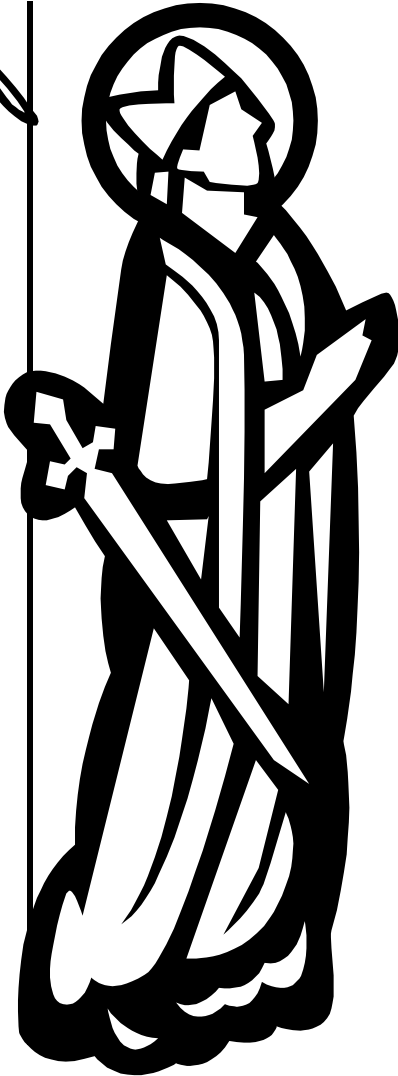


FIRST



PRESBYTERIAN
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LEBANON

All Saints' Day



November 7, 2021

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

November 7, 2021

All Saints Sunday

11:00 A.M.

THE GATHERING

To Glorify God and Enjoy God Forever

SILENT MEDITATION

PRELUDE

Chorale (Symphony 2)

Louis Vierne

CHIMING THE HOUR

INTROIT

Highland Cathedral

Korb & Roever

*CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 34

Leader: O magnify the Lord with me and let us exalt God's name together.

People: When I sought you, O God, you answered me, and delivered me from all my fears.

Leader: Look upon God's countenance and be radiant; so your faces shall never be ashamed.

People: O taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are those who take refuge in you, O God.

*HYMN NO. 138

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

NICAEA

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Eternal God, in every age you have raised up men and women to live and die in faith. We confess that we are indifferent to your will. You call us to proclaim your name, but we are silent. You call us to do what is just, but we remain idle. You call us to live faithfully, but we are afraid.

In your mercy, forgive us. Give us courage to follow in your way, that joined with those from ages past, who have served you with faith, hope, and love, we may inherit the kingdom you promised in Jesus Christ. Amen.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: This is God's eternal covenant: Through the miracle of Jesus Christ our sins are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God!

*GLORIA PATRI

Hymn No. 579

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen, Amen.*

*THE PEACE

The Peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

* Those who are able are invited to stand.

THE WORD OF THE LORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (unison)

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age.
As we hear your word today and as we rejoice in the faith of
your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness
and joy. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 11:29-12:2

ANTHEM

Adoramus Te

Giovanni Palestrina

*Adoramus te, Christe, et benedicimus tibi,
quia per sanctam crucem tuam redemisti mundum,
Qui passus es pro nobis,
Domine, Domine, miserere nobis.*

*We adore Thee Christ, our Lord, and we worship Thy name, Jesus.
Who by Thy sacred cross and passion hast redeemed the world,
For our transgressions Thou hast suffered;
We do praise, praise Thee Christ, Praise Thee forever.*

TIME FOR THE CHILDREN

Michael Schulte

SERMON

Documenting the Dead

Rev. Sherard Edington

RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE

*HYMN NO. 508 *For the Bread Which You Have Broken* KINGDOM

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by
the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into
heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Draw Nigh and Take the Body of the Lord* Halls

*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.*

REMEMBERING OUR SAINTS

(see insert)

HONORING OUR VETERANS

INSTRUMENTAL

Amazing Grace

AMAZING GRACE

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION

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.

