



All Saints Episcopal Church

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In-Church Sunday Service at 10 am
Please RSVP via Church Website

Wednesdays at 11 am and
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Whether you are in church or joining us
online, we welcome you
to a service of

Holy Communion, Rite II

November 8, 2020

The 23rd Sunday After Pentecost

The Rev. Glenn Miller
Celebrant and Preacher

The Rev. Hank Morrow
Deacon

Walter Stiller
Organist

Francine Bitner
Reader



The *sanctuary candle* burns this week
to the glory of God.

understanding, and one who is vigilant on her account will soon be free from care, because she goes about seeking those worthy of her, and she graciously appears to them in their paths, and meets them in every thought.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow

A Psalm, hymn, or anthem may follow each Reading.

The Response: Psalm 70 Deus, in adjutorium

- 1 Be pleased, O God, to deliver me; * O Lord, make haste to help me.
- 2 Let those who seek my life be ashamed and altogether dismayed; *
 let those who take pleasure in my misfortune draw back and be disgraced.
- 3 Let those who say to me "Aha!" and gloat over me turn back, * because they are ashamed.
- 4 Let all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you; *
 let those who love your salvation say for ever, "Great is the Lord!"
- 5 But as for me, I am poor and needy; * come to me speedily, O God.
- 6 You are my helper and my deliverer; * O Lord, do not tarry.

A Reading From 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

We do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died. For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage one another with these words.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 68 Rejoice! Rejoice, believers

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Priest

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew 25:1-13

Jesus said, "Then the kingdom of heaven will be like this. Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. When the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them; but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. As the bridegroom was delayed, all of them became drowsy and slept. But at midnight there was a shout, 'Look! Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.' Then all those bridesmaids got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish said to the wise, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.' But the wise replied, 'No! there will not be enough for you and for us; you had better go to the dealers and buy some for yourselves.' And while they went to buy it, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went with him into the wedding banquet; and the door was shut. Later the other bridesmaids came also, saying, 'Lord, lord, open to us.' But he replied, 'Truly I tell you, I do not know you.' Keep awake therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour."

 The Gospel of the Lord
People Praise to you, Lord Christ

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,
 the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
 of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
 eternally begotten of the Father,
 God from God, Light from Light,
 true God from true God, begotten, not made,
 of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made.
 For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
 by the power of the Holy Spirit
 he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.
 for our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
 he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
 He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
 and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
 With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
 He has spoken through the Prophets.
 We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
 We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,
 and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People, Form III

The Leader and People pray responsively
 Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest;
Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Your prayers are asked for our parish, especially the Lehman, Leone, Lippincott, and Longobardo families; for David, Leslie, Jim, Barbara, Carol, and Janet; for those serving in the military: Lexi, Sean, Aaron, Eric, Morgan, Andrew, and Brendan; for first responders: Michael and Tyler; for loved ones and friends in need of our continuing prayers: Dawn N., Kenneth F., Jim, Heidi, Ryan, Sue, Cathy, Norm F., Cathy V., Susan, Virginia, John, Mary, Frankie, Bill, Julia, Michael B.; Barbara, Ron, Olivia; Joel, Gabriel and Jonathan; Brian Shaffer, Margaret, Michael, Sharon G, and Nancy E; in the Anglican cycle of prayer for our own All Saints Hershey, the Province of West Indies, and The Most Rev Howard Gregory, primate.

A Prayer for The Search Committee: Almighty God, you graciously meet us in all the avenues of our life. In this period of transition, look kindly on the people of All Saints as they seek a new Rector. Grant the members of the Search Committee discerning and enquiring hearts. Gift the people of the parish with listening hearts that they may truly hear each other. Touch those priests seeking a new ministry, and by your Holy Spirit bring all things together, through your Son Jesus Christ. Amen.

Your prayers are asked for our diocese: God of wisdom and love, in whom we find our joy: Help us to listen for your Word and to discern your way forward for our Church. Give us the insight to hold on to what is true, the courage to explore new ideas, and the boldness to create with you. Let us be Shaped by Faith for your mission; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.

Your own petitions are invited, aloud or in the silence of your heart.

