All Saints
Saturday, November 2, 2019

Prelude
Welcome/Announcements

Hymn  *For All the Saints* (v. 1-5)  ELW 422

Confession and Forgiveness  p. 94

**Prayer of the Day**

*God of grace, we thank you that by his death, Jesus destroyed Death's power, and that by his resurrection, has drawn your people into heaven's gift of life. Assure us, we pray, that nothing can separate us from your love in Christ Jesus our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.*

Reading  1 Kings 18:17-24a  pew Bible p. 321
“*The Word of the Lord*” Response:  *Thanks be to God!*

**Gospel Acclamation**  *Halle, Halle, Hallelujah*  ELW 172

Gospel Reading  John 11:32-44  pew Bible p. 981
Response after the announcement:  *Glory to you, O Lord.*
Response after the reading:  *Praise to you, O Christ.*

Hymn  *Blest Are They*  ELW 728

Sermon
Interlude

**Apostles’ Creed**

Prayers of the People
Offering

**Offertory**  *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*  ELW 884

The Lord’s Supper

**Lord’s Prayer**

Communion

**Great Is Thy Faithfulness**  ELW 733
*Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling*  ELW 608
*Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me*  ELW 623

Benediction

**Closing Song**  *For All the Saints* (v. 6-7)  ELW 422

Postlude
First Lutheran Church

We are believers seeking to invite all into the caring, sharing and growing ways of Christ.

All Saints
Sunday, November 3, 2019

Call to Worship  
*Praise Ye the Lord*  
ELW 872

Welcome/Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness  
*p. 94*

Opening Song  
*For All the Saints* (v. 1-4)  
ELW 422

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Women’s Choir  
*Sing with All the Saints of Glory*

Reading  
1 Kings 18:17-24a  
*pew Bible p. 321*

“The Word of the Lord” Response:  
*Thanks be to God!*

Gospel Acclamation  
*Gospel Acclamation*  
ELW 170

Gospel Reading  
John 11:32-44  
*pew Bible p. 981*

Response after the announcement:  
*Glory to you, O Lord*

Response after the reading:  
*Praise to you, O Christ*

**Hymn**  
*Blest Are They*  
ELW 728

Sermon

Interlude

Apostles’ Creed (inside back cover of hymnal)

Prayers of the People  
*Response:*  
*Eat This Bread, Drink This Cup*  
ELW 492

Offering  
*I Come with Joy*

Offertory  
*People of God*  
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*With our lips, let us sing one confession,*  
*With our hearts hold to one truth alone;*  
*For He has erased our transgression,*  
*Claimed us and called us His own, His very own.*

*We’re the people of God, called by His name, Called from the dark and delivered from shame;*  
*One holy race--saints ev’ry one, Because of the blood of Christ Jesus, the Son.*

The Lord’s Supper

Lord’s Prayer (inside back cover of hymnal)

Distribution/Hymns  
*Shall We Gather at the River*  
*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*  
*Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling*  
ELW 423  
ELW 733  
ELW 608

Benediction

Closing Song  
*For All the Saints* (v. 5-7)  
ELW 422
Today’s radio broadcast is sponsored by Perry & Marquita Banks in honor of the 90th Birthday Celebration for Perry, a life-long member, baptized and confirmed at First Lutheran. An Open House Celebration will be held on Saturday November 9th from 12-3pm in the Fellowship Hall. No cards and/or gifts.

**Prayer List:** John Doyle, Curt Sorum, Sierra Waege (granddaughter of Dorothy and Harlen Barck), Vi Thomasson, Val Krogstad, Darlene Newman (sister of Janet Landby), Jenifer Klein’s sister, Carla, Al Evers, Oliver Navarrete (great grandson of Harlen & Dorothy Barck), Lori Folk, Jeanette Meyer (mother of Steve Meyer), Brian Brandt, Jim Abel, Dorwin Swenson (father of Jason Swenson), Jan Maeyaert-Hansen, Crystal Buysse, Lenore Haug (mother of Carolyn Fuller), Bob Knudson, Duane Larsen (father of Jeff Larsen), Beverly Willhite (mother of Judy Miller), Norm Schoephoerster.

