# Trinity Lutheran Church



November 3, 2024 All Saints Sunday

#### WELCOME

#### **OPENING HYMN:**

## O God, Our Help in Ages Past (ELW 632)



- 1 O God, our help in a ges past, our hope for years to come,
- 2 Un der the shad ow of your throne your saints have dwelt se cure;
- 3 Be fore the hills in or der stood or earth re ceived its frame, 4 A thou-sand a - ges in your sight are like an eve - ning gone,



shel-ter from the storm-y blast, and our e - ter - nal home: a - lone, and suf - fi - cient is your arm our de - fense is sure. from ev - er - last - ing you are God, to end-less years the same. short as the watch that ends the night be - fore the ris - ing sun.

- 5 Time, like an ever-rolling stream, bears all our years away; they fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the op'ning day.
- 6 O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, still be our guard while troubles last and our eternal home.

#### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Fling wide the temple gates!

Open up the ancient doors!

The mighty and glorious one is coming.

Who is this mighty and glorious one?

This is the Lord for whom we have waited.

Let us be glad and rejoice in God.

God has promised to make of us a new creation, laying to rest the former things, making all things new. Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

We pray together,

Almighty Lord and God, in Jesus Christ you came from heaven to dwell among us, calling us to be your faithful people. Yet we remain shrouded in sin—we hurt and disgrace ourselves; we abuse and destroy one another; we dishonor your holy name. Forgive us; unbind us and let us go so that we may stand among your saints, rejoicing in your saving grace; through Jesus Christ our redeemer. Amen

Listen! The one who is seated on the throne says:

See, I am making all things new.

And now it is finished! Hear the good news:

Thanks be to God.

#### **GREETING**

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.** 

#### **KYRIE**



#### NOW THE FEAST

God;

to make

all

things

new.



#### PRAYER OF THE DAY



Let us pray together.

God of all glory, we gather here today with the saints of every time and place to honor and praise your holy name.

As you have revealed your mercy and might to your faithful people in every age, so let us glimpse—even through our tears—the mystery of your life-giving grace and the love that even death cannot destroy; through Jesus Christ, Alpha and Omega. Amen.

#### FIRST READING: Isaiah 25:6-9

<sup>6</sup>On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear.

<sup>7</sup>And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; <sup>8</sup>he will swallow up death forever.

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth,

for the Lord has spoken.

<sup>9</sup>It will be said on that day,

Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us.

This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

#### **PSALM: Psalm 24**

<sup>1</sup>The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it, the world and those who dwell therein.

<sup>2</sup>For the Lord has founded it upon the seas and established it upon the rivers.

<sup>3</sup>Who may ascend the mountain of the Lord, and who may stand in God's holy place?

<sup>4</sup>Those of innocent hands and purity of heart, who do not swear on God's being, nor do they pledge by what is false.

<sup>5</sup>They shall receive blessing from the Lord and righteousness from the God of their salvation.

<sup>6</sup>Such is the generation of those who seek you, O Lord, of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob.

<sup>7</sup>Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O everlasting doors, that the King of glory may come in.

<sup>8</sup>Who is this King of glory?

The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle! <sup>9</sup>Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O everlasting doors, that the King of glory may come in.

<sup>10</sup>Who is this King of glory?

Truly, the Lord of hosts is the King of glory.

#### **SECOND READING: Revelations 21:1-6a**

<sup>1</sup>I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. <sup>2</sup>And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. <sup>3</sup>And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

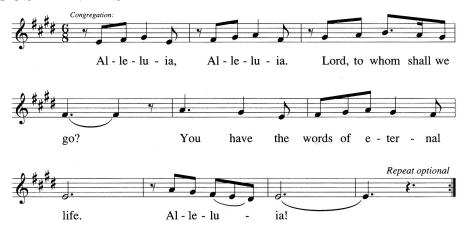
"See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away."

