



All Saints Episcopal Church Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 AM

ALL ARE WELCOME

**Called to Worship, Learn, Minister,
Proclaim!**

**Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, October 9th, 2022
A Service of Holy Eucharist**

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Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and
 peace to his peo-ple on earth. 2. Lord God, hea-ven-ly King, al-might-y God and
 Fa-ther, we wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your
 glo-ry. 3. Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly son of the Fa-ther,
 Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you take a-way the sin of the world: have
 mer-cy on us; 5. you are seat-ed at the right hand of the
 Fa-ther: re-ceive our prayer. 6. For you a-lone are the
 Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord, 7. you a-lone are the Most High,
 Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spi-rit, in the
 glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men.

The Holy Eucharist Rite II
Book of Common Prayer 355

Prelude: "Meditation on 'How Great Thou Art'" setting by John Carter

Opening Hymn: "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

#390 Hymnal 1982

Opening Acclamation

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

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

Celebrant

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.*

Gloria: (Said in unison at 8:00).

Karen Larsen

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People *And also with you.*

Celebrant Let us pray.

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons *(seated)*

A reading from the Prophet Jeremiah

29:1,4-7

These are the words of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the remaining elders among the exiles, and to the priests, the prophets, and all the people, whom Nebuchadnezzar had taken into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon.

Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat what they produce. Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

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

The Psalm

66:1-11

- 1 Be joyful in God, all you lands; *
sing the glory of his Name;
sing the glory of his praise.
- 2 Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! *
because of your great strength your enemies cringe before you.
- 3 All the earth bows down before you, *
sings to you, sings out your Name."
- 4 Come now and see the works of God, *
how wonderful he is in his doing toward all people.
- 5 He turned the sea into dry land,
so that they went through the water on foot, *
and there we rejoiced in him.
- 6 In his might he rules for ever;
his eyes keep watch over the nations; *
let no rebel rise up against him.

- 7 Bless our God, you peoples; *
 make the voice of his praise to be heard;
- 8 Who holds our souls in life, *
 and will not allow our feet to slip.
- 9 For you, O God, have proved us; *
 you have tried us just as silver is tried.
- 10 You brought us into the snare; *
 you laid heavy burdens upon our backs.
- 11 You let enemies ride over our heads;
 we went through fire and water; *
 but you brought us out into a place of refreshment.

The Epistle

A reading from the second letter to Timothy

2:8-15

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David-- that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him;
 if we endure, we will also reign with him;
 if we deny him, he will also deny us;
 if we are faithless, he remains faithful--
 for he cannot deny himself.

Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

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

Sequence Hymn "O Bless the Lord, My Soul! #411 Hymnal 1982
 Verses 1, 2, 5 and 6

The Gospel

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Children's Word & The Sermon

The Rev. Walter Bryan

Silence will be kept for reflection

The Nicene Creed (All Standing)

BCP 358

**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.**

The Prayers of the People

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Bishop Jose; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.

Pray for the Church.

Silence

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people.

Pray for justice and peace.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison.

Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Silence

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.
Pray that they may find and be found by him.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the departed.
Pray for those who have died.

Silence

I ask your prayers for Linda, Jane, Courtney, BF, Eleanor, Luciell, Kirby, Harold, Nancy, Mike, Wayne, Carol, Deloris, Kristy, Carol, Elynanne, Kate, Lisa, Michael, Sally, Carroll, Michelle, Brad, Ashley, Walter, Dorothy, and Isaac.

I ask your thanksgiving for all the blessings of this life especially for Kathy Wright, Bonnie McPherson, and Marlene Nivens who are celebrating their birthdays.

Members of the congregation may ask the prayers or the thanksgivings of those present

Silence

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored.

Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Silence

Grant, O God, that your holy and life-giving Spirit may so move every human heart and especially the hearts of the people of this land, that barriers which divide us may crumble, suspicions disappear, and hatreds cease; that our divisions being healed, we may live in justice and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** *BCP 823*

O God, you have bound us together in a common life. Help us, in the midst of our struggles for justice and truth, to confront one another without hatred or bitterness, and to work together with mutual forbearance and respect; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

BCP 824

Celebrant offers a concluding collect.

