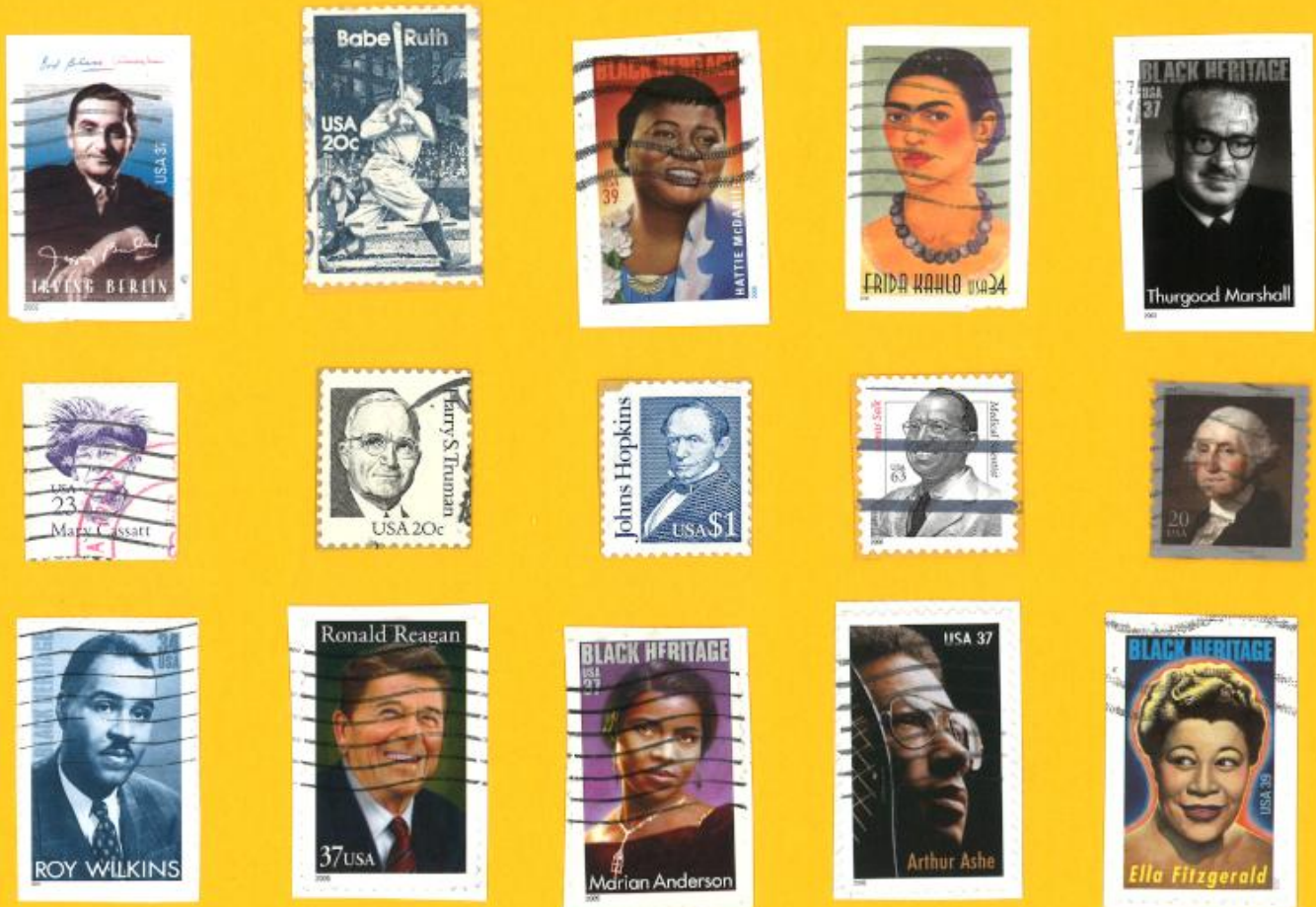




# ALL SAINTS DAY

Sunday, November 1, 2020 • 8:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.



**Words spoken by the assembly are in boldface type.**

For music, the words will be sung by the cantor **while the congregation hums.**

*Instructions for in-person worship.*

- ) Keep your mask on at all times.*
- ) Please keep a social distance of at least six feet from persons not in your same household.*
- ) Enjoy the presence of one another. As we “speak the peace,” wave, smile, make the sign of the Cross. Please do not embrace, hug, kiss, or elbow-bump anyone but for immediate family members you are seated with.*
- ) In using the restrooms, follow the capacity guidance posted outside the restroom doors. Practice safe hygiene by washing your hands with soap and water before leaving a restroom, and disinfecting your hands using a no-touch disinfectant dispenser located outside the restrooms.*
- ) Please do not attend worship if are currently sick with any of the following symptoms: fever, cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, nausea, or diarrhea.*
- ) Please do not attend worship if you had close personal contact with anyone who has been diagnosed or is awaiting test results for COVID-19 in the past 14 days.*
- ) Notify the Church Office if you receive a positive COVID-19 test result within 7 days of attending a worship service. Your name will be kept anonymous unless required for reporting to the Department of Health.*
- ) The MVLC “guest” WiFi is disabled during the 10:45 a.m. worship service, in order that there is no interference or interruption of the livestreaming/recording of worship.*
- ) At the conclusion of the service, ushers will dismiss you. Please exit the Sanctuary through the hallway to the Administrative Offices.*