<sup>5</sup>And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." <sup>6</sup>aThen he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

#### **GOSPEL VERSE**



#### **GOSPEL: John 11:32-44**

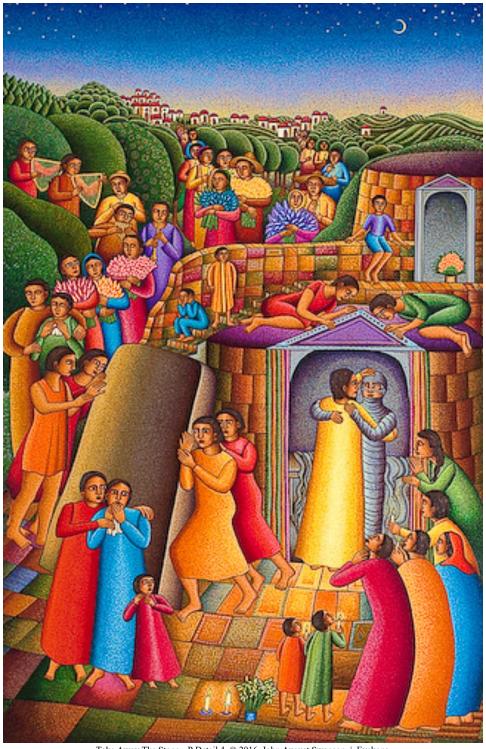
The holy gospel according to St. John the eleventh chapter. Glory to you, O Lord.

<sup>32</sup>When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." <sup>33</sup>When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. <sup>34</sup>He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." <sup>35</sup>Jesus began to weep. <sup>36</sup>So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" <sup>37</sup>But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

<sup>38</sup>Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. <sup>39</sup>Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." <sup>40</sup>Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" <sup>41</sup>So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. <sup>42</sup>I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." <sup>43</sup>When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" <sup>44</sup>The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

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

#### **SERMON**



Take Away The Stone - P Detail 4 © 2016 John August Swanson | Eyekons

#### SERMON HYMN: Day by Day (ELW 790)



- 1 Day by day,
- your mer-cies, Lord, at tend me,
- bring ing com fort I know you will pro - vide me 2 Day by day, strength to serve and
- 3 Oh, what joy to know that you are near me when my bur - dens



my anx-ious soul. wis - dom to o - bey; grow too great to bear; Day by day, the bless-ings, Lord, you send me I will seek your lov - ing will to guide me to know that you will hear me oh, what joy



draw me near - er to my heav'n-ly goal. Love di - vine, be-yond all o'er the paths I strug-gle day by day. I will fear no e - vil when I come, O Lord, to you in prayer. Day by day, no mat - ter



mor - tal mea - sure, the mor-row, what be - tide me,

brings to naught the bur-dens of my quest; Sav-ior, I will trust in your en - dur-ing grace. Sav-ior. you will hold me ev - er in your hand. Sav-ior.



lead me to the home I trea-sure, where at last I'll find e - ter - nal rest. help me bear life's pain and sor-row till in glo - ry I be-hold your face. with your pres-ence here to guide me, I will reach at last the prom-ised land.

#### APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,

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,

he is seated at the right hand of the Father,

and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

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. Amen.

#### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Watching for a new heaven, waiting for a new earth, we pray to the Lord.

As the lector closes each petition: O lord our God, have mercy,

The people respond:

and wipe away our tears.

As you have sustained your saints through centuries of service, keep us faithful, here and now, until vour will is done on earth as it is in heaven: in Jesus' name we pray.

Amen.

#### PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say, "Peace be with you," or similar words.

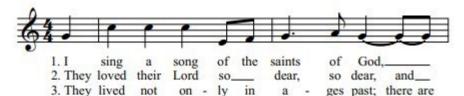
#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **OFFERING**

Please place offering in one of the Bulletin Stand offering plates at the end of worship as you leave the church.

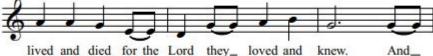
#### **OFFERTORY:**

I Sing a Song of the Saints of God (L. Scott)





pa - tient and brave and true, who\_\_ toiled and\_\_ fought and\_\_ his love\_\_ made themstrong; and they fol-lowed the right for\_\_ hun-dreds of thou-sands still. The\_\_ world is\_\_\_ bright with the



Je - sus' sake the whole of their good lives long.

joy - ous saints who love to do Je - sus' will.

