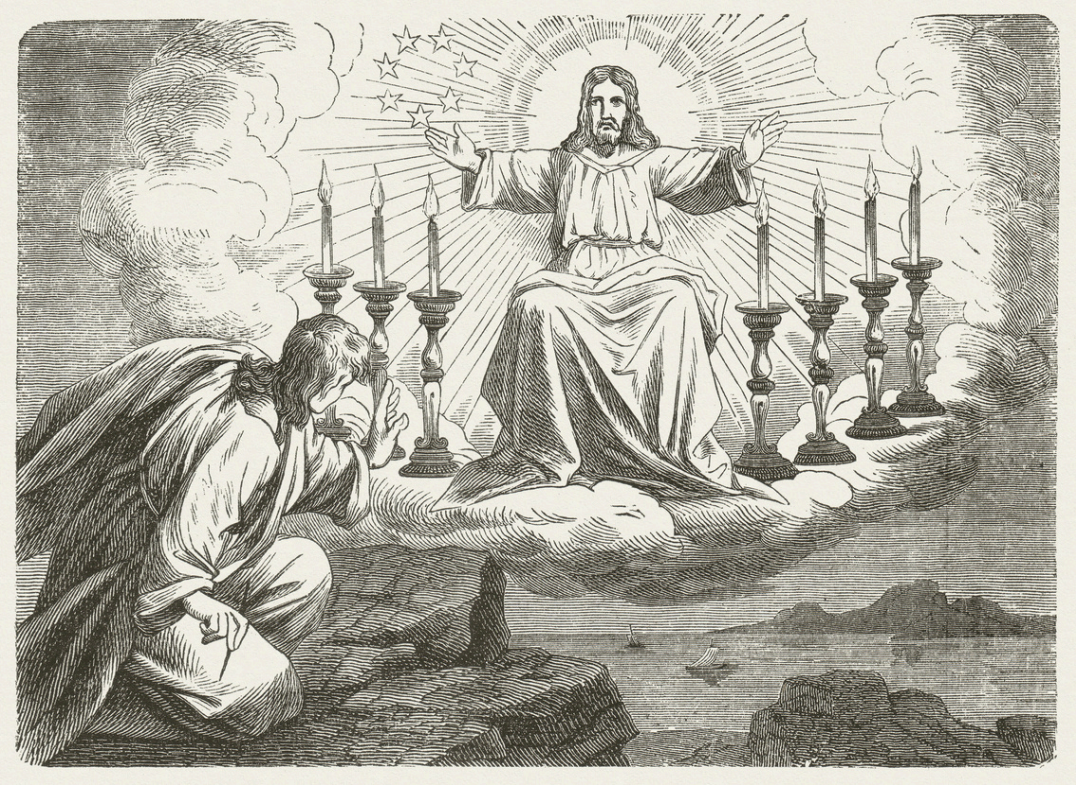


SAINT JOHN'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost:
Feast of All Saints
Choral Eucharist, Rite II
November 1, 2026 | 10 am

The Ministers of the Service

Fr. David Bumsted, *Celebrant and Preacher*
Fr. Thom Crowe, *Deacon of the Eucharist*
Fr. Carson Webb, *Assisting Priest*
Dr. Zachary Malavolti, *Choirmaster*
Hank Carrillo, *Organist*
Michael Bedford, *Lector*
Julio Diaz and Susan Walker, *Lay Eucharistic Ministers*

Welcome to Saint John's

We're glad you're worshipping with us.
Whether you're visiting for the first time or have been part of our church family for years, welcome. If you're new or looking to connect, we'd love to meet you. Stop by before or after the service and say hello to a member of the clergy or one of our ushers. *You're also invited to fill out a visitor card so we can get to know you better.*

Info For Families

Kids are welcome to join us in Church! There are coloring materials and other activities in the narthex to help keep children focused on worship. We also have kids' ministry on Sundays.

NURSERY (Ages 0-4): The nursery opens at 9:00 am on Sundays downstairs for the 10:00 am service. After the announcements, some families choose to bring their children to Communion; others prefer to pick them up after the service. Feel free to do what works best for you and your family.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL (Ages PreK-5th grade): During the 10:00 am service on Sunday mornings, children gather downstairs for Children's Chapel to pray, sing, and learn. They return to the main service in time for Communion.

A note on the cover art: The wood engraving "John on the Island of Patmos" published in 1877 is based on a drawing by the renowned German painter and illustrator Julius Schnorr von Carolsfeld (1794–1872).

