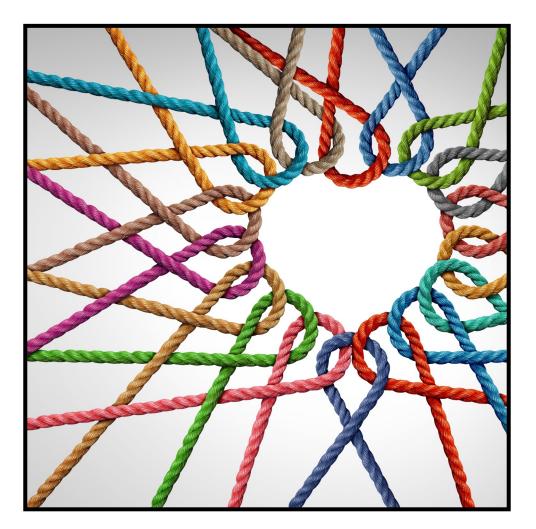
Welcome to All Saints Lutheran Church

Our mission is....

"to bring people the good news of God's love in Jesus Christ."

5th Sunday of Easter April 28th, 2024 9:00am **†** 11:00am



The nursery is open for care of children 6 months to 3 years old during the 9am service. Busy Bags are available in the sanctuary for children attending service. * (Denotes when congregation is invited to stand.)

GATHERING

Prelude

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* Entrance Hymn # 167

Now the Feast and Celebration

Refrain: Now the feast and celebration, all of creation sings for joy to the God of life and love and freedom: praise and glory for evermore!

Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has freed and united us to be one great people of God. *Refrain*

> **Power and riches, wisdom and might, all honor and glory to Christ forever.** *Refrain*

For God has come to dwell with us, to make us people of God; to make all things new. *Refrain*

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* PRAYER OF THE DAY

The grace of our risen Savior, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. And also with you.

Let us pray.

O God, you give us your Son as the vine, apart from whom we cannot live. Nourish our life in his resurrection, that we may bear the fruit of love and know the fullness of your joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

THE WORD

LESSON Word of God. Word of Life. **Thanks be to God!**

* Gospel Verse: Hymn # 174

CELTIC ALLELUIA REFRAIN: ALL, VERSE: CANTOR OF CHOIR

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia!

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*HOLY GOSPEL

The Holy Gospel according to John, the 15th chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.** The Gospel is read JOHN 15:1-8 The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

"Mysteries of Love"

PASTOR DAN HOEGER

1 John 4:7-21

* Hymn of the Day # 720

Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord! We are called to be light for the kingdom, to live in the freedom of the city of God!

Refrain: We are called to act with justice. We are called to love tenderly. We are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.

Come! Open your heart! Show your mercy to all those in fear! We are called to be hope for the hopeless, so hatred and blindness will be no more! *Refrain*

Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be one! God will reign, and we'll walk with each other, as sisters and brothers, united in love! *Refrain* David Haas, b. 1957. © 1988, GIA Publications Inc. UBP OneLicense.Net #A-707486.

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

Worship book, page 227

(9am) We rejoice on the baptism of Grayson Yohan Ko, child of Byeong-ill Ko and Carlie M^cEachern-Ko.

(11am) We rejoice on the baptism of Zachary Levi Jones, child of Eric and Marsha Jones.

SHARING OF THE PEACE The peace of the Lord be with you always. And also with you.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH Hear us, O God . . . (sing)



THE MEAL

OFFERING MISSION SUPPORT RELIEF OFFERING

COMMUNITY INTEGRATION FUND

SANCTUARY CHOIR (11AM)

* Response Hymn # 814

Take, O Take Me As I Am

REFRAIN: ALL, VERSE: CANTOR, DANE CHAVERS Take, oh take me as I am, summon out what I shall be,

Set your seal upon my heart and live in me.

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WELCOME TABLE

*****OFFERING PRAYER

Risen One, you call us to believe and bear fruit. May the gifts that we offer here be signs of your abiding love. Form us to be your witnesses in the world, through Jesus Christ, our true vine. **Amen.**

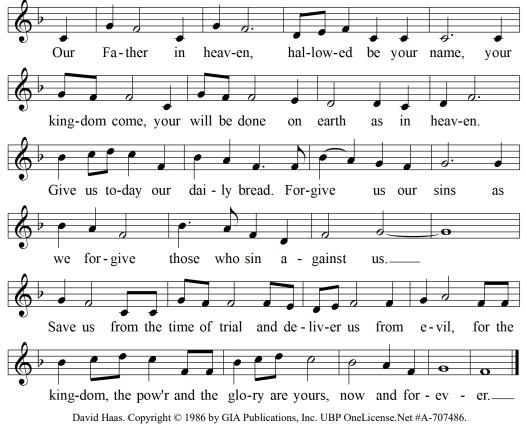
* GREAT THANKSGIVING The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give God thanks and praise.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: "Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

Again, after supper, he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:



SHARING BREAD AND WINE



IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO TALK OR PRAY WITH A STEPHEN MINISTER AFTER WORSHIP, LOOK FOR THEM ON CAMPUS. (THEY WEAR A BLUE NAME BADGE)

* TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. Amen.

