

SAINT ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
ALL SAINTS SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 1, 2020 - 9:30 AM
HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

Prelude

The service begins at the sound of the church bell.

Opening Hymn

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1 For all the saints, who from their la - bors rest, who
2 Thou wast their rock, their for - tress, and their might:___
3 O may thy sol - diers, faith - ful, true, and bold,___
4 O blest com - mun - ion, fel - low - ship di - vine!___



thee___ by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, thy
thou, Lord, their Cap - tain in the well - fought fight;___
fight as the saints who no - bly fought of old, and
We feeb - ly strug - gle, they in glo - ry shine; yet



Name, O___ Je - sus, be for ev - er blessed.
thou, in the dark - ness drear, the one true Light.
win, with___ them, the vic - tor's crown of gold.
all are___ one in thee, for all are thine.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



*5 And when the strife is fierce, the war-fare long, steals on the ear the
*6 The gold - en eve - ning bright-ens in the west; soon, soon to faith-ful



dis - tant tri - umph song, and hearts are brave a - gain, and arms are
war - riors com - eth rest; — sweet is the calm of par - a - dise the

strong.
blest. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

*7 But lo! there breaks a yet more glo - rious day; the
*8 From earth's wide bounds, from o - cean's far - thest coast, through

saints tri - umph - ant rise in bright ar - ray; the
gates of pearl streams in the count - less host

King of glo - ry pass - es on his way.
sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost,

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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

The Celebrant says
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.

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Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Celebrant says the Collect.

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.

The First Lesson

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.”

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Psalm is read responsively by half verse, breaking at the asterisk. The leader reads the first line and the congregation responds with the next line.

Psalm 34 vv1-10,22

- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times; *
 the Lord’s 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 the Lord’s Name together.
- 4 I sought the Lord, and the Lord answered me *
 and delivered me out of all my terror.
- 5 Look upon the Lord 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 the Lord, *
 and the Lord will deliver them.
- 8 Taste and see that the Lord is good; *
 happy are they who trust in the Lord!
- 9 Fear the Lord, you that are the Lord’s saints, *
 for those who fear the Lord 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 the Lord’s servants, *
 and none will be punished who trust in the Lord.

The Second Lesson

1 John 1:1-3

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.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Sung altogether

Hymn

LEVAS 115

Spir - it of the Liv - ing God, Fall fresh on me,

Spir - it of the Liv - ing God, Fall fresh on me.

Melt me, mold me, Fill me, use me.

Spir - it of the Liv - ing God, Fall fresh on me.

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 5:1-12

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord 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 the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

Russell Bohner

Said altogether.

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,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who 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 Litany For The Feast Of All Saints

Celebrant In the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People Amen.

Celebrant Christ is risen from the dead, trampling down death by death, and giving life to those in the tomb. The Son of Righteousness is gloriously risen, giving light to those who sat in darkness and in the shadow of death. The Lord will guide our feet into the way of peace, having taken away the sin of the world. Christ will open the kingdom of heaven to all who believe in his Name, saying, Come, O blessed of my Father; inherit the kingdom prepared for you.

People Amen.

Celebrant Absolve, O Lord, the souls of the faithful departed from every bond of sin, and by the help of your grace may they be enabled to escape judgment and enjoy the happiness of eternal life.

People Amen.

Celebrant For the souls of our departed friends,

People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For the souls of our departed family,

People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For men and women who were our teachers,

People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For those with whom we served in daily work,

People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For any soul whom we ever offended,

People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For our enemies now departed,

People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For all souls who have none to pray for them,

People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For those forgotten by their friends and families,

People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For all deceased bishops, priests and deacons,
People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For all our sisters and brothers who are sick or suffering, remembering those in our Parish Prayers and those we name silently or aloud, (*Silence*)

Celebrant For those souls who need our prayers,
People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant For those, closer to you than we are, whose prayers we need,
People Grant light and peace, O Lord.

Celebrant That those may be happy with you forever, who on earth were true exemplars of the one holy, catholic, and apostolic faith of Jesus Christ, our Lord,
People Grant them eternal rest, O Lord.

Celebrant That those may be flooded with your love who lived heroic lives for all people,
People Grant them eternal rest, O Lord.

Celebrant That those may see You, who never put obstacles in the way of others and who drew closer in union with you,
People Grant them eternal rest, O Lord.

Celebrant This day, most especially we pray for all who have died:
Please name silently or aloud all those who have died and for whom we now offer our prayers.

Celebrant Eternal rest give unto them, O Lord,
People And let perpetual light shine upon them.

Celebrant May the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
People Amen.

Celebrant For the absolution and remission of all of our sins and offenses, we pray to You, O Lord,
People Have mercy upon us.

Celebrant Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy immortal One,
People Have mercy upon us.

Celebrant The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant: Make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well pleasing in his sight; through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever.
People **AMEN.**

The Peace

The Celebrant says

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The Offertory

Celebrant says an Offertory Sentence.