A Prayer before Worship

O Almighty God, who pours out on all who desire it the spirit of grace and of supplication: Deliver us, when we draw near to you, from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we may worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Word of God

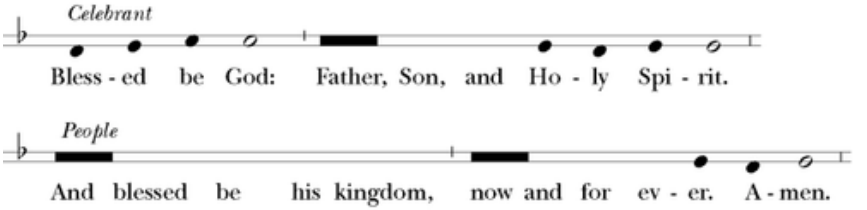
The Organ Voluntary *I sing a song of the saints of God* Michael Burkhardt

The Processional (Hymnal 293) *GRAND ISLE*



The Opening Acclamation

The people standing



The Collect for Purity

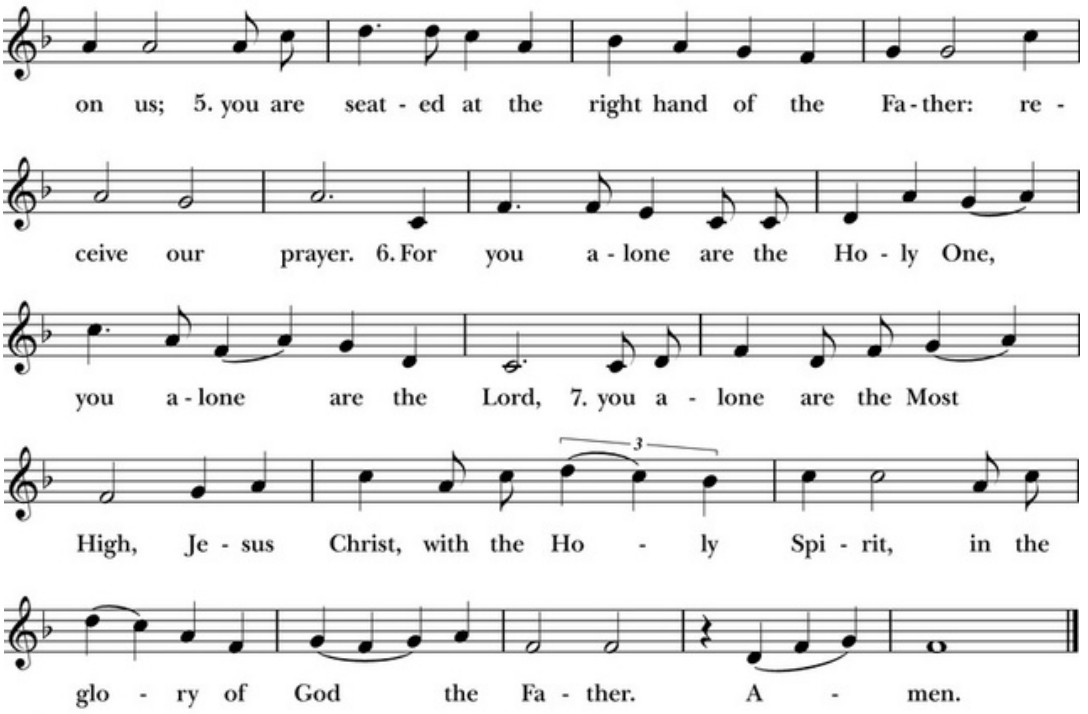
The Celebrant may say

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 in Excelsis Deo (Hymnal S280)

Robert J. Powell
(1932-2025)





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The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen**.

The People sit.

The First Reading Revelation 7:9-17

Lector A reading from the Revelation to John.

