ALL SAINTS CHURCH
Sharing Christ's Love

Holy Eucharist Rite II

November 8, 2026, 10:30 a.m.

The 24th Sunday After Pentecost

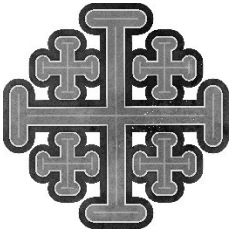
Welcome to All Saints! Ushers and Greeters are available to help if you are new. Our clergy would love to meet you after the service. We are glad you are here! *(We respectfully ask that all cell phones be silenced.)*

Nursery for infants – children 3 years old is open from 8 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. on the lower level.

8:00 a.m.	**Holy Eucharist: Rite I** *(Nave)*
9:00 a.m.	**All Saints Breakfast** Breakfast, coffee, & refreshments. *(Hallway & Parlor)*
9:15 a.m.	**Children and Youth Christian Formation** *(Sunday School classrooms)*
9:30 a.m.	**Joint Forum with Dean Ian Markham** *(Great Hall)*
9:30 a.m.	**Choir Rehearsal,** *(Nave)*
10:30 a.m.	**Holy Eucharist: Rite II** *(Nave & Livestream)*
5:00 p.m.	**Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion** *(St. Joseph's Chapel)*
5:45 p.m.	**Youth Ministry Dinner** *(Great Hall)*
5:45 p.m.	**Youth Parent Prayer Circle** *(Parlor)*
6:30 p.m.	**Middle School Circle & High School Circle** *(Youth Undercroft, Upper Room)*

Coming up at All Saints

- **Young Adults Bible Study,** Mondays, 7 pm *(Cathedral Heights)*
- **Morning Prayer** Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7:30 am (*Zoom)*
- **Women's Bible Study** Wednesdays, 10:30 am (*Zoom & Library*)
- **Wednesday Holy Eucharist Rite 1**, noon (*St. Mary's Chapel)*
- **Welcome Wednesdays** Rector's Forum 5:00 , Littlest Saints 5:30**,** Prayer Group 5:30, Dinner 6:00, Children's Choir & Kids Club 6:30, Bible Studies 6:30
- **Chevy Chase Women's Bible Study,** Thursdays, 9:30 am (*Library*)
- **Thanksgiving Meal Kit Packing Party** (with pizza!), Nov. 15 *(Great Hall)*
- **Thanksgiving Liturgy,** Nov. 26 10 am *(Nave)*
- **Broomball with Youth Ministry,** Nov. 22 3:30 -5 pm
- **Last Day for Christmas Coat Drive,** Dec. 2
- **Advent Quiet Retreat,** Dec. 5
- **Women of All Saints Christmas Luncheon,** Dec. 8



Prelude

Please stand. All may join in singing.

Processional Hymn

Hymnal 680 – O God, Our Help In Ages Past

The Liturgy of the Word

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

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. ***Amen.***

All may join in singing.

Song of Praise

Glory to God – Peter Crisafulli

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GLORY TO GOD

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

PETER CRISAFULLI



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The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The congregation may be seated.

The First Lesson

Wisdom of Solomon 6:12-16

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Reader: A reading from the Wisdom of Solomon.

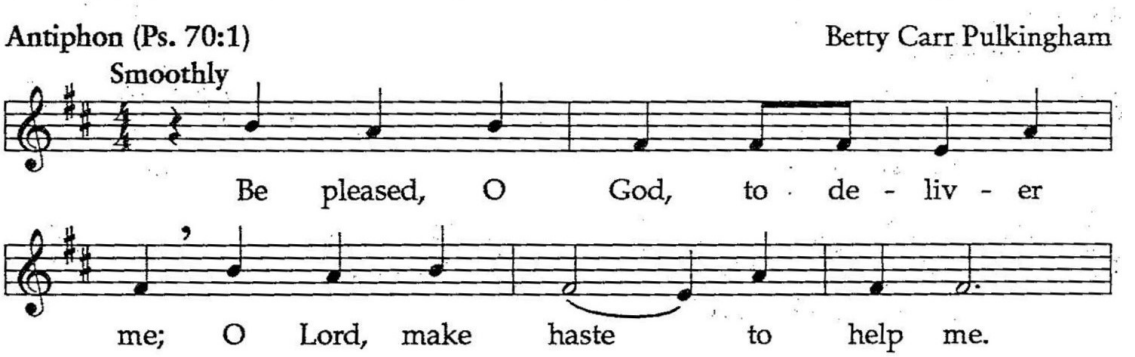
Wisdom is radiant and unfading,
and she is easily discerned by those who love her,
and is found by those who seek her.
She hastens to make herself known to those who desire her.
One who rises early to seek her will have no difficulty,
for she will be found sitting at the gate.
To fix one's thought on her is perfect understanding,
and one who is vigilant on her account will soon be free from care,
because she goes about seeking those worthy of her,
and she graciously appears to them in their paths,
and meets them in every thought.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 70