The Offertory Anthem

I sing a song of the saints of God - 293

The Holy Communion

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 our thanks and praise.

The Celebrant continues

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing. You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

Sung altogether

Sanctus

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and

might, heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. * Bless - ed is he who comes

The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'Hosanna in the Highest'. It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: 'in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.' The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chords that support the vocal melody.

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The Celebrant continues

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

The Celebrant elevates the bread and says

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

The celebrant elevates the cup of wine and says

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

The celebrant continues

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice. Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made. In the fullness of time bring us, with all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

The Celebrant elevates the consecrated bread and wine and says

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

People **AMEN.**

Celebrant says

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

Said altogether

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 Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread and says

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.

Hymn

1. O how He loves you and me.
2. Je - sus to Cal - vary did go,

1. O how He loves you and me;
2. His love for the worlds to show;

1. He gave His life, what more could He give;
2. What He did there brought hope from de - spair;

1. O how He loves you, O how He loves me,
2. O how He loves you, O how He loves me,

1. O how He loves you and me.
2. O how He loves you and me.

While the Celebrant receives the consecrated gifts, the People say

In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection: I await your coming in glory. And since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

The Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Said altogether

God of abundance, you have nourished us through our worship; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

The Blessing

The Celebrant says

Let love be genuine, hold fast to what is good, serve the Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you always.

People Amen.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Announcements

The Dismissal

The Celebrant says the dismissal.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude

2021 Pledge Campaign

To grow in worship, ministry, and mission, Saint Anne's Church depends upon the financial contributions of its members, and we ask every member to make a generous financial pledge to support Saint Anne's in 2021. To make your pledge, please complete a 2021 Pledge Card and mail it to the Church Office, or email your pledge to Finance@SaintAnnesChurchDE.org. Pledges of all amounts are welcome, and all pledges are kept strictly confidential. Please contact Fr. Russ if you have any questions.

Thank you!

21ST Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner Nov. 26TH, from Noon to 3 p.m.

Due to COVID 19 this year's dinner will be TAKE OUT ONLY.

This dinner is only made possible through the generosity of our community. Donations of these items: hams, sweet potatoes, stuffing, carrots, canned green beans, cream of mushroom soup, crispy fried onions, cranberry sauce, butter are appreciated. Turkeys will be provided by the Town of Middletown this year. Donation may be dropped off at the church office during normal business hours. For more information call the Church Office.

Letter Regarding In-Person Worship

A letter is posted on the Saint Anne's Church website regarding the Vestry's and Rector's decision about re-gathering for in-person worship. To read the letter, please click [HERE](#).

Worship Participants for Today

Readers: Jessica Williams & Michael Bohner. Choristers: Jessica Williams & Isabelle Bohner. Camera: Michael Bohner. Altar Guild: Kathy Cavanaugh.

Parish Prayers

We pray for Sue Baker, Meta Barrow, AJ Bernieri, Roberta Carey, Beverley and Pete Connolly, Donald Davis, Sr., Amber Dean, Andy Dill, Marty Hipp, Velma Johnson, Gretchen Kessler, Amy Klein, Bill MacMillan, Rachel Mandes, Jean McGinnis, Larry & Sue Osborn, Marjee Righeimer, Bob Smith, Christine Tschampel, Alan White, Mark Woodward, Ed Wright, Bonnie, Christian D, Janet and Steve, and Susan.

We pray for George Lawrence who was buried this week.

In the Episcopal Church in Delaware, we pray for Saint Anne's and Saint Andrew's Schools and the Episcopal Relief & Development.

In the Anglican Communion, we pray for the Church of the Province of West Africa.

For Church activities and announcements, please read *The Messenger*, which is posted on the website: www.SaintAnnesChurchDE.org. To receive *The Messenger* via email, please call the Church Office at 302-378-2401.

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Live Broadcast and Zoom Offerings for the Week of November 1

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Sunday, November 1

Sunday Children's Worship—8:45 AM

Broadcast Live through the Church Website

Holy Eucharist for Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost—9:30 AM

Broadcast Live through the Church Website and Facebook

Saint Anne's Sunday Sermon Forum—10:30 AM

Broadcast Live through Zoom [Click Here to Join](#)

Tuesday, November 3

Centering Prayer by Zoom—6:00 PM

Thursday, November 5

Bible Study by Zoom—8:00 AM

Bible Study LIVE—10:00 AM

Broadcast Live through the Church Website and Facebook

The Daily Office of Evening Prayer—6:00 PM

Broadcast Live through the Church Website and Facebook

Bible Study by Zoom—6:30 PM

Sunday, November 8

Sunday Children's Worship—8:45 AM

Broadcast Live through the Church Website

Holy Eucharist for Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost—9:30 AM

Broadcast Live through the Church Website and Facebook

Saint Anne's Sunday Sermon Forum—10:30 AM

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