After this I, John, looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

"Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing,

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom
and thanksgiving and honor
and power and might
be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

"For this reason they are before the throne of God,
and worship him day and night within his temple,
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.
They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;
the sun will not strike them,
nor any scorching heat;
for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Gradual

Psalm Psalm 34:1-10,22, *Benedicam Dominum*

Chant in E flat by E. Bairstow



1 I will bless the | LORD • at all | times; *
his praise shall | ever • be | in my |
mouth.
2 I will | glory • in the | LORD; *
let the | humble | hear • and re- | joice.
3 Proclaim with me the | greatness • of the |
LORD;
let us ex- | alt his | Name to- | gether.
4 I sought the | LORD, • and he | answered
me *
and delivered me | out of | all my |
terror.
5 Look upon him | and be | radiant, *
and let not your | faces | be a- | shamed.
6 I called in my affliction and the | LORD |
heard me *
and | saved me • from | all my | troubles.
7 The angel of the LORD encompasses |
those who | fear him, *
-- | and he | will de- | liver them.
8 Taste and see that the | LORD is | good;
*
happy are | they who | trust in | him!
9 Fear the LORD, | you that • are his |
saints, *
for | those who | fear him • lack |
nothing.
10 The young lions lack and | suffer |
hun-ger, *
but those who seek the LORD lack |
nothing | that is | good.
†22 The LORD ransoms the life | of his
| serv-ants, *
and | none will • be | punished •
who | trust in him.

Glory to the Father, and | to the | Son, *
and | to the | Holy | Spi-rit:
As it was in the be- | ginning, • is | now, *
and will be for | ever. • A | -- | men.

The Second Reading 1 John 3:1-3

Lector A reading from the first letter of Saint John.

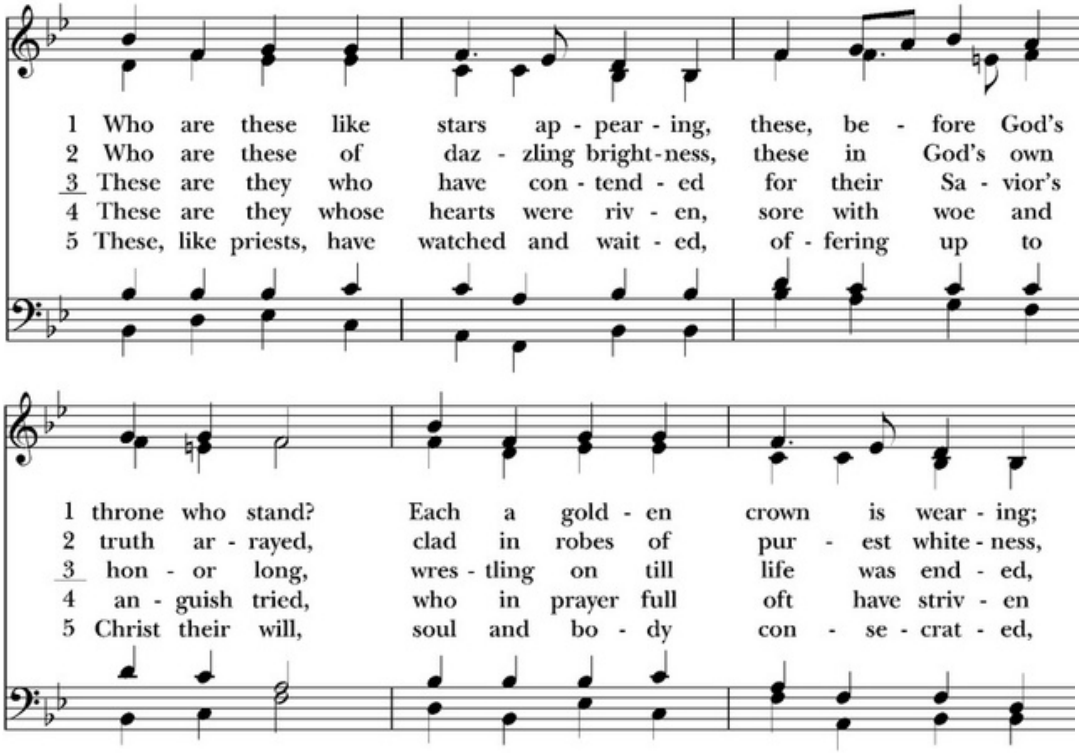
See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

All stand.

The Sequence Hymn (Hymnal 286) *ZEUCH MICH, ZEUCH MICH*





The Gospel Matthew 5:1-12

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

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

The Homily Fr. David Bumsted

The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?
People **I believe in God, the Father almighty,**
creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?
People **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,**
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
People **I believe in the Holy Spirit,**
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

The Prayers of the People, Form VI

The Leader and People pray responsively.

The People kneel.

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For our Presiding Bishop, and for all bishops and other ministers;

For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence.

Hear us, Lord;

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.
Silence.

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.
Silence.

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in you.

The People may add their own petitions.
The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

The Confession of Sin

The Deacon says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

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.

