

Email Blast for November 3



## **ALL SAINTS SUNDAY**

### **Kent Memorial Lutheran Church**

184 Sunset Hill Drive  
Sunrise Beach, Missouri 65079

**The Rev. Edward L. Foster, Pastor**

**November 3, 2024**

Hearing God's Call & Responding in Love,  
We Share Jesus With All!

#### **FROM PASTOR ED**

This Sunday we will celebrate All Saints Sunday. It is a particularly special day in the life of the Church. We remember our loved ones who have passed away, those people who have been saints in our lives, and God's promise of salvation. We remember all of the other saints as well, those people whose faith has proclaimed the Good News of Jesus throughout the generations. We remember God's call to be saints ourselves, not perfect people, but people whose faith blesses others. Mixed into to all of this is the promise of God's abiding love that transforms our lives with grace and hope and faith, assuring us that we are not alone and that our future is secure. We belong to God. We are saints because God has set us apart and made us holy. All Saints Sunday is particularly special for it proclaims the very heart of the Gospel, for those we love, for those we have lost, and for us ourselves.

Join us for Trunk or Treat if you would like.

Have a glorious week,  
God bless you all, Pastor Ed

**OUR 10:00 a.m. WORSHIP IS AVAILABLE VIA ZOOM:**

To join a worship service, please contact the church at 573-374-5267 for assistance.

## Welcome to Worship

Of all three years of the lectionary cycle, this year's All Saints readings have the most tears. Isaiah and Revelation look forward to the day when God will wipe away all tears; in John's gospel, Jesus weeps along with Mary and all the gathered mourners before he demonstrates his power over death. On All Saints Day we celebrate the victory won for all the faithful dead, but we grieve for our beloved dead as well, knowing that God honors our tears. We bring our grief to the table and find there a foretaste of Isaiah's feast to come.

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**Prelude** *Amazing Grace / How Firm a Foundation* Joyce Wanamaker  
*You are invited to use this time of musical offering to prepare for worship, to open yourself to God, our Father, his Son, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit, present in this place.*

**A Litany of Remembering** *For All Your Saints* ELW #427  
(Sing verse 1)

P: With grateful hearts, O Lord,

**C: we remember before you this day**

P: our ancestors of long ago, that great company of "heroes of faith" whose living trust in you, recorded in your sacred Word, becomes the inspiration for our own.

**C: Inspire us by their memory, O Lord,**

P: to hear your Word with faithful hearts as they once did and, hearing, to obey with Spirit-driven trust in you and dedication to your will.

(verse 2)

P: With grateful hearts, O Lord,

**C: we remember before you this day**

P: your faithful followers of every age--among them our own mothers and fathers, pastors and teachers--called, gathered, enlightened, and sanctified by the Holy Spirit's guiding to be your holy Church, by whose faithful witness the Gospel of your grace has reached at last even to us.

**C: Inspire us by their memory, O Lord,**

P: to be your Church indeed, here and wherever you would send us in your service, that by faithful words and loving deeds we may pass on the gift of life in Jesus Christ that conquers even death.

(verse 3)

P: With grateful hearts, O Lord,

**C: We remember before you this day**

P: the founders of our own nation and our ancestors who left their homes abroad to serve you in freedom here, and those who gave their lives that we might live in peace here in this land of liberty.

**C: Inspire us by their memory, O Lord,**

P: that we may live together in true harmony as your children, striving to preserve and share with everyone your gracious gifts of peace and freedom, justice and equality, and all that is our favored heritage.

(verse 4)

P: With grateful hearts, O Lord,

**C: we remember before you this day...**

P: our own loved ones whose memories still burn within our hearts, whom you have called in your good time from their labors in life to that life which knows no end.

**C: Inspire us by their memory, O Lord,**

P: to carry on their work in this our day, caring for the sick and grieving, the hungry and homeless, the lost and lonely, until at length you call us too, by your great grace in Jesus Christ, to join them there where memories are swallowed up in everlasting joy!

