

Sunday, November 2, 2025 All Saints Sunday 10:00 a.m.



"Jesus Comes Down"

Pastor Erik Allen





WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude "For All the Saints" Jan Bender

Announcements

Gathering Song Great is the Lord

Call to Worship

- P: In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of the one who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will.
- C: Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song; sing praise in the assembly of the faithful.
- P: So that we, who set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory.
- C: Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song; sing praise in the assembly of the faithful.
- P: The holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess it forever, forever and ever.
- C: Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song; sing praise in the assembly of the faithful.
- P: The peace of the Lord be with you always!
- C: And also with you.

(pass the peace as you feel comfortable)

Song Meekness and Majesty

Call to Confession

- P: In the name of God the Father of glory; In the name of God the, ♥ Son, our Redeemer; In the name of God the holy and life-giving Spirit.
- C: Amen.
- P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

(Silence is kept for reflection.)

- P: Gracious God,
- C: We acknowledge that we are sinners and we confess our sins—those known to us that burden our hearts, and those unknown to us but seen by you. We know that before you nothing remains hidden, and in you everything is revealed. Free us from the slavery of sin; liberate us from the bondage of guilt; and work in us that which is pleasing in your sight; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen
- P: With a heart full of mercy and compassion, God saves us and ℜ forgives us all our sins. Christ, The dawn from on high, shines upon us and by the light of the Holy Spirit guides our feet into the way of peace.
- C: Amen.

Prayer of the Day

- P: 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.
- C: Amen.

All Saints Recognition

P: Let us give thanks to God for all the saints of our lives and the witness they have shared with us even as we continue to walk the journey of faith and make our way to the glory that God is preparing for all of us.

Let us pray.

Eternal God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, we praise you for the saints of all times and places who have walked the road of faith before us and beside us. For their witness to your love and their commitment to your justice, for their trust in your mercy regardless of the circumstance, we give you thanks and praise.

Keep us grateful for their witness, and like them, eager to follow in the way of Christ. Then at the last, bring us together to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

C: Lord, we give you heartfelt thanks for the grace you have bestowed upon these your servants, who have finished their course in faith and now rest from their labors.

The names of those who have died in the past year are spoken before the Lord as chimes are rung.

King of Glory Disciples

Wes Bucher Pat Hof George Nelson Carole Rahn

Family & Friends of King of Glory Disciples

Chris Bucher, Lee's Son and Sarah, Rachel and Josh's Brother

Andrew T. Carson, Jimmy Carson's Brother

Beth Celli, Mary Krohn's Sister

Mark Holmer, Pastor Erik Allen's Uncle

Irma Kudrecki, Julie DeWitt's Grandmother

William (Bill) Ryan, Friend of the Bucher and Lillard families

Brian Schmidt, Friend of the Lillard family

Carolyn Schriner, Jodi Behlmer's Friend

Hannah (Penny) Schroder, Jackie Ewing's mother,

Erika Vanderveen's Grandmother and Kate, Megan & Samantha's Great Grandmother

Valerie and Ellie Schwartz

Peter Wild, Pam Gottwald's Dad

Joyce Paetzel, Donna Frazier's Cousin

Michelle Wehrman, Aunt of Sarah Lillard, sister-in-law of Lee Bucher

- P: Into Your hands we commend them, O merciful Savior, sheep of Your own fold, lambs of Your own flock, sinners of Your own redeeming.
- C: Rest eternal grant them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.

Please be seated

Lesson

Ephesians 1:11-23

Gospel

Luke 6:20-31

Children's Message

Pastor Erik

Sermon

"Jesus Comes Down"

Pastor Erik

Hymn

For All the Saints, O Lord

ELW 427

The Apostles' Creed

please be seated

The Offering

On the 1st Sunday of the month we collect a special offering for World Hunger through ELCA. Baskets are available for your gifts on the front row as you come up for Communion or you may give online at kogcarmel.org/give

Anthem

"Be My God"

R. Kevin Boesiger

Offertory Prayer

- P: God of healing and hope, you bless those who are hungry, promising to fill them with good things. Fulfill that promise through us and these your gifts. Nourish us with the abundance of your feast and unite us into the blessed body of Jesus Christ our Savior, now and forever.
- C: Amen.

Prayers of the Church (the congregation joins in speaking the first names of those for whom we pray.)

Members: Robin, Marion, Kelly, Jeff, Lee, John & Marj, Vickie

Family & Friends: Ken, Dana, Marie, Debbie, Diane, Brenda, Kate, Wendy, Kathy, Mary, Carol, Susan, Bob

Communion

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

C: Our 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 forever. Amen!

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Distribution

All the baptized who seek the blessings of Christ's true body and blood in the bread and wine of Holy Communion are welcome. Those who do not wish to receive may come forward for a blessing. Please let your server know if you desire a gluten-free wafer.

Benediction

- P: May God who loves us, who gives us eternal consolation and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word; And the blessing of almighty God, Father, ♣ Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you forever.
- C: Amen!

Song For All the Saints ELW 422

Sending

P: Go in peace. Christ is with you!

C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude "For All Your Saints, O Lord" Theodore Beck

Please join us in Fellowship Hall, on the lower level, for tasty fall treats! (An elevator is available for anyone with concerns using stairs)