The Priest stands and says

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 Exchange of Peace

Please stand.

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Parish Welcome and Announcements

The Holy Communion

The Offertory

The Priest begins the offertory with a sentence of Scripture.

Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts.

Psalm 96:8

Representatives of the congregation receive the people's offerings. Gifts may also be made online at sjtulsa.org/giving or by scanning this code:

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The Anthem *Lo, 'round the throne, a glorious band* Henry Ley (1887-1962)

The People sit.

Lo, round the throne, a glorious band,
the saints in countless myriads stand,
of every tongue redeemed to God,
arrayed in garments washed in blood.
Hallelujah!

Through tribulation great they came;
they bore the cross, despised the shame;
from all their labours now they rest,
in God's eternal glory blest.
Hallelujah!

They see their Saviour face to face,
and sing the triumphs of his grace;
him day and night they ceaseless praise,
to him the loud thanksgiving raise:
Hallelujah!

'Worthy the Lamb, for sinners slain,
through endless years to live and reign;
thou hast redeemed us by thy blood,
and made us kings and priests to God.'
Hallelujah!

O may we tread the sacred road
that saints and holy martyrs trod;
wage to the end the glorious strife,
and win, like them, a crown of life.
Hallelujah!

Text: Rowland Hill (1744-1833)

The People stand.

The Presentation Hymn (Hymnal 623) *O QUANTA QULIA*



The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B

The People remain standing.



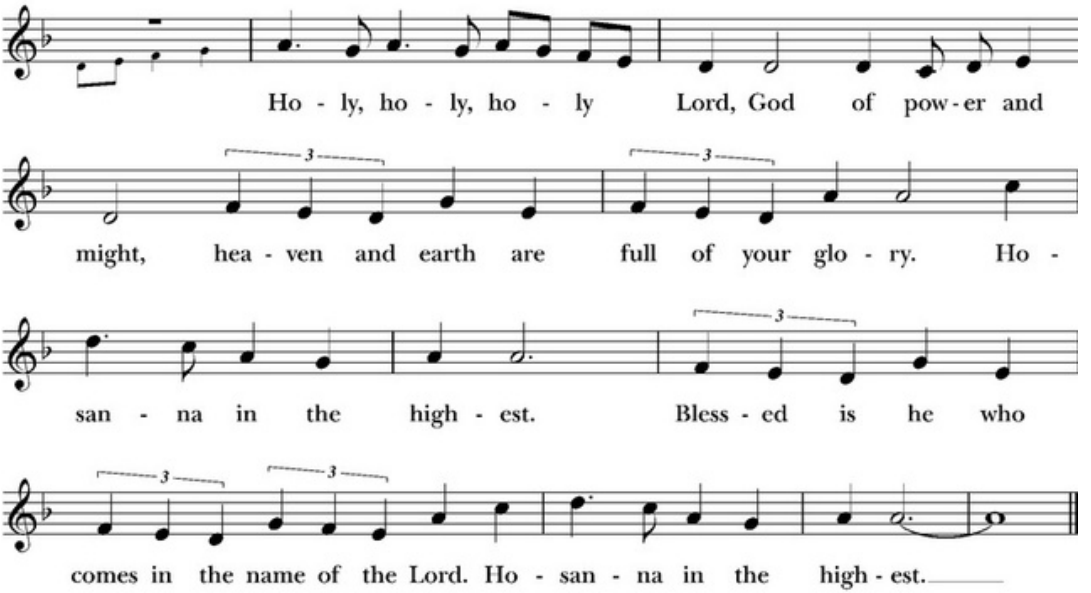
The Proper Preface

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Here a Proper Preface is sung or said.

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:

Sanctus et Benedictus (Hymnal S129)



The People kneel.
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;

The Celebrant continues
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.