The People may add their own petitions. The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Silence

O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

Confession of Sin

The Deacon or Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and 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.

The Bishop, when present, or the Priest, stands and says

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.

The Peace

All stand. The Celebrant says to the people

 The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And also with you.

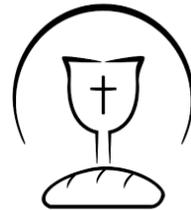
Then the Ministers and People may greet one another

- ♦ **Parishioners are requested to not leave their pew at the Peace, but to exchange the Peace with your neighbour by visual means of folding your arms or hands.**

Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**



Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

Celebrant and people

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory; Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel.

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ 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."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory.**

The Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. Amen.

And as our Savior Christ 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

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The Celebrant says the following Invitation

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

♦ **Please follow the ushers' instructions. The host will be offered to you by the priest and the wine by the deacon. After receiving the wine, place the empty cup in the bin provided near the front pew as you return to your seat.**

Communion Hymn 324 Let all mortal flesh keep silence

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After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People:

Almighty and everliving God, in union with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is being celebrated, we offer you praise and thanksgiving. We remember your death, Lord Christ; we proclaim your resurrection; we await your coming in glory. Since some of our community cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, we beseech you to come spiritually into their hearts. Cleanse and strengthen us with your grace; empower us to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you, as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honour and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

(Adapted from the Prayer Book for the Armed Services and the Book of Common Prayer)

Blessing and Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.
People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Closing Hymn 436 Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates

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Postlude *Trumpet Voluntary in C*

Gordon Young

Notes ...

Save the Date! Loving Our Community Auction coming online **November 9 - 15**. Multi-day online event featuring local artisans, neighborhood businesses, and handcrafted pies to benefit the ministries of Love INC of Greater Hershey. This auction will feature local artisans and neighborhood businesses, especially those that may have been impacted by the pandemic. If you or someone you know is a local artisan or business owner, please contact Love INC, 717.835.0101 or ptenhuisen@LoveINCGreaterHershey.org. Also sought are donated service and vacation offerings such as a free house cleaning, a 'how to' session, timeshare week, beach home or cabin weekend, etc. Contact Love INC if you have a service or getaway to offer!

Hershey Food Bank and Outreach Feed the Need Covid Version - Because It's 2020!

Please join us for one or both of our online social events. This year's two events involve wine and food - please note the date change for the wine and chocolate event to a **NEW DATE** on December 6th. Each evening, Certified Sommelier & Wine Educator Carrie Elliott Reese will lead participants through an online gathering to sip, sample, learn, have fun to support Feed the Need and the Hershey Food Bank. While you're doing it, you'll be supporting those less fortunate in our community.

Virtual Wine & Cheese Tasting
Sunday, November 15th from 5:00-6:30pm

Virtual Wine & Chocolate Tasting:
NEW DATE!! Sunday December 6th 7:00-8:30pm

Each event is \$75 per person, and we encourage you to attend both since the two experiences will be different. Invite others as well – no limit! For information on our sommelier, visit elliottreesewine.com.

Here are the links to purchase tickets as well as to get much more information about each event.

<https://feedtheneed2020winecheese.bpt.me/> Deadline for tickets is November 11th

<https://feedtheneed2020winechocolate.bpt.me/> Deadline for tickets is December 2nd

Follow Feed the Need on Instagram and Facebook!

Note: Sponsorship opportunities are available as well - please email Susan Steadman at steadmanhome@comcast.net for more information.

December 1st 2020 Support us on Giving Tuesday We're so grateful for the support that our community has provided to us so far this year - but we know that as the holidays approach that the need will be great and that all non-profits will be asking for your monetary assistance. Please keep us in mind - and we'll remind you as the date gets closer!

Wreaths for Hunger: Join the Hershey Rotary Club in a fundraiser that will make your home look festive while supporting the Food Bank. The Rotary Club is selling festive wreaths for the holidays, with all proceeds going to the Food Bank. There are two choices of wreath, and all orders must be placed via email or phone by November 5th. Payment will be made when wreaths are picked up (the week before Thanksgiving). For more information and ordering details, please visit <https://www.hersheyrotary.org/page/news-events>