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**Sunday November 3**
8:30am & 10:45am Worship  
9:30am TLC  
9:45am 2 yr old Bible Class - Chapel  
9:45am 2nd Gr Bible Class - Basement

**Monday November 4**
1:00pm Quilting  
6:30pm Beginning Experience

**Tuesday November 5**
9:00am Senior Coffee  
10:30am Staff Meets  
5:30pm Outreach Committee  
6:30pm Worship & Music Committee  
6:30pm Social Ministries Committee

**Wednesday November 6**
9:30am Rejoice Bible Study  
2:30pm TLC  
5:15pm Worship  
5:30pm Women’s Board Meeting  
5:45pm Light Supper - $2/person  
5:45pm Confirmation

**Thursday November 7**
5:30pm Bible & Brew

**Friday November 8**
7:00am Grub Club @ HyVee

**Saturday November 9**
12:00-3:00pm Open House Birthday Celebration for Perry Banks  
5:30pm Worship

**Sunday November 10**
8:30am & 10:45am Worship  
9:30am Stewardship Committee  
9:30am TLC

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**News & Notes**

**All Saints Day**
Today we remember those members who have died since last All Saints Day. We ask the Holy Spirit to bless the memory of these loved ones, and other departed relatives and friends. We also pray that God would strengthen us to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ for all people through our words and deeds until suffering and death will be no more.

Mera Luceil Johnson  
Marlys Reimler  
Delores Holm  
Dorothy Rehfeld  
June Rindelaub  
Elynor Bagstad  
Ardis Sternke  
Carolyn Marks  
Ronald Warnke

On All Saints Day, we also recognize those families who have celebrated a baptism in this congregation over the last year. We pray that God would bless, protect and guide them as they continue to walk their journey of faith in Jesus Christ.

Ethan Roberts  
Lily Varpness  
Oliver Williams  
Violet Suby  
Jace Deragisch  
Bretton Luckhardt  
Blakely Olson  
Jenna Mooney  
Brayden Swenson  
Rhett Kunde  
Celena Hartman  
Kalli Botsford  
Tatum Sorenson
**TODAY at 9:45am** the Two Year Olds & their parents will attend “How to read & interact with your child and the Spark Story Bible” in the Gethsemane Chapel.

**Second Grade students** and their parents will also take part in a Bible Orientation Class either today at 9:45 or Wednesday, November 6th at 6:15pm in the Basement.

**Hy-Vee Cards available for Purchase!** The Senior High Youth will be selling Hy-Vee gift cards throughout the year as a part of their fundraisers. We have $50 cards and $100 cards. The youth will receive 5% of the money. Everyone needs groceries or gas, and it’s money you would spend anyway, if not all at one time, eventually. By using the gift cards, part of the money will go to the youth! Proceeds will go toward the 2020 High Adventures Trip to Washington. They can be purchased in the office or between services on Sunday mornings.

**FIRST LUTHERAN YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRY FALL FUNDRAISER** The Envelope Fundraiser is officially done because the month of October is over. If you still need to turn in your number and money, it’s not too late. *First Lutheran Youth really appreciate all of the support and encouragement that the family of First Lutheran gives them on their faith journeys. Thank you!!* 

**Parent Forum set for November 6:** Join us at 6:15pm in the Fellowship Hall. A variety of topics to help parents help their teens. November’s topic will be on *Vaping and How It Is Affecting our Teens.* Did you know that 1 in 4 youth admitted to vaping in high school? Principal Travis Frazee and Dr Steve Meister will be here to share and discuss together. It takes a village to raise a child and this village (First Lutheran) comes to learn, pray, and ask questions together! Parent Forums can be for anyone who is interested in attending. You don’t have to have a confirmation aged student to attend. Everyone can learn and be involved for our faith kids!