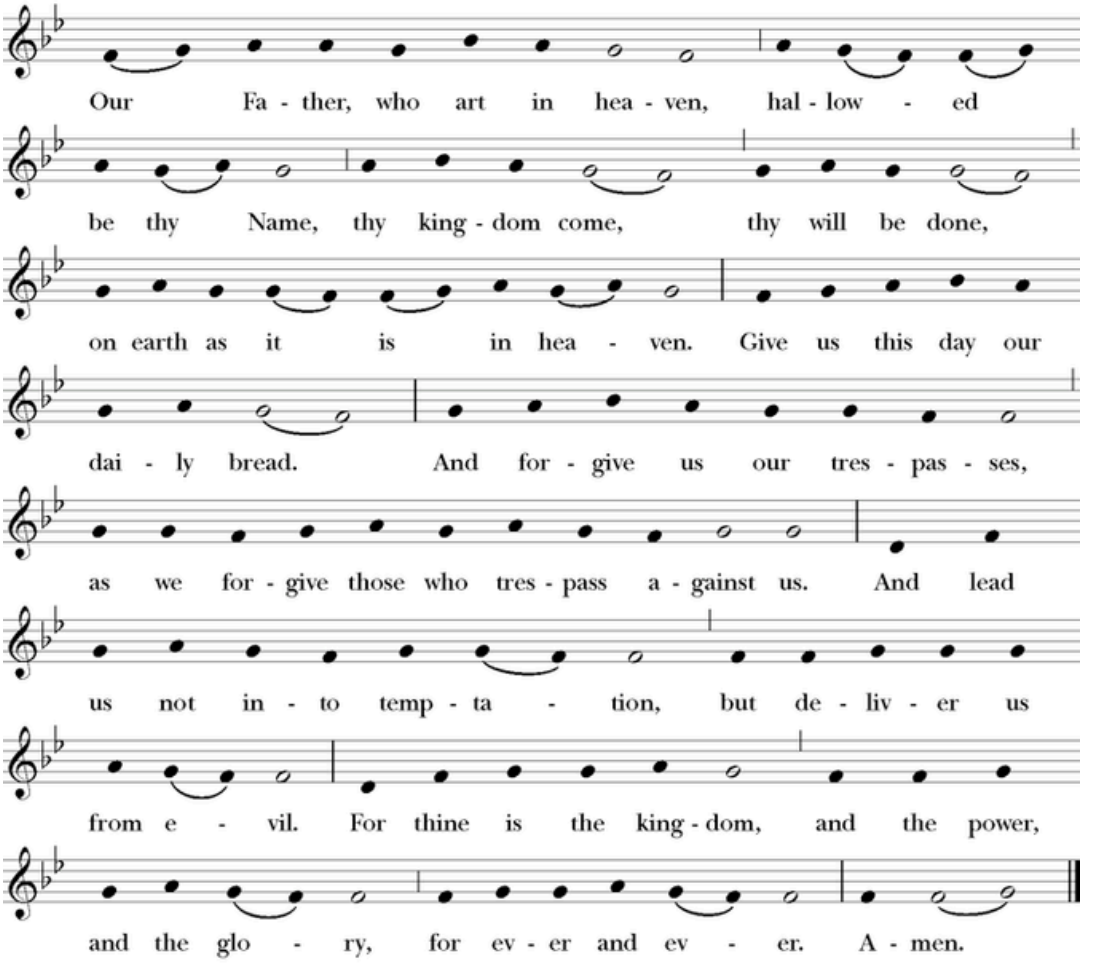
We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with the Ever-Blessed Virgin Mary, Saint John the Evangelist our patron, and 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.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. 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.



