



TRUCKEE LUTHERAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
All Saints Sunday – November 6, 2022

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP – “Lift Thine Eyes” (Ps. 121) from Mendelssohn's “Elijah”

Women's Chorus

WELCOME

Pastor Joanie Tankersley

This is the day that the Lord has made.
Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Jonas Ellison

O come, let us sing to the Lord and shout with joy to the rock of our salvation!
Let us come into God's presence with thanksgiving, singing joyful songs of praise.

*** ♪ GATHERING SONG – “For All The Saints”**

Congregation

As we sing, we invite you to place a candle on the altar in memory of your loved ones who have joined God's eternity.

*** PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Jonas Ellison

Eternal and loving God,
I come before you grateful for the saints who have gone before me.
Thank you for the women and men who have shown me how to live by faith.
I humbly confess that I have not followed their example as I would have wanted.
I confess that where they have demonstrated mercy and compassion,
I have chosen to turn away and be indifferent.
Where they willingly sacrificed their resources,
I have withheld mine for my own convenience.
Where they have chosen to forgive,
I have harbored grievances.
O God, forgive me for neglecting ways I, too, could live a life of vibrant faith,
and renew my courage to increase my trust in you as the saints who have gone before me. Amen.

*** ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

*** SHARING THE LORD'S PEACE**

The peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you.

All are invited to share a greeting as a sign of Christ's presence with us saying “The peace of Christ be with you.”

CHILDREN'S TIME

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

God of abundant life,

your grace is my daily bread.

Prompt me to not only hear your Word,

**but to act in the power of your Spirit to live in more obedience to you,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

SCRIPTURE READING Amos 8:4-7

Hear this, you who trample the needy and do away with the poor of the land, saying, "When will the New Moon be over that we may sell grain, and the Sabbath be ended that we may market wheat?" skimping on the measure, boosting the price and cheating with dishonest scales, buying the poor with silver and the needy for a pair of sandals, selling even the sweepings with the wheat. The Lord has sworn by himself, the pride of Jacob: "I will never forget anything they have done."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

* PREPARING TO HEAR THE GOOD NEWS – "Seek Ye First"

Congregation

* GOSPEL READING Luke 19:12-26

He said: "A man of noble birth went to a distant country to have himself appointed king and then to return. So he called ten of his servants and gave them ten minas. 'Put this money to work,' he said, 'until I come back.' 'But his subjects hated him and sent a delegation after him to say, 'We don't want this man to be our king.' 'He was made king, however, and returned home. Then he sent for the servants to whom he had given the money, in order to find out what they had gained with it. "The first one came and said, 'Sir, your mina has earned ten more.' "Well done, my good servant!' his master replied. 'Because you have been trustworthy in a very small matter, take charge of ten cities.' "The second came and said, 'Sir, your mina has earned five more.' "His master answered, 'You take charge of five cities.' "Then another servant came and said, 'Sir, here is your mina; I have kept it laid away in a piece of cloth. I was afraid of you because you are a hard man. You take out what you did not put in and reap what you did not sow.' "His master replied, 'I will judge you by your own words, you wicked servant! You knew, did you, that I am a hard man, taking out what I did not put in, and reaping what I did not sow? Why then didn't you put my money on deposit, so that when I came back, I could have collected it with interest?' "Then he said to those standing by, 'Take his mina away from him and give it to the one who has ten minas.' "Sir,' they said, 'he already has ten!' "He replied, 'I tell you that to everyone who has, more will be given, but as for the one who has nothing, even what they have will be taken away.

The Gospel, the Good News of God!

Thanks be to God!

MEDITATION – "A Way of Life"

Ryan McKenzie

♪ SONG IN RESPONSE – "Blest Are They"

Congregation

OFFERING AND PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

♪ Special Music – "Ave Maria" by Franz Biebl

Women's Chorus

* ♪ SONG OF THANKS – "Love Til It Hurts"

Congregation

* PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND TOLLING OF THE BELL

Pastor Joanie Tankersley

Please conclude your prayer with "Lord, in your mercy," and all will respond, **"Hear our prayer."**

During the Prayers today, the Pastor will read the names of those who have died in the past year and a bell will toll.

*** LORD'S PRAYER**

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.

*** THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION**

*** GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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

The Pastor continues with the prayer, concluding:

And so, with this great cloud of witnesses, with choirs of angels and all the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

♪ “Holy, Holy, Holy”

*** WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

The pastor continues with the prayer, concluding:

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.
Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Remembering all your mighty and merciful blessings in our lives,
we break bread and share one cup giving thanks for your saving Love in Jesus Christ. Amen.

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

♪ COMMUNION SONG – “Dona Nobis Pacem”

Women's Chorus and Congregation

*** PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Thank you most Holy God, for meeting us in this simple meal.
May your presence in us ripple out beyond us, ever expanding,
until the day when you gather all your saints to share in your eternal banquet.
In all our words and actions may you be praised and honored now and forever more. Amen.

* ♪ SENDING SONG – “Swing Low/O When the Saints/I Wanna Sing”

Women's Chorus and Congregation

PREPARING FOR OUR MISSION IN THE WORLD

*** BENEDICTION**

*** SENDING**

Go in peace as a beloved child of God.
Thanks be to God!

♪ POSTLUDE

We invite you to participate in worship, reading the parts in bold print.

** We invite you to stand, as you are able, for sections marked with an asterisk.*

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Today is our celebration of All Saints Day, a service during which we remember all those who have joined God's eternity. We will be tolling the bell in memory of all those who have died this past year. If you have a friend or a loved one who has died, please give the name to Pastor Joanie before the service so we may toll the bell in their memory.

**We welcome members of the Women's Chorus under the direction of Susan Horst -
Thank you for sharing your gift of music with us!**

Our Faith Family Thanksgiving Sunday will be on Sunday, November 20. Please check your email in-box for a SignUpGenius link to record the delicious dish you want to bring for our amazing Thanksgiving potluck!

We thank everyone who generously supports this ministry. Gifts may be made online through our website at **TLPC.org** or mailed to: **Truckee Lutheran Presbyterian Church, PO Box 10620, Truckee, CA 96162**

Our congregation has a heart for missions: locally, nationally, and in God's world. With your support we give to Sierra Community House (Hunger Relief, Crisis Intervention & Prevention, Family Support & Community Engagement, Mediation & Legal Assistance); North Tahoe-Truckee Homeless Services; Healthy Babies; International Health Partners Tanzania; Hands of Hope Zimbabwe; youth service trips to Nicaragua and Alaska; adult disaster trips locally and around the world; and the responsible, vigorous mission work of the Presbyterian Church USA and Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) in our nation and world. Additionally, during the pandemic, our congregation has supported local essential workers.

Truckee Lutheran Presbyterian Church is located on the original and ancestral homelands of the Washoe people, and we give thanks for their presence here since time immemorial. We also wish to recognize and honor all our Indigenous siblings who have and continue to call this country their home.

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Follow Jesus. Love All. Serve Others.