



ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 01, 2026

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ALL SAINTS
C H U R C H

CALL TO WORSHIP & PROCESSIONAL

†The congregation standing

Prelude - Piece for Organ by Henry Purcell, arr. by T Birchwood

Use this time to prepare your heart for worship. You may reflect on the Psalm of the Day on the back cover of the bulletin.

Psalm of the Day - Psalm 34:1-10, 22 or Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37

Minister: Arise now and ascend to the Heavenly City in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit!

Congregation: Amen!

†Processional Hymn - *For All the Saints* For All the Saints

unison

1. For all the saints who from their la-bors rest, Who Thee, by
2. Thou wast their rock, their for-tress, and their might; — Thou, Lord, their
3. Oh, may Thy sol-diers, faith-ful, true, and bold, — Fight as the
7. But lo! there breaks a yet more glo-rious day; The saints tri-
8. From earth's wide bounds, from o-cean's far-thest coast, Through gates of

6
faith, be-fore the world con-fessed, Thy name, O Je-sus,
cap-tain in the well-fought fight; — Thou, in the dark-ness
saints who no-bly fought of old, And win with them the
um-phant rise in bright ar-ray: The King of glo-ry
pearl streams in the count-less host — Sing-ing to Fa-ther,

11
be for-ev-er blest.
dear, their one true Light.
vic-tor's crown of gold. Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia,
pass-es on His way.
Son, and Ho-ly Ghost:

17. *harmony*

4. Oh, blest com-mun-ion! fel-low-ship di-vine! We fee-bly
 5. And when the strife is fierce, the war-fare long, Steals on the
 6. The gold-en eve-ning bright-ens in the west; Soon, soon to
 strug-gle; they in glo-ry shine. Yet all are one in
 ear the dis-tant tri-umph song, And hearts are brave a-
 faith-ful war-riors comes their rest: — Sweet is the calm of
 Thee, for all are Thine.
 gain, and arms are strong. Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia!
 Par-a-dise the blest.

Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906
 Text: William Walsham How, 1864

SINE NOMINE
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Minister: The grace and peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you!

Congregation: And also with you!

Minister: When he ascended up on high, he led captivity captive, and gave gifts unto men.

Congregation: He ascended up far above all heavens, that He might fill all things.

CONFESSION: SIN OFFERING + ABSOLUTION

The congregation is invited to kneel.

Unison: O Lord our God, we come to You as Your sons and servants, grateful for the redemption that is ours in Jesus Christ, and yet aware of our continuing need of Your grace. We confess that we have sinned against You. We have broken Your commandments. We have fallen short of Your glory. We have not loved You with all our heart, mind, soul and strength. We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. We were born in sin and have continued to sin. We acknowledge our guilt. We rightly fall under Your curse and judgment. Blot out our transgressions, wash us from our iniquities, deliver us from bloodguiltiness. Forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Silent Confession.

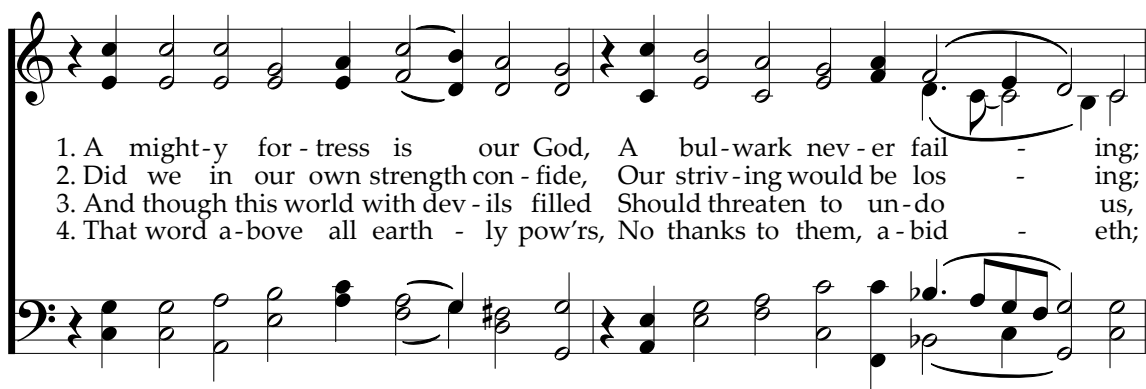
Minister: But when the fullness of the time came...sins are forgiven in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Congregation: Thanks be to God. Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen.

