All Saints’ / All Souls’ Sunday
November 6, 2022
10:30 AM   Holy Eucharist
Prelude

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant: Blessed be the One, Holy, and Living God.
People: Glory to God for ever and ever.

A Litany of Saints

Celebrant: Dear people of God, on this most holy day let us join our voices with that great cloud of witnesses that has gone before.

Cantor: Abraham and Sarah, Isaac and Rebecca, Jacob and Rachel and Leah, holy ones present at our beginnings, makers of the covenant:
Pray with us, pray with us

Elizabeth and Simeon, Joseph, Monica and Helen, exemplars in the love and care of children:
Pray with us, pray with us

John the baptizer, map-maker of the Lord's coming:
Pray with us, pray with us

Thomas the doubter; Augustine of Canterbury; travelers who carried the Gospel to distant places:
Pray with us, pray with us

John and Charles Wesley, preachers in the streets; Martin Luther, church reformer:
Pray with us, pray with us

Paul and James, the Apostles; Ambrose of Milan; Hilda, abbess at Whitby; faithful shepherds of the Master's flock:
Pray with us, pray with us
Luke the physician; Florence Nightingale; Albert Schweitzer; who brought to the sick and suffering, the hands of healing:

Pray with us, pray with us

Frederick Douglass; Sojourner Truth; Harvey Milk; who fought for justice for all people:
Pray with us, pray with us

Johann Sebastian Bach; Duke Ellington; John Coltrane; holy ones who made the proclaiming of God’s love a work of art, and praised the Creator in the language of the soul:
Pray with us, pray with us

Stephen the deacon, stoned in Jerusalem; Perpetua and Felicity, torn by beasts in the arena at Carthage; Thomas Cranmer, Hugh Latimer and Nicholas Ridley, burned in Oxford; holy ones who died in witness to the Christ:
Pray with us, pray with us

Maximilian Kolbe and Edith Stein, put to death at Auschwitz; Martin Luther King, shot in Memphis; Oscar Romero, shot in San Salvador:
Pray with us, pray with us

Holy ones of every time and place; Glorious company of heaven; all climbers of the ladder of Paradise; all runners of the celestial race; great cloud of witnesses:
Pray with us, pray with us

Mary most holy, chief of the saints; Mary most holy, yes-sayer to God; Mary most holy, gate of heaven and ark of the covenant:
Pray with us, pray with us

God the Almighty, creator of all:
Pray with us, pray with us

Jesus our liberator, redeemer of all:
Pray with us, pray with us

Spirit most Holy, sanctifier of all:
Pray with us, pray with us

In glory everlasting, the alpha and the omega, the beginning and the end:
Pray with us, pray with us
OPENING HYMN  H287  For all the saints, who from their labors rest

1 For all the saints, who from their labors rest, who
2 Thou vast their rock, their fortress, and their might:
3 O blessed communion, fellowship divine!
4 For all the saints, who from their labors rest, who

Their one Name, O Jesus, be forever blessed.

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.
FIRST LESSON   Daniel 7:1-3,15-18

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: "As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom for ever—for ever and ever."

Lector: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

THE PSALM   Psalm 149   Cantate Domino

1 Hallelujah!  
   Sing to the LORD a new song; *  
   sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.
2 Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; *  
   let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.
3 Let them praise his Name in the dance; *  
   let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.
4 For the LORD takes pleasure in his people *  
   and adorns the poor with victory.
5 Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; *  
   let them be joyful on their beds.
6 Let the praises of God be in their throat *  
   and a two-edged sword in their hand;
7 To wreak vengeance on the nations *  
   and punishment on the peoples;
8 To bind their kings in chains *  
   and their nobles with links of iron;
9 To inflict on them the judgment decreed; *  
   this is glory for all his faithful people.  
   Hallelujah!
SECOND READING    Ephesians 1:11-23

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Lector:    The Word of the Lord.
People:   Thanks be to God.

All stand and sing before and after the Gospel is read.

HYMN    Hallelujah (Zimbabwe)

Al-le-lu-ia!  Al-le-lu-ia!  Al-le-lu-ia!  Al-le-lu-ia!

People:  Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus looked up at his disciples and said:

"Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.
"Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.
"Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.
"Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets."

"But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.
"Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.
"Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.
"Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

"But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

JAZZ RESPONSE
THE NICENE CREED

Please rise, in body or in spirit.

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,
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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

United in the company of all the faithful
and looking for the coming of the kingdom,
let us offer our prayers to God, the source of all life and holiness.
Lord, in your mercy
hear our prayer.

