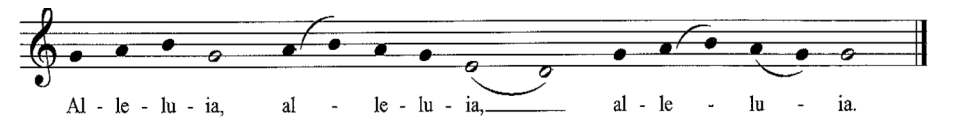


Sing to the Lord a new song; *
sing to the Lord, all the whole earth.
Sing to the Lord and bless his Name; *
proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.
Declare his glory among the nations *
and his wonders among all peoples.
For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; *
he is more to be feared than all gods.
As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; *
but it is the Lord who made the heavens.
Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence! *
Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!
Ascribe to the Lord, you families of the peoples; *
ascribe to the Lord honor and power.
Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; *
bring offerings and come into his courts.
Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; *
let the whole earth tremble before him.

The Second Lesson *1 Thessalonians 1:1-10*
Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace. We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead-- Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.
Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.
Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn 591 *O God of Earth and altar* *King’s Lynn*

Gospel Alleluia
The Cantor intones the Alleluia and the assembly repeats it once, then again following the versicle



V. The word of God stands fast for ever; *
God’s word is the Gospel preached to you.

The Holy Gospel *Matthew 22:15-22*
The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Pharisees went and plotted to entrap Jesus in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, “Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?” But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, “Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show

me the coin used for the tax.” And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, “Whose head is this, and whose title?” They answered, “The emperor’s.” Then he said to them, “Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor’s, and to God the things that are God’s.” When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.
The Gospel of Christ.
Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Bob Donnell

The Nicene Creed (sung in monotone) BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People
Brothers and sisters, beloved by God: Grace to you and peace. Let us pray to the Holy One, saying, “Be gracious to us, O God; *show us your mercy.*”

We always give thanks to you, O God, for the Church, constantly remembering before you its works of faith, labor of love, and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. Inspire us by the Holy Spirit.
You are invited to add your own thanksgivings.

Silence
Be gracious to us, O God;
Show us your mercy.
Almighty God, make us more like your Son, Jesus, who did not regard people with partiality. May we love justice. May we be gracious with all people.
Silence
Be gracious to us, O God;
Show us your mercy.
God our King, the earth shakes in your presence. All that is belongs not to us, but to you. May we be good stewards of all you have created.
Silence
Be gracious to us, O God;
Show us your mercy.
Holy One, you answer those who call upon you. Hear the voices of the weak and wronged. May this city know and experience your presence.

Silence
Be gracious to us, O God;
Show us your mercy.
Great God, give your people rest. Cover the sick and sorrowful with your healing hand, May the lonely and forgotten find favor in your sight.
You are invited to add your own petitions.
Silence
Be gracious to us, O God;
Show us your mercy.
Living God, you have rescued the dying and dead from the coming wrath through the death and resurrection of your Christ. May our voices blend with theirs as they proclaim your greatness and worship around your throne forever.
Silence
Be gracious to us, O God;
Show us your mercy.

Concluding Collect
O God, your mercy endures forever. Hear the prayers of your people. And grant us the strength and the courage to walk in your ways, all the days of our lives. In the name of Jesus, we pray. **Amen.**

Walk in love as Christ loved us, and gave himself for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God.

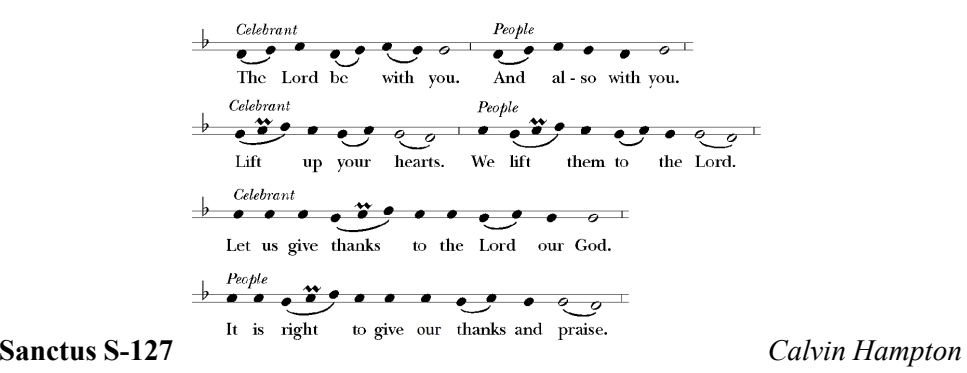
All are welcome to receive the bread and wine at the altar. You may stand or kneel at the altar rail. The bread is received in the open palm. The wine is taken by drinking from the chalice (please help guide it to your mouth by holding the base of the chalice). Gluten-free wafers are available by request, by placing one hand across your chest. If you do not wish to receive the sacrament, you are invited to come forward and receive a blessing. Please cross your arms

across your chest to receive it.

At the Offertory *Give Almes of Thy Goods* *Christopher Tye*

Presentation Hymn 706 *In your mercy, Lord, you called me* *Halton Holgate*

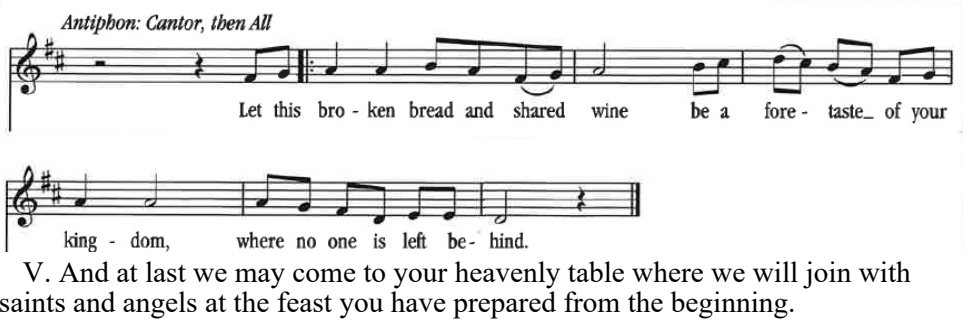
The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer B BCP, p. 367



Sanctus S-127 *Calvin Hampton*

The Lord’s Prayer
As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,
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 for ever. Amen.

Fraction Anthem *Anthem at the Breaking of the Bread* *Tom Gibbs*
The Cantor intones the antiphon and the assembly repeats it once, then again following the versicle



The gifts of God for the people of God.

Communion Hymn 683 *O for a closer walk with God* *Beatitudo*

Post-Communion Prayer
Let us pray.
Ascended One, far above all earthly grasp yet given to us in food and drink keep us faithful to the breaking of the bread, the companionship of faith and the love of the world. Amen

Post-Communion Hymn 408 *Sing praise to God who reigns above* *Mit Freuden zart*

The Blessing
May the cross be the sign in which we begin again to undo the cords of violence, the misery of exclusion, and proclaim the love without conditions; and the blessing of God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

The Dismissal

Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
Thanks be to God!

For the Procession *Toccata in E Minor*

Johann Pachelbel

*Please remain in place until the procession is completed.
The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God.
A reception will follow in the Parish House.*

Serving Today:

Lectors: Brian Allison, Molly Allison
 Intercessor: Gabe Posadas
 Chalice: Molly Allison
 Crucifer: Cynthia Donnell
 Book: Darrel Williams
 Ushers: Suzanne Cleveland, Maggie Prestridge
 Altar Guild: Betty Bentley, Michael Johnson
 Bread Baker: Betty Bentley
 Vestry Greeter: William Davis
 Doorkeeper: Barbara Michell, Hans Rufer
 Flowers: Sheri Hewitt
 LEV: Molly Allison (Barretts)

We are a community of faith who seek to continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers; who seek to serve Christ in all persons, loving our neighbor as ourselves; who strive for justice and peace among all people; and respect the dignity of every human being. *Baptismal Covenant, BCP, p.304*
If you are visiting please make yourself known to us either face to face, via the information cards in the pew racks, or via email: office@allsaintsmobile.org

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Please keep in your prayers . . .

For healing for: Kyle Metcalf, Brad Smith, Jessie, Lakeisha Rivers, Urian Pollock, Gail Bramer, Daniel Galbraith, Yohanna Jiminez, Missy Foose, Mona Ganoë, Rose Yurcisin, Lacey Bowcock, Terry, Sheridan Hinton, Byron Cruthirds, Amy & Clay Carmichael, Debbie Boelte, Penelope, Kevin, Donna Bowcock, Evi Valera, Curran Foose, Michael Laird, Joan, Ben Wilson, Mary Robert, Carolyn Thornton, Stephen Rollins, Peggy Barnett, the Simpson family, the Landrum family, James Lee Quinn, Monica Thompson, Dana Pollock, Cora Lou Robinson, Karen Bullock, Buck Baker, Lequita Adkins, Phyllis Smith, Bryan LaPorte, Will Strickland, Sue Elledge, Lister Thomas, Jan Cade, Serena Willcox, Claudia McClure, Caden Gray, Mary, Hannah Pullins, Cora Cade Lemmon, Becky Wilson, Rose Ellen Stanbery, Marcia Wyatt, Jacky Bell, John Heronime, Eve Morrison, Colleen, Ann Wesley, Staci Smith, Andi & Bruce Barrett, Ken Buford, Dottie Dunnam, Gwyn Brantley, Mark Kidd, Lynn Koors, Mary Rose, Preston Griffith, Jan Irving, Hoagy, Tom Root, Shannon, Regina, Brian Davidson, Debra Guyton, John Gibson Baylor, Jr., Rita Foust, Haley, Jill, Jennifer Smith, Shannon Cook, the Hodges family, Pat Guyton, Laura Price, Jareth Lancaster

For those who serve in the armed forces, especially Bernie Waters, David Palmer, David L. Ritter II, Ethan Roberts, Thomas Roberts, Matt Abbot, Trevor Thiel

For those who have died.

**Please notify the church office by the last Wednesday of the month if you wish your prayer concern to continue to be listed.*

Upcoming schedule:

Sun, Oct 18	7:45a Nursery opens 8a Holy Eucharist, church 9a Breakfast, Stirling Hall 9:15a Adult choir rehearsal, Choir Rm 9:15a Godly Play 9:30a Adult Sunday School, Smith Rm 10:30a Holy Eucharist, church Reception follows, Parish House
Mon, Oct 19	6p AA, Smith Rm
Wed, Oct 21	8a Food Share distribution, Stirling Hall 5:30p Adult choir rehearsal, Choir Rm 6p AA, Smith Rm
Fri, Oct 23	5p Prism, Youth Rm

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Welcome to All Saints! We begin worship in holy silence.

*Please silence all cell phones. In the tradition of the church, prayer posture is standing or kneeling. Our preference at All Saints is standing, but kneeling is acceptable. The red Book of Common Prayer (BCP) & the blue Hymnal 1982 are in the book rack in front of you. Hymn numbers preceded by “S” are found in the front section of the hymnal. Words written in **Bold Italics** are said by the congregation.*

Voluntary Nun Bitten Wir

Dieterich Buxtehude

Processional Hymn 544 *Jesus shall reign where'er the sun*

bDuke Street

Hear the words of Jesus: You shall love God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the first Law of God, and the second is like it:

You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two laws hang the whole of scripture.

The Peace

God's judgment is not vengeance, an eye for an eye; God's peace is not false, a veil for injustice; God comes to break the spear, to silence the guns and still our warring souls. May the peace of Christ rule our world and heal our hearts.

The peace of Christ be always with you. .

And also with you.

Gloria S-236

John Rutter

The Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

God of servant rule, your kingdom breaks our tangled webs where state and church collude to worship power and trade on fear: grant us the wit and will to give you what is your own, no more nor less than all the world and time; through Jesus Christ, whose kingdom comes. ***Amen.***

The First Lesson

Isaiah 45:1-7

Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have grasped to subdue nations before him and strip kings of their robes, to open doors before him-- and the gates shall not be closed: I will go before you and level the mountains, I will break in pieces the doors of bronze and cut through the bars of iron, I will give you the treasures of darkness and riches hidden in secret places, so that you may know that it is I, the Lord, the God of Israel, who call you by your name. For the sake of my servant Jacob, and Israel my chosen, I call you by your name, I surname you, though you do not know me. I am the Lord, and there is no other; besides me there is no god. I arm you, though you do not know me, so that they may know, from the rising of the sun and from the west, that there is no one besides me; I am the Lord, and there is no other. I form light and create darkness, I make weal and create woe; I the Lord do all these things.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people

Thanks be to God.

The Gradual *Psalm 96:1-9* (sung by the choir)

Kellow J. Pye