**Parent and Youth Details Meeting for the Willmar Junior High Synod Gathering** Sunday Nov 10th at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. Adult chaperones, you will also need to fill out the medical release form. I will have them for you at the meeting. Thanks!

**Dad’s Belgian Waffle Fundraiser:** Sunday, November 17th from 8:30 am to 11:30am The First Lutheran Education Committee will be sponsoring this event with the proceeds going toward the First Lutheran Education Program. Tickets are $7.00 in advance and $8.00 at the door. Children 5 and under eat free. Carry-out plates available. Come and enjoy these mammoth size waffles, delicious toppings, sausage, and a beverage along with wonderful fellowship and a chance to see the newly remodeled kitchen; all while supporting a great cause! Tickets are for sale in the Church Office.

**If any of your college aged sons or daughters** will be home over Thanksgiving Break, please let Tonya know if they can help in some way with the services that weekend! Thanks much! It’s always so fun to see them home and reconnect!!
We have plenty of supplies for our care packages. Thanks to all for the donations!

First Lutheran night at Loaves & Fishes - Esther's Kitchen will be Thursday, Nov 21st. There is a sign-up sheet on the church website - click on serving schedules on the right hand side of the page, or sign up in the Narthex. We will be volunteering every 3rd Thursday of the month at Esther’s Kitchen.

The Marshall Ministerial Thanksgiving Service will be at Christ United Presbyterian on Wednesday, November 27 at 7:00pm. The offering goes to the MAMA Transient Fund.

Heart to Heart Tree is set up in the Narthex. This ministry offers children in our area the opportunity to celebrate a joyous Christmas. There are tags on the tree with either a boy or girl name along with an age bracket to purchase a gift. There are also envelopes for you make a monetary donation. You can place the envelope in the offering plate or leave at the church office. Bring your unwrapped gifts back and place under the tree by December 6th. Thank you in advance for your support for the families in our area.

Poinsettias can be ordered through the church again this year! If you’d like to help decorate the sanctuary, please drop off or send your payment of $12.00 along with the information below. All donations and dedications are due in the church office by December 1.

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Given in memory of ____________________________
By____________________________________________


1 Kings 18:17-24a

17 When Ahab saw Elijah, Ahab said to him, “Is it you, you troubler of Israel?” 18 He answered, “I have not troubled Israel; but you have, and your father’s house, because you have forsaken the commandments of the Lord and followed the Baals. 19 Now therefore have all Israel assemble for me at Mount Carmel, with the four hundred fifty prophets of Baal and the four hundred prophets of Asherah, who eat at Jezebel’s table.” 20 So Ahab sent to all the Israelites, and assembled the prophets at Mount Carmel.

21 Elijah then came near to all the people, and said, “How long will you go limping with two different opinions? If the Lord is God, follow him; but if Baal, then follow him.” The people did not answer him a word. 22 Then Elijah said to the people, “I, even I only, am left a prophet of the Lord; but Baal’s prophets number four hundred fifty. 23 Let two bulls be given to us; let them choose one bull for themselves, cut it in pieces, and lay it on the wood, but put no fire to it; I will prepare the other bull and lay it on the wood, but put no fire to it. 24 Then you call on the name of your god and I will call on the name of the Lord.”

Response: Thanks be to God!

John 11:32-44

32 When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, “Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.” 33 When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. 34 He said, “Where have you laid him?” They said to him, “Lord, come and see.” 35 Jesus began to weep. 36 So the Jews said, “See how he loved him!” 37 But some of them said, “Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?” 38 Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. 39 Jesus said, “Take away the stone.” Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, “Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days.” 40 Jesus said to her, “Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?” 41 So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, “Father, I thank you for having heard me. 42 I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.” 43 When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, “Lazarus, come out!” 44 The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, “Unbind him, and let him go.”

Response after the announcement: Glory to you, O Lord.
Response after the reading: Praise to you, O Christ.

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