

Welcome to All Saints Lutheran Church

Our mission is....

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

Transfiguration of Our Lord

February 11th, 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.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* **ENTRANCE HYMN # 838**

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR

**Beautiful Savior, King of creation, Son of God and Son of Man!
Truly I'd love thee, truly I'd serve thee, light of my soul, my joy, my crown.**

**Fair are the meadows, fair are the woodlands, robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, he makes our sorrowing spirit sing.**

**Fair is the sunshine, fair is the moonlight, bright the sparkling stars on high;
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer than all the angels in the sky.**

**Beautiful Savior, Lord of the nations, Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be thine!**

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* **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**The Lord be with you.
And also with you.**

Let us pray together.

**Almighty God, the resplendent light of your truth shines from the mountaintop into
our hearts. Transfigure us by your beloved Son, and illumine the world with your
image, 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

2 CORINTHIANS 4:3-6

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

* **GOSPEL VERSE: HYMN # 173**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

REFRAIN: ALL, VERSE: CHOIR OR CANTOR

Hallelujah, hallelujah! Hallelujah, hallelujah!

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* **HOLY GOSPEL**

The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 9th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel is read

MARK 9:2-9

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

“SEEING THE LIGHT”

PASTOR DAN HOEGER

*** HYMN OF THE DAY # 315**

HOW GOOD, LORD, TO BE HERE

**How good, Lord, to be here! Your glory fills the night;
your face and garments, like the sun, shine with unborrowed light.**

**How good, Lord, to be here, your beauty to behold
where Moses and Elijah stand, your messengers of old.**

**Fulfiller of the past and hope of things to be,
we hail your body glorified and our redemption see.**

**Before we taste of death, we see your kingdom come;
we long to hold the vision bright and make this hill our home.**

**How good, Lord, to be here! Yet we may not remain;
but since you bid us leave the mount, come with us to the plain .**

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*** THE NICENE CREED**

People of God, what do you believe?

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified; who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Hear us, O God . . . (*sing*) Your grace abounds.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

THE MEAL

OFFERING