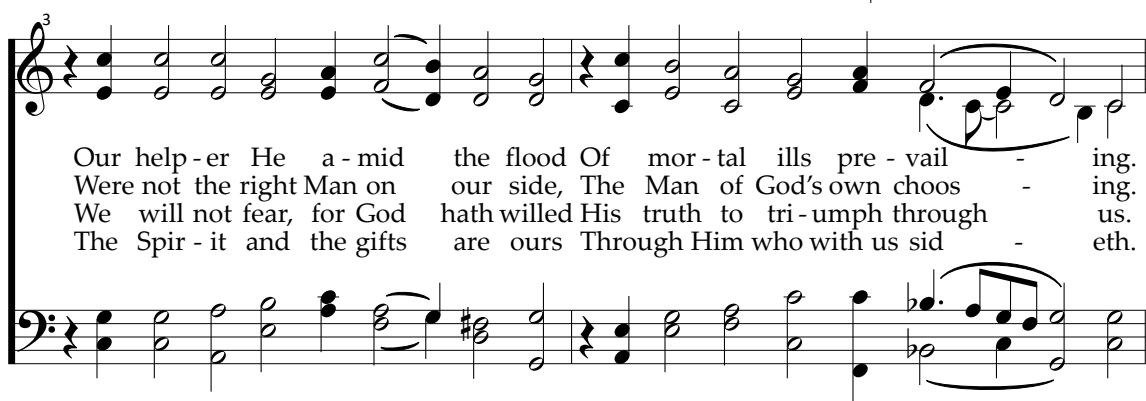
Minister: Arise, lift up your heads and believe the good news! God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us!

Congregation: O come, let us worship Him. Hallelujah!

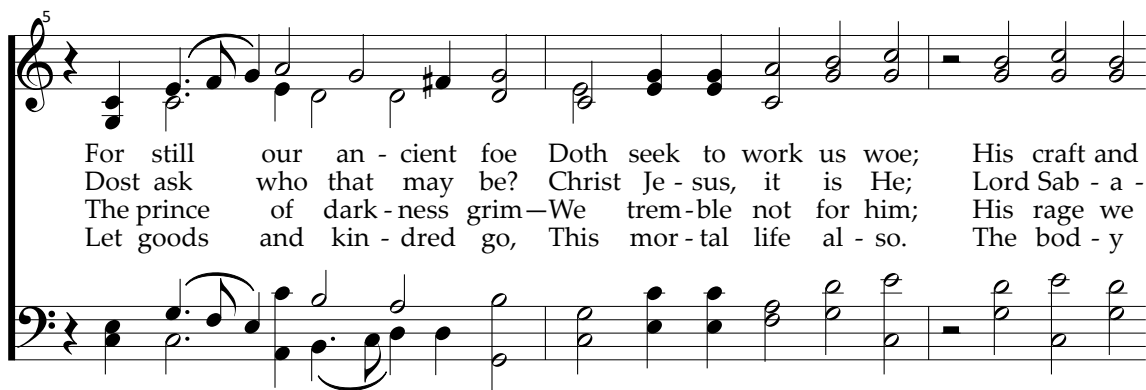
A Mighty Fortress Is Our God



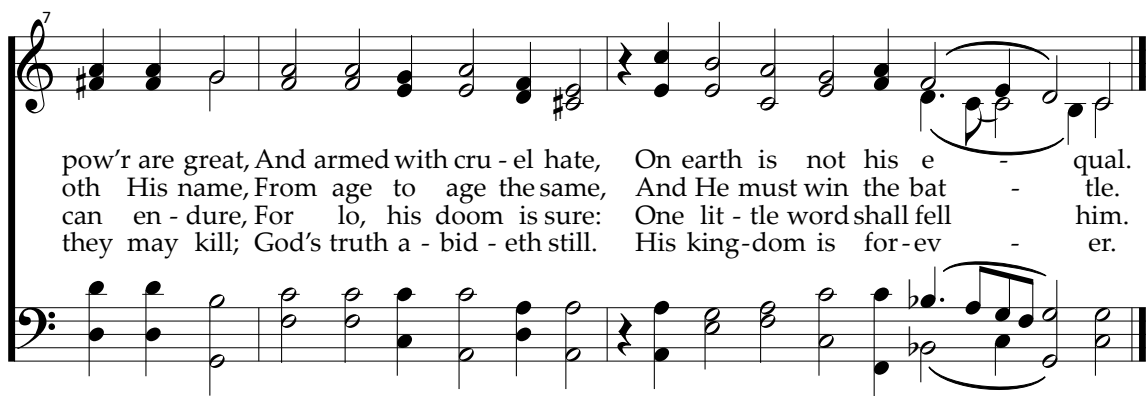
1. A might-y for - tress is our God, A bul-wark nev - er fail - ing;
 2. Did we in our own strength con - fide, Our striv - ing would be los - ing;
 3. And though this world with dev - ils filled Should threaten to un-do us,
 4. That word a - bove all earth - ly pow'rs, No thanks to them, a - bid - eth;



