

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
SHIPPENSBURG, PA



NOVEMBER 1, 2020

ALL SAINTS' DAY

10 a.m.

## Welcome to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

*We are a Christ-centered community dedicated to living authentically, thinking inclusively, and opening our hearts to the movement of the Holy Spirit among us.*

Dear Friends,

We are delighted that you are worshiping with us this morning. We hope that you will experience the love of Christ present to you through our community gathered and the richness of our liturgy.

Each of our Sunday worship services is considered a “little Easter” in that we remember and celebrate the gift of Jesus’ resurrection each week in the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Through this memorial of our redemption we acknowledge and honor the impact it makes in our life here on earth and the invitation it offers us into life eternal.

This is especially true today as we celebrate one of the major feast days in our church year, All Saints’ Day. This day marks the time of year when we remember all those who have entered into the fullness of time, which we call eternal life. The veil between heaven and earth seems particularly transparent today as we participate in the act of remembering those who have gone before us. Because we are incarnational people, we remember our loved ones with our voices, hands, and hearts.

We allow music to lift our souls to God and to bring us closer to our loved ones. We fold our hands in prayer to give thanks for our beloved ones whose lives and spirits continue to touch us in our pilgrimage here on earth. And we open our hands to reach out for the life-giving gift of Holy Communion, which allows the light of Jesus to shine in the midst of any darkness contained by our world.

We remember, with our hearts breaking open, that we belong to God in life and in death. Deep in our hearts there is the hope that nothing in all of creation will separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus. Thanks be to God for the gift of remembering: God remembering us, and the blessed memory of our loved ones.

The names of those we would like to especially remember on this All Saints’ Day will be read during the Eucharistic Prayer. There will be a time of silence offered for you to remember anyone else, not already listed, to be enfolded into our time of prayer and remembrance. May the healing love of Christ always be present to you in your time of remembrance of your loved ones.

Faithfully, Mother Barbara

**TOLLING BELL INVITING SILENCE TO PREPARE OUR HEARTS (9:55 a.m.)**

**BELL CALLING US TO WORSHIP (10:00 a.m.)**

*(Standing)*

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN 1982 Hymnal #293**

*(Words spoken or prayed silently in your hearts)*

I sing a song of the saints of God.

1. I sing a song of the saints of God,  
patient and brave and true,  
who toiled and fought and lived and died  
for the Lord they loved and knew.  
And one was a doctor, and one was a queen,  
and one was a shepherdess on the green:  
they were all of them saints of God—and I mean,  
God helping, to be one too.

2. They loved their Lord so dear, so dear,  
and his love made them strong;  
and they followed the right, for Jesus' sake,  
the whole of their good lives long.  
And one was a soldier, and one was a priest,  
and one was slain by a fierce wild beast:  
and there's not any reason, no, not the least  
why I shouldn't be one too.

3. They lived not only in ages past,  
there are hundreds of thousands still;  
the world is bright with the joyous saints  
who love to do Jesus' will.  
You can meet them in school, or in lanes, or at sea,  
in church, or in trains, or in shops, or at tea;  
for the saints of God are just folk like me,  
and I mean to be one too.

## THE WORD OF GOD

### OPENING ACCLAMATION

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
*People* And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen

### THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

*Celebrant* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you 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.  
*People* Amen.

### SONG OF PRAISE *(said in unison)*

Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.  
*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant* 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.

*People* **Amen.**

*(Sitting)*

## A READING FROM THE BOOK OF REVELATION

### Revelation 7:9-17

After this I, John, looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

"Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing,

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom  
and thanksgiving and honor  
and power and might  
be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

"For this reason they are before the throne of God,  
and worship him day and night within his temple,  
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.  
They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;

the sun will not strike them,  
nor any scorching heat;  
for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,  
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,  
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

*Lector* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 34:1-10, 22** (*Prayed responsively by whole verse.*)

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

**2 I will glory in the LORD;  
let the humble hear and rejoice.**

3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD;  
let us exalt his Name together.

**4 I sought the LORD, and he answered me  
and delivered me out of all my terror.**

5 Look upon him and be radiant,  
and let not your faces be ashamed.

**6 I called in my affliction and the LORD heard me  
and saved me from all my troubles.**

7 The angel of the LORD encompasses those who fear him,  
and he will deliver them.

**8 Taste and see that the LORD is good;  
happy are they who trust in him!**

9 Fear the LORD, you that are his saints,  
for those who fear him lack nothing.

10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger,  
but those who seek the LORD lack nothing that is good.