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Saint  
[Your Name]

Prelude

Welcome / Announcements

# We Remember the Saints

Gracious God of all generations, on this day we give you thanks for the life and love of those dear to us who have died this past year and who now rest in your loving care. We are grateful for each passing generation that has given witness to your gifts of love, grace, forgiveness and who have modeled service to neighbor in just and compassionate ways. We love them for who they were, and we forgive them for who they might have been but were not. We hold onto the joys and release the hurts that come within each relationship and life.

We entrust them to you, knowing that we are surrounded by a great, rejoicing cloud of witnesses who rest forever in the gracious hands of Jesus Christ.

- *Dallas Rudd* • *Gloria Perry* • *Judith Ross*
- *Tom Goodwin* • *Shirley Corliss* • *Russ Hamburg*
- *Norm Nelson* • *Marvin Johnson* • *John Bachner*
- *Joyce Beal* • *Robert Helle* • *Craig Latterell*

Loving God, as we honor these members of our family now become our ancestors in faith, we also seek to do your will and ask that you so equip us. We seek to be servants of you and of our neighbor and ask that you so strengthen us. We long to know you deeply and clearly and ask that you so to guide us. We hope in time to share in an eternal home and ask that you welcome us through the love and forgiveness of Jesus Christ.

**Amen.**

# Opening Hymn • "For All the Saints"

*Evangelical Lutheran Worship 422*



1 For all the saints who from their la - bors rest, who  
2 Thou wast their rock, their for - tress, and their might; thou,



thee by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, thy  
Lord, their cap - tain in the well - fought fight; ..



name, O Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.  
thou, in the dark - ness drear, their one true light.



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!



3 Oh, blest com - mu - nion, fel - low - ship di - vine, we fee - bly strug - gle,



they in glo - ry shine; yet all are one in thee, for all are



thine. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

## Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

## Prayer of the Day

Almighty God,  
you have knit your people together  
in one communion in the mystical body of your Son,  
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints  
in lives of faith and commitment,  
and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared  
for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**



# First Reading

A reading from Revelation.

## Revelation 7:9-17

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."

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

# Psalm 34 • "Taste and See"

Evangelical Lutheran Worship 493

Cantor sings refrain, **while congregation hums along.**

Cantor sings verses.

Refrain - All

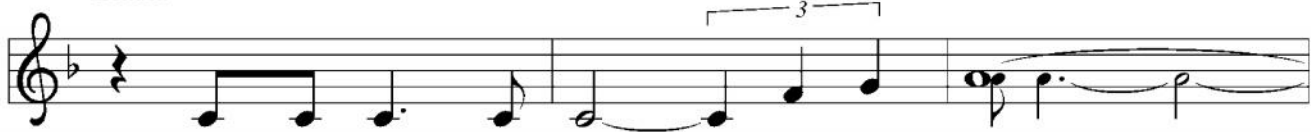


Taste and see, taste and see the good-ness of the Lord. Oh,



taste and see, taste and see the good-ness of the Lord, of the Lord.

Leader



1 I will bless the Lord at all times.  
2 Glo - ri - fy the Lord with . . . me.  
3 Wor-ship . . . the Lord, all you peo-ple.



Praise shall al - ways be on my lips;  
To - geth - er let us all . . . . praise God's name.  
You'll want for noth - ing . . . if you ask.



my soul shall glo - ry in the Lord;  
I called the Lord, . . . who an - swered me;  
Taste and see . . . that the Lord is good;

Refrain



for God has been so good to me.  
from all my trou - bles I was set free.  
in God we need put all our trust.

# Second Reading

A reading from First John.

## 1 John 3:1-3

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.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

# Gospel Acclamation

*Sundays and Seasons*

*The cantor sings the refrain, **while the congregation hums along.***

*The cantor sings the verse.*

*The cantor sings the refrain, **while the congregation hums along.***

*Congregation*

*Cantor*

Mm-m - m - m, - m - m - m - m - m - m - m - m - m

Al-le - lu - ia, - al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, - al - le - lu - ia.

*Verse*

They are before the throne of God,  
and the one who is seated on the throne  
will shelter them.