(verse 5)

**Sharing of the Peace** (We share the words, "Peace be with you" with one another.)

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

**Liturgy Setting 4**

ELW p. 147

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

**Kyrie**

**Canticle of Praise:** This is the feast

ELW p. 149

**Prayer of the Day**

**All: 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.**

**Children's Sermon**

Pastor Ed

**Anthem**

*Be Still, My Soul*

Kent Choir

**First Reading**

Isaiah 25:-9

Old Testament

L: The Word of the Lord

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 24** (congregation reads responsively)

<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**

Revelation 21:1-6a

New Testament

L: The Word of the Lord

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Announcement**

Pastor Ed Foster

P: The gospel according to John, the eleventh chapter

**C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

**Gospel Reading**

John 11:32-44

New Testament

P: The Gospel of the Lord

**C: Praise to you, O Christ**

**Sermon**

Pastor Ed Foster

**Hymn of the Day**

*For All the Saints*

ELW # 422, v. 1, 3, 6 & 7

**Profession of Faith–Nicene Creed**

**We believe in one God,**

**the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,**

**the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation**

**he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary  
and became truly human.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven**

**and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,**

**who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,**

**and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**The Prayers**

P: Merciful God,

**C: receive our prayer.**

**Reception of Offerings** *Please fill out the red friendship pad and pass it to your neighbor.*

**Offertory**

*Each Life That Touches Ours For Good*

Joyce Wanamaker

**Offering Prayer**

P: Lord Jesus, our portion and our cup,

**C: you offered yourself in love for the world, and in this meal you nourish us with your life. Fill us with your abundance, that we may feed the hungry and welcome the stranger, trusting in your name. Amen.**

**Celebration of the Saints**

P: This morning we remember and honor those of our Kent Memorial family who have died since last All Saints Sunday. In their memory, we now reverently give thanks to God.

*Kyrie Eleison* (Lord, have mercy)

ELW # 155

**Don Tyler**, who passed from this life on March 17, 2022. This rose of remembrance is placed on the altar.

**Bill Lagergren**, who passed from this life on February 11, 2024. This rose of remembrance is placed on the altar.

*Kyrie*

**Stephen Kralina**, who passed from this life on February 18, 2024. This rose of remembrance is placed on the altar.

*Kyrie*

**Mike Page**, who passed from this life on September 16, 2024. This rose of remembrance is placed on the altar.

*Kyrie*

**Marcia Heald**, who passed from this life on August 24, 2024. This rose of remembrance is placed on the altar.

*Kyrie*

P: We now also remember some of our loved ones and friends who have died during this past year, and in their memory we now reverently give thanks to God and place a rose of remembrance on the altar.

Guy Barnett

Sue Doene

Betty Buss

Barbara Hall

Jerry Buss

Scott Hamilton

Maureen Buzbee

Jim Marco

Carlene Chubbuck

Virgil Norris

Lance Craft

Doris Peterson

**Holy, Holy, Holy**

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Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of power 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**

*Holy Communion is the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ given with bread and wine, instituted by Christ himself for us to eat and drink. Communion is open to all who believe that Jesus Christ is our savior. Children who do not commune may come forward for a blessing. You may commune in place using a communion kit, if preferred.*

## **Lamb of God**

### **Communion Hymns**

*Be Thou My Vision  
When Peace Like a River  
Shall We Gather at the River*

ELW # 793  
ELW # 785  
ELW # 423

## **Post-Communion Prayer**

## **Benediction**

## **Announcements**

### **Sending Hymn**

*The Church's One Foundation*

ELW # 654, v. 1, 3 & 5

## **The Dismissal**

**P:** Hearing God's call and responding in love,

**C:** we share Jesus with all!

## **Postlude**

*For All the Saints*

Joyce Wanamaker

## **Fellowship Time**

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

## WORSHIP LEADERS

Pastor .....	Ed Foster
Organist/Pianist .....	Joyce Wanamaker
Choir Director .....	Tracy Garrett
Handbells Director.....	Toni Wagner
Altar Guild.....	Karole Karls
Greeters/Ushers .....	Judy Ward, Melba Bangert
Liturgist .....	Al Mohling
Lector.....	Sally Burke
Sound & Zoom Technician.....	Mike Ward