And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant

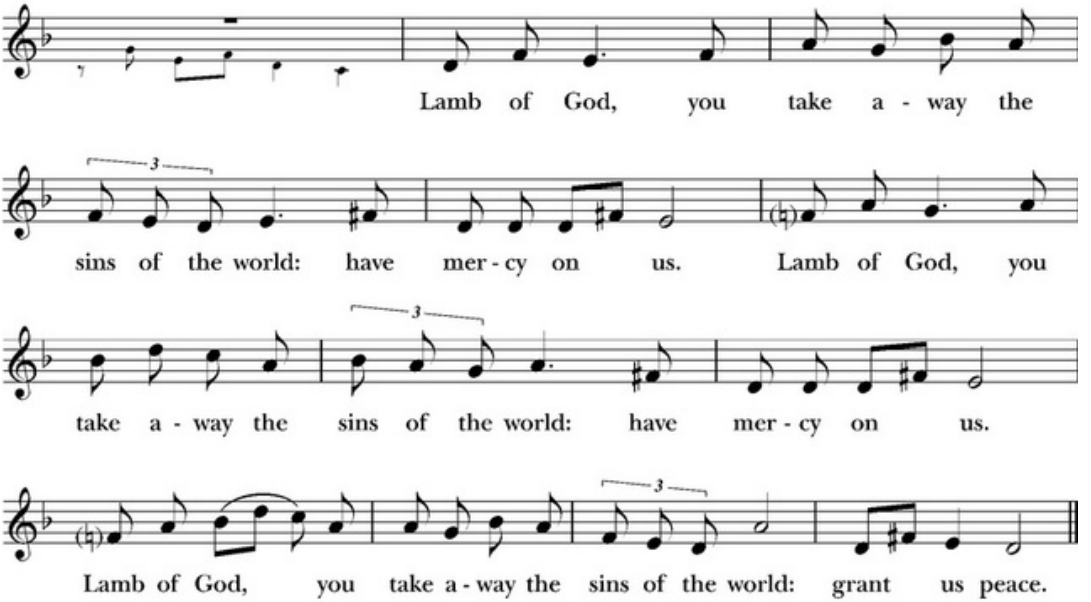


The Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept.

Agnus Dei (Hymnal S163)



The Invitation

Facing the people, the Celebrant says

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

A Prayer before Receiving Communion

Be present, be present, O Jesus, our great High Priest, as thou wast present with thy disciples, and be known to us in the breaking of bread; who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

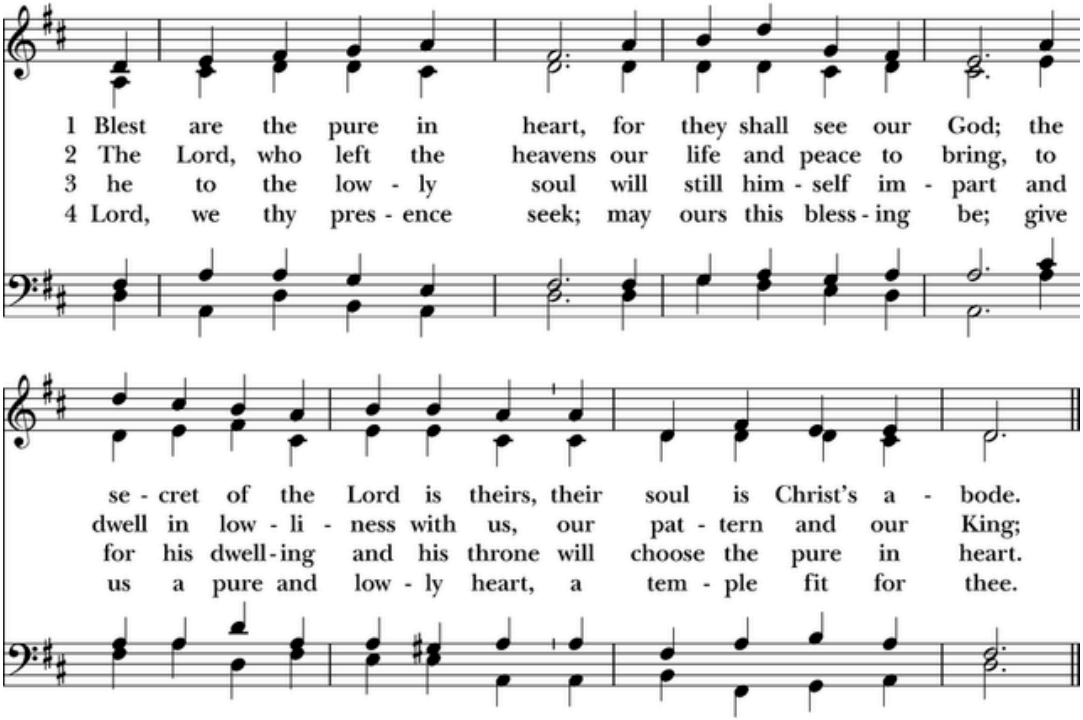
A Prayer after Receiving Communion

O Lord Jesus Christ, who in a wonderful Sacrament hast left unto us a memorial of thy passion: Grant us, we beseech thee, so to venerate the sacred mysteries of thy Body and Blood, that we may ever perceive within ourselves the fruit of thy redemption; who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