***Refrain.***

# Gospel

The Holy Gospel according to First Corinthians.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

1 Corinthians 15:12-23

Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say there is no resurrection of the dead? If there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ has not been raised; and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation has been in vain and your faith has been in vain. We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified of God that he raised Christ—whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised. If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins. Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ.

The Gospel of our Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

# Sermon

“...you can’t get to heaven from here...”

Rev. Kim Latterell.

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

# Hymn of the Day • "We Know that Christ Is Raised"

*Evangelical Lutheran Worship 449*



1 We know that Christ is raised and dies no more.  
2 We share by wa - ter in his sav - ing death.



Em - braced by death, he broke its fear - ful hold,  
Re - born, we share with him an Eas - ter life,



and our de - spair he turned to blaz - ing joy.  
as liv - ing mem - bers of our Sav - ior Christ.



Hal - le - lu - jah!

# Creed

Together, we confess our faith.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
one holy Christian church,  
the community of saints,  
forgiveness of sins,  
resurrection of the flesh,  
and eternal life. Amen.**

What does this mean?

**I believe that by my own understanding or strength  
I cannot believe in Jesus Christ my Lord or come to him,  
but instead the Holy Spirit has called me through the gospel,  
enlightened me with his gifts,  
made me holy and kept me in the true faith,  
just as he calls, gathers, enlightens, and makes holy  
the whole Christian church on earth  
and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one common true faith.  
Daily in this Christian church the Holy Spirit  
abundantly forgives all sins—mine and all believers.  
On the Last Day the Holy spirit will raise me  
and all the dead and give to me and all believers in Christ  
eternal life. This is most certainly true.**

# Prayers of Intercession

Longing for Christ's reign to come among us,  
we pray for the outpouring of God's power on the church,  
the world, and all in need.

*A brief silence.*

*At the conclusion of each petition:*

Lord, in your mercy,  
**hear our prayer.**

Receive our prayers in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior,  
until that day when you gather all creation around your throne  
where you will reign forever and ever.

**Amen.**

# Sharing the Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**And also with you.**

# Offering Prayer

Gracious God,  
send us forth to set tables of plenty in the midst of a suffering world,  
through the bread of life, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

# Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

## Preface

It is our duty and our joy,  
at all times and in all places, to thank and to praise you,  
merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ.

With all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of  
heaven, we praise your holy name.

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**



# Thanksgiving at the Table

Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

In great love you send to us Jesus, your Son,  
who reaches out to heal the sick and suffering,  
who preaches good news to the poor,  
and who, on the cross, opens his arms to all.  
For such a gift of love and mercy, we give you thanks.

**Amen.**

In the night in which he was betrayed,  
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;  
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,  
and gave it for all to drink, saying:  
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,  
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Gracious God,  
remembering Jesus's death, resurrection, and ascension,  
we await his coming.

Pour out your Holy Spirit, that through this meal  
we know the unity we share with all your people  
In the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
All glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

**Amen.**

# The Lord's Prayer

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

**Our Father, who art in heaven,**

**hallowed be thy name,**

**thy kingdom come,**

**thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread;**

**and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us;**

**and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.**

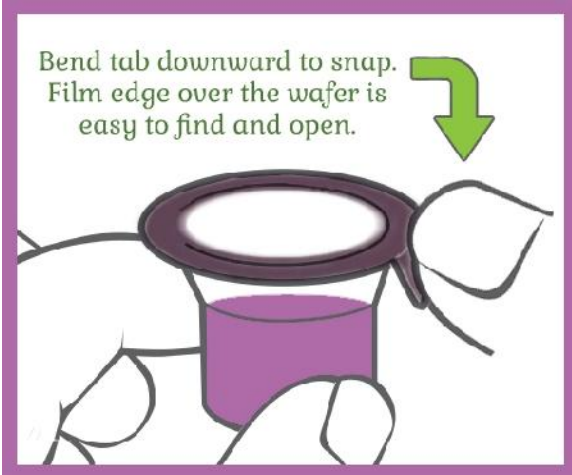
# Invitation to Communion

Rejoice! This is the banquet table  
where Jesus Christ gives himself for all  
as food and drink for life's journey.

## Communion

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.



### **Open Wafer**

*The cup has a clear film top that noticeably reveals the wafer compartment. Lift the film to open and receive your wafer. (Hint: Bending the tab downward to snap will release the air tight seal on the film and make the edge very easy to find and open.)*

### **Open Cup**

*Open the cup by peeling back the pre-cut tab on the foil seal to drink the juice.*



# Communion Sending Prayer

Gracious God,  
**from this table you sustain and nourish your people  
and unite us as one in Jesus Christ.  
We send forth this bread of life and cup of salvation  
to those who are not worshiping in-person,  
so that they too can feast on your goodness  
and be gathered with us in the one body, Jesus Christ,  
our Savior and Lord.  
Amen.**

## Blessing

The God of steadfastness and encouragement  
grant you life in harmony with one another,  
in accordance with Christ Jesus.