22 The LORD ransoms the life of his servants,  
and none will be punished who trust in him.

## A READING FROM THE EPISTLE OF FIRST JOHN

1 John 3:1-3

See what love the Father has given us that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

*Lector* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

*People* Thanks be to God.

*(Standing)*

GRADUAL HYMN

*Alleluia*

## THE GOSPEL

Matthew 5:1-12

*Celebrant* The Holy Gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, according to Matthew.

*People* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil

against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

*Celebrant*        The Gospel of our Lord.  
*People*            **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

*(Sitting)*

**THE SERMON**

**The Rev. Canon Robert Schiesler**

*A time for silent reflection.*

**THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS**

*Leader*            Dear People of God: In Holy Baptism, we have become part of that great fellowship of believers in all time and places; the Communion of Saints. In baptism God has adopted us as children and made us members of Christ's body and inheritors of God's kingdom with the saints in light. Let us now renew the vows of our baptism by which God has made us a holy people.

*Leader*            Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

*People*            **I do.**

*Leader*            Do you believe in God the Father?  
*People*            **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

*Leader*            Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?  
*People*            **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary  
He 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,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

*Leader*            Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

*People*            **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.**

- Leader* Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?  
*People* **I will, with God's help.**
- Leader* Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?  
*People* **I will, with God's help.**
- Leader* Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?  
*People* **I will, with God's help.**
- Leader* Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?  
*People* **I will, with God's help.**
- Leader* Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?  
*People* **I will, with God's help.**
- Celebrant* May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. **Amen.**

*(Kneeling or standing)*

## **THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*(There will be music played during the Prayers of the People.)*

- Lector* In the fellowship of all the saints, let us pray to the Lord.
- Lector* For the holy church of God, throughout the world, that the Lord may confirm it in faith, sustain it in hope, and deepen its communion in charity, let us pray to the Lord.
- People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

- Lector* For those beset by persecution for righteousness' sake and those weighted down by trial and distress, that the example of the saints may give them courage and hope, let us pray to the Lord.
- People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Lector* For this assembly gathered to celebrate the Holy Eucharist in communion with the church in heaven and throughout the world, that nourished by the word of truth and the bread of life we may bear witness in our own generation to the timeless gospel of Christ, let us pray to the Lord.
- People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Lector* For us, our families, friends, and neighbors, that given grace to know where true joy is to be found, we may grasp and share it with your world, let us pray to the Lord.
- People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Lector* We pray today for those who have asked for our prayers: Bert, Janet, Melissa, Katherine, Kathy, Deb, Paula's nephew Cameron, Jan McCrory, Emma Jean Bankson, Shirley Glick, Chuck Bloom, Frank, Richard, Evan, Roseann, Jack, Kathleen, Amy, Ellen, Tabitha, the Williams Family, Alice, Samantha, Wanda, Margaret, Brian Rotz, Brian Helman, the Watts Family and Pedro, Rachel Mooney, Laura and Brian, Stan and Dottie, and those who are grieving the loss of a loved one: Christina, David, Jonathan, and Joseph, Laura and Pat, Deanna, Kathy, Jeanine, Ellen, Fred, Tom, Susan, Connor and Matthew, Blake and Katherine, and those whom we name, either silently in our hearts or aloud.
- People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Lector* For those departed this life in faith, that they may join the innumerable throng of holy ones gathered before the throne and the Lamb, let us pray to the Lord.
- Celebrant* May our prayers be accepted through Christ, the Lord of all saints and the Source of every blessing.
- People* **Amen.**

*(Kneeling or standing)*

## THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

*Celebrant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor. (*Silence.*)

*Celebrant 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.**

*Celebrant* 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.