At the Communion

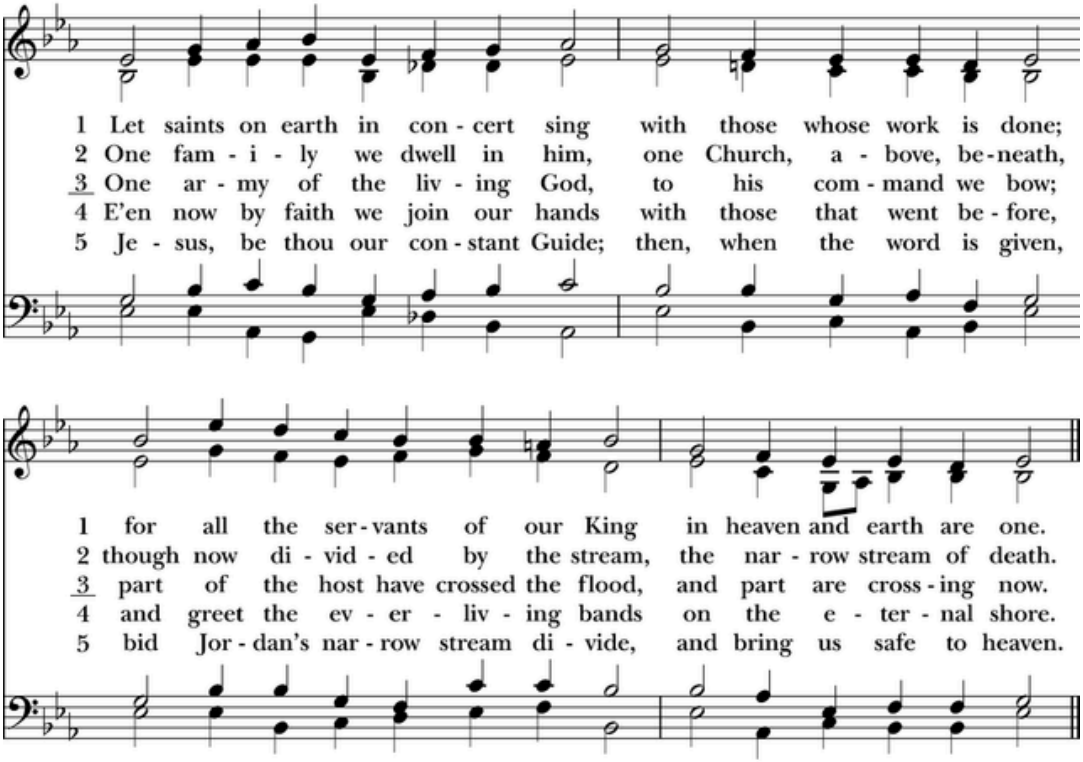
All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you would prefer to receive a blessing instead, please approach the Celebrant with arms crossed over one's chest.

Communion Hymn (Hymnal 656) FRANCONIA



Communion Hymn (Hymnal 526)

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The people kneel.

The Post-Communion Prayer

After Communion, the Celebrant says

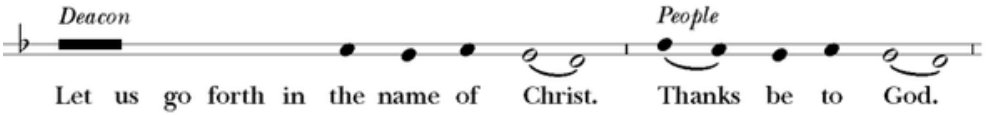
Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

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 Priest blesses the people, saying
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 Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

The Dismissal



A Prayer after Worship

Grant us, Almighty God, that the words which we have heard this day with our outward ears, may, through your grace, be so grafted inwardly in our hearts, that they may bring forth in us the fruit of good living, to the honor and praise of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Processional Hymn (Hymnal 287) *SINE NOMINE*





The Organ Voluntary *Sine Nomine* John Weaver
(1937-2021)

Please join us for Choral Evensong today at 5:30 p.m.

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Coming Up At Saint John's

REQUIEM EUCHARIST | On November 1st at 6 pm our Parish Choir will offer a special choral service for the faithful departed. This year we will offer Requiem music by 19th century German composer Josef Rheinberger. Rheinberger was a contemporary of Brahms and wrote in a similar expressive Romantic style. Please join us for this beautiful memorial service with a reception to follow. **The names of loved ones departed since All Souls Day 2025 will be read at this service. Please contact Diana in the parish office to submit a name.**



RECTOR'S FORUM | Join us on Sundays at 9:00 am in Powell Hall. This week we continue our Fall Study Series with the Book of Isaiah. We will spend the entire fall reading and discussing the prophet with Dr. Lyons in preparation for Christmas at St. John's and for our Choir's presentation of Handel's Messiah December 4th and 5th. This book is quoted more times in the New Testament than any other prophet, and it is well worth the time we will invest in study. Don't miss this.

ALL SOUL'S DAY REQUIEM | Monday, November 2, All Soul's Day Requiem, at 12:05 pm, in the Garden of the Resurrection.