**Amen.**

The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing,  
as you abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

The God of all grace + bless you now and forever.

**Amen.**

# Sending Hymn • "Oh, When the Saints Go Marching In"

*This Hymn by Faith 180*

**The congregation is invited to clap along.**



1 Oh, when the saints go march-ing in, oh, when the  
2 Oh, when the Lord in glo - ry comes, oh, when the  
4 Oh, when they gath - er round the throne, oh, when they



saints go march - ing in, O Lord, I want to be in that  
Lord in glo - ry comes, O Lord, I want to be in that  
gath - er round the throne, O Lord, I want to be in that



num - ber when the saints go march - ing in.  
num - ber when the Lord in glo - ry comes.  
num - ber when they gath - er round the throne.

# Dismissal

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

# Postlude

*For those participating in worship from home,  
please register your worship attendance online at  
[www.mtviewlutheran.org/worshipattendance](http://www.mtviewlutheran.org/worshipattendance)*

*Please submit prayer requests online at  
[www.mtviewlutheran.org/prayerrequest](http://www.mtviewlutheran.org/prayerrequest)*

# Offering

We give to the Lord of our tithes and offerings.

*You can leave your offering in the offering box at the back of the Sanctuary near the font, either upon entry to worship or as you depart.*

You can mail an offering to:  
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3505 - 122nd Ave E  
Edgewood WA 98372

Ways that you can give electronically:

## TEXT

- )] Text “Give” to 253-292-9599.
- )] You will be sent a message to (a) text your giving amount and/or (b) set up recurring giving.

## ONLINE via the MVLC WEBSITE

- )] Visit [www.mtviewlutheran.org](http://www.mtviewlutheran.org).
- )] Hover over the “GIVE” dropbox.
- )] Choose “Make a Donation via Bank Account” or “Make a Donation via Credit/Debit Card.”
- )] Fill out all information on the page and then click the blue “GIVE” button.
- )] If you want it to remember your information, visit “SIGN IN” and create an account.
- )] NOTE: Online giving is a one-time gift unless you check “Make this Gift Recurring.”



# Worship Leaders

PREACHER/PRESIDER  
Pastor Kim Latterell

DIRECTOR of MUSIC MINISTRIES  
Susan Bloomfield

ALTAR GUILD  
Flora Larson, Janet Larson, Diane Nelson, Helen Oren

## **8:15 a.m.**

HEAD USHER  
Mark Williams

USHER  
Julie Williams

GREETER  
Betsy Tunstall

COMMUNION ASSISTANT  
Gloria Ratcliffe

LECTOR  
Pat Clement

SOUND  
Beth Ann Johnson

BELL RINGER  
Gary Larson

## **10:45 a.m.**

HEAD USHER  
Erik Knierim

USHERS  
Ken Edmonds, Diane Nelson

GREETERS  
Sonja Dahl, Barb Edmonds

COMMUNION ASSISTANT  
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LECTOR  
Bob Lindeng

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*Flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God  
by Cindy Jones  
in memory of Donald Weber  
and all other saints who have gone on before us.*

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# Upcoming Events/Opportunities in Life Together

Save the dates for these events/opportunities in life together.

## **Wednesday 11/4 • 6:30 p.m.**

Election Vigil prayer service. We will gather together online for a short prayer service on the evening after Election Day.

## **Wednesday 11/4 • 7:00 p.m.**

“The Freedom of a Christian” adult education online class.

## **Sunday 11/8 • 8:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.**

Consecration Sunday. We will offer up our commitments of financial resources, time, and talents for 2021 as an act of worship. *Commitment cards were mailed out to congregational households.*

## **Sunday 11/22 (note the date change!) • 1:00 p.m.**

Congregational Meeting. We gather online to discuss and vote to approve our 2021 Spending Guideline.

## **Wednesday 11/25 • 7:00 p.m.**

Thanksgiving Eve worship. This service will be in-person only, so remember to register in advance when the link is available.

## **Saturday 11/28 • 9:00 a.m.**

Advent Quiet Morning. This year, our Advent Quiet Morning time of prayer will take place online. As we get closer to the date, details will be shared.

## **Sundays at 5:00 p.m.**

Middle school and high school small groups meet at MVLC.

More details (some which are still forthcoming) of these events can be found by checking your MVLC E-news when it arrives in your email inbox. If you aren't signed up to receive the MVLC E-news, then email MVLC Communications Director Troy Kehm-Goins at [tkehm.goins@mtviewlutheran.org](mailto:tkehm.goins@mtviewlutheran.org) and ask to be added to the list.