In every age you have raised up holy women and men
to reflect the light of Christ and to teach us the way of holiness.
Lord, in your mercy
hear our prayer.
Hasten, Lord, the day when people will come from east and west, from north and south, and sit at table in your kingdom, and we shall see your Son in his glory.

We lift up the Episcopal Church in Connecticut: Trinity, Wethersfield; St Paul’s, Willimantic; St Matthew’s, Wilton. And we pray for the Church of England in the worldwide Anglican Communion. Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

We pray for our community of St PJs, that God will protect us with her compassion. We especially lift up Susan, Alene, Brian, Doug, baby Jasper, John, Leslie and Tom, Michael, Nanci, Tim, and Tom. We also remember those whom we name now… Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

God of all comfort, we pray to you for those we love but see no longer. Let light perpetual shine upon them; and give courage, constancy and hope to all who mourn. Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

Celebrant: We give you thanks for the whole company of your saints in glory, with whom in fellowship we join our prayers and praises; by your grace may we, like them, be made perfect in your love. Blessing and glory and wisdom, thanks giving and honor and power, be to our God for ever and ever. AMEN. (adapted from with saintly shout and solemn jubilee: A festival service celebrating God’s Saints in words and music)

Please rise, in body or in spirit.

THE PEACE
Celebrant: La paz del Senor sea siempre con ustedes. People: Y con tu espíritu.
Celebrant: The peace of Christ be always with you. People: And also with you.
The people greet one another with a sign of God’s peace and then are seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR A BIRTHDAY
O God, our times are in your hands: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants, especially Claire, Pastor Stacey, Steve, and Malik as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.
Celebrant: We celebrate this Eucharist in memory of those in our extended parish family who transitioned to new life within the past 12 months.

Reading of names honoring those who have died in the past year

(baby) Wilder Crowson
Sally Edwards
Joanie Gillette
Kate Holbrook
Edgardo Macalintal
The Rev. Lee McGee-Street
The Rev. Wayne Pokorny
Jill Meredith Strawn
Ramona Vega
Wilma Whitley
Steven Zichichi
Vincent James Zichichi
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING    Enriching Our Worship, Prayer 2

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.
People: We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant: We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing.

You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a parent caring for children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love.

And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

Celebrant and People:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (Land of Rest)

The Celebrant continues

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor.

He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.
On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at the table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them and said: “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.” As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: “Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with Paul and James and all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world. Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. AMEN.

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

THE LORD’S PRAYER

**O** UR Father in heaven,

hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those  
who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial,  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. AMEN.

**P** ADRE nuestro  
que estás en los cielos  
Santificado sea tu Nombre  
Venga tu reino  
Hágase tu voluntad  
En la tierra como en el cielo  
Danos hoy el pan de este día y  
perdona nuestras deudas  
como nosotros perdonamos  
nuestros deudores  
y no nos dejes caer en al tentación  
sino que líbranos del mal.  
Porque tuyo es el reino,  
tuyo es el poder, y tuya es la  
Gloria, ahora y por siempre. AMEN.
THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD
The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread and a period of silence is kept.
Celebrant: We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.
People: We who are many are one body, for we share in the one bread.

Celebrant: 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.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN H325 Let us break bread together

1 Let us break bread together on our knees;
2 Let us drink wine together on our knees;
3 Let us praise God together on our knees;

Refrain
when I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun,

Let us break bread together on our knees;
Let us drink wine together on our knees;
Let us praise God together on our knees;

O Lord, have mercy on me.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION
Please rise, in body or in spirit.

Celebrant and People:
Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacraments of Christ’s Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. AMEN.
BLESSING

Celebrant: My dear saints in the making. The blessing of God Almighty, Creator, Redeemer, and Renewer of life, be upon each and every one of you, this day and forevermore. AMEN.

CLOSING HYMN

H618 Ye watchers and ye holy ones

1 Ye watchers and ye holy ones, bright seraphs, cherubim, and thrones, raise the glad strain, Alleluia! Cry out, dominions, prince-doms, powers, virtues, archangels, angels' bearers of the eternal Word, most gracious, magnify the God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit, Three in

2 O higher than the cherubim, more glorious than the seraphim, lead their praises, Alleluia! Thou choirs, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

3 O friends, in gladness let us sing, supernal anthems

Unison

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!
DISMISSAL

Celebrant: Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, Alleluia!
People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

“When the saints go marching in”

