



# All Saints' Sunday

5 November 2023

10:15 a.m.

**Voluntary** *Prelude in B Minor, BWV 544*

J.S. Bach

**Hymn** 287

*Sine Nomine*

## Opening Sentences

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

**And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

## The Necrology

*Members of the St. John's community who died in the past year*

John C. Lindenlaub	Lillian S. Brooks	Deborah H. Lindenlaub
Martha M. Mann	C. Kaye Kleine-Ahlbrandt	Jenny Isaacs
James R. Zimmerman	Diane E. Bottum	Rolland L. Strausbaugh
Roy D. Meeks	C. Wesley Shook	Nancy L. Moody

*After these names have been read and candles lit in their memory, members of the congregation are invited to come forward and light a candle in memory of those loved ones who have died this year or in years past.*

*Please be seated for*

**Hymn** 279

*St. George*

**Hymn**

*St. Helena*



Who are these like stars ap - pear - ing, who be - fore God's throne  
They are those whose hearts were riv - en, sore with grief and an -  
Al - le - lu - ia! Hear them sing - ing as they stand be - fore



now\_ stand? Each a gold - en crown is wear - ing! Who are  
guish tried, who in pray'r full oft have striv - en with the  
God's face! They are done with pain and weep - ing, in this



all this glo - rious band? Who are these of daz - zling bright -  
God they glo - ri - fied. They are those who watched and wait -  
glad and time - less\_ place. All earth's lan - guag - es and peo -



ness, these in ho - ly truth ar - rayed, clad in robes  
ed, of - fering up to Christ their will. Soul and bo -  
ples here are shep - herd - ed as one. Here they drink  
of rad - iant white - ness, robes whose rad - iance nev - er fades?  
dy con - se - crat - ed, day and night they serve him still.  
of liv - ing wat - er and find shel - ter in the throne.

### The Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray.

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. **Amen.**

### The First Reading

Revelation 7:9-17

*Reader* A reading from the Revelation to John.

After this I 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.**

### Psalm 34:1-10, 22

*The psalm is sung by the choir.*

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.

### **The Second Reading**

1 John 3:1-3

*Reader* A reading from First John.

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.**

### **Hymn 293**

*Grand Isle*

### **The Gospel**

Matthew 5:1-12

*Gospeller* 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."

*Gospeller* The Gospel of the Lord.

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

### **The Sermon**

*A brief silence follows.*

# The Renewal of Baptismal Vows

*The ministers gather around the Baptismal Font. The presider says*

On this feast we celebrate the witness of the saints of God to the divine love and promise of salvation. I call upon you therefore to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced Satan and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in his holy Catholic Church.

## The Baptismal Covenant

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

**I do.**

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**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.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**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.**

Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

**I will, with God's help.**

Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

**I will, with God's help.**

Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

**I will, with God's help.**

Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

**I will, with God's help.**

Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

**I will, with God's help.**

Let us now pray for strength to persevere in our renewed commitment to Christ.

## The Baptismal Litany

Deliver us, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

Open our hearts to your grace and truth.

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

Fill us with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

Keep us in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

Teach us to love others in the power of the Spirit.

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

Send us into the world in witness to your love.

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

Bring us to the fullness of your peace and glory.

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

*The presider continues*

Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever. **Amen.**

### **Thanksgiving over the Water**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who are sprinkled with it as a reminder of their Baptism may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

*The clergy asperge the people with the blessed water as a reminder of their own baptism. The presider concludes the Renewal of Baptismal Vows saying*

O God, by the abundance of your grace you unfailingly increase the number of your children: Look with favor upon those you have chosen to be members of your Church, that, having been born again in Baptism, they may be granted a glorious resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **The Peace**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And also with you.**

*The people may greet one another in the name of Christ.*

### **Announcements & Blessings for Personal Life**

*Those celebrating birthdays, anniversaries, or other milestones are invited to come forward.*

**Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**



*The presider continues*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ 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."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The presider continues*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.**

**The Breaking the Bread**

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.  
Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;  
there - fore let us keep the feast.  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## The Invitation & Communion of the People

*The consecrated Bread and Wine are living signs of the presence of Christ in this gathering. All Baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion; however, no one who comes forward will be refused. If you would like a gluten-free wafer, please ask when you come forward.*

## Music during Communion

Hymn 232

Hymn 620

Nyland  
Land of Rest

## The Prayer After Communion

Let us pray.

**God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; 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 Presider blesses the people, and they respond*

**Amen.**

Hymn 625

*Darwall's 148th*

## The Dismissal

*A member of the clergy dismisses the people, and they respond*

**Thanks be to God.**

**Voluntary** *Fugue a la Gigue*

J.S. Bach

*Our worship has ended. Our service begins.*



## Those Serving

<b>Presider</b>	Bradley Pace
<b>Preacher</b>	Jason Fortner
<b>MC</b>	Kyle Tribbett
<b>Acolyte</b>	Jennifer Stein
<b>Torch Bearers</b>	Elena Peretin, Ezra Peretin
<b>Lectors</b>	Robert Kurtz, Shawn Hoffer
<b>LEM</b>	Greg McClure
<b>Ushers</b>	Carl Taylor, Michael Benner
<b>Counters</b>	George Moore, Kristine Holtvedt
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Dorinda Kueberth, Heather Johnston Nicholson, Jo Roberts, Linda Jeffries





## Welcome

May today's worship give you a sense of Christ's peace and inspire you to God's service.

We welcome the full participation of children in our worship. Activity bags are located at the rear of the church and may help them during the liturgy. Please return the bags after the service. **We also offer nursery care during the service.** If you feel it is more comfortable for your child to be in childcare, an usher can direct you to the nursery.

**St. John's has a Hearing Loop system**, which allows those wearing appropriate hearing aids to receive the church's sound system directly. If you wear a hearing aid, you may need your audiologist to activate the T-coil in your device.

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## New To St. John's?

We're glad you're here.

If you are visiting with us, we invite you to worship, explore, ask questions, and help yourself to all our parish has to offer. Please take a moment to introduce yourself to an usher, a member of the clergy, or by filling out a guest card. Please visit [stjohns-laf.org/guest](http://stjohns-laf.org/guest) or use the QR code.



## Parish Announcements

### Greater Lafayette Episcopal Youth Group

Youth in 6th through 12th grades are invited for fun and fellowship.

- TODAY, 2-4 p.m. at St. John's
- Sunday, November 19, 2-4 p.m. at Good Shepherd

In December, we'll meet to shop for Jubilee Christmas and for a pre-Christmas party. For more information, go to [www.stjohns-laf.org/youth](http://www.stjohns-laf.org/youth) or contact the church office.

### The Feast of All Saints at St. John's

#### Choral Evensong at 5 p.m.

Tonight at 5 p.m., the choir will lead Choral Evensong—a service of prayers, canticles, and hymns. Evensong is a rich part of the Anglican tradition. We will be joined by a guest organist from St. Christopher's in Carmel.

### Children's Chapel—beginning Sunday, November 12 at 10 a.m.

Children's Chapel will meet on Sunday mornings at 10 a.m. in the Art Room on the second floor. We will worship together in a way designed to introduce children to the traditions of Episcopal worship. During our time together, we hear the Gospel, sing, say the Creed, and share Prayers of the People. We will return to the church in time for Communion. Look for more information coming soon. To register, please go to [www.stjohns-laf.org/cfregistration](http://www.stjohns-laf.org/cfregistration) or contact Amanda Yauney at [amanda@stjohns-laf.org](mailto:amanda@stjohns-laf.org).

## Jubilee Christmas is Coming!

Jubilee Christmas will be in-person at St. John's, Lafayette on Saturday, December 9th. St. John's and Good Shepherd will host 40 families in two shifts. The first shift will be from 9–10:30 a.m. and the second shift will be from 10:30 a.m.–noon. In addition to monetary donations, we need volunteers to make Jubilee Christmas a success. Shoppers will need to start as soon as possible to buy the gifts for the children. The other volunteer opportunities will be for the day of Jubilee in December. Use the QR codes to sign up as a Shopper or as another Volunteer. If you would like to be put on the substitute list or for additional information, contact Mary Kay McCauley at [mccauley.mk3@gmail.com](mailto:mccauley.mk3@gmail.com) or 765.490.0797.



Jubilee Christmas Shoppers 2023



Jubilee Christmas Sign Up 2023



## Parish Prayer List

**St. John's Cycle of Prayer**— Sue Bracey, Karl & Nancy Brandt, Randy & Georgia Brist, David Broadhead

**Parish Prayer List**—Rosemarie Goonewardene, Sue Eichhorn, Don Nead, Janet Huber, Ginny Hull, Dean Hunter, Pam Ogorzaly, Barbara Hess, Helen Slagel, Paul Lawson, Pequita Behrnt, Douglas Campbell, Carolyn Speer, Carol Helgerman, John Howland, Alyce Dressler, John & Elizabeth Barrett, Bill McInerney, Jerry & Sandra, Terry, Lori, Martie, Joy, Ben, Judy, Lisa, Rhianna, Josh, Chris, Rosemary, Deb, Paul, Marcus, Ben, Brent, Gabby, Kirsten, Pam, Wendell, Charles, and their families.

For the people of Israel and Palestine, the victims of gun violence; for hostages and all civilians in harm's way; for peace in all places of conflict; and for repair, understanding, and healing across our nation and in our community.

**For those who have died**—For all who have died, including Lisa and those buried in the St. John's Memorial Garden

**The leaders of our Communion**—Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, the Presiding Bishop; & Jennifer our Bishop

**St. John's Leadership, Staff, Clergy, & Seminarian**—The Vestry, Wardens, and Volunteer staff; Amanda, Eva, Michael, & Teresa; Jason, Bradley, & Carolin

**Our Ministry Partners**—The Diocese of Brasilia and their bishop Mauricio and the Diocese of Haiti and St. Andre's, Mithon; The Anglican Church of Mexico and The Bishop and staff of the Diocese of Indianapolis

**This nation and all in authority**—Joe, our President; Eric, our Governor; and Tony and John, our mayors

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