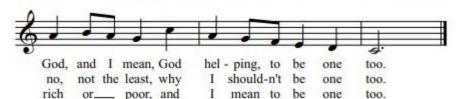
And\_ And\_ You can



one was a doc - tor, and one was a queen, and \_\_ one was a one was a sol -dier, and one was a priest, and \_\_ one was \_\_ meet them in school, on the street, in the store, in \_\_\_ church, by the



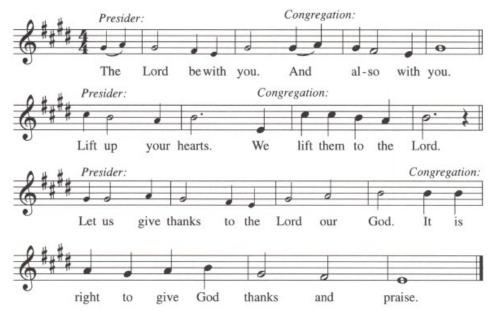
shep-herd ess on the green; they were all of them saints of \_\_\_\_ slain by a fierce wild beast; and there's not a - ny re - ason, \_\_\_ sea, in the house next door; they are saints of \_\_\_\_ God, whe-ther



#### OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray together.
The earth belongs to you, O God,
the world and all its people.
For the blessings of this life
and the gift of your salvation
we give you thanks and praise.
As you have sought us out to save us
help us to seek your face among our neighbors
so that all may know the wonder of your love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING



## **EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**

#### LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

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.

#### **LAMB OF GOD**



#### COMMUNION

White grape juice is available, and all altar bread is gluten-free. When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.

and each person may respond

Amen.

#### **COMMUNION HYMN:**

Shall We Gather at the River (ELW 423)

#### POST COMMUNION BLESSING

Now may the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God's grace. **Amen.** 

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray together.

We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life. In your mercy, strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### LITANY FOR ALL THE SAINTS

Let us remember those who have gone before us.

For those who lit our lives with joy, for those who have touched us with tenderness, for those whose loss fills us with longing, Holy God, within and among us, we give thanks in glad remembrance.

We celebrate those who have loved us for ourselves, looking with acceptance on all that we are, and cherishing us without condition or constraint.

Holy God, within and among us, we give thanks in glad remembrance.

We celebrate those who have stood alongside us, holding us in the depths of elation or despair, where words of joy or rescue fall silent. Holy God, within and among us, we give thanks in glad

remembrance.

We celebrate those who would not let us stand still, edging us gently into the open spaces of new understanding and delighted exploration.

Holy God, within and among us, we give thanks in glad remembrance.

We celebrate those who have challenged us to grow, perceiving all that we have in us to become and daring us to dream beyond our imagining.

Holy God, within and among us, we give thanks in glad remembrance.

We celebrate those who have traveled before us, showing us in their persistent courage and tenderness how to live in love, and die in faith and hope.

Holy God, within and among us, we give thanks in glad remembrance.

Here we remember those who have gone before us.

For those who lit our lives with joy, for those who have touched us with tenderness, for those whose loss fills us with longing, Holy God, within and among us, we give thanks in glad remembrance.

#### BLESSING

With a loud voice, Jesus said: Lazarus, come out! So he calls us now: to go forth in faith and love, living each day as a gift of God's grace.

