

First Presbyterian Church Kasson, Mn.

Rev. Amanda Boss

Sunday School

9:00 a.m.

November 7, 2021

Dan Kaufeld - Music

10:00 a.m.

All Saints Day

We Approach God

Gathering Music: "There Is a Happy Land" arr. by Dale Wood

Announcements:

Prelude: "Meditation on 'Land of Rest'" arr. by John Purifoy

Introit: "We Have Gathered" arr. by Stan Pethel

***Call to Worship** Sheryl Scholer - Liturgist

L: Come, take refuge in the Lord, for God is good.

P: From the storms and struggles of life we come.

L: Come, rejoice in the Lord, for God will provide peace for you.

P: From fear and anxiety, we come to find peace.

L: Come, open your hearts to the Lord and you will be given blessing.

P: Thanks be to God for the many ways in which we are blessed. Amen.

*** Hymn No. 301** "Let Us Build A House (All Are Welcome)"

***Prayer of Confession**

Patient, Forgiving Lord, we come seeking your face. We hold on to ancient angers and hurts, and refuse to believe that you alone can make all things new. Like Mary and Martha, we have forgotten your promises of eternal life. Like the crowd that mourned for Lazarus, we have not believed that we would see your glory. Forgive our unbelief, O God. Bring us back, and restore our trust in you. Amen.

***Assurance of Grace**

The Holy One shows us a vision of a new heaven and a new earth, where everyone will live in peace and blessing. Trusting in God's promise to wipe away all our tears, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

***Gloria Patri Hymn No. 581** *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.*

We are Inspired by God

Hymn No. 2233

"Where Children Belong"

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

Children's Time

Annual Reading of the Necrology

At this time, we come to praise God for all his servants, who have done justice, loved mercy, and walked humbly with their God throughout their lives. For all those who have faithfully served God, witnessed bravely, and died in the faith, we offer our gratitude. For those we have known and loved, who by their faithful obedience and steadfast hope have shown the same mind that was in Christ Jesus, we praise their Creator and Savior.

We remember them now:

Bev Stucky April 17, 2021

Dusty Heiserman September 17, 2021

Unison Prayer of Thanksgiving

God of the ages, we give you thanks for saints, those of our day and of days before, who nurtured us in faith, who told us the stories of Jesus, and who demonstrated among us the ways to follow God's path. Help us not only to remember them, but also to follow their example, to nurture their expectant hope, and to live each day so that others might see your love reflected in all that we say and do. Thank you, God, for the gift of these, your saints. Amen.

Choir Anthem:

"Come Home"

arr. by Anna Laura Page & Jean Anne Shafferman

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading Psalm 24

L: The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it, the world, and those who live in it.

P: For he has founded it on the seas and established it on the rivers.

L: Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD? And who shall stand in his holy place?

P: Those who have clean hands and pure hearts, who do not lift up their souls to what is false, and do not swear deceitfully.

L: They will receive blessing from the LORD, and vindication from the God of their salvation.

P: Such is the company of those who seek him, who seek the face of the God of Jacob.

L: Lift up your heads, O gates! and be lifted up, O ancient doors! that the King of glory may come in.

P: Who is the King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle.

L: Lift up your heads, O gates! and be lifted up, O ancient doors! that the King of glory may come in.

P: Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory.

Scripture Reading: John 11:32-44 Pg. 128-129
Revelation 21:1-6 Pg. 315

Sermon: "Remembering the Saints" Rev. Amanda Boss

*Hymn No 730 "I Sing a Song of the Saints of God"

We Respond to God

*** Affirmation of Faith from the Apostles Creed (in Unison)**

I Believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Moment for Mission: Stewardship Sunday Ally Holtz

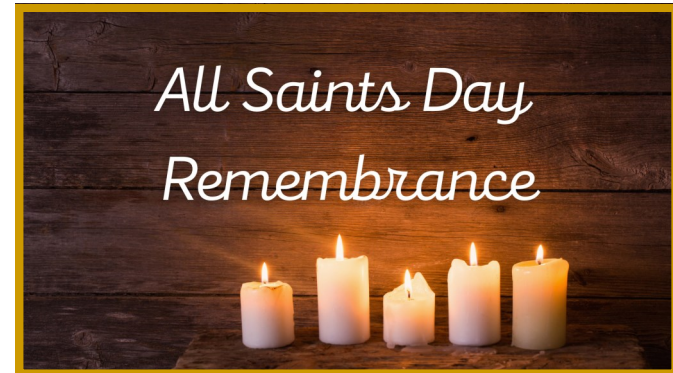
Choral Call to Prayer

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

**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 debts,
as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but
deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Choral Amen (Pg. 601)

Call for Offering



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101 6th Ave. NW

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Offertory: "I Am Thine, O Lord" arr. by David Paxton

***Doxology No. 606**

***Prayer of Dedication (in Unison)**

Holy God, these offerings are only a portion of all that you have given us. We gratefully present these gifts and entrust them to your work in this world. May our gifts share the good news of the gospel to those who are in need. May these gifts help unburden those with the heaviest of loads. Amen.

*Hymn No 326 "For All the Saints"

***Benediction**

*Dismissal Hymn 2241 "The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve"

"Then let us go to serve in peace, the gospel to proclaim. God's Spirit has empowered us; we go in Jesus' name."

*Postlude: "Fantasia on 'Salvation'" arr. by David Paxton

WELCOME VISITORS. Thank you for coming to worship with us.

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Bulletin Announcements:

*Choir practice is on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 PM.

*Zoom Bible Study is on Tuesday, November 9th.

*PW will meet on Wednesday, November 17 at 2:00 for a regular meeting in the Fellowship Hall and the Thank Offering will be taken at that meeting.

***Treasurer's Report:**

Receipts September 2021	\$ 5,272.06
Expenses September 2021	\$ 8,204.00
Balance September 2021	\$ (2,931.94)
Needed weekly	\$ 2,375.16
Needed monthly	\$ 10,292.35

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