Our help - er He a - mid the flood Of mor - tal ills pre - vail - ing.
 Were not the right Man on our side, The Man of God's own choos - ing.
 We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to tri - umph through us.
 The Spir - it and the gifts are ours Through Him who with us sid - eth.



For still our an - cient foe Doth seek to work us woe; His craft and
 Dost ask who that may be? Christ Je - sus, it is He; Lord Sab - a -
 The prince of dark - ness grim—We trem - ble not for him; His rage we
 Let goods and kin - dred go, This mor - tal life al - so. The bod - y



pow'r are great, And armed with cru - el hate, On earth is not his e - qual.
 oth His name, From age to age the same, And He must win the bat - tle.
 can en - dure, For lo, his doom is sure: One lit - tle word shall fell him.
 they may kill; God's truth a - bid - eth still. His king - dom is for - ev - er.

Music: Martin Luther, 1529; harm. Heinrich Schütz, 1661
 Text: Martin Luther, 1529; tr. Frederick H. Hedge, 1853

EIN' FESTE BURG
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†Collect for Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost or All Saints Day

Unison: 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.*

Or

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you true and laudable service: Grant that we may run without stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

CONSECRATION: SCRIPTURE & TEACHING

The Lesson - *Joshua 3:7-17 or Revelation 7:9-17*

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Psalm - *Psalm 34: I Will Bless the Lord at All Times*, vv. 1-3, next page

Congregation: Amen! (*following the Psalm*)

The Epistle - *1 John 3:1-3 or 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13*

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Psalm - *Psalm 34: I Will Bless the Lord at All Times*, vv. 4-5, next page

Congregation: Amen! (*following the Psalm*)

† The Gospel - *Matthew 5:1-12 or Matthew 23:1-12*

Reader: The Gospel of Christ!

Congregation: Praise be to You, O Christ.

† The Creed (Nicene Creed)

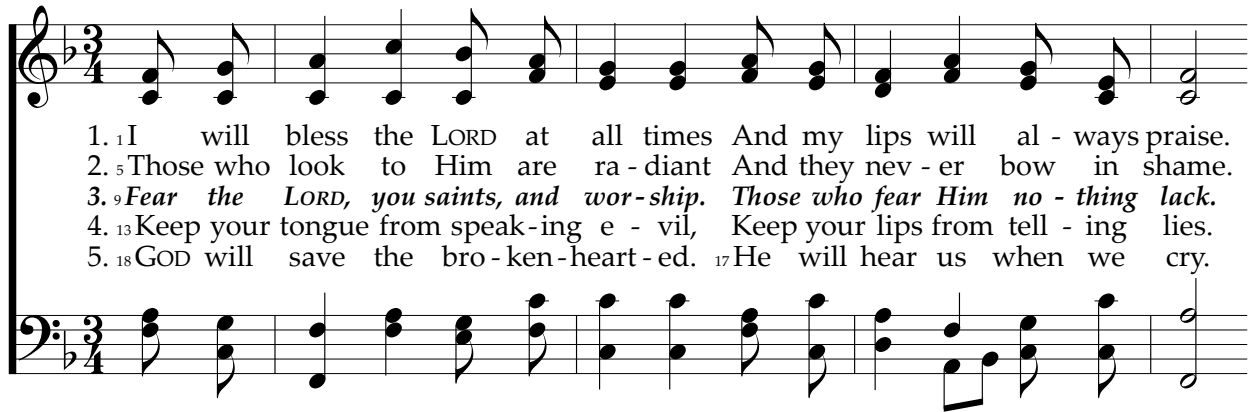
Unison: We believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who, for us men, and for our salvation, came down from Heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the virgin, Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into Heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And we believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, and Giver of Life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the Prophets. And we believe one holy catholic and apostolic Church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

† *Gloria Patri* - Sung, lifting holy hands (*Psalm 63:4*)