Please join in singing the refrain:



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2 Let those who seek my life be ashamed
and altogether dismayed;
let those who take pleasure in my misfortune
draw back and be disgraced.

Refrain

3 Let those who say to me "Aha!" and gloat over me turn back,
because they are ashamed.

4 Let all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you;
let those who love your salvation say for ever,
"Great is the Lord!"

Refrain

5 But as for me, I am poor and needy;
come to me speedily, O God.

6 You are my helper and my deliverer;
O Lord, do not tarry.

Refrain

The Second Lesson *1 Thessalonians 4:13-18*

Reader: A reading from Paul's first letter to the Thessalonians.

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. For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. 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. For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage one another with these words.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn **Hymnal 596, vv. 1 & 3 – Judge Eternal**

The Gospel *Please stand.* *Matthew 25:1-13*

Gospeller: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

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

Jesus said, "Then the kingdom of heaven will be like this. Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. When the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them; but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. As the bridegroom was delayed, all of them became drowsy and slept. But at midnight there was a shout, 'Look! Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.' Then all those bridesmaids got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish said to the wise, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.' But the wise replied, 'No! there will not be enough for you and for us; you had better go to the dealers and buy some for yourselves.' And while they went to buy it, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went with him into the wedding banquet; and the door was shut. Later the other bridesmaids came also, saying, 'Lord, lord, open to us.' But he replied, 'Truly I tell you, I do not know you.' Keep awake therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour."

Gospeller: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Children may come forward for a short homily.

Children's Minute

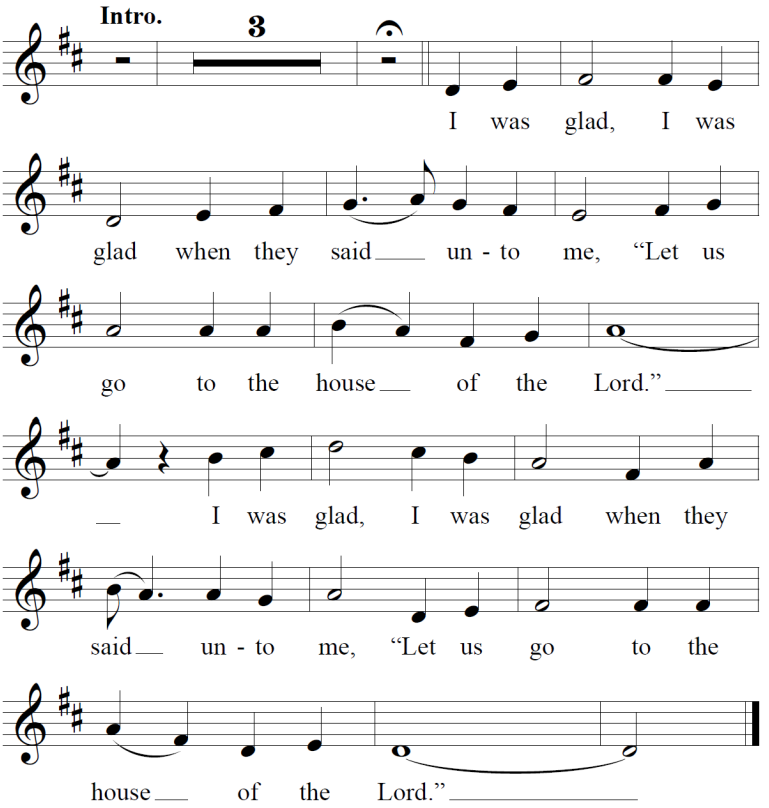
Rachel Walker

All may join in singing.