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(baby) Wilder Crowson 8/1/2022 (Steve Crowson’s great nephew)
David and his wife Norma Crowson (Steve Crowson’s brother & sister-in-law)
Sally Edwards 9/24/22 (good friend of several at PJs)
Joanie Gillette 6/18/22 (former parishioner)
Kate Holbrook 8/20/22 (Brian Fillmore's cousin)
Jonathan Ireland (Agatha Evans Zichichi)
Edgardo Macalintal (Michael Libunao-Macalintal’s Uncle)
The Rev. Lee McGee-Street 2/21/22 (former Rector of PJs)
The Rev Nancy Platt (friend of Steve Crowson)
The Rev. Wayne Pokorny 11/12/21 (former husband of a parishioner)
Jill Meredith Strawn 12/2/21
Ramona Vega 6/1/22 (Vanessa's grandmother)
Wilma Whitley 12/26/21
Steven Zichichi 3/11/22 (Aggie’s young nephew)
Vincent James Zichichi 7/8/2022 (Aggie's godfather and uncle)
ALL SAINTS’ / ALL SOULS’ SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 6, 2022

Celebrant & Preacher:
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ST. PJ’S COVID-19 POLICY

As cases and hospitalizations continue to drop, we are paying attention to changing trends and guidelines, including the lifting of mask mandates in various places. However, as God’s community, we are called to lift up the most vulnerable among us. Because we have parishioners with compromised immune systems, as well as babies who are too young to get vaccinated, we will continue to wear masks at all times within the church for the time being. Mask wearing will return to being optional for readers, preachers, and celebrants while they are speaking.

Please be aware that by attending church, you are participating in our live stream, which means you may appear in a video that is saved on our Facebook page.

BAKERS OR WANNABES

“Calling all bakers or wannabes, we will be using bread for our Eucharist. Pastor Stacey has baked most of the bread we have had so far. We need bakers as we are grateful that Pastor Stacey consecrates the bread we bring. We have a simple recipe that I will be happy to supply. Please let me know either by phone, (203) 605-2811 or email mjb.bergen@gmail.com.

SHARE A PRAYER

“Go out into the world in peace; have courage; hold onto what is good; return no one evil for evil; strengthen the faint hearted; support the weak and help the suffering; honor all people; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.”

(Evangelical Lutheran Church of America)
**PRAYERS & THANKSGIVINGS**

We pray for the souls of the faithful departed and their families and friends.

Blessed are they who die in the Lord; even so saith the Spirit for they rest from their labors.

**BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

We give thanks for the birthdays and anniversaries of members, friends, and supporters of the St. PJ’s community.

Claire Cody (11/11)
Pastor Stacey Kohl (11/11)
Steve Crowson (11/12)
Malik Joyner (11/12)

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing...
-Romans 15:13

**ST. PJ’S PRAYER LIST**

The list reflects prayer requests for those who are homebound, or who have long-term concerns. During the Prayers of the People we read aloud the names of those who are experiencing acute illness or distress.

Charles Amore
Charles Harris
Jennifer Nelson & Marilyn Nelson
Gary & Susan Sapp
Gwen Chapin
Hanne Howard
Henry Noyes
Nanci Perez
Leota Tucker
Martha
Tiras Jaske
Rev. Harlon Dalton
Pam Sayre
Alene Tate
Edwina Johnson
Marcia Smith
Martin O’Brien
Andrew, Anastasia & Katherine Oghy
Kori Menefee
Theresa Kovacs
Susan & Edd Eldridge
baby Jasper
Jeremy
Misha
Herman Mukwaya
Ryan
Isaiah Colville
Ryan & Codi Welch
Lola Layman
Harriet Baskerville
Judy
Liz Smith
Tony & Mary
Wildrich
Cynthia King
Elizabeth Price
Tom Caffelle
Susan Yates
Karl Mini
Al Cimino
Brian Fillmore
Tim Barnes
Doug Parker
Michael
Leslie & Tom
Thurmon Whitley

**OUR STAFF**

The Rev. Stacey Kohl, Priest-in-Charge
William Cleary, Director of Music
Tudy Hill, Minister of Pastoral Care
Susan Yates, Liturgist
Crystal Gooding, Parish Administrator
Samuel Rodriguez, Sexton

The Rev. Steve Crowson, Priest Associate

**OUR VESTRY**

Wardens: Brian Fillmore, Claire Cody
Treasurer: David Hill
Clerk: Maggie King

David Tate
Nate Solberg
Agatha Zichichi-Evans

Lynne Severance
Maggie King
Max Clayton

Bill Evans
Marilyn Bergen
Vanessa Gonzalez-Rivera