Cantus Christi, p. 436

I Will Bless the LORD at All Times

From Psalm 34



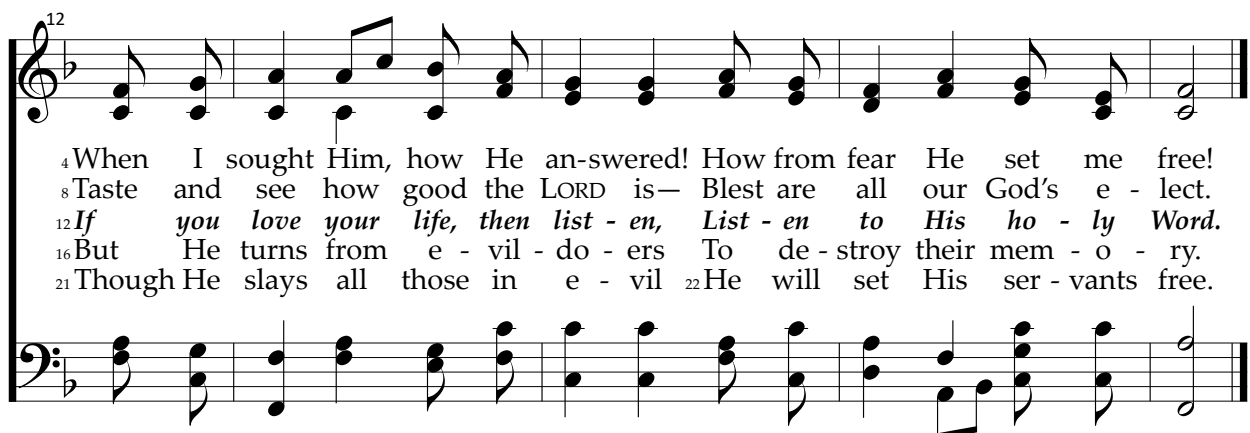
1. ¹I will bless the LORD at all times And my lips will al - ways praise.
2. ⁵Those who look to Him are ra - diant And they nev - er bow in shame.
3. ⁹*Fear the LORD, you saints, and wor - ship. Those who fear Him no - thing lack.*
4. ¹³Keep your tongue from speak - ing e - vil, Keep your lips from tell - ing lies.
5. ¹⁸GOD will save the bro - ken - heart - ed. ¹⁷He will hear us when we cry.



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2 In the LORD my soul is boast - ing; Let the poor their an - thems raise.
6 God will save the one af - flict - ed When he calls up - on the name.
10 *Li - ons may grow weak and hun - gry But the saints bring bless - ing back.*
14 Turn from e - vil, turn from dan - ger— Those who seek God's peace are wise.
19 Though the right - eous may have trou - ble, GOD de - liv - ers from on high.



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3 Glo - ri - fy the LORD to - geth - er And ex - alt His name with me.
7 And the an - gel of the LORD will Come t'en - cir - cle and pro - tect.
11 *Come my chil - dren, come and hear me, I will teach you: Fear the LORD!*
15 For God's eyes are on the right - eous And His ears will hear their plea.
20 All His bones will be pro - tec - ted; Not one bone will bro - ken be.



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4 When I sought Him, how He an - swered! How from fear He set me free!
8 Taste and see how good the LORD is— Blest are all our God's e - lect.
12 *If you love your life, then list - en, List - en to His ho - ly Word.*
16 But He turns from e - vil - do - ers To de - stroy their mem - o - ry.
21 Though He slays all those in e - vil ²²He will set His ser - vants free.

Prayers of the People

Selected Men to Lead

Leader: Lord in your mercy....

Congregation: Hear our prayers.

† *The Lord's Prayer* - Sung, lifting holy hands (Psalm 63:4)

Cantus Christi, p. 411

Minister: Our Father...

Congregation: who art in heaven...

† Tribute Offering

† Offertory Prayer

† *Doxology* - Sung, lifting holy hands (Psalm 63:4).

Cantus Christi, p. 437

COMMUNION: THE PEACE OFFERING & EUCHARIST

The Sursum Corda

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People: It is good and right so to do.

Minister: It is truly good, right, and salutary ... evermore praising thee, and singing [*Sanctus*, below]:**Sanctus**

unison

fff Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Lord, God of hosts. Heav - en and earth are

full of Your glo - ry! Ho - san - na in the high - est! Bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est!

