

Our Service of Worship

All Saints Sunday

10:55 am

November 5, 2017

*We invite those who are able, to stand during these acts of worship

***Gathering Music**

Prelude

Nathaniel Brown, Organist

Lighting the Altar Candles

Call to Worship

Come let us join our friends above

Who have obtained the promised prize,

And on the eagle's wings of love

To joys in heavenly bliss arise.

Let saints on earth unite to sing

With those whose glory has begun,

For all the servants of our King

In earth and heaven forever are one.

***Hymn of Praise**

715

Rejoice, the Lord is King

***Affirmation of Faith**

We believe in God, the loving Father in Heaven who has created us each in His Image.

We believe in Jesus Christ King of kings, who lived and died and rose again to set us free from the curse of sin and death.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the presence of God we experience in daily life; who helps us in our relationships with God and others.

We believe we are part of a community of faith that has been redeemed, transformed and empowered by God to witness to His saving love.

We believe in the final victory of life over death, goodness over evil; a resurrection promise from God of everlasting life in Glory, to all who put their faith in Christ.

We believe the faith response God seeks from us is to accept our identity and our self-worth through Jesus Christ, and then live a Christ-like life before others.

Remembering the Saints

***Scripture Reading 1 Thessalonians 4:13-15 (NRSV)**

13 *But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. 14 For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. 15 For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died.*

***All Saints Hymn**

708

Rejoice in God's Saints (v. 1,4)

Naming the Departed Saints (lighting a candle and ringing the bell)

Prayer of Memorial

***All Saints Hymn**

711

For All the Saints (v.1,4)

Story for All Ages

Amy Rooks

Anthem

Be Thou My Vision

Chancel Choir
Dane Seal, French Horn

Sermon

Rev. Ankeny

Sacrament of Holy Communion

***Communion Hymn**

614

For the Bread Which You Have Broken (v. 1,3,4)

Receiving the Bread and Cup

(presenting God's tithes and our offerings)

***Closing Hymn**

701

When We All Get to Heaven (v. 1,4)

***Benediction**

Postlude

Nathaniel Brown, Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

November 13-20

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Collection Week
Contact Amy Rooks if you can offer assistance. Thank you.

Monday, November 13

10am – UMW Cir #45

Tuesday, November 14

6pm – Church Council

Tuesday, November 21

1pm – UMW Cir #1

Wednesday, November 22

NO Bible study
NO choir rehearsal

November 23 – 24

Thanksgiving Holidays – office closed

Wednesday, November 29

Decorate for Christmas holidays

Our Presence Last Week

Worship service 64
Sunday school 17

Our Stewardship Last Week

General Fund 2016 \$800.00
Plate Offering \$67.00
Sunday School \$19.00
Children’s Home \$210.00

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