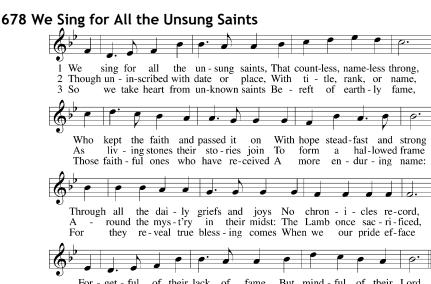
ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

Divine Service – Setting Two
St. Mark Evangelical Lutheran Church – Mendon, New York
November 2, 2025

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements



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Confession and Absolution

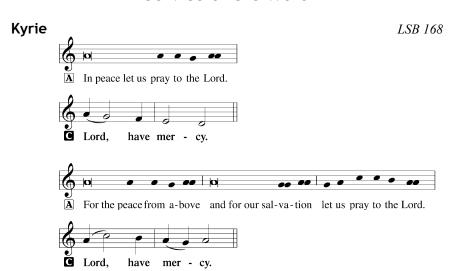
- In the name of the Father and of the → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

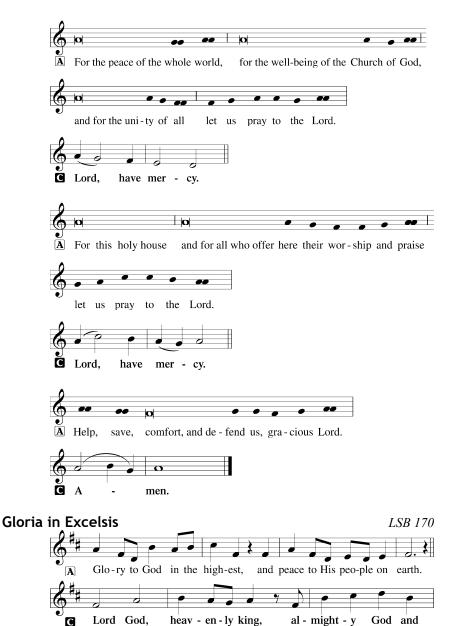
Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- **P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
- Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.
- Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

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Service of the Word





We wor - ship You, we

ther:

give You thanks,



Salutation and Collect of the Day





P Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the

unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

First Reading

Revelation 7:2–17

- **A** This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

Epistle

1 John 3:1-3

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

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Holy Gospel

Matthew 5:1-12

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.



P This is the Gospel of the Lord.





Sermon

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Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by

the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

A Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

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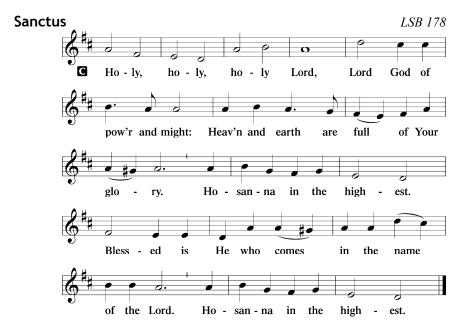


Service of the Sacrament



Proper Preface

It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. In the communion of all Your saints gathered into the one body of Your Son, You have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses that we, encouraged by their faith and strengthened by their fellowship, may run with perseverance the race that is set before us and, together with them, receive the crown of glory that does not fade away. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:



Prayer of Thanksgiving

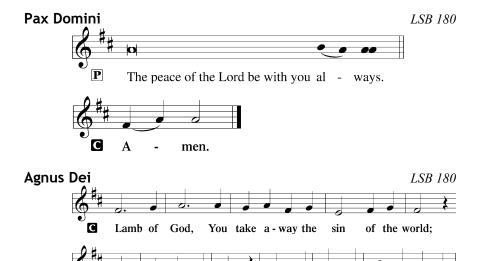
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Lord's Prayer

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.

The Words of Our Lord

have mer-cy





on us.

Lamb of God, You take a-way the





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Distribution

676 Behold a Host, Arrayed in White ar - rayed white, host, Like thou sand journed here; 2 De - spised and scorned, they so But now, how bless - ed bright Now safe saints in ar ray ly moun - tains bright! palms Who snow clad With they stand; glo rious they ap - pear! Those mar tyrs stand, home end less day, Ex tol the Lord, Who Be the throne of light? These are is this band fore the priest - ly band, God's throne for-ev On er near. earth they with His Word Sus - tained you on the way. The steep and from saints glo bit rious fame, Who the great Now God wept through ter years; has wiped a toiled trod; You the nar - row path you and sowed Of flic - tion came And in the flood Je sus' blood way their tears, Trans-formed their strife To heav'n - ly life, and bring Word a - broad; Re - joice Your fruits and sing cleansed from guilt Are and shame. They now serve God both And freed them from their fears. They now en - joy the The Be - fore the throne of God. myr - iad an - gels and night; They sing their bath rest, The heav'n - ly less light. day their songs in end Their Sab ban quet of the blest; their song; O raise saints, sing with that hap py throng! Lift

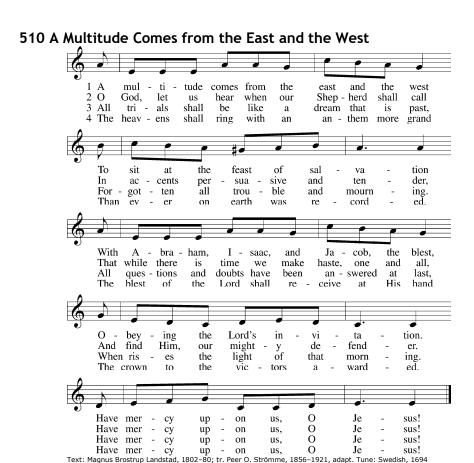
> an - thems ring As they all sing With an - gels shin - ing bright. Lamb, their Lord, At fee - tive board Him - self is host and guest.

up one voice; Let heav'n re-joice In our Re-deem - er's song!

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Post-Communion Collect

A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.





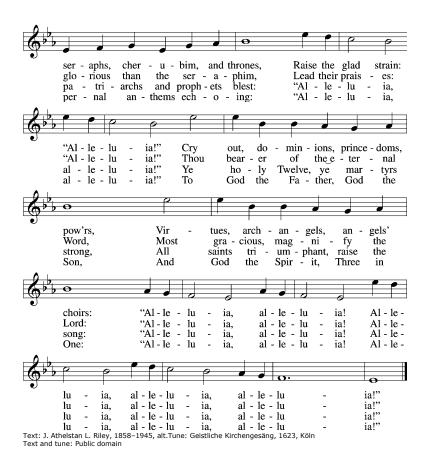
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.



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Announcements

Operation Christmas Child – Last Day for Donations: Ladies Aid is collecting items of to fill shoe boxes with gifts of toys, school supplies, and hygiene items for children around the world. The items may be for a boy or girl with the age ranges of 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14. You may put your donated items in the collection box located in the church entryway until Sunday, November 2. The shoeboxes will be packed on Saturday, Nov. 8 at 11am at our November Ladies Aid meeting & delivered to a local Operation Christmas Child collection site. Contact Vickie Miller vlaube24@yahoo.com or Nancy Connorton njc1111@yahoo.com with questions.

Shoebox Gift Ideas:

- "Wow" Items: Soccer ball with pump, doll, stuffed animal, shoes
- Toys: Toy cars, jump ropes, yo-yos, musical instruments, toys that light up and make noise (with extra batteries)
- Personal Care Items: Toothbrushes, washcloths, hairbrushes, combs
- School Supplies: Pens, pencils, sharpeners, crayons, markers, notebooks, paper, coloring and picture books, solar calculators
- Accessories: Socks, Sunglasses, jewelry, watches, flashlights (with extra batteries)

Do Not Include: Candy, toothpaste, gum, used or damaged items, scary or war-related items, seeds, food, liquids, lotions, medications, vitamins, breakable items, glass containers, aerosol cans.

Lutheran World Relief: Information regarding the Quilt & Kit Ministry is available on the bulletin board in the narthex.