Music: arr. James B. Jordan, 2015

Text: Traditional

Words of Institution

Sign of Peace - *The peace of Christ to you.*

Elements are Dispensed - *All baptized Christians are welcome to the Table. Gluten free bread is available.*

Eucharist Hymns (following pages)

Eucharist Closing Prayer

God and Man at Table

Em Bm Em

1. Oh, wel - come, all ye no - ble saints of old,
2. El - ders, mar - tyrs all are fall - ing down.
3. Who is this who spreads the vic - t'ry feast?
4. Here He gives Him - self to us as bread;
5. Beg - gars, lame, and har - lots al - so here.
6. Wor - ship in the pres - ence of the Lord

D A D D7

As now be - fore your ver - y eyes un - fold
Pro - phets, pat - ri - archs are gath - 'ring 'round.
Who is this who makes our war - ring cease?
Here as wine, we drink the blood He shed.
Re - pent - ant pub - li - cans are draw - ing near.
With joy - ful songs and hearts in one ac - cord

Em Bm Em D

8 The won - ders all so long a - go fore - told.
What an - gels longed to see, now man has found.
Je - sus, ris - en Sav - ior, Prince of Peace!
Born to die, we eat and drink in - stead.
Way - ward sons come home with - out a fear.
And let our Host at ta - ble be a - dored.

C Am7 Bm7 Em D

13 God and man at ta - ble are sat down,

C Am7 Bm7 Em

17 God and man at ta - ble are sat down.

Music & text: Robert J. Stamps, 1971 ©

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Come, Ye Souls by Sin Afflicted

1. Come, ye souls by sin af - flict - ed, Bowed with fruit - less sor - row
 2. Take His eas - y yoke and wear it; Love will make o - be - dience
 3. Bless - ed are the eyes that see Him, Blest the ears that hear His
 4. Sweet as home to pil - grims wear - y, Light to new - ly o - pened

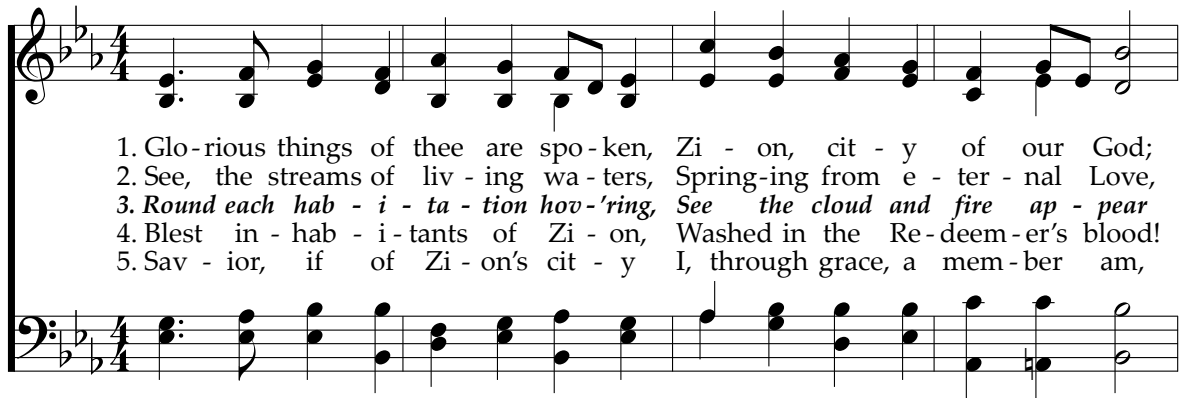
down; By the bro - ken law con - vict - ed, Through the cross, be - hold the
 sweet; Christ will give you strength to bear it, While His wis - dom guides your
 voice; Bless - ed are the souls that trust Him, And in Him a - lone re -
 eyes, Or full springs in des - erts drear - y Is the rest the cross sup -

crown; Look to Je - sus, Mer - cy flows from Him a - lone.
 feet Safe to glo - ry, Where His ran - somed cap - tives meet.
 joice; His com - mand - ments Then be - come their hap - py choice.
 plies; All who taste it Shall to rest im - mor - tal rise.