## COMING THIS WEEK

November 3-10

Today		ALL SAINTS SUNDAY
	8:30 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal
	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School & Bible Study for all ages
	10:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion (live-streamed)
	11:00 a.m.	Fellowship (coffee & donuts)
		Handbells Rehearsal
	12:00 p.m.	Set Up for Concerts
Monday	9:30 a.m.	Evangelism
	7:00 p.m.	Symphony of the Magic Dragon Concert
Tuesday		ELECTION DAY
	9:30 a.m.	Altar Guild
	10:00 a.m.	WELCA Crafts
	11:00 a.m.	WELCA Meeting
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Evening Bible Study
Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
	6:30 p.m.	Lake Jazz Band Rehearsal
Saturday	7:00 p.m.	Lake Jazz Band Concert
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal
	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School & Bible Study for all ages
	10:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion (live-streamed)
	11:00 a.m.	Annual Meeting & Potluck

## ✠ *Prayer Concerns* ✠

### OUR MEMBERS

Maxine Williams  
Liz  
Donald Brumm  
Marsha Gust

Geri Riley  
Stan Field  
Pat Embich  
Jim Gilbert

Joel Hellman  
Gene Page

### OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Mary Ann Carter  
Brandon Rodewald  
Doug Jones  
Sal Caudill  
Patrick Parkhurst  
Kevin Hayes

Linda Moore  
Kenny Mullins  
Cindy Holm  
Kirk McLaughlin  
Stacy Carey  
Ryan Dilhman

Trudy Hamilton  
Dianne Steingrubey  
Wayne Jackson  
Gil Wilde  
Tamara McClain  
Jeanne Hines

Mike Holmes  
Steve Hughes

Vicki Sawyer  
Marcille Bohling

### **CONTINUED PRAYERS**

Julie (Ziehl) Anderson  
Evan Beaupre  
Michelle Becker  
Jessica Birdsong  
Cindy Campbell  
Shirley Clark  
Evelyn Clements  
Chuck Cuthbertson  
Mary Beth Fair  
Ron Ferguson  
Stacey Fleck

Al Gann  
Ken Gerardy  
Carla Glusing  
Ruth Goddard & family  
CF Huff  
Teresa Joslin  
Linda Kimberling  
Ed Krueger  
Blanch Lacroix  
Jennifer Pedersen  
Jodi (Ziehl) Redmond

Ron Roberts  
Marcia Robbins  
Michele Schafer  
Dave Shaver  
Karen Thompson  
Karen Tischnor  
Theresa White  
Bernie Wiegel  
Jerry Williams

### **REMEMBERING THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY**

Christopher Babcock  
Eric Blomberg  
Ben Brammeier  
Shade Bullock  
Salathiel (Sal) Caudill  
Dylan Craig

Aaron Davis  
Tanner Glodt  
Kristine Hubbard  
Jason Ites  
Jason Judge  
Adam Kralina

Matt Lee  
Jordan Lindeman  
Glenn Maddock  
Tristan Morgan  
Adam Peterson

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR NOVEMBER 3**

### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

#### **Kent Memorial Annual Meeting**

**Sunday November 10, 2024**

#### **Immediately Following Worship**

We will approve last year's minutes, Pastor and Council President Jim Mellody will have short messages followed with election of Council Members, approval of our 2025 Budget, and updating our Constitution.

A potluck luncheon will follow the meeting.

Printed copies of the budget, recommended constitution changes & agenda are now available in the Gathering Place & fellowship hall.

**WELCOME TO KENT MEMORIAL** Thank you for worshipping with us this morning. Communion is open to all who believe that Jesus Christ is our Savior. We invite you to stay for coffee and fellowship (and donuts!) after the service. If you are visiting for the first time or searching for a church home, please include your address and phone number on the Red Friendship Pad and let us know. First time here? Please introduce yourself to Pastor at the end of the service.

