

All Saints' Episcopal Church 610 4th Street, Portsmouth, Ohio

THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST CHRIST THE KING November 20, 2022 • 11:15 a.m.

The Rev. Gene Hallahan, Priest in Charge The Rev. Sallie Schisler, Priest Associate

Welcome to All Saints' Parish Worship.

The service printed here is from <u>The Book of Common Prayer</u> (BCP). Hymns are found in the <u>Hymnal 1982</u> and in <u>Lift Every Voice and Sing II</u>, listed as 'LEV'. Service music listed with an 'S' is found in the front portion of Hymnal 1982.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you prefer instead to receive a blessing, please come and signify this by crossing your arms over your chest.

11:00 - Holy Eucharist Rite II (BCP 355)

Hymn 290 sung by all "Come, ye thankful people, come"

St. George's, Windsor

The Word of God

BCP 299 • The Acclamation Standing

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

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

BCP 355 • The Collect for Purity

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.**

Hymn 433 sung by all

"We gather together to ask the Lord's Blessing"

KREMSER

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the Lessons

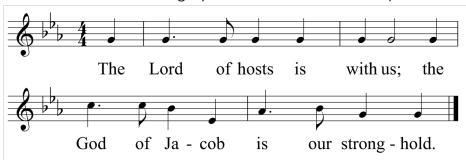
The First Lesson Jeremiah 23:1-6

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. Therefore thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD. The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in

safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The LORD is our righteousness."

Reader: The Word of the Lord People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 46 The refrain is sung by all; verses are chanted by the cantor



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REFRAIN

1 God is our refuge and strength, *

a very present help in trouble.

2 Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved, *

and though the mountains be toppled into the depths of the sea;

3 Though its waters rage and foam, *

and though the mountains tremble at its tumult. REFRAIN

4 The LORD of hosts is with us; *

the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

5 There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, *

the holy habitation of the Most High.

6 God is in the midst of her; she shall not be overthrown; *

God shall help her at the break of day.

7 The nations make much ado, and the kingdoms are shaken; *

God has spoken, and the earth shall melt away. REFRAIN

8 The LORD of hosts is with us; *

the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

9 Come now and look upon the works of the LORD, *

what awesome things he has done on earth.

10 It is he who makes war to cease in all the world; *

he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the shields with fire.

11 "Be still, then, and know that I am God; *

I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted in the earth." **REFRAIN**

The Second Lesson Colossians 1:11-20

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers-- all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the

firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

Reader: The Word of the Lord People: Thanks be to God.

Hymn 494 sung by all

"Crown him with many crowns"

DIADEMATA

Please remain standing for the proclamation of the Gospel.

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel Luke 23:33-43

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. The people stood by, watching Jesus on the cross; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews." One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Gene Hallahan

BCP 358 • The Nicene Creed Standing

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.

BCP 392 • Prayers of the People Form VI standing or kneeling

Leader: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

For all people in their daily life and work;

People: For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

Leader: For this community, the nation, and the world; People: For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Leader: For the just and proper use of your creation;

People: For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

Leader: For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

People: For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

Leader: For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People: For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Leader: For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, for Wayne, our Provisional Bishop; and for all bishops

and other ministers;

People: For all who serve God in his Church.

Leader: For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

(The People may add their own petitions)

Leader: Hear us, Lord;

People: For your mercy is great.

Leader: We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

(The People may add their own thanksgivings)

Leader: We will exalt you, O God our King;

People: And praise your Name for ever and ever.

Leader: We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

(The People may add their own petitions)

Leader: Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

People: Who put their trust in you.

Leader: We pray to you also for the forgiveness of sins.

Silence may be kept.

BCP 393 • The Confession Kneeling

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Absolution

BCP 360 • The Peace Standing

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

People: And also with you.

Please exchange a sign of God's peace with others.