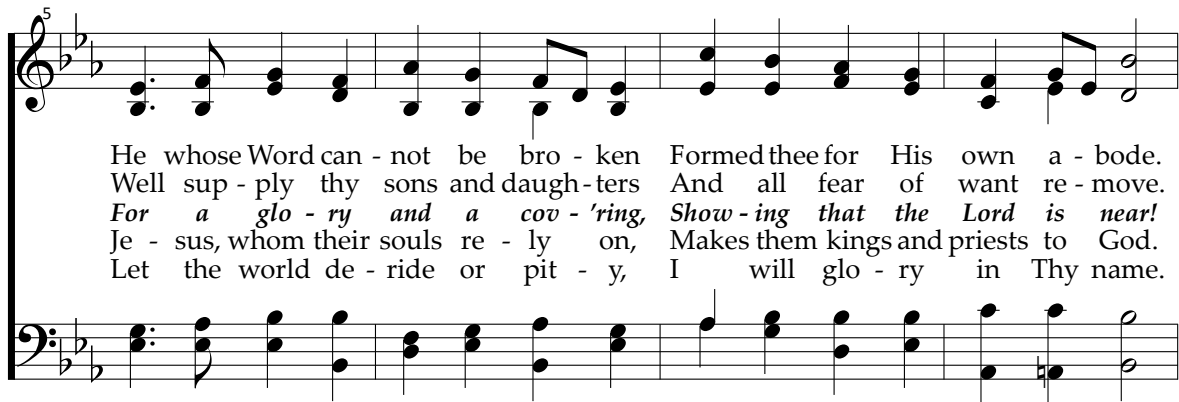
Music: Gregory D. Wilbur, 2004 © greg.wilbur@gmail.com
 Text: Joseph Swain, 1792

[Come, Ye Souls]
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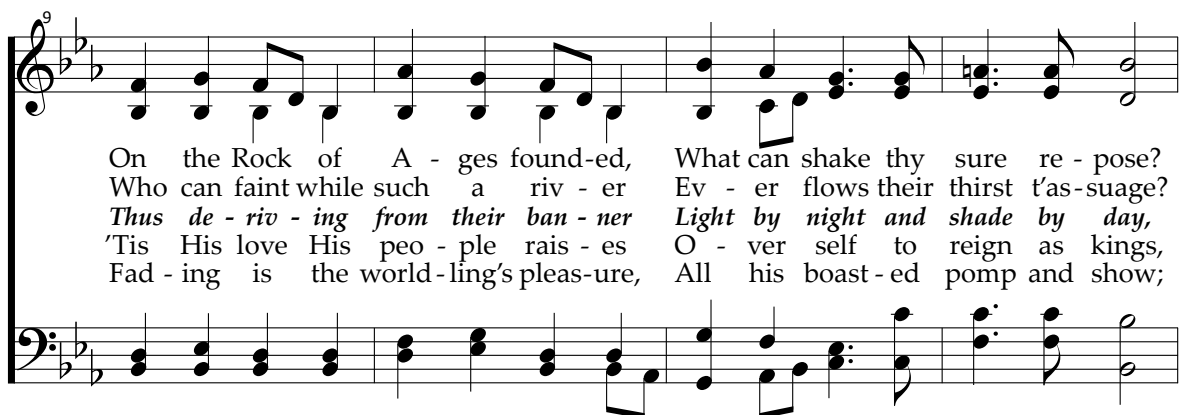
Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken



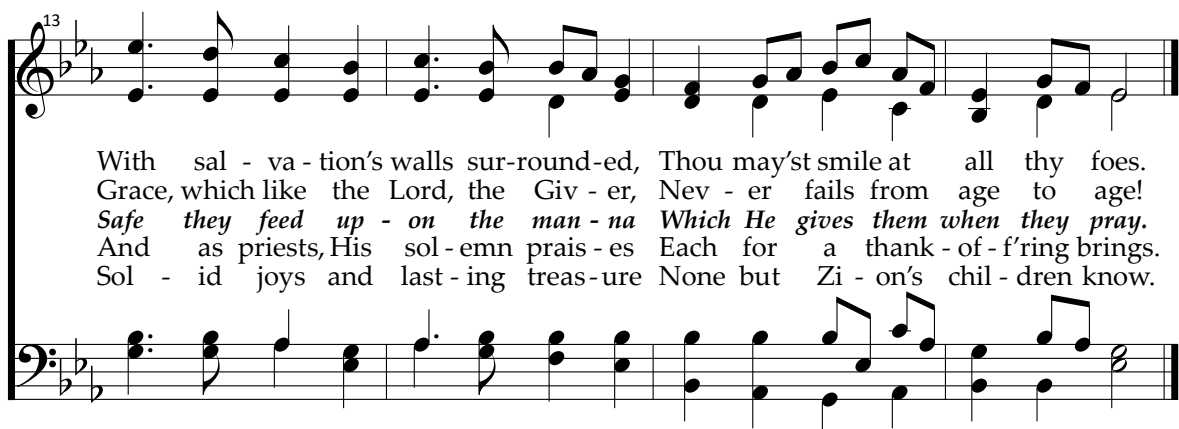
1. Glo-rious things of thee are spo-ken, Zi - on, cit - y of our God;
 2. See, the streams of liv - ing wa - ters, Spring-ing from e - ter - nal Love,
 3. *Round each hab - i - ta - tion hov-'ring, See the cloud and fire ap - pear*
 4. Blest in - hab - i - tants of Zi - on, Washed in the Re-deem-er's blood!
 5. Sav - ior, if of Zi - on's cit - y I, through grace, a mem - ber am,



