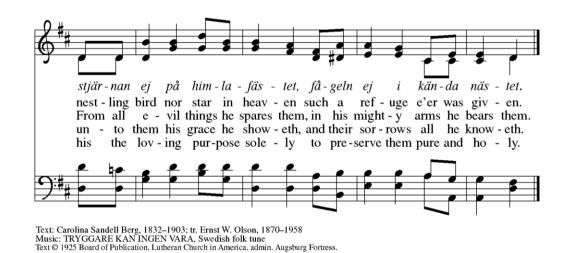
The Gospel of our Lord. Thanks be to God.

SERMON Pastor Garry Mohr

HYMN OF THE DAY ELW 781

Children of the Heavenly Father





APOSTLES' CREED

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,
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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father,

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. Amen.

and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Each petition ends with "Lord, in your mercy." The assembly responds with "hear our prayer."

MOMENT OF REMEMBRANCE

We remember the following mem Shirley Korngiebel	We remember the following members and friends of Hill Avenue Grace Lutheran Churci irley Korngiebel Joan Tanchek Dick Branson	
Margaret Rothwell	Rebecca Hernandez Lane	Mark King
Karen Smallfoot	Don Aldridge	Jackie Heaton
Shirley Egertson	Rev Dr William F Scholl	Jim Pelling
Jerrie Branson	Lawrence Albert Shabe	Larry Diggins
Diane Langill	Josh Burrows	Steven Mueller
Donald Mueller	Doris & Jack Swink	David Brown
Nasuran Kim	Dennis Thompsett	Hal Mills

LIGHTING OF CANDLES

SHARING OF THE PEACE - The presiding minister & the assembly share a virtual sign of peace. The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"O Master, Let Me Walk With You"

- Hal Hopson

OFFERING PRAYER - All speak the prayer together.

Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to you, so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control our wills, that we may be wholly yours, utterly dedicated unto you; and then use us, we pray you, as you will, and always to your glory and the welfare of your people; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

INSTALLATION OF STEPHEN MINISTERS

GREAT THANKSGIVING

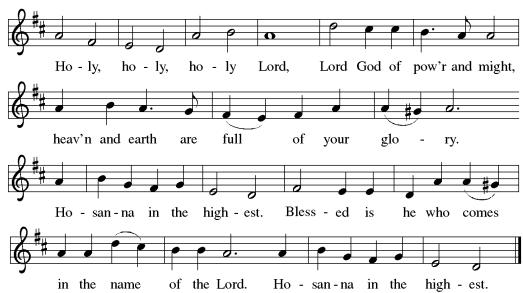
The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right...we praise your name and join their unending hymn.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



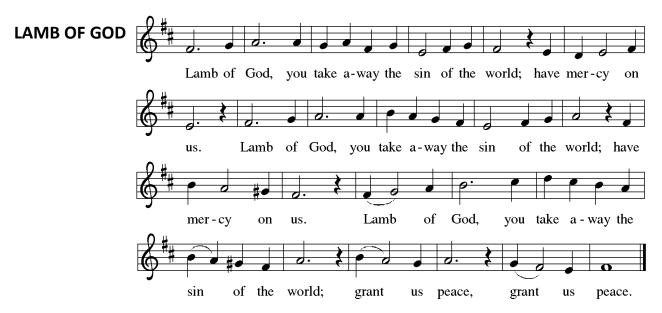
HOLY COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

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 temptations but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION



COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

All are invited into a time of reflection before they receive communion. During this time, you may prepare your hearts to receive the sacrament. Once ready, you may commune yourself and those around you with the bread and wine/grape juice. A representative from each household may say the following—bread: "The body of Christ given for you." Wine/grape juice: "The blood of Christ shed for you."

COMMUNION HYMN

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, strengthen you and keep in his grace, now and forever. **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION - All speak the prayer together.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

May the Lord bless you, may the Lord keep you, the Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and grant you his peace. In the name of the Father, the \pm Son, and the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

For All the Saints





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DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Postlude "I Sing a Song of Saints of God" John Hopkins Jr./ Louis-Nicolas Clérambault

Altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of all the saints who from their labors rest.

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Calendar This Week			
Every Sunday	10:00 AM	Virtual & In-Person Worship Service	
Tues 11/5/24	7:00 PM	Alpha Course at Vintage Church	
Wed 11/6/24	10:00 AM	Bible Study in the Chapel	
Thurs 11/7/24	7:00 PM	Choir Practice	
Sat 11/9/24	9:30 AM	Food Shelf Open	

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Our long time member **Diane Langill joined the Church Triumphant on 10/24/24**. Please pray for Natalie and Mark, and the rest of the family as they deal with Diane's passing. Graveside services are pending.

We are sad to share that our member **Jim Pelling went to be with his Lord on 10/5/24**. Please pray for his family as they deal with his passing.

The Food Shelf Thanksgiving Drive is on! This year we hope to provide full Thanksgiving meals

to 40 families at a cost of \$70 each. Make your check out to HAGL and get it to the office via the offering plate or mail, with 'Thanksgiving' in the memo line. The turkey dinners will be given out on Saturday, November 23. Another option is to help a homeless person with a \$10 Tops gift card. Please help give others a Thanksgiving meal!



We are in the planning stages for this year's **Advent Dinner**. We hope to have more details soon...for now pencil us in for **Sunday, December 8th** for Advent fellowship!!

The Hill Avenue Grace Food Shelf needs volunteers! We're looking for new, friendly faces to help distribute food on Saturday mornings from 9:30 – 11:30 AM. You can help out as often or as little as you want. If you're open to hearing more, please contact Tobe Poehlmann at foodshelf@hillavenuegrace.org.



Join us this Sunday at 10 AM for our Virtual Worship via Zoom! Check in a few minutes early and hear the prelude! We look forward to seeing your faces and worshiping together!

Join Zoom Meeting

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