Offertory

Presentation Hymn Standing; sung by all



The Holy Communion

Please remain standing

BCP 361 • The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer A)

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.
People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Celebrant continues with a Proper Preface

... Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Hymn S 114 • Sanctus sung by all

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

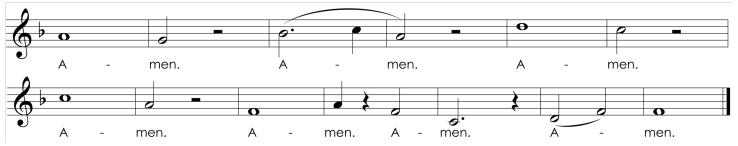
BCP 362 • The Prayer of Consecration Standing or kneeling

BCP 363 • The Memorial Acclamation

Celebrant: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:



Celebrant: 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.



BCP 364 • The Lord's Prayer Traditional

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread The Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread. A period of silence is kept.

Hymn S 158 • **Agnus Dei** sung by all

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

The Communion of the People

If you are unable to come forward to receive Communion, please notify an usher and communion will be brought to you.

BCP 365 • The Postcommunion Prayer

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

Hymn 598 sung by all

"Lod Christ, when first thou cam'st to earth"

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BCP 366 • The Dismissal

People: Thanks be to God.

Mission Statement of All Saints' Church

The purpose of All Saints Episcopal Church is to be an open, engaged and inclusive community, responding to God in our neighbors and ourselves with hope and service in Christ.

Parish Announcements

Vestry Nominations: Nomination ballots have been mailed to members in good standing. Please return your ballot by **Sunday, December 4**.

Stewardship Campaign: The Vestry has sent a letter and pledge card to all members requesting your financial commitment to the ministry of All Saints'. **Please return your pledge card ASAP**. Pledge cards may be returned by mail, dropped off at the church office, or put in the offering plate on Sunday morning. Additional pledge cards will be available on the table in the Narthex.

Christmas Flowers and Greenery Donations: If you would like to contribute to the greening of the church for the Christmas season and/or purchase a poinsettia in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for an event in your life, please fill out the form located on the table in the Narthex. You may place your form and donation in the plate offering, or drop it off or mail it to the office. Donation options for poinsettias are \$20.00 or "other amount". You may donate any amount for the greenery. If you are unable to come to church and pick up a donation form, you may mail a donation to the church; please specify whether the amount is for flowers or greenery and if it is given in memory of someone or in thanksgiving for someone/something.

Special Christmas Music: We are planning to hire 5 brass players and some guest singers for our Christmas Eve service and need your help! If you would be willing to donate any amount towards the cost, please contact Justin Wiget by email (musicdirector@allsaintsportsmouth.org) or phone (740-357-2075).

Thanksgiving Dinner for SSU Students: You're invited to donate funds to a special Thanksgiving Dinner at Shawnee State University! The campus group "Family Connect" is a community for students without families. They could have grown up in the foster care system and aged out, become disowned by family for being part of the LGBTQ+ community, or maybe they are international students and will be with us for the holidays. Regardless of the reason, Family Connect hosts an annual Thanksgiving Dinner and game night on Tue. Nov. 22 (week of Thanksgiving). The Women's and Gender Equity Center at SSU organizes the Family Connect Thanksgiving Dinner and welcomes donations to offset the cost of the meal. Their limited budget and rising cost of food is a challenge for providing this meal. Your donation will cover the cost of turkey, ham, and more! Interested in giving? Please give your donation to Lindsay Monihen or stop by coffee hour on Sun. Nov. 20 and place your donation in the basket. Any gift makes a big difference and makes students feel loved and cared for at Thanksgiving. Thank you!

Hurricane Relief: Recently, communities in the Caribbean and southern United States have suffered from damaging flooding and winds, and power outages. Apart from creating barriers to communication and transportation, there have been significant financial impacts. Episcopal Relief & Development has already been providing relief to affected communities with food and needed supplies, and will continue to work with partners to assess needs and help them transition into recovery. Please pray for the people who have been affected—and if you're able, rush a donation to our Hurricane Relief Fund today:

https://support.episcopalrelief.org/hurricane-relief/

Weekly Services on Facebook: Fr. Gene is conducting Evening Prayer services at 7:00 p.m. on Sundays, and Noon Prayer services on Tuesdays and Thursdays on Facebook.