Children's Chapel Processional

I Was Glad

PSALM 122:1 PETER CRISAFULLI



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Children from 3 years old through 4th grade may follow the cross to be dismissed for Children's Chapel. Children's Chapel will convene in a Sunday School classroom on the second floor. They will return in time for communion with their families.

Sermon

The Very Rev. Ian S. Markham, PhD,
Dean of Virginia Theological Seminary

The Nicene Creed

Please stand.

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.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He 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.

Prayers of the People (Form III)

Reader: Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church.

People: **That we all may be one.**

Reader: Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

People: **That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

Reader: We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; for All Saints clergy, ministry leaders, and staff.

People: **That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

Reader: We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world. We pray for peace in the Middle East, in Ukraine, in the Congo, here at home, and in all places of conflict throughout the world. We pray for deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation.

People: **That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Reader: Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

People: **That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Reader: Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble.

People: **That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Reader: Give to the departed eternal rest, especially Buck Chapoton.

People: **Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

Reader: We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

People: **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Reader: Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

We pray especially for those on our Parish Prayer List.

We pray for the unemployed, those in financial distress, for those whose names are on our hearts and minds, and those who are known to God alone.

We pray for the Veterans of our Armed Forces, in gratitude for their service to our country.

(The people may add their own petitions.)

Concluding Collect

Celebrant: Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

The Confession

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
(Silence may be kept.)

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. ***Amen***.

The Peace

Please stand.

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

People: **And also with you.**

All exchange a sign of peace.

Welcome and Announcements

Offering

Offerings may be made by placing cash or check in the offering plate, using this QR code, or online at: allsaintschurch.net/give.

All unrestricted plate offerings received on the second Sunday of each month will be designated for the Priests' Discretionary Fund—a quiet but powerful way our church family supports those facing urgent needs and extends Christ's love in times of hardship.

Sung by the All Saints Choir

Offertory Anthem

Keep Your Lamps – Traditional Spiritual,
arr. André Thomas

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Please stand. All may join in singing.

Presentation Hymn

Hymnal 380, v. 3

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING — Eucharistic Prayer A

*Our service continues on **page 361** in the Book of Common Prayer (BCP), the red book in the pew.*

All may join in singing.

Sanctus et Benedictus — Hymnal S-125

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After the Benedictus, please sit or kneel as able.
*The Celebrant continues on **BCP p. 362 & 363** until:*

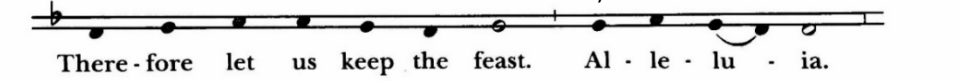
The Lord's Prayer *(BCP p. 364)*

All may join in singing.

The Breaking of the Bread — **Hymnal S-152**

Cantor: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

All:



All Saints Church welcomes all baptized Christians to receive the Body and Blood of Christ. If you do not wish to receive Communion at this time, please come forward to receive a blessing –cross your arms on your chest with your hands on the opposite shoulders. If you have limited mobility, please contact an usher to receive Communion in your seat.

Cantor sings the verses. All may join singing the refrain.

Communion Hymn — **Hymnal 711 – Seek Ye First**

Post Communion Prayer *(BCP p. 365)*

The Blessing

Please stand. All may join in singing.

Recessional Hymn — **Hymnal 535 – Ye Servants of God**

The Dismissal

All Saints Prayer List

For updates or additions, please contact the church office (301-654-2488) or *info@allsaintschurch.net.*

For those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity

Adam
Adol
Agnes
Aimee
Alicia
Allie
Aly
Amanda
Amy
Anastasia
Andi
Andrew
Anita
Annie Belle
Ashley
Barbara
Bella
Ben
Berti
Bertie
Betsy
Bill
Bob
Bob

Bob
Bonnie
Bronwen
Camillo
Caroline
Carson
Carson
Catherine
Cathy
Charlotte
Chris
Christina
Christopher
Claire
Clarese
Colleen
Collin
David
Debbie
Dee
Don
Doug
Doug
Ed

Elizabeth
Emma
Furaha
George
Glynda
Glynn
Graham
Greg
Gregorio
Hadley
Gregory
Helen
Hugh
Ivan
Jane
Janelle
Jasmin
Jennifer
Jennifer
Jerry
Jerry
Joan
Joe
Judy