*People* **Amen.**

(*Standing*)

### THE PEACE

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

(*Sitting*)

## THE GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### THE OFFERTORY

*Celebrant* Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

### OFFERTORY MUSIC

## THE HOLY EUCHARIST

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*Eucharistic Prayer D*)

*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 God thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant*

It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks; for you alone are God, living and true, dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and forever. Fountain of life and source of all goodness, you made all things and fill them with your blessing; you created them to rejoice in the splendor of your radiance. Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you night and day; and, beholding the glory of your presence, they offer you unceasing praise. Joining with them, and giving voice to every creature under heaven, we acclaim you, and glorify your Name, as we say,

**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.**

We acclaim you, holy Lord, glorious in power. Your mighty works reveal your wisdom and love. You formed us in your own image, giving the whole world into our care, so that, in obedience to you, our Creator, we might rule and serve all your creatures. When our disobedience took us far from you, you did not abandon us to the power of death. In your mercy, you came to our help, so that in seeking you we might find you. Again, and again you called us into covenant with you, and through the prophets you taught us to hope for salvation.

Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time you sent your only Son to be our Savior. Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin. To the poor, he proclaimed the good news of salvation; to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy. To fulfill your purpose, he gave himself up to death; and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new. And, that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us, he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe, to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all.

When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end; at supper with them he 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."

Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption. Recalling Christ's death and his descent among the dead, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

*Celebrant and People*

**We praise you, we bless you,  
we give thanks to you,  
and we pray to you, Lord our God.**

*The Celebrant continues*

Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.

Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name.

Remember, Lord, your one holy catholic and apostolic Church, redeemed by the blood of your Christ. Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace. Remember all who minister in your Church. Remember all your people, and those who seek your truth.

Remember all who have died in the peace of Christ, and those whose faith is known to you alone. At this celebration of the communion of All Saints, we remember those departed: Joan Applegate, Antionette Barone, Adair Beattie, Alex Beattie, Betty Bonanni, Richard Butcher, Larry Butler, Cindy Carlson, Laura M. Clark, William H. Clark, those who have died from COVID-19, Maryann Cox, Ken Davis, The Loved Ones of the Davis Family, Kathy Detschel, Charles Dotson, Virginia Duke, Eve Feick, The Rev. Donald Feick, Nancy Feick, Joyce Foreman, The Rev. Deacon Janice Fritz, Ledlie Gerst, Barbara Gonzales, Edward Joseph Goodwin, Peter Gross, David Gross, Helen Gross, Fred Gross, James Guido, Brian Guido, Frankie Guido, Mac Hargrove, John Hargrove, Phil Harkins, Leila Harpster, Wayne Harpster, Jackson Harpster, Pearlah Harpster, Dorothy Harpster, Dottie Hartman, Ann Heermans, Harry Heermans, Lewis Hockenbrach, Wilda Hoffman, Blanche Huber, Lin Huber, Katharine K. Hutchinson, Robert H. Hutchinson, Christian Jessen, Kristy Jones, Victor

Karcher, Nancy Karcher, Estelle Keefer, Ben Keefer, Gretchen Kitts, Bill Knerr, Vincenza Barone Koehler, Ivy Kraker, Agnus Kublic, Adam Kublic, Wilfred A. Lamoureux, Francis Leach, Mildred Leach, Raymond Leach, John Magaro, Jean Magaro, Jim Magaro, Orson Massey, Jennie Mazzacua, Erwin & Richard Mears and Family, Phyllis Messenlehner, Lewis Messenlehner, Dennis Metzger, Kit Miller, Freddie Najoek, Winnie Naugle, William Stephens Nicola, Gloria Peterson Nicola, Elizabeth C. Patrick, Charles K. Patrick, Peg Poterba, Bill Poterba, Elsie Reisener, Eleanor Roach, Linn Roach, Jack Roddick, Allen Romine, Bob Rose, John Rose, Emma Rose, Charles Rose, Alicia S., Rhoda Shephardson, Richard Shephardson, Rod Shephardson, Jim Smedley, Joyce Smedley, Bill Smedley, Edwin G. Smith, Mildred Smith, Herman Smith, Robert J. Smith, Frank Stodolak, Rose Stodolak, Tom Stouffer, Charlie Strohm, Hubert G. Stuhrenberg, Mary Lee Stuhrenberg, Pete Sullivan, Laura Swope, John Sysko Sr., Arlene Sysko, Shirley Thayer, Billy Thayer, Courtney Thayer, Johnny Thayer, Maryann Torrence, Jack Torrence, Uyen Trand, Gerald Weale, William H. White, Edith White, Wilma Wood and all others whom we hold in our hearts and who are a part of the great cloud of witnesses united to us through God's encompassing and everlasting love.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with the Blessed Virgin Mary, with matriarchs, patriarchs, prophets, apostles, and martyrs, with St. Andrew, and all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past. We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*People and Celebrant*

