

November 3, 2024
All Saints Sunday



VISITORS: Please fill out a contact card from the welcome table and put it in the offering tray on your way out if you would appreciate a response from an elder or pastor, or to be added to our email list. Thank you for worshipping with us today!



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Order of Worship

Welcome Betsy Wheeler, Elder

Prelude and Entrance of the Light of Christ Chris Greninger, Organist

Call to Worship

One: God, you have sent us saints who have guided and inspired us; and we thank you.

All: You have given us saints who have loved us and transformed us.

We praise you.

One: May we be your saints, shining with your light, radiant with your love.

All: Alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, and transform us by your grace. Alleluia!

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Opening Songs "Holy Ground" *Chalice Hymnal* #112 (x2)

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"Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" *Chalice Hymnal* #643

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Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer Patt Hinds

First Reading Isaiah 25:6-9 (NRSV*) Les Davenport

Remembering the Saints *Raymond Gall, Betty Coan* Ellen Broglio

(You may light candles on the center table in memory of people in your life who have passed in this year, or light candles at our traditional prayer stations for other joys or concerns. The elder will be available for anointing with oil at the front of the chancel.)

Gifts in Memoriam Margie Fitterling

Choral Anthem "10,000 Reasons" Chancel Choir

By Jonas Myrin and Matt Redman; arranged by Lloyd Larson; 2011, and this arrangement 2017; Thankyou Music (PRS) (admin. Worldwide at CapitolCMGPublishing.com)

Communion Meditation and Prayer Betsy Wheeler, Elder

Words of Institution Mike Fitterling

Participation (Please come forward to partake at one of two stations before returning to your pew by the center aisle. Notify the diaconate if you prefer to be served while seated. Gluten free bread is provided at the station to the right of the chancel.)

Permanent Fund Recognition

Will Delehanty

Prayer of Dedication for All Gifts

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Second Reading Revelation 21:1-6 (NRSV*)

Les Davenport

Hymn of Dedication “For Your Saints” *(Tune CH #2 Hymn to Joy)*

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Announcements

Betsy Wheeler

Benediction

One: We have celebrated all that God has done – from creation to the cross, to the saints who have lived among us, and those who pass through our fellowship.

All: Now we go from this place to the work place, the home place, the market place, and every place, living as God’s own people. Amen.

Closing Circle and Procession of the Light of Christ

(Please join us as we form a circle inside the sanctuary, holding hands if comfortably able, and sing the benediction to each other.)

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds” *Chalice Hymnal #433*

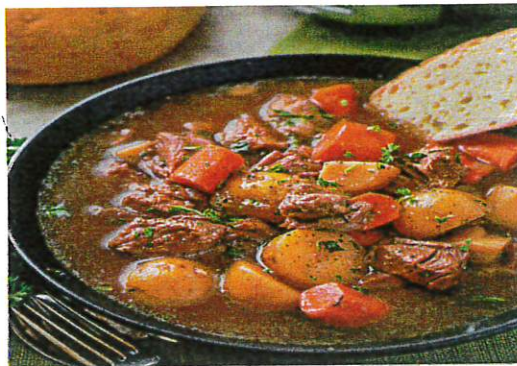
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Postlude

Chris Greninger

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We are hosting the next **Interfaith Cooking Circle** for women at Sojourners on Sunday, November 10 at 2:15PM. We will offer demonstrations on crockpot uses and some comfort food. Please RSVP to June Neal at 913-775-1767.



This Week at Sojourners Christian Church

Friday, Nov. 1-7	Pastor Colleen Out of Office
Tuesday, Nov. 5	5:30 pm Weight Watchers (Fellowship Hall)
Wednesday, Nov. 6	9:30 am - Noon CWF
	6 pm Choir
Sunday, Nov. 10	8 am Elders
	9:30 am Adult Faith Formation
	10:20 am Fellowship
	10:45 am Worship
	2:15 pm Interfaith Cooking Circle
	4 pm - 6 pm Family Connection



We worship in spirit today with Global Ministries Mission focus for Armenia/Lebanon. Regional Partners in Armenia/Lebanon are Department of Service to Palestinian Refugees; National Evangelical Synod of Syria and Lebanon; Union of Armenian Evangelical Churches in the Near East; Forum for Development, Culture, and Dialogue (FDGD); Near East School of Theology; National Evangelical Church of Beirut; Haigazian University. For more information go to www.globalministries.org.