SANCTUS

*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, hosanna in the highest.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again. (repeat)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

(Please hold the elements until all are served)

MEDITATION

Canzona

J.S. Bach

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN NO. 526

For All the Saints

SINE NOMINE

(vs. 1, 2, & 3)

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*SUNG RESPONSE

*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!*

*POSTLUDE

Sketch in F minor

Robert Schumann

Worship Notes – The text of *For All the Saints* was written by William Walsham How for All Saints' Day, 1864. It is a commentary on the phrase "I believe in the communion of saints" from the Apostles' Creed. The original hymn contained eleven stanzas, but most collections have edited them to six or fewer.

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WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to all who worship with us this morning. If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to become a member of First Presbyterian Church. For more information, please speak to the pastor at the close of the service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner

November 10, 6:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving Meal

Please call the church office by Tuesday to make a reservation at 615-444-1360.

WE WELCOME piper Todd Boswell back to our worship service today. Todd has been playing the Highland Pipes for over twenty years both with the Nashville Pipes and Drums and at other events.

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING was held on today at 10:45 a.m. in the Sanctuary for the purpose of electing officers.

THE MUMS IN THE ATRIUM are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the lives of Catherine Batcheler, Eleanor Howell, and Kelly Roy.

MEN'S BREAKFAST will be held on Saturday, November 13, at 8:00 a.m. Please bring something that is a hobby or an interest that you can share. Contact the church office if you plan to attend.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Prayers for health and well-being for Patsy Barnes, Larry Nickelson (Ann Walsh's son-in-law), George Gebhardt, Dot Jenkins, Lydia McVicker, and Laura Simmons' mother. Prayers for those who are homebound or distanced due to the pandemic: Carolyn Beard, Anne Donnell, and Lois Ann Wauford.

YOUTH

YOUTH GROUP (5th -12th grade) – meets on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.

THIS WEEK AT FPC

Today		Wednesday	
8:45 a.m.	Worship	6:00 p.m.	Fellowship Meal
9:45 a.m.	Church School	6:30 p.m.	Choir Practice
10:45 a.m.	Congregational Meeting	Thursday	
11:00 a.m.	Worship	9:00 a.m.	Preschool
12:15 p.m.	Deacons' Meeting	6:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts
Monday		7:00 p.m.	Praise Team
6:00 p.m.	Disciples Class	Friday	
Tuesday		Saturday	
9:00 a.m.	Preschool	8:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast

ELDERS

Class of 2021
Suanne Bone
Don Goodwin
Adrienne Johnson
David Howell

Class of 2022
Jessica Fain
Mickey Stueck

Class of 2023
Max Carter
Frank Reeves

DIACONATE

Class of 2021
Becky Harm
Lee Lyle
Sandra Patton
Emily Peyton

Class of 2022
Jack Emmert
Marilyn Peyton
Laura Simmons
Margaret Ann Trail

Class of 2023
Margaret Carroll

CHURCH COMMITTEES

Clerk of Session – Barbara Howell
Treasurer – Robin Orewiler
Budget & Finance – Frank Reeves
Buildings and Grounds – David Howell
Christian Education – Mickey Stueck
Congregational Care – Adrienne Johnson
Outreach – Adrienne Johnson
Personnel – Jessica Fain
Worship – Suanne Bone

STAFF

Ministers – All Members of the Congregation
Pastor – Sherard Edington
Director of Music – Branson Clark
Organist – J. D. Plant
Director of Christian Education – Michael Schulte
Office Administrator – Kristy Vincent
Preschool Director – Angela Hankins
Nursery – Sara Brown
Custodians – Stratus Cleaning Service

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Children
Nursery
Preschool – 1st Grade
Elementary Class
Middle- High School Class

Adult
Crossroads Class
Faith Builders Class
Westminster Class
Women's Class

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