He whose Word can - not be bro - ken Formed thee for His own a - bode.
 Well sup - ply thy sons and daugh - ters And all fear of want re - move.
For a glo - ry and a cov - 'ring, Show - ing that the Lord is near!
 Je - sus, whom their souls re - ly on, Makes them kings and priests to God.
 Let the world de - ride or pit - y, I will glo - ry in Thy name.



On the Rock of A - ges found-ed, What can shake thy sure re - pose?
 Who can faint while such a riv - er Ev - er flows their thirst t'as - suage?
Thus de - riv - ing from their ban - ner Light by night and shade by day,
 'Tis His love His peo - ple rais - es O - ver self to reign as kings,
 Fad - ing is the world - ling's pleas - ure, All his boast - ed pomp and show;



With sal - va - tion's walls sur-round-ed, Thou may'st smile at all thy foes.
 Grace, which like the Lord, the Giv - er, Nev - er fails from age to age!
Safe they feed up - on the man - na Which He gives them when they pray.
 And as priests, His sol - emn prais - es Each for a thank - of - f'ring brings.
 Sol - id joys and last - ing treas - ure None but Zi - on's chil - dren know.

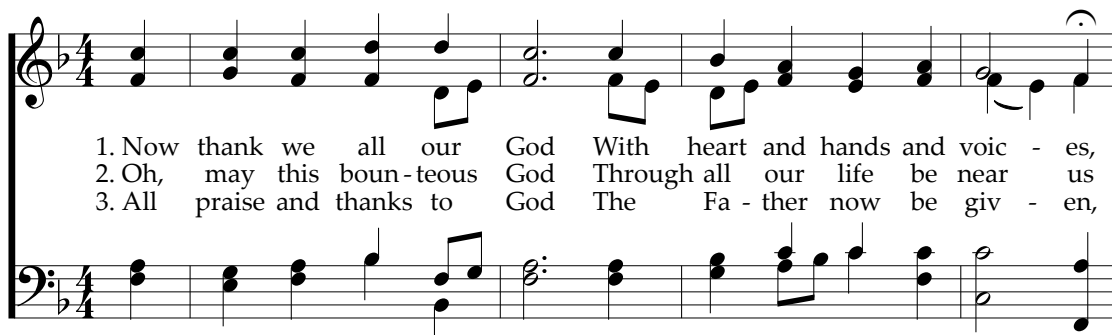
† COMMISSION & BENEDICTION

Minister: Go in peace to love and serve the risen and reigning Lord Jesus Christ.

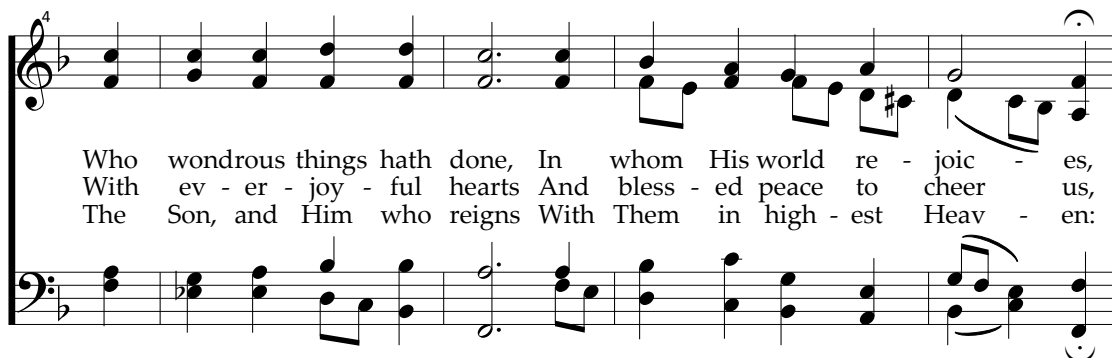
Congregation: Thanks be to God!