WEDNESDAYS AT SAINT JOHN'S | Wednesday nights at Saint John's begin with the Holy Eucharist at 5:30 pm. This brief but encouraging service might be just what you need in the middle of the week! We hope you'll stick around for Fr. David's Bible Study. We're having a great time with our deep dive into The Gospel According to St. Mark. See you on Wednesday night!

YOUTH NIGHT WEDNESDAYS | We'll have dinner at 6 pm, followed by Bible study and games. On November 18th, for our next youth service project, our children will make Blessing Bags for the homeless in our community.

MUSIC AT MIDDAY | November 4th at noon will be the last offering for this season of Music at Midday, **featuring The University of Tulsa Cappella Chamber Singers.** We have enjoyed wonderful music at our midday concerts; we hope you can make it!

Our next lunch will be a variety sandwich tray, served with chips and a cookie. Saint John's will provide coffee, tea, and water. The cost is $10 per person, and RSVPs are due by Monday evening before the concert. RSVP to Amanda at astorms@sjtulsa.org. If you have any special dietary needs, please let Amanda know.

THANKSGIVING DAY WORSHIP | Join us for our **Thanksgiving Day Worship at 10 am** on Thursday, November 26, as we give thanks for God's abundant blessings. After the service, we'll gather for a traditional Thanksgiving meal filled with good food and even better company.

DEAD THEOLOGIANS SOCIETY | Join us on Thursday evenings at White Lion Pub at 6:30 pm. We're studying St. Cyril of Jerusalem's Mystagogy. No theology degree needed; come to read and discuss the ancient wisdom of the Church and how it applies to our lives today. Next meeting dates are November 5th, and November 19th.

JOIN US FOR SUNG EVENING PRAYER at 5:15 pm on Thursdays before Evening Prayer at 5:30 pm. Our "singing school" is dedicated to praying the daily office through historic unison plainchant. All are welcome!

SAVE THE DATE: Handel's Messiah will be at 7 pm on Friday, December 4th, and at 3 pm on Saturday, December 7th. Tickets will be available soon.

PLEDGE SUNDAY AND WAFFLES | Waffle Sunday is back! Bring your pledge cards and join us on **November 15th for Pledge Sunday** and enjoy waffles after the 10:00 am service for one of our favorite Saint John's traditions. Bill and Tom, "the waffle guys", will be serving up their famous hot-off-the-griddle waffles with sausages on the side.



COME JOIN THE ADVENTURE | Fall is Scouting recruiting season, and Saint John's Sponsors two very good Scout Troops: Troop 153 for boys and Troop 2319 for Girls. Fall is a great time to join if you are 11 years old or older, so you can participate in a full year of activities and go to Camp next Summer. Both units meet at 7 PM on Monday nights and would welcome visitors at any meeting. The Scoutmaster of Troop 153 is Phil Richmond at 918-521-4921, and the Scoutmaster of Troop 2319 is Andrea Warner at 806-275-0004.

TULSA CHORALE CONCERT | The Tulsa Chorale Chamber Singers will present their fall concert on **Friday, November 13, at 7 pm** at Saint John's Episcopal Church. Their concert, titled A Portrait of Howells, will feature his Requiem, highlighted by a selection of his choral and organ works, featuring our very own organist, Hank Carrillo.

Remember those for whom prayers have been requested

Dee Dee Bernard
Christopher Beleele
Toni Brown
Jose Dario
Terri Dunbar
Will Dunbar
Cindy Edwards
Lane Edwards
Natalie Fischer
Clay Fowlkes
Austin Gold
Jane Grimshaw
Dwight Hardy
Shelton Mason
Linda McAininch
Pat Neal
Christy Poole
Casey Pugh
Marcia Ruotsinoja
Ron Saffa Family
Lyla Sawyer
Kacy Selby

John Stibbs
Fred & Jessica Stowell
Kurt Talmon
Terry Trower
Ann Tyler
Drake Wallace
Allison Warning
Nanci Williams
Judy Wright
Adam
Allison
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Cheryl
Chris
Dianne
Frank
Jerry
Judy

Kimberly
Larry
Lauren
Leslie
Mike
Matthew
Mike
Morgan
Phil
Robert
Thomas
Sharon
Sheila
Thomas
Vince

For Deployed Military:
Ashley and Chase
Alexander
Trace Personette

You can add a name to the Prayer List by calling the church office, (918) 742-7381
A name will be kept on the Prayer List for up to two months.

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