

All Saints Sunday

Roseville Lutheran • 9:00 AM • November 2, 2025



Today is All Saints Sunday. It is a day when we come before God not to dwell in grief, but to be strengthened in faith. Our lives have been so richly blessed by the love of people dear to us who are no longer with us.

Today we find strength in that love and consider how we can in turn pass that love on to others. We remember. We give thanks.

We live in the hope of what is to come. Thanks be to God. Amen

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*Words in **BOLD** are for congregational participation, either said or sung.*

Words to hymns are printed in this bulletin, but you are encouraged to open up and use the red ELW (Evangelical Lutheran Worship) hymnal found below or in front of your seat. Hymn numbers are provided.

Children in Pre-K through Kindergarten are welcomed to go to Rm 45A at the beginning of the service and stay for the entirety of the worship service.

PRELUDE

David Livingston and John Helgen

WELCOME

OPENING HYMN

For All the Saints

ELW 422

Vs. 1, 2 - all; 3 - higher voices; 4 - choir; 5 - lower voices; 6,7 - all

**For all the saints who from their labors rest, who thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might; thou, Lord, their captain in the well-
fought fight; thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Higher voices:

**Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine, we feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
Yet all are one in thee, for all are thine. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Choir:

**And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long, steals on the ear the distant triumph song,
And hearts are brave again, and arms are strong. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Lower voices:

**The golden evening brightens in the west; soon, soon to faithful servants cometh rest;
Sweet is the calm of paradise the blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**But then there breaks a yet more glorious day: the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
The King of glory passes on his way. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host, singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Alleluia! Alleluia!**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Trusting in the word of life given in baptism and emerging as a new creation, raised with Christ in a resurrection like his, we are gathered in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Faithful Lord,

in the busyness of our daily lives, we forget to remember your goodness and to give thanks for your many blessings. We forget to remember the ones who have passed before us, recalling and retelling the stories of their lives. Forgive us and help us to remember the saints and receive the gifts of their goodness and help us to be thankful for the living saints around us. Be with us as we take time to rejoice with believers everywhere in the world and through all of time.

Amen

God grants forgiveness of sins, strength in weakness, comfort in grief, and the promise of eternal salvation. Because of the love of our gracious Lord, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

LITANY AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

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.

Holy God, meet us here in this place as we mourn those who have died this year.

**They were our sons, daughters, and children; mothers, fathers, and parents,
siblings and grandparents; family, partners, and friends.**

Almighty God, those who die in the Lord still live with you in joy and blessedness. We give you thanks for the grace you have bestowed upon your saints who have finished their life in faith and now rest from their labors.

Remembering the Saints

Choir: We walk in light of countless faces bright as beams of rising sun,
Certain as the morning chases night in endless ages run.
When sorrow's heavy hand has weighted loss against the greater gain,
Pinning down that grief sore fated laden on the bed of pain.

Today we remember these saints of Roseville Lutheran Church and those saints in our own lives who have joined the church triumphant in the past year. When we hear the bell toll we remember with joy that Jesus triumphs over death.

Congregational Refrain *(sing twice)*



Jerry Boldt
Kent Edson
Jodi Gubbrud
Doug Neid
Derrick Ostlie
Carol Schaaf

Jeffrey Dimmel
Ellen Frilseth
Jacob Hoel
Gayle Nelson
Paul Romanowski
Marjorie Sorvig

Sandra Ducharme
Marion Glasow
Gale Jallen
Donald (Don) Nygaard
Bryan Rosenau

Choir: When joy returns with laughter singing thanks to God for life's sweet song,
Let us follow after bringing thanks to God for those now gone.

Congregational Refrain *(sing twice)*



CANDLES OF REMEMBRANCE

During this time, you are invited forward to light a candle in memory of a loved one. Pick up a taper, light it from the candles near the altar, light your remembrance candle, and then extinguish the taper and place it into the bowl of sand. Have a time of prayer as you wait to light your candle or when you return to your seat.

ANTHEM

Shine Like the Sun

arr. Karen Black
RLC Choir

PRAYER

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**

At this time, children in grades 1st-6th are invited to leave the worship center for RLC Kids time and activities in the activity center. They will rejoin families at offering time.

READING

Ephesians 1:11-23

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may perceive what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL

Luke 6:20-31

Then he looked up at his disciples and said:

"Blessed are you who are poor for yours is the kingdom of God.

"Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled.

"Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

"Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven, for that is how their ancestors treated the prophets.

"But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.

"Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry.

"Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep.

"Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is how their ancestors treated the false prophets. "But I say to you who are listening: Love your enemies; do good to those who hate you; bless those who curse you; pray for those who mistreat you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also, and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who asks of you, and if anyone takes away what is yours, do not ask for it back again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

HYMN OF THE DAY

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

ELW 733

**Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father;
There is no shadow of turning with thee;
Thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not;
As thou hast been, thou forever wilt be.**

Refrain: **Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed thy hand hath provided;
Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.**

**Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *Refrain***

**Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *Refrain***

OFFERING

*We gather as a people of God, in the presence of God, to offer up our thanks and praise.
Offering is one way in which we support and sustain our shared ministry.
You may text your gift: Text <amount> to 651-383-1504,
or scan the QR code in this bulletin.*

Children are invited to bring their offering up to the front of the Worship Center.



OFFERING MUSIC

In Heaven Above

arr. Carl Schalk
RLC Choir

PRAYERS

Prayer response: Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**
Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

COMMUNION PRAYER

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
Heav'n 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.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE 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 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**

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

All are welcome to receive the sacrament of Holy Communion. Non-communing children are welcome to come forward and receive a blessing. Gluten/peanut free bread is available - please indicate this preference to the server. White grape juice is available and can be found in the cups toward the center of the tray. If you are unable to come forward, we will bring the sacrament to you in your seat. Please indicate this preference as the communion minister walks down your aisle.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Lamb of God

ELW p. 154

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.**

Behold the Host Arrayed in White (vs. 1, 3)

ELW 425

**Behold the host arrayed in white like thousand snow-clad mountains bright,
That stands with palms and sings its psalms before the throne of light!
These are the saints who kept God's word; they are the honored of the Lord.
He is their prince who drowned their sins, so they were cleansed, restored.
They now serve God both day and night; they sing their songs in endless light.
Their anthems ring when they all sing with angels shining bright.**

**O blessed saints, now take your rest; a thousand times shall you be blest
For keeping faith firm unto death and scorning worldly trust.
For now you live at home with God and harvest seeds once cast abroad
In tears and sighs. See with new eyes the pattern in the seed.
The myriad angels raise their song. O saints, sing with that happy throng;
Lift up one voice; let heaven rejoice in our redeemer's song!**

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

BLESSING

Praise the one who hears our cries! **The Lord indeed is God!**
Praise the one who shows true power! **The Lord indeed is God!**
Praise the one whose might is love! **The Lord indeed is God!**

CLOSING HYMN

Abide with Me

ELW 629

**Abide with me, fast falls the eventide. The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide.
When other helpers fail and comforts flee, help of the helpless, oh, abide with me.**

**Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day; earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;
Change and decay in all around I see; O thou who changest not, abide with me.**

**I need thy presence ev'ry passing hour; what but thy grace can foil the tempter's pow'r?
Who like thyself my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, oh, abide with me.**

**I fear no foe, with thee at hand to bless; ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory? I triumph still, if thou abide with me!**

**Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes, shine through the gloom and point me to the
skies; heav'n's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee; In life, in death, O Lord, abide
with me.**

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

David Livingston and John Helgen

Participants

Pastor Kent Claussen Gubrud

Pastor Marty Wyatt

Reader: Rolf Olson

Musicians: RLC Choir, David Livingston, Maddie Giordana, John Helgen

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