† Hymn - *Now Thank We All Our God*

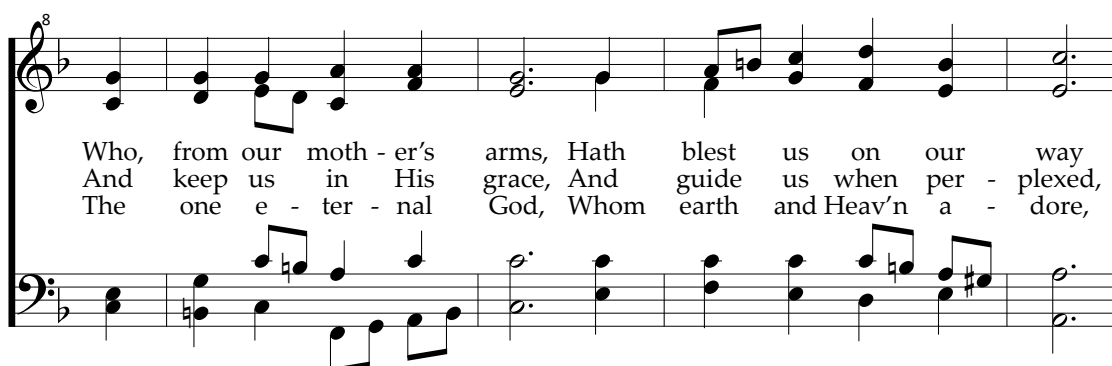
Now Thank We All Our God



1. Now thank we all our God With heart and hands and voice - es,
2. Oh, may this boun-teous God Through all our life be near us
3. All praise and thanks to God The Fa - ther now be giv - en,



Who wondrous things hath done, In whom His world re - joic - es,
With ev - er - joy - ful hearts And bless - ed peace to cheer us,
The Son, and Him who reigns With Them in high - est Heav - en:



Who, from our moth - er's arms, Hath blest us on our way
And keep us in His grace, And guide us when per - plexed,
The one e - ter - nal God, Whom earth and Heav'n a - dore,



With count-less gifts of love And still is ours to - day.
And free us from all ills In this world and the next.
For thus it was, is now, And shall be ev - er - more.

Music: Johann Crüger, 1647; harm. Felix Mendelssohn, 1840; alt.
Text: Martin Rinkart, c. 1636; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1858

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visiting? Welcome! Use this QR code to check in so we can follow up with you.



Children: We firmly believe that children belong in the worship service, as Jesus himself said, "Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God." While we strive for reverence and order in our worship, we understand that children may occasionally disrupt the service. In such cases, it is important for parents to take appropriate steps to restore order, whether by attending to their child's needs, discreetly stepping out of the sanctuary to discipline, or seeking respite in the nursery. Love your children by bringing them to the Pulpit and the Table, and instruct them in the fear of the Lord by teaching them to worship God with reverence and awe. If you are struggling to do this, we encourage you to seek wisdom from your brothers and sisters in Christ. **The chapel is equipped with a live stream of the service for families who may need to step out momentarily.**

Tithe + Offering: Please use the box at the back of the sanctuary for gifts.

Cover Art: *The Forerunners of Christ with Saints and Martyrs* by Fra Angelico

PSALM OF THE DAY - PSALM 34:1-10, 22

1
I will bless the Lord at all times;
his praise shall continually be in my
mouth.

2
My soul makes its boast in the Lord;
let the humble hear and be glad.

3
Oh, magnify the Lord with me,
and let us exalt his name together!

4
I sought the Lord, and he answered me
and delivered me from all my fears.

5
Those who look to him are radiant,
and their faces shall never be ashamed.

6
This poor man cried, and the Lord heard
him
and saved him out of all his troubles.

7
The angel of the Lord encamps
around those who fear him, and delivers
them.

8
Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good!
Blessed is the man who takes refuge in
him!

9
Oh, fear the Lord, you his saints,
for those who fear him have no lack!

10
The young lions suffer want and hunger;
but those who seek the Lord lack no good
thing.

22
The Lord redeems the life of his servants;
none of those who take refuge in him will
be condemned.

All Saints Church is a Reformational and Covenantal Congregation in the Communion of Reformed Evangelical Churches (CREC), founded in 1999. Our vision is to grow in love and to reach out in love because we worship the loving God of the Bible - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We gather to renew our relationship with Him and one another in the Biblical pattern of historic Christian liturgy. In this we affirm God's promises to us and our children and are commissioned to live Christ-centered lives in the world.