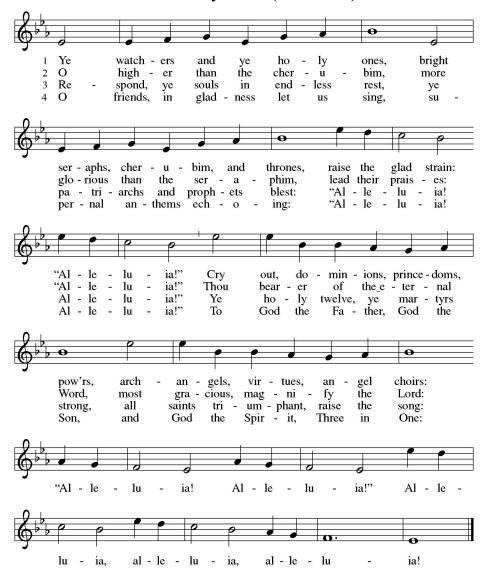
And may the 

Lord our God

 the Alpha and Omega, the first and the last. the beginning and the end—be with you this day and forevermore. Alleluia!

#### **SENDING HYMN:**

### Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones (ELW 424)



#### **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

## We give thanks in glad remembrance.

Jim Angle Phyllis Olsen Angle Lisanne Balcells-Baldwin

Leonard Baldwin

Alice Barnes

Jack Barnes

Eleanore Barrett

Frank Barrett

Margaret Birkholz

Peter Brentlinger

Bob Campbell

George Carl

**Betty Carstens** 

Frank Convers

Jim Conyers

Marie Conyers

Clinton Devin

Edna Devin

James Devin

Thomas Devin

Earl Duvall

Esther Duvall

Orpha Viken Edgar

Sally Solien Edgar

Sanford Edgar

Doris Eyestone

Darlene Flynn

Matthew Flynn

Tim Flynn

Elenore Gossett

Elizabeth Deely Greller

Isadore Greller

Herta Hanson

Werner Hanson

Emma Haug

Ann Hawkey

Carlene Hazlett

Walter Hazlett

Frank Hemsher

Barb Kissack

Jack Kollmar

Martha Kollmar

**Bob Lohmann** 

Janice Mae

Pauline Marie

Marilyn Martin

Norman Martin

**Bob Middleton** 

George Moen

Marilyn Moen

Olga Moen

Harold Neeman

Harold Nieman

Don Olsen, Sr

Rita Picherit

Shirley Puls

Steve Rabon

Catherine Rohr

Colin Timothy Rohr

Elmer Rohr

Ralph Arthur Rohr

Ann Sachse

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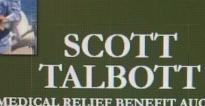
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Janet Talbott

Jim Talbott

George Thissell

Mary Lillian Thissell George Zenor



MEDICAL RELIEF BENEFIT AUCTION

@ Laramie Elks Lodge 103 S 2nd St., Laramie, WY

#### HOW YOU CAN HELP:

- -Attend & bid at the live auction
- -Bring a dessert to be sold
- -Positive thoughts & prayers

NOVEMBER

Saturday

Schedule of the Evening 5:00 Doors Open 5:30 Chili Supper 6:30 Dessert Auction & Live Auction Dance to Follow

Contact Information: Lindsay Ward 307-399-9862



**Trinity Happenings:** 

Sun, Nov 3: 9:00am All Saints Worship 10:15am Fellowship in Gruver Rm

Mon, Nov 4: 9:00am Becoming in Gruver Rm

5:00pm TheologyPub

@ Coal Creek Downtown

Wed, Nov 6: 10:00am Women's Bible Study in Gruver Rm

6:00pm Wednesday Meal in Gruver Rm 6:30pm Wednesday Worship in Gruver Rm

Thu, Nov 7: 11:30am MUGG Campus Meeting

@ Rendezvous Café

Fri, Nov 8: 5:00pm North Narthex Renovation Finished

Sat, Nov 9: 5:00pm Scott Talbott Medical Relief Auction

@ Laramie Elks, 103 S 2nd

Sun, Nov 10: 9:00am Worship Service w/ Band

9:00am Sunday School behind Gruver Rm

10:15am Fellowship in Gruver Rm

10:15am Ministry Visioning in Sanctuary

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# **Serving in Worship**

<u>TODAY — Nov 3, 2024</u> <u>NEXT SUNDAY — Nov 10, 2024</u>

Altar: James Apronti
Reader: Lisa Guarnieri
Communion Assistant:

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