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** are given by Pat Poretta & Wendy Blomberg in memory of Dick Burkard & Joan Anderson.

**THANKSGIVING FOR THE KIDS** Kent is again helping the families at Hurricane Deck Elementary with their Thanksgiving meal. We will be looking for:



- Instant Mashed Potatoes
- Stuffing Mix
- Green Bean Casserole (green beans, cream of mushroom soup, French fried onions)
- Gravy-jar, can, or package
- Sweet Potatoes
- Corn / Creamed corn

We'll purchase turkey, milk, and butter with the Buddy Pack Funds. As you bring items in, please put them in the Thanksgiving food tub and mark on the chart what you have brought. Things will need to be here by Sunday, Nov. 17 as there is no school the entire week of Thanksgiving. Thank you for your support.

**SYMPHONY OF THE MAGIC DRAGON IN CONCERT** Come hear four ensembles on Monday, November 4, 7pm, here at Kent Memorial. For more information, ask Sally Burke.

**LAKE JAZZ BAND IN CONCERT AT KENT** On Saturday, November 9, the Lake Jazz Band will entertain with lots of swing, jazz and Latin big band tunes. The concert begins at 7pm.

**WELCA** will have its monthly business meeting on Tuesday, November 5, at 11 A.M. We will be meeting in the sanctuary because of the election. Please remember to bring your Thankoffering envelope with you.

**KENT MEMORIAL'S ANNUAL MEETING IS NOVEMBER 10** The 2024 Annual Meeting will be held after worship, followed by a potluck brunch/lunch. We will vote on the 2025 budget, our new council members and a change to the Kent By-Laws. The agenda, minutes from the 2023 meeting, the proposed 2025 budget and the proposed change to our constitution will be emailed to members and be available to pick up by October 27.

**A DAY OF CARING, A DAY OF SHARING** St. Anthony parish community will again host a free, sit down Thanksgiving Day Dinner for those in our area who would enjoy having a holiday meal with others. The dinner, our 19<sup>th</sup>, will be held in St. Anthony church lower level on Thanksgiving Day (Nov. 28) from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. We are reaching out to shut-ins, the homeless, those who are alone or anyone who simply would like to be with others on this special day. The free dinner will feature roast turkey and all the trimmings. Deliveries are available to the homebound in Camdenton (west to Macks Creek, east to Y Road and north to the first bridge on Highway 5). For more information contact Kate Hodel at 913.526.5900. For deliveries contact Jared Spiers at 573.434.6916.

**ENCHANTED VILLAGE OF LIGHTS** Volunteers are needed to help set up Laurie's Enchanted Village of Lights in the City Park. If you want to spend some time outside enjoying the fall weather, and help the community, contact Susann Huff, 573-216-9358.

**SAVE THE DATE!!! Saturday, November 30** The members of Our Savior's, Jefferson City, would like to invite you and your congregation to a Retirement Celebration for Pastor Scott and Debbie Musselman, Saturday, November 30, from 2 -5 pm, at Our Savior's, 1529 Southwest Blvd! More details to follow.

**COMMUNITY FOR CHRIST PANTRY** The CFC food pantry has been especially busy! We totally understand that food costs have gone up for everyone, and now in our community the need for our food pantry has more than doubled. We would greatly appreciate any food/paper/cleaning items that can be donated. Here is a list that might help:

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| • Canned Fruit & Veggies          | • Cleaning supplies              |
| • Canned Tuna & Chicken           | • Shampoo for family             |
| • Boxed Meals, Potatoes, Dressing | • Body Wash for family           |
| • Soups / Beans / Canned Tomatoes | • Deodorant for Men & Women      |
| • Cereal (hot or cold)            | • Can Openers (for the homeless) |
| • Taco / Chili Seasoning          |                                  |

Bring your donations to church and put them in the big blue box in the narthex outside of Pastor's office.