



Seventh & James Baptist Church
November 6, 2022 · 11:00 a.m.
All Saints Sunday

One: You are the one whom we praise in astonishment, we adore in gladness, we thank in gratitude...

All: For who you are...for what you do...for how you hope.

— Walter Brueggemann, *Awed to Heaven, Rooted in Earth*, p. 10

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Viola Osborn

In Memoriam

“In Paradisum” from *Requiem, Op. 48*

Gabriel Fauré

Kathy Steely, *viola*
Lydia Bratcher, *organ*

You are invited to write the name of a loved one you wish to remember on the card attached to your worship guide. During this time, please come forward and place the card in one of the bowls on the Communion Table. We will call out the names near the end of the service as an act of remembrance and hope. If you need someone to bring your card forward, please signal one of the ministers.

Old Testament Reading

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

Lloyd Alcorn

Epistle Reading

Ephesians 1:11-23

Suzanne Alcorn

Hymn, No. 396

“For Such a Time As This”

Gospel Reading

Luke 6:20-31

Erin Conaway

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God.

Prayers of God’s People

Erin Conaway

A white rose has been placed on the Communion Table in remembrance of Seventh & James members who passed away this last year.

Glenn Gilbert
Joyce Jones
Nancy Ratchford
Gary Sanford
Gayland Sims
Terry Sutcliffe
Sarah Voyles

Offertory

“Litany for All Soul’s Day” D. 343

Franz Schubert

Kathy Steely, *viola*
Lydia Bratcher, *organ*

Offering plates are available at the doors of the sanctuary as you leave worship.

Doxology, No. 707

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God, above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children’s Sermon

Leslie Rosencrans

*All children are invited to come forward for the Children’s Sermon.
Preschoolers [ages 4-kindergarten] may then go to Extended Session.*

Responsive Reading of Psalm 149

Scott Turner

One: Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song, his praise in the assembly of the faithful.

Many: Let Israel be glad in its Maker; let the children of Zion rejoice in their King.

One: Let them praise his name with dancing, making melody to him with tambourine and lyre.

Many: For the Lord takes pleasure in his people; he adorns the humble with victory.

One: Let the faithful exult in glory; let them sing for joy on their couches.

Many: Let the high praises of God be in their throats and two-edged swords in their hands,

One: to execute vengeance on the nations and punishment on the peoples,

**All: to bind their kings with fetters and their nobles with chains of iron, to execute on them the judgment decreed. This is glory for all his faithful ones.
Praise the Lord!**

Sermon

“The Eyes of Your Heart”
(Ephesians 1:11-23)

Erin Conaway

Anthem

“We Shall Walk Through the Valley”

arr. Benjamin Harlan

Jonathan Moore, *baritone*

We shall walk through the valley in peace;
For Jesus Himself will be our Leader.
We shall walk through the valley in peace.

There will be no sorrow there;
For Jesus Himself will be our Leader,
There will be no sorrow there.

We shall meet our loved ones there;
For Jesus Himself will be our Leader.
We shall meet our loved ones there.

We shall meet our Savior there;
For Jesus Himself will be our Leader.
We shall meet our Savior there.

Silent Reflection**Hymn of Commitment, No. 295**

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

*If you would like to make a public profession of your faith in Christ
or request membership in this congregation, our ministers
will greet you at the front of the sanctuary.*

Congregational Response

In response to your decision, we pledge ourselves to be the family of God for you in this place; we offer you our love, our care, our kinship, and our hopes; we hope to learn from you, give to you, and receive from you, by God’s grace. Amen.

Pastoral Blessing

Erin Conaway

Congregational Benediction

“The Lord’s Prayer”

Albert H. Malotte

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Postlude

“For All the Saints”

(SINE NOMINE,
R. Vaughan Williams)
arr. Wayne Wold

Today at Seventh

Our Pianist today is Ellen Deaver.

The Sanctuary Flowers are given by Annette Lindsey for All Saints Sunday.

The Rose on the Organ celebrates the birth of Collier David Keathley Brannock, born on October 28. Parents are Claire & Cody Brannock. Great-Grandparents are Carolyn & Naymond Keathley.

Hearing devices are available at the sound booth for any who need assistance.

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