Juliette
June
Kacey
Junior
Karen
Katherine
Kathryn
Kevin
Laurel
Linda
Linda
Linnie
Lisa
Lisa
Lucas
Lucas
Lydia
Margaret
Margarita
Margie
Marianna
Marjorie
Mark
Mary

Mary
Melissa
Miriam
Nanci
Nancy
Nancy
Nick
Noel
Pamela
Patty
Paul
Primrose
Rev. Bisoke
Richard
Rita
Robert
Robert
Roberta
Ron
Rosy Mary
Roxanne
Sam
Sandy
Sara

Scott
Shirley
Sophia
Susan
Sue
Tanner
Taylor
Temple
Thelma
Thomas
Trevor
Trevor
Vicky
Virginia
Victoria
Wanda
Wole
Zachary

In thanksgiving for this week's birthdays

Brian Anderson
Zoya Anderson
Beth Bagnold
Robert Brauneis
Deborah Carpenter
Geoffrey Corbett
Dan Crowley
Sharon D'Emidio
Kate Duvall
Dane Fedowitz
Max Fischer-Zernin
Chip Fitzgerald
Mary Fondersmith

Phillip Fought
John Freeman
Cole Gibson
Paula Gibson
Will Houston
Gray King
Hayes King
Mary Lee Kingsley
Collin Klamper
Emilia Koch
Lizzy Le
Tom Leachman
Susan Lukens

Andrew Marie
Collin Martin
Roberta Martin
Mary Matthew McKay
Millicent McKay
Phoebe Miles
Beret Moyer
Lewis Murray
Cliff Musimenta
Carol O'Connell
Lexi Orr
Beau Pearce
Laura Peterson

Olivia Pinkston
Barbara Rapp
Doug Sharp
Lewis Shea
Lake Syers
Susan Tate
Eric Tracy
Thomas Walker
Wendy Weiss
Dana Whitten

For those serving in the military

Paige Blomquist
G. Emerson Cox
Colin G. Jones
Alexander P. Jones
Clark-Christopher Unger
Kyle Yutumhc

Winter Coat Drive for Little Lights



November 1 - December 2

We are collecting new winter coats for children of all ages

Every coat donated helps a child face the winter season with dignity and hope. By giving what you can, you are sharing warmth and kindness with those who need it most.

Our deadline for delivery to Little Lights is **December 2nd**. Look for the drop boxes around the church or donate directly through our Amazon wishlist.

Share the Warmth

Lord of Falling Leaves

By Peggy Eastman, Poet-in-Residence



Lord of falling leaves and falling waters,
We thank you for all the gifts of autumn:
for dappled skies and drifting clouds
and evenings splashed with red and ochre,
as if the sun had flung itself out
in spasmodic bursts of ecstasy.

We thank you for golden apples
in slat-sided baskets of wood,
and wind-driven oak branches that rustle
(so loathe are they to release their leaves);
for drying sunflowers with nodding heads
and birds that pluck their succulent seeds,
and little red berries on holly and yew.

We thank you for fertile fields of pumpkins
ripened just to the point of plucking,
and stripped fields of corn stubble
where Canada geese paused to feed,
honkers on their winged migratory path.
We thank you for acorns that snick
when they hit the roof, and
scurrying squirrels that hide them
when they hit the ground.

We thank you for firelight on faces
and hearthside rockers inherited
from great-grandmothers' houses,
for soft suede slippers that know our toes
and unfolded sweaters from cedar chests
and stove-simmered cider that steams in mugs.
For all these gifts of autumn and many more,
we thank you, Lord

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Building Our Community Together

"Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received." -1 Peter 4:10

For 125 years, generations of people have gathered at All Saints Church to worship, grow in faith, care for one another, and serve the world beyond our walls. As we look back with tremendous gratitude for all that has been entrusted to us and **look forward with faith** to the future we are building, together, we are carrying forward the legacy that began when our cornerstone was placed in 1901.

Every day, we experience the blessings of All Saints: from worship and Eucharist, to nurturing Christian formation at every stage of life, beautiful music in our Nave, service in our local and global communities, and the care we offer one another in times of joy and sorrow. As we **celebrate our 125th anniversary and look toward the next 125 years**, we invite you to prayerfully consider how your generosity can help strengthen the life and ministry of All Saints and carry our shared legacy forward.

Make your 2027 pledge today.

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