**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, for ever and ever. Amen.**

## **THE BREAKING OF BREAD**

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

## THE INVITATION

*The Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

*We welcome all baptized people to the communion table. If you desire to receive Holy Communion, please come forward and put your hands out to receive the consecrated bread. You may receive the consecrated wine from the chalice, by taking a sip or by dipping the communion wafer into the chalice. If you prefer not to receive Holy Communion, but would like a blessing, please come forward and cross your hands over your chest, and we will be happy to offer God's blessing upon you! You are always welcome at the altar of God!*

*When all members in the congregation have received Holy Communion, the ministers will take the sacrament to the residents of the Episcopal Home and anyone who may be in the Parish Life Center, bringing the Body of Christ out into the world.*

**COMMUNION MUSIC LEVAS #227**  
*(Words spoken or prayed silently in your hearts)*

We shall overcome

1 We shall overcome,  
We shall overcome,  
We shall overcome some day;  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall overcome some day.

2 We'll walk hand in hand,  
We'll walk hand in hand,  
We'll walk hand in hand today;  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We'll walk hand in hand today.

3 God is on our side,  
God is on our side,  
God is on our side today;  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
God is on our side today.

4 We are not afraid,  
We are not afraid,  
We are not afraid today;  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We are not afraid today.

5 We shall live in peace,  
We shall live in peace,  
We shall live in peace someday;  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall live in peace some day.

## THE PRAYER OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Our Jesus, we believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. We desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving as we proclaim your resurrection. We love you above all things, and long for you in our souls. Since we cannot receive you in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, come spiritually into our hearts. Cleanse and strengthen us with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let us never be separated from you. May we live in you, and you in us, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

## THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

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.

## THE BLESSING

*Celebrant* The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of God's Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

*People* Amen.



*(Standing)*

**RECESSIONAL HYMN LEVAS #14**

*(Words spoken or prayed silently in your hearts)*

Soon and very soon

1 Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,  
Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,  
Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,  
we're goin' to see the King!

2 No more cryin' there we are goin' to see the King,  
No more cryin' there we are goin' to see the King,  
No more cryin' there we are goin' to see the King,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,  
we're goin' to see the King!

3 No more dying there we are goin' to see the King,  
No more dying there we are goin' to see the King,  
No more dying there we are goin' to see the King,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,  
we're goin' to see the King!

4 Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,  
Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,  
Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,  
we're are goin' to see the King!

## THE DISMISSAL

*Celebrant* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.  
*People* **Thanks be to God.**

## POSTLUDE

### ASSISTING IN TODAY'S WORSHIP

**10 a.m.**

**Verger:** Susan Sanders

**Greeters:** John and Sandi Boyle

**Lector:** Donna Harpster

**Celebrant & Preacher** The Rev. Cannon Robert Schiesler

## THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

**Today**, November 1, 20120 – All Saints' Day

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I

10:00AM Holy Eucharist Rite II

7:30 PM AA meeting

**Monday**, November 2, 2020

5:00 PM Community Meal

7:30 PM AA meeting

**Tuesday**, November 3, 2020

9:30 AM Meditation in the Church (In-person & Zoom)

**Wednesday**, November 4, 2020

6:30 PM Early Church Writings

The flowers on the altar today are given by Alison and Zan Beattie in memory of their loved ones. "Let light perpetual shine upon them."

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Welcome to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.** We are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us this morning, Sharing community and communion together is a holy honor for which we are all grateful.

We are delighted to welcome **The Rev. Canon Robert Schiesler** today as your preacher and celebrant. He has served our diocese faithfully for many years and is now a retired priest, enjoying his time visiting with and sharing the sacraments with people like you. It is a blessing to have him with us, as Mother Barbara is with her family this weekend.

Today we celebrate **All Saints' Day** and the names of those we love who have departed this life into everlasting life will be read during the Eucharistic Prayer. There will be a silence after the names are read for any names you would like to be prayed for, either silently or aloud. *May the souls of our loved ones continue to rest in peace and rise in glory.*

**Today you are invited to receive communion in both kinds**, receiving the bread and the wine. Both these elements will be covered with a cloth during the consecration so they remain germ-free. A small amount of wine will be in the chalice, and that which you will receive will be in a cruet on the altar and then poured into individual cups. After you receive the bread from the priest, you will pick up an individual cup of wine. Please feel free to linger by the altar as you eat the bread and drink the wine, savoring this holy moment of communion. You may then place your cup on the tray in the sacristy as you exit the sanctuary to return to your seat.

