



World Communion Sunday

OCTOBER 4, 2026 | 8:30 AM
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Order of Worship

GATHERING

*Opening Song

"All the People Said Amen"

*Passing of the Peace

Pastor Steve Boutell

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

Please greet one another in ways with which you and they are comfortable.

*Song of Praise

"We Believe (Apostles' Creed)"

*The Apostles' Creed

Welcome & Announcements

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

Children's Moment

John Harding

Reading—Matthew 16:21-27

Pastor Rebecca Gwynn-Dixon

Faith & Politics: Gaining the World,

Pastor Ryan Bennett

Losing Our Souls

Song of Response

"Benediction"

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

SENDING FORTH

*Benediction

*Closing Song

"All the People Said Amen" reprise

**Please stand as you are able, in body or in spirit.*

Worship Notes

HOLY COMMUNION

We practice an open table at which Jesus is the host. All are invited; you are welcome at the table of our Lord. Please join one of the lines down the middle aisle, or remain seated and a server will come to you. All single-serve cups are gluten-free.

SENSORY, ANXIETY, AND NURSING SPACE AVAILABLE

Our Sensory Room is available in the Children's Wing with a live feed of the services for nursing, a quiet space, and other sensory needs. See an usher if you need help or directions. A parent/guardian must remain with their minor in any space.

TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS

In honor of Ben, Jonah, and Sarah Boutell
by Heather & Steve Boutell

Top 5 to Know

THIS WEDNESDAY – NO MEAL OR CLASSES

We will NOT have our Church-Wide Meal or Kids/Youth/Adult Classes this week due to Fall Break (handbells and choir will still meet). Rest well, and we'll see you next week.

NOW THROUGH 10/31 – THE PUMPKIN PATCH IS BACK!

Open 9AM-4PM, seven days a week. Prices are listed on signs; please pay via the Giving Boxes or QR codes at the Spain House (enter "pumpkins" in the memo).

SUNDAY, 10/18 AT 4:30PM – BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

All pets and their families are welcome to receive a blessing on our front lawn (leash and pick up after them). You may also bring pics of absent pets and receive prayer.

SUNDAY, 10/25 – COMMUNITY FALL FESTIVAL

All are welcome from 5-6:30PM for Trunk-or-Treat, our Pumpkin Patch, the new Faith Walk Forest, SO much candy and play time, and more...rain or shine.

SUNDAY, 11/1 AT 4PM – ALL SAINTS DAY FAURÉ REQUIEM

A Requiem is a musical liturgy for the departed; our choir will present Fauré's Requiem on All Saints Day as a natural extension of the holy day observance. All are welcome.

SERMON NOTES

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FAITH & POLITICS

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COMPROMISE
 DISCIPLES
 DIVINE
 GAIN
 HUMAN
 IDENTITY
 JESUS
 LIFE
 LOSE
 PETER
 PRACTICING
 PRESENCE
 SHOW
 SOUL
 WORLD