

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Durham

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November 4, 2018 – All Saints’ Sunday

10:30 AM - Holy Communion – ELW Setting 2

Prelude and Welcome

Worship Announcements

* Confession and Forgiveness

L: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who calls us into an everlasting hope, who guides us to springs of the water of life, who enlightens us with the spirit of wisdom.

C: Amen.

L: One with the communion of saints in all times and places, let us confess our sin against God and one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

L: O God, our merciful redeemer,

C: we confess the ways we live only for ourselves. We fail to see you in our neighbor's face. We turn our ears from voices that cry out. We pass by the hungry and the oppressed. In your great mercy, forgive our sin and strengthen us for service to all in need; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

L: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for + his sake, God forgives you all your sin. Blessed are you! Rejoice & be glad, beloved people of God.

C: Amen.

* Sharing of the Peace

* Gathering Song “*Shall we Gather at the River*” **ELW # 423**

* Greeting (Pastor) ELW page 120

* Hymn of Praise “*This is the Feast*” ELW pages 122-123

* Prayer of the Day (Lay Worship Assistant) TR

First Reading **Isaiah 25:6-9** TR

Psalm 24 (read responsively) TR

Second Reading **Revelation 21:1-6a** TR

* Gospel Acclamation (sung) . . . “*Alleluia ...*” . . . ELW p. 124

* Gospel **John 11:32-44** TR

Children’s Sermon

Sermon “*Take Away the Stone*”

* Hymn of the Day “*Jerusalem, My Happy Home*” **ELW # 628**

* Nicene Creed ELW page 126

* Prayers of Intercession - *each prayer bid ends with these words:*

P: Lord, In your mercy **C: Hear our prayer.**

Special prayers for all the Saints Triumphant, especially Betty Fox, Leo Fox, and Louise Leidich.

Offering

Choir Anthem “*We are Crossing Jordan River*” Fettke/Pethel

* Offertory Song “*Doxology*” **ELW #884**

* Offering Prayer (Lay Worship Assistant)

The Holy Communion Liturgy

* The Great Thanksgiving (Sung) ELW page 129

* Preface for All Saints (Sung by Pastor) ELW page 130

* “Holy, Holy, Holy Lord” (Sung by All) ELW page 130

* Special Prayer of Thanksgiving for All Saints (Pastor)

* The Lord’s Prayer ELW page 134

* “Lamb of God” (sung) ELW page 135

Invitation to Communion “*Hunger no more. Thirst no more. Come to the banquet of life.*”

Distribution of Bread & Fruits of the Vine (please follow ushers)

Hymn during Distribution “*Peace Like a River*” . . **ELW #785**

Communion Blessing (Pastor)

* Prayer after Communion (Lay Worship Assistant)

Mission Announcements

* Blessing (Pastor)

* Sending Song “*Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*” (v 1-4) **ELW #873**

Dismissal P: Led on by the saints before us, go in peace to serve the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

The Asterisk () indicates to please stand if you are able; ELW is the red “Evangelical Lutheran Worship” in the pew rack.*

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY.

If you would like more information about this community of faith, please speak to Pastor Deal.

Serving in our worship this morning:

Council Communion Assistants: Serena Ashmore, Mike Rhine
Acolyte and Youth Communion Assistant: Samantha Mueller
Lay Worship Assistant Linda Sauter
Greeter Serena Ashmore
Head Ushers Lois & Jim Altemose
Altar Guild Mary Crouse and Linda Sauter
Counters Serena Ashmore, Mike Rhine
Organist/ Choir Director Carolyn Williams
Parish Secretary Ann Wong
Custodian Dianna Streletz

Attendance - October 28 - Christian Ed: 18; Worship: 39.

Altar flowers today are presented by Beth and Luke Snyder in memory of loved ones past and in honor of Brendan Snyder's birthday.

CALENDAR

Care-A-Lot Preschool meets Tues., Wed., Thurs., 9:00 AM – 12:30 PM.

TODAY, Sunday, November 4 All Saints' Sunday

9 :00 AM Christian Education
10:30 AM Holy Communion
Noon Church Council Meeting
5:30 AM Confirmation Gathering here at Durham

Wednesday, November 7 6:30 PM - Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 9 - Pictorial Directory Pictures 2-8 PM

Saturday, November 10 Pictorial Directory Pictures 10 AM-4 PM

Sunday, November 11 - Holy Baptism/Remembrance of Veterans

Friday, November 16 at 11 AM - WELCA meeting. Focus will be on "Worthwhile Wear" and their services

Wednesday, November 21 - Thanksgiving Eve Community

Ecumenical Worship at 7:30 PM hosted here at Durham - Bring non-perishable canned goods & Cash for AHUB Homeless Ministry.

Pictorial Directory Photo Session Appointments!

Make your photo session appointment TODAY after worship! See Lynn or Barb to sign up. Photography days are this coming Friday, November 9 from 2-8 PM and Saturday, November 10, 10 AM - 4 PM. You can also sign up online at <https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/yxgpme3c/>