We invite you to contribute to the **Mary Grace Shearer MSW for the Advancement of Social Work Scholarship** offered in gracious recognition of the nearly 40 years of faithful service Mary Grace offered to the ministry of The Episcopal Home. We are so grateful for her amazing work and the legacy of love which she is leaving behind. The parish will be making a gift and we invite you to make individual gifts as well. If you would like to contribute by check, you can either send a check to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church and earmark it as the Mary Grace Shearer Scholarship or you can mail the check directing to TFEC (The Foundation for Enhancing Communities) at the following address: 200 N. 3rd Street, 8th Floor, Harrisburg, PA 17101. If you would like to make an online donation, please do so by going to <https://www.tfec.org>. We thank you for your generosity.

We invite you to join us as we engage in **meditation or centering prayer on Tuesday mornings** at 9:30 a.m. You are welcome to come into the church and meditate in person with us (wearing a mask) or connect with us by Zoom. Please email Mother Barbara for the Zoom link. This is a time when your soul can rest and be restored through the loving presence of God.

**Our Community Meal program** has expanded due to increased need in our community. We have picked up one additional time of preparing and serving the meal, thanks to the generous hearts of our members. We will now be serving the community meal to our hungry neighbors on the 4th Monday of the month. If you would like to join our community meal teams, please let Mike Stitt know. There is increased need for meal preparation because there are more hungry people in our area now. We are currently serving “to go” meals due to the COVID precautions.

**Our food pantry is empty again.** We ask for your help in providing food for our neighbors. This offering is just one of the many parts of the safety net our community offers to those who are in need. You can drop food off directly into the pantry and/or you can write a check to St. Andrew’s and earmark it “Food Pantry” and someone will do the shopping for you. This is a wonderful ministry we can provide for those in need.

We continue with our **scripture study** of the Gospel of Matthew on Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. Please email Mother Barbara for the Zoom link.

**We will celebrate Veteran’s Day on November 15<sup>th</sup> as a part of our Recorded Church at Home Worship Service.** We are blessed that Elaine Paszkowski, the daughter of Anne and Harold Herman, will offer our homily that day.

## Next Weekend's Worship Services:

**Church at Home – anytime.** Join us for a contemplative service with healing prayers and a homily offered just for us by our bishop, Audrey Scanlan.

**Saturday, 11/7 at 5 p.m.**

We invite you to come to our next **Contemplative Eucharist** which will be this coming **Saturday evening on November 7<sup>th</sup> at 5 p.m.** This is a service designed to restore your soul with evocative music, silence, Holy Eucharist, and beauty through our gorgeous sanctuary filled with candlelight.

**Sunday, 11/8 at 8 a.m.** Join us for a quiet spoken service of Holy Eucharist Rite 1.

## ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

*We are a Christ-centered community dedicated to living authentically, thinking inclusively,  
and opening our hearts to the movement of the Holy Spirit among us.*

### Leadership

*Diocesan Bishop* The Rt. Rev. Audrey Scanlan  
*Rector* The Rev. Barbara Hutchinson  
*Parish Secretary* Melanie Varner  
*Sexton* Brett Erickson  
*Church Musician* Brian Helman  
*Interim Church Musician* Kevin Gorman  
*Head Verger* Mike Stitt, FVGEC  
*Verger* Mike Rhodes, FVGEC  
*Verger* Jane Offner, Susan Sanders

### Vestry Members

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Jane Offner, Junior Warden	Steve Smith
Jean Shepherd, Treasurer	Lisa Turchi
Brett Erickson	Susan Tyler
Ken Dotson	Laurel White
Mary Beth Williams	

### Worship Services

Sunday 8:00 AM Worship Services Rite 1 In Sanctuary (Every week)

Sunday 10:00 AM Worship Service Rite 2 Outdoors - (Next service is 11/15)

Saturday Evening 5:00 PM In Sanctuary, Contemporary Eucharist- (Next service is 11/7)

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