Deacon or Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

**Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Celebrant

The Absolution

BCP 360

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

The Peace

BCP 360

Celebrant

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People

And also with you.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory Sentence

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

Offertory

"Come and Be Fed" Craig Carnahan

All Saints Singers

Presentation *(All stand and say)*

Doxology " Now Thank We All Our God"

#397, vs. 3

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given

**The Son, and him who reigns with them in highest heaven,
Eternal, Triune God, whom earth and heaven adore;
For thus it was, is now, and shall be, evermore.**

The Great Thanksgiving - *Eucharistic Prayer B*

BCP 367

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.***

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

The Sanctus (*Said in unison at 8:00 and sung at 10:30*)

English

For 8:00 a.m. service

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.

For 10:30 a.m. service

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord, ho - ly is the Lord God al -
 Bless - ed, bless - ed, blest is He who comes, blest is he who comes in the
 migh - ty! Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord, ho - ly is the
 Lords name. Bless - ed, bless - ed, blest is He who comes, blest is he who
 Lord God al - migh - ty: who was and is, and is to
 comes in the Lord's name. Ho - san - na in the heights of
 come; ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord.
 heav'n. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord.

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The Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life. On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People

**We remember his death,
 We proclaim his resurrection,
 We await his coming in glory;**

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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. **AMEN.**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

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 Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

*Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.*

The Prayer for Spiritual Communion for those watching by Live Stream

Celebrant Let us pray.

In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is being celebrated this day, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I offer you my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. **Amen.**

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Communion Music:
The Post Communion Prayer
Celebrant and People

Quiet Communion Music
BCP 365

*Almighty and everliving God,
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries
that we are living members of the Body of your Son,
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.
And now, Father, send us out
to do the work you have given us to do,
to love and serve you
as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.*

The Blessing

May the peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Welcome and Announcements

Closing Hymn: "All People That on Earth Do Dwell" #377 Hymnal 1982

The Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People *Thanks be to God.*

Postlude: "Postludium" Flor Peeters

**ALL ARE INVITED TO COFFEE HOUR IN THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER
AFTER THE 10:30 SERVICE.**

Altar Flowers Dedication

The Altar Flowers today are given by Glenda Carpenter in loving memory of Jim Carpenter and in thanksgiving for our family and forty two years of marriage.

Birthdays

October 10 – Kathy Wright
October 13 – Bonnie McPherson
October 14 – Marlene Nivens

Anniversaries

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Let's all welcome Father Walter Bryan

Mask Policy

According to the Centers for Disease Control website: In Gaston County, North Carolina, community level is Medium. However, the surrounding counties are High. We highly recommend the continuation of masks until the numbers around us are down. The CDC recommends:

- wear a mask indoors in public
- Stay up to date with COVID-19 vaccines
- Get tested if you have symptoms

Additional precautions may be needed for people at high risk for severe illness. Until further notice, masks are strongly encouraged but not required for Sunday worship services. Thank you for your help in keeping our faith community and visitors safer.

Grace and peace,

Lynn+

While Lynn+ is on Vacation

While Lynn+ is away on vacation, please call the Church Office, Kelly Halley, William Graham for any emergencies in the parish. For pastoral emergencies only (like dying and death, a sudden serious illness, accident, or such), please call Deacon Martha. Lynn+ will be called for pastoral emergencies and any crisis in the church.

Save the Date

On October 21 at 6:00 p.m., we will be having our **Fall Festival**. Please join us for a Lasagna supper (mac & cheese and chicken nuggets for the kids) and an evening of games and fun. Please bring board games to share. We would also like to encourage all the kids to dress up in costume for some early "trick or treat" fun. Please mark the date on your calendars! We look forward to spending a fun evening with you and your families. Talk to Claudette or Lynn+ for more information.

BOOK STUDY

The Book Study is reading Justified by her Children. We would love for you to join the group which meets on Wednesday morning via Zoom at 10:00 am. We will resume our study on October 5th, please read chapters 5, 6, & 7.

Coffee Hour

Please sign up for the next available Sunday! Let's all plan to come to coffee hour and socialize with our newcomers and each other.

Crisis Assistance Ministry

The cupboards are nearly bare! There are many in Gaston County who are food insecure and hungry! You can help; please be generous in your gift of food to fill CAM's shelves. It is being collected in the Parish Hall. Thank you!

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SATS - Serving at the Shelter

Our project for the Cathy Mabry Cloninger Woman's Shelter for Domestic Violence for October will be collecting paper products: paper plates, cups, napkins, and paper towels. Also, there are still some slots open to supply a meal for the Shelter on the first and third Saturdays in December.

See me for questions and more information. Thank you for all you do!

Deacon Martha

All Saint's Music Ministry (Fall 2022)

All Saints Singers

We meet on Wednesday nights at 6:30 p.m. in the choir room on the second floor of the education building. We welcome anyone and everyone to come join us as we sing and worship together!

All Saints Ringers

We practice right after worship for 30 minutes every Sunday in the choir room. Even if you have never rung before, please come and check us out. There are still spots available at the bell table!

All Saints Children's Choir

All Saints Children's Choir meets at 9:15 a.m. every Sunday morning before Sunday School. Come join the fun as we sing and play instruments together!



This Week @ All Saints

Sunday	8:00 am 9:15 am 9:30 am 9:45 am 10:30 am 11:45 am 7:00 pm	Holy Eucharist Children's Choir & Adult Forum Children's Sunday School All Saints Singers Practice Holy Eucharist All Saints Ringers Practice New Life MCC
Monday	7:00 pm	EFM
Tuesday	5-7:15 pm	Narcotics Anonymous
Wednesday	10 am 6:30 pm	Book Study – Zoom Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	5-7:15 pm	Narcotics Anonymous
Friday	1-3 pm	Office Closed Gaston Residential
Saturday	5-7:15 pm	Narcotics Anonymous



Sunday School Staff

Date	Teachers
10/02/2022	Micki & Elizabeth
10/09/2022	Jerry & Lindsey
10/16/2022	Gay & Lindsey
10/23/2022	Jerry & Doug
10/30/2022	Carol & ?
11/06/2022	Mickie & Elizabeth
11/13/2022	Allison & Phill
11/20/2022	Jerry & Doug
11/27/2022	Gay & Lindsey
12/04/2022	Mickie & Elizabeth
12/11/2022	Allison & Phill
12/18/2022	Jerry & Doug
12/25/2022	No Sunday School



MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Date	October 9	October 16	October 23
8:00 AM EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	Lee Wells	Martha Richard	Martha Richard
LESSONS	Lee Wells	Jerry Wertz	
PRAYERS OF PEOPLE	Jerry Wertz	Martha Monico	Doug Orville
USHER	Bruce Kiser		Bruce Kiser
VPOD			
10:30 AM EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	Jordan Avery	Lee Wells	Phill Wertz
READER	Allison Wells	John Still	Lee Wells
PRAYERS OF PEOPLE	John Still	Kathy McKenna	Mickie Husted
ACOLYTES	Connor Kish	Bonnie McPherson	Lindsey Wells
USHERS 10:30 A.M.	Gay Lindsey Lindsey Wells	Priscilla & William Graham	Nikki & Jordan Avery
VIDEO TECH 10:30 AM	Marc Dudley	Marc Dudley	Doug Orville
ALTAR GUILD	Allison Wells	Gay Lindsey	Glenda Carpenter
Altar Flowers	Carpenter	Renas	Orville
VPOD	Allison Wells	William Graham	



*Before worship, speak to God. During worship, let God speak to you.
After worship, speak to one another.*

We are thankful you've come today. We are a group of seekers, exploring how to continue to be the Body of Christ in this world today. All Saints is an open and affirming congregation and we welcome everyone on this glorious day that the Lord has made. Please fill out a visitor card in the pew and place in the offering plate or hand it to an usher. Please join us for coffee hour after the 10:30 service.

New Communion Instructions: The Bishop's directions are that intinction be done by the ministers at communion rather than having everyone dip their own bread. The Eucharistic minister will be holding the Chalice. If someone has received Communion in one kind (bread or cup), they have received the benefit of both.

1. We will continue to have a single communion station.
2. When I administer the bread, simply nod and I will know you would like the wafer dipped in the chalice. I will then hand you the wafer.
3. If you do not want to receive the wine, simply shake your head, and I will place the bread in your hand.
4. No one will be able to dip the bread for themselves, there will be no exceptions, per the Bishop's policy.

Thank you so much,
Lynn+

YouTube Link to see Live Streaming of Service

10:30AM https://youtu.be/25qfOnR0_FQ

The Rt. Rev. José Antonio McLoughlin, Bishop of Western North Carolina

The Rev. Lynn Orville, Rector

The Rev. Deacon Martha Richard

Rebecca Beatty, Director of Music Ministries

Kelly Halley, Senior Warden

William Graham, Junior Warden