Ministry Opportunities

Red Cross Blood Drive: The next visit for the monthly blood drive of the American Red Cross at All Saints' will be on **Tuesday, November 29, 12:00-5:30 p.m.** in the parish hall. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter "PortsComm" to schedule an appointment.

Coffee Hour: If you would like to host Coffee Hour following one of our 11 a.m. services, please sign up on the sheet provided on the Narthex table.

Altar Flowers: A signup sheet for offering Altar flowers is available on the Narthex table at the rear of the church. Average contribution for Altar Flowers is \$35.00 per vase. There is an invitation for TWO people to sign up for each week. When no one signs up, there will not be flowers on the Altar.

Parish Calendar

This Week November 21 - November 27

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Chancel choir rehearsal

Thursday Thanksgiving - Office Closed

Saturday 12:00 p.m. Loaves & Fishes Community Meal

(All Saints' turn)

Sunday 11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II - at church and

streamed

The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Pat Medley in memory of Loved Ones.

Prayer Ministry

Intercessions: Craig Welch, Nancy Larson, Mari Grace Smith, Mark Figlestahler, Lee Daily, Nancy Harness, Ann Garner, June McCall, Jack Gee, Kimberly Sparks, Len Garner, Hershell Murray, Don and Gerri Nourse, Vicki Daily, John Roby, Karen Tipton, Donna Puls, Tim Goodman, Greg Tipton, Bill & Foresta Shope, Scott Berry, Kaye Osborne, Gail Moyka, Bonnie, Larry Collinsworth, Noah Eichenlaub, Hudson Louis Teufel, Tim Reedy & family, Patty Green, Chere Hallahan, Hannah, Rich Caudill, family of David Scott.

<u>Prayers for Men & Women in the Military</u>: Luke Mault, Elizabeth Mault, Brad Kitts, Clayton Kitts, Terry McDonald, Austin Fox, Michael Ireland, Herb Thompson, Jr., Timothy Hall, Austin Belveal-Escamilla, Ethan Blackburn, Grant Clifford, Hunter Harrell, Tanner Allen, Logan Clifford.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:

The people of the Church of the Epiphany, Nelsonville
The people of All Saints, New Albany – and Jason Prati, Rector
The people of the Northern Miami Valley Episcopal Cluster, in
Mechanicsburg and Urbana – Derrick Fetz, Priest in Charge
The people of Trinity, Newark –

Postulants and candidates for the diaconate – Libbie Crawford, Gayland Trim

Ministers of the Church

Presiding Bishop: The Most Rev. Michael B. Curry

Provisional Bishop - Diocese of Southern Ohio:

The Rt. Rev. George Wayne Smith

Priest in Charge: The Rev. Gene Hallahan

Priest Associate: The Rev. Sallie Schisler

Vestry: Zac Nance, Senior Warden

Lee Daily, Junior Warden Cindy Hermanson, Secretary

Betty Everett
Julia Wiget
Bill Shope
Mari Grace Smith
Keith Monihen
Stan Tackett
Jim Haas

Organist/Choir Director: Justin Wiget Secretary: Joy Dransfield Treasurer: Vicki Daily

Lay Ministers: All Baptized Members

Lay Ministers Serving Today

Lectors: Tom Yeager

Cindy Hermanson

Eucharistic

Minister: Cindy Hermanson

Usher: Zac Nance

Altar Guild: Cindy Hermanson

Stan Tackett

Vestry Rep: Zac Nance

Parish Contact Information

E- Newsletter: Send an email or call the office to begin receiving our Tuesday newsletter with updates on the week's activities, announcements, Bible Study scriptures, prayer requests, and more.

Phone: (740) 353-7919

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Office Hours: Monday through Thursday

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Fr. Gene is in the office Mondays and Wednesdays, but can be available at other times if needed. On Tuesdays and Thursdays, he is working at Christ Church in Ironton.

He is off on Fridays & Saturdays.

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