



St. Andrews-Covenant

Presbyterian Church | PC (USA)

Welcome to Worship! | November 6, 2022 | All Saints Sunday

It is good you are here! Please silence all electronic devices.

GATHERING

Prelude *Elegy*

G.T. Thalben-Bell

Welcome

***Call to Worship**

Leader: We are here to follow Jesus—

People: with fumbling steps,

Leader: and questioning minds,

People: with open hands,

Leader: and pierced hearts,

People: with joy for each other,

Leader: and gratitude to God.

People: Let us follow Jesus. Let us Worship God.

***Gathering Prayer**

***Hymn No. 409** *God Is Here!*

Prayer of Confession

God of creation, we keep messing things up. Forgive us for what we do, and for all the things we let happen. We ignore Jesus and sometimes we make bad decisions. We swear and sometimes we try to get revenge. Forgive us for war, for fighting over stupid things, and for the bullying and shootings in our schools. Forgive us for the fact that racism, global warming and suicide are things that exist in our world. Forgive us for our lack of respect for others, and our lack of respect of you. We ask all of this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

***Sung Response No. 581** *Glory Be to the Father*

***Sharing the Peace of Christ**

Leader: The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Anthem *Lord, I Need You*

Henry Smith

WORD

Scripture Reading: Genesis 1: 26-31 (MSG)
Mark 12:28-31 (NRSV)

Sermon: *Shalom*

Jen Phelps

***Hymn No. 63** *The Lord Is God*

***Affirmation of Faith:** Apostle's Creed (hymnal, p. 35)

*Please stand as you are able.

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

THANKSGIVING

Offering and Passing of Friendship Pads

Offertory *When the Saints Go Marching In*

arr. John Rutter

***Doxology No. 606**

***Prayer of Dedication**

Communion

(All are invited to the Table of our Lord. The distribution of the elements will be shared by intinction, the dipping of bread into a common cup. The congregation will receive communion using the center aisle. Please return using the side aisles. Pre-packaged elements and gluten-free bread are available if preferred.)

***Choral Invitation No. 507** *Come to the Table of Grace (verses 1 and 2)*

Invitation to the Table

Prayer over the Table

Words of Institution

Sharing of Bread and Cup Together

Communion Music *Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now*

J.S. Bach, Johann Walther

Closing Prayer

SENDING

***Hymn No. 326** *For All the Saints*

***Benediction**

***Dismissal**

*We stand while the bell is rung three times, remembering that
God, Creator, Redeemer and Renewer of Life goes with us. Go in peace!*

Postlude *For All the Saints*

Arthur Hutchings

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Worship Leaders

Guest Preacher, Jen Phelps
Parish Associate, Rev. Dr. Gary Smith
Director of Music, Cindy Litzinger
Choir Director, Angela Burns
Organist/Pianist, Sara Bryant
Choirs, Adult Choir and Youth Singers
Lay Reader, Evelyn Estep