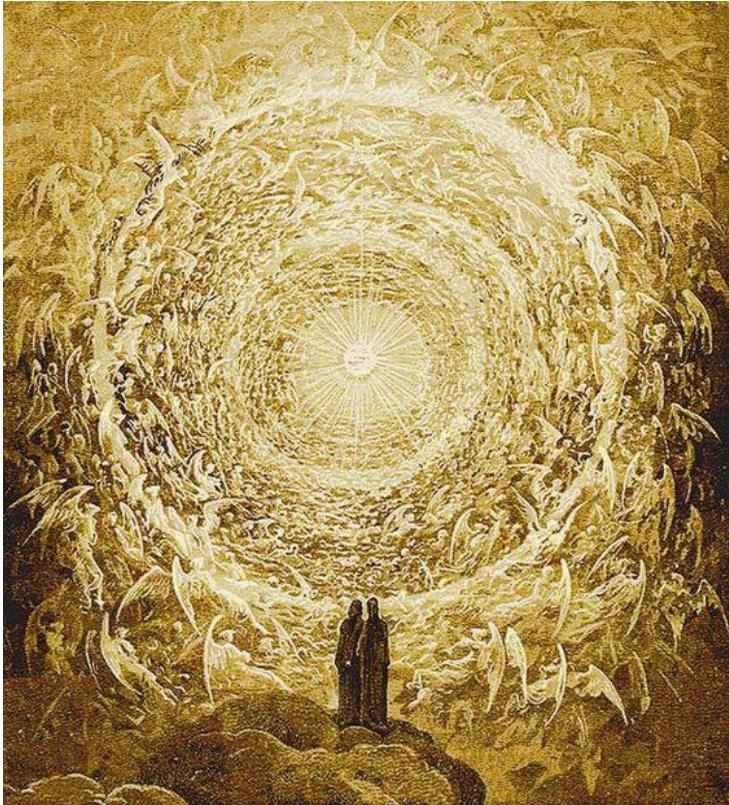




Bethlehem Lutheran Church & Early Childhood Center



All Saints Sunday

November 6, 2022

Worship Services

9:00 am | 10:30 am

Welcome to Bethlehem!

We hope you feel a warm welcome at Bethlehem. Please visit our website at www.blcenc.org for more information about the congregation. If you're visiting with us, please fill out an information card and place it in the offering basket so we can stay connected.

CHILDREN

All children are welcome in worship at Bethlehem Lutheran Church (BLC). There is a comfort room at the back of the sanctuary. Busy bags are available in the narthex. During our 10:30 AM service, after Children's Time, children ages 3 years – 6th grade may either attend our Learning Circle program or remain with you. Nursery care is available for young children during the 10:30 AM service. Ask the host for more information.

COMMUNION

We practice **open communion** meaning all are welcome to participate. We commune by intinction. The pastor will dip the bread (or gluten-free wafer) into a divided chalice that has white wine or red grape juice. We are happy to bring communion to individuals with limited mobility.

ACCESSIBILITY

Hearing assistance devices are located at the back of the sanctuary, and reading glasses are available in the narthex.

PARTICIPATION

The different movements that happen during worship (sitting, standing, making the sign of the cross) are all optional; please engage as you are comfortable or able.

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GATHERING

WELCOME

LITANY OF THE SAINTS

L: God of generational love, we remember those Saints who have gone before us. We grieve their loss, and honor their legacy.

C: We give thanks for all that we have learned from them.

L: For those who followed the Way of Christ faithfully,

C: Help us follow their example.

L: For all who made mistakes along the way, and were not perfect,

C: Yet were perfectly loved by you.

L: For those who dedicated their lives to waging peace,

C: Let us continue their work.

L: For those who lived simply and quietly,

C: May we be enlightened by them.

L: For those who gained honor and distinction without pride,

C: Inspire in us that same humility.

L: They have finished their work on earth, and that work lives on,

C: Reverberating through the lives we live now.

L: May the peace of Christ continue to inspire us to humility, service, and peacemaking. As our forebearers, and all who have gone before us, let us be inspired by Christ to live in grace and love.

C: May we do the same, on this and every day. Amen

GATHERING HYMN

Shall We Gather at the River – ELW 423

vs. 1, 3, & 4



- 1 Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, where bright an - gel feet have trod,
- 2 On the mar - gin of the riv - er, wash - ing up its sil - ver spray,
- 3 Ere we reach the shin - ing riv - er, lay we ev - 'ry bur - den down;
- 4 Soon we'll reach the shin - ing riv - er, soon our pil - grim - age will cease;



with its crys - tal tide for - ev - er flow - ing by the throne of God?
we will walk and wor - ship ev - er, all the hap - py gold - en day.
grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, and pro - vide a robe and crown.
soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er with the mel - o - dy of peace.



Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, the beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er;



gath - er with the saints at the riv - er that flows by the throne of God.

GREETING

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

C: And also with you.

Refrain

Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, on our world and on our way.

Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, ev-'ry day.

1 For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the
 2 That we may live out your im-passioned re-sponse to the
 3 For peace in our hearts, . . . for peace in our homes, . . for
 4 For your Spir-it to guide; that you cen-ter our lives in the

u-ni-ty of all; for
 hun-gry and the poor; that
 friends and fam-i-ly; for
 wa-ter and the word; that you

this ho-ly house, for all who wor-ship and praise,
 we may live out truth and jus-tice and grace,
 life and for love, for our work and our play,
 nour-ish our souls . . . with your bod-y and blood,

Refrain

let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

HYMN OF THE DAY

Rejoice in God's Saints – ELW 418
to the tune of ELW 825



1. Re - joyce in God's saints to - day and all days! A world with - out
2. Some march with e - vents to turn them God's way; some need to with -
3. Re - joyce in those saints, unpraised and unknown, who bear someone's
4. Re - joyce in God's saints to - day and all days! A world with - out



saints for - gets how to praise. Their faith in ac - quir - ing the
draw, the bet - ter to pray; some car - ry the gos - pel through
cross, or should - der their own; they share our com - plain - ing our
saints for - gets how to praise. In lov - ing, in liv - ing they



hab - it of prayer, their depth of a - dor - ing lord help us to share.
fire and through flood; our world is their par - ish their pur - pose is God.
com - forts, our cares; what pa - tience in ca - ring, what cour - age is theirs!
prove it is true their way of self - giv - ing, Lord, leads us to you.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND REMEMBERING THE SAINTS

L: Lord in your mercy,

C: **Hear our prayer.**

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

L: The peace of the Lord be with you always. C: **And also with you!**

OFFERING AND THANKSGIVING

OFFERTORY RESPONSE

We are an Offering – ELW 692

We lift our voic - es, we lift our hands, we lift our
lives up to You: we are an of-fer-ing Lord, use our voic - es, Lord, use our
hands, Lord, use our lives, they are Yours: we are an of-fer-ing.
All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be, we
give to you, we give to you. We lift our
voic - es, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to You: we are an
of-fer-ing. We are an of-fer-ing.

MEAL

GREAT THANKSGIVING & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

L: The Lord be with you,

C: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts,

C: We lift them to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

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 trespasses,
 as we forgive those who trespass against us;
 and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 forever and ever.

Amen.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

ELW pg. 191



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

COMMUNION HYMN

Deep River – ACS 951

Refrain



Deep riv - er, my home is o - ver Jor - dan,



deep riv - er, Lord, I want to cross o-ver in-to camp-ground.



1 Oh, don't you want to go to that gos - pel feast, that
2 Oh, when I get to heav-en, I'll . . . take my seat, and



Refrain

prom - ised land where all is peace? Oh,
cast my crown at Je - sus' feet. Oh,

SENDING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

SENDING HYMN

Go to the World! – ACS 991



1 Go to the world! Go in - to all the earth.
2 Go to the world! Go in - to ev - 'ry place.
3 Go to the world! Go strug - gle, bless, and pray;
4 "Go to the world! Go as the ones I send,



Go preach the cross where Christ re - news life's worth,
Go live the word of God's re - deem - ing grace.
the nights of tears give way to joy - ous day.
for I am with you till the age shall end,



bap - tiz - ing as the sign of our re - birth.
Go seek God's pres - ence in each time and space.
As ser - vant church, you fol - low Christ's own way.
when all the hosts of glo - ry cry, A - men!"



Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

DISMISSAL

L: Go in peace with Christ beside you!

C: Thanks be to God!

All Are Welcome!

We live in a diverse world. We are hurting, broken and heavy hearted. We are loving, celebrating, and above all — we are welcoming. Regardless of the color of your skin or the color of your hair, regardless of your gender identity, sexual orientation, relationship status, or political affiliation — you are welcome here.

If you are a believer, a doubter or a seeker after Christ — you have a place here.

If you own, rent, or have nothing at all — you are welcome here.

If you are fully abled, disabled, or a person of differing abilities, if you have regrets, fears, addictions, or afflictions — you have a place here.

All who are wise and all who are confused, all who have found love and all who have lost it, all who celebrate this welcome statement and all who fear it — are welcome here.

For these are all of the things that make you who you are: the person God loves. Come as you are and be celebrated for who you are. The time is now. Your place is here. Bethlehem Lutheran Church is an all-inclusive church.



Reconciling in Christ



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