Shepherding God, you have prepared a table before us and nourished us with your love. Send us forth from this banquet to proclaim your goodness and share the abundant mercy of Jesus Christ, our redeemer and friend. **Amen.**

THE SENDING

* BENEDICTION

The God of resurrection power, the Christ of unending joy, and the Spirit of Easter hope (+) bless you now and forever. Amen.

* Sending Hymn: # 842

Oh, Worship the King

Oh, worship the King, all-glorious above. Oh, gratefully sing God's power and love; our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

The earth with its store of wonders untold, almighty, your pow'r has founded of old; established it fast by a changeless decree, and round it has cast, like a mantle, the sea.

Your bountiful care what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light, it streams from the hills, it descends to the plain, and sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, in you do we trust, nor find you to fail; your mercies, how tender, how firm to the end, our maker, defender, redeemer, and friend.

O measureless might, ineffable love, while angels delight to hymn you above, the humbler creation, though feeble their lays, with true adoration shall sing to your praise. 18th century. Text: R. Grant, Music: W. Croft. Public Domain.

* DISMISSAL

Alleluia! Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad! Thanks be to God!

Postlude

The *May 2024* Saints Alive Newsletter is now available!



Scan the QR code or pick up a copy in the Narthex, Library, Fellowship Hall, or office.

Rite of Confirmation

Join us at the 11am service on May 5th as we honor our 13 Confirmands and welcome them as voting members of the congregation.

We will be live-streaming the **11am** service (not the 9am) to Facebook and YouTube to provide the opportunity for others to participate.



Thanks to all of the 6k participants we raised **\$3,605** (clean water for 72 people).

Almost 40 walkers, strollers, joggers and runners completed the 6k in Moon Valley, San Diego and northern Arizona last Saturday. Since 2000, 2.1 billion people have gained access to clean water - so we believe it's possible to end the global water crisis in our lifetimes. When communities have reliable access to clean water, it transforms every aspect of their lives. Better health, education, and economic opportunities flow from clean

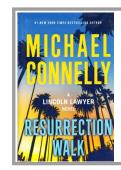


We appreciate all your love and support!

All Saints Budget Through March 31, 2024

water.

Income:	\$ 232,040
Expenses:	\$ 285,081
Deficit	\$ 53,041



Book Club

Tuesday, May 14th at 9:30am in Room 201

This months selection: *Resurrection Walk* by Michael Connelly Members, Friends & Guests please sign the burgundy welcome pad and pass it to those sitting next to you. When all have signed please pass it back and welcome guests after worship. **First time guests please fill out a Welcome Card and place in the offering plate.**

JOY CIRCLE WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday May 7th from 9:30am - 11:00am in the **Fellowship Hall**.

Questions? Contact Pastor Kristin at <u>krice@allsaintsphoenix.org</u>



FOOD OFFERING: Sunday May 5th Bring your donations of non-perishable food items to help those in need. We are in need of cereal, pasta, canned goods, peanut butter, crackers, and canned tuna.



2024 VBS Camp Firelight

Monday, June 3rd to Friday, June 7th 9:00am to 12:00pm each day

Participant and Volunteer Registration Now Open! Questions? Contact Pastor Kristin or Donald Wade for details.



Mission Support Relief Offering

TODAY, April 28th

Benefits: Community Integration Fund (Refugees)

Insights for the Call Committee



The Call Committee wants your prayerful insights into what we should seek in our next Pastor of Intergenerational Ministry. We hope that your insights will serve as an inspiration to the committee as they discern God's calling of a new pastor. All are welcome to come for guided conversation with committee members .

Zoom meetings will be on Tuesday, April 30th at 7pm and Sunday, May 5th at 1pm. Please contact the office if you would like to attend one of the Zoom meetings and a link will be provided.

Or you can tell us your thoughts by answering the questions by the "Insights for the Call Committee" boxes in the Narthex and Office. If you are aware of a pastoral candidate that might be a good fit for All Saints, submit their name and your contact information on that same form.



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