

# All Saints' Sunday

5 November 2023 · 9:00 AM

# The Chapel of the Good Shepherd ST. JOHN'S LAFAYETTE

# MORNING PRAYER

Hymn For all the saints

#### **The Opening Sentences**

The officiant begins the service with one or more of the following.

We give thanks to the Father, who has made us worthy to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

-Colossians 1:12

You are no longer strangers and sojourners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God. -Ephesians 2:19

Their sound has gone out into all lands, and their message to the ends of the world. -Psalm 19:4

Sine Nomine

#### **Confession of Sin**

Let us confess our sins to God. God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.** 

Lord, open our lips.

And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

#### Jubilate

The Lord is glorious in his saints: **O come let us worship.** 

Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands; \*

serve the Lord with gladness and come before his presence with a song.

Know this: The Lord himself is God; \*

he himself has made us, and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise; \*

give thanks to him and call upon his Name.

For the Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; \*

and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

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#### **Psalm** 34:1-10, 22

- 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.

Psalm 100

- 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 First Reading**

Revelation 7:9-17

## Reader A reading from Revelation.

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."

### People Thanks be to God.

## Canticle 21 We Praise You, O God

We praise you, O God, we acclaim you as Lord; all creation worships you, the Father everlasting. To you all angels, all the powers of heaven, the cherubim and seraphim, sing in endless praise: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. The glorious company of apostles praise you. The noble fellowship of prophets praise you. The white-robed army of martyrs praise you. Throughout the world the holy Church acclaims you: Father, of majesty unbounded, your true and only Son, worthy of all worship, and the Holy Spirit, advocate and guide. You, Christ, are the king of glory, the eternal Son of the Father. When you took our flesh to set us free you humbly chose the Virgin's womb. You overcame the sting of death and opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers. You are seated at God's right hand in glory.

We believe that you will come to be our judge. Come then, Lord, and help your people, bought with the price of your own blood, and bring us with your saints to glory everlasting.

#### **The Second Reading**

*Reader* A reading from the First letter of 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* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

#### The Gospel

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Savior 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

#### The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth; I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord.

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the Virgin Mary,

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,

he is seated at the right hand of the Father,

and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

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. Amen.

1 John 3:1-3

Matthew 5:1-12

#### The Prayers of the People

Hear our cry, O God. **And listen to our prayer.** Let us pray.

V. Help us, O God our Savior;

#### R. Deliver us and forgive us our sins.

- V. Look upon your congregation;
- R. Give to your people the blessing of peace.
- V. Declare your glory among the nations;
- R. And your wonders among all peoples.
- V. Do not let the oppressed be shamed and turned away;
- R. Never forget the lives of your poor.
- V. Continue your loving-kindness to those who know you;
- R. And your favor to those who are true of heart.
- V. Satisfy us by your loving-kindness in the morning;
- R. So shall we rejoice and be glad all the days of our life.

#### The Collect of the Day

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.** 

#### A Collect for the Renewal of Life

O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

#### The Collect for Mission

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

#### **Announcements from Good Shepherd**

#### Announcements from St. John's

#### Thanksgiving for Birthdays, Anniversaries, and other Milestones

Please use the chat feature to announce birthdays, anniversaries, or other milestones to be celebrated.

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 Blessing

The Dismissal

A member of the clergy dismisses the people. The people respond. Thanks be to God.

#### The officiant concludes with one of the following

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. **Amen.** -2 Corinthians 13:14

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing through the power of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** *-Romans 15:13* 

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. **Amen.** -Ephesians 3:20,21

Hymn I sing a song of the saints of God

Grand Isle



## **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 <u>www.stjohns-laf.org/youth</u> 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 <u>www.stjohns-laf.org/cfregistration</u> or contact Amanda Yauney at <u>amanda@stjohns-laf.org</u>.

#### 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 <u>mccauley.mk3@gmail.com</u> or 765.490.0797.

## **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 Behrndt, 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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