PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember these people in prayer

Prayers for **Michael and Shirley's** niece, **Jeanelle,** who had surgery October 23.

Elliott Fifer asks for prayers for transition from Abbott House and prayers for the residents at Abbott House as they struggle with their lives and family situations.

Kym Christiansen asks for prayers for the upcoming election, all who vote and those working the election.

Suzanna and Craig Spencer ask for prayers for healing for **Gary Kulm.**

Paul and Claire Gillaspey are grateful for Dan Graber and the music leadership he provides.

Dorothy Wentzel who will have back surgery this coming week in Rochester. She asks for prayers for her surgical team, for healing and for patience through this process.

Candace Ulmer's sister, **Carole Ries,** is having surgery October 28, and would like prayers that loving arms surround Carole at 12:45pm.

Everett and Hilda Bosch as for prayers for their daughter-in-law, **Kylie**, who is having neck pain with headaches.

Please also continue to keep these people in your prayers

Prayers for **Deputy Frank, Jarrod Vink, Barbara Chamness and her son John.**

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Welcome

November 1, 2026 9:30 a.m. Rev. Scott Phillips
All Saints Day

Ushers: Kevin & Lori Jaton, John & Jackie Hove
Communion Servers: Bobbi Lower, Kae Klinkenborg, Madison Stahl, Mark Pappadackis, Kevin Jaton, Barb Amundson Reiter

Bold indicates Congregation response

* Indicates points of the service where the Congregation stands in body or spirit.

Please complete the "Connection" insert and place it in the offering plate.

GOD'S PEOPLE GATHERING

Prelude arr. E. Larter "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian" Dan Graber, Organ
arr. M. Burkhardt, "Come, Thou Fount"

Welcome and Announcements Dan Engebretson
Paul Summers LaRoche

Minute for Mission

*** Call to Worship** Rev. Scott Phillips

Leader: Look! See what kind of love God has given us,
People: **That we should be called children of God.**
Leader: Gather and see that the Lord is good.
People: **Blessed are those who rest in God.**
Leader: We gather with the saints who have gone before us and with the saints still beside us,
People: **We stand together and we do not fear.**
Leader: We do not yet see all that we will be,
People: **But we know that we stand in God's love.**
Leader: So come, with every stranger and every friend, every doubt and every hope;
All: **Let us worship God!**

***Opening Hymn** #326 "For All The Saints" SINE NOMINE

PREPARING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

*** Prayer of Confession**

Eternal God, you know us just as well as you know those who have come before us. You have watched generations in the back-and-forth of life. We are far from perfect, but you have always loved us. Please forgive us for not showing that same love and patience. We often lead with fear and suspicion. We stubbornly insist on our own way and our own terms. We lean into anger, grief, and hurt instead of seeking out hope.

Thank you, God, for the grace you shower on us. Remind us of the hope and future you have for us so that we might be light in a hurting world. In the name of that light, Christ, we pray. Amen.

*** Assurance of Forgiveness**

*** Sharing the Peace of Christ**

*** Response to Forgiveness** #581 – "Glory Be to the Father" GLORIA PATRI

Anthem arr. M. Wilberg, "It Is Well With My Soul" Sanctuary Choir

RECEIVING GOD'S WORD ANEW

Scripture Reading Old Testament: Psalm 34:1-14
New Testament: 1 John 3:1-3 Pam Ephgrave

Time with Children Kathie Douma

Sermon The Saints Next Door

Celebration of Those We Have Lost

Doris Kono	*Dylan Bourassa*	*Marlene Farquhar*
Julie Ann Mathers	*Calvin Hanneld*	*Daniel Haushild*
Dorothy Rust	*Lenore Thomspon*	*Karleen Abarr*
Joyce Vander Lugt	*Florence Opp*	

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Call for the Offering

Offertory "Lord I Need You" Praise Band

COMMUNION

All are invited to the table to receive the bread and cup, regardless of their age or understanding

Invitation to the Table

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution

Sharing of the Elements

Communion Music "Come As You Are" Praise Band

*** Closing Song** "Hymn of Heaven" Praise Band

*** Benediction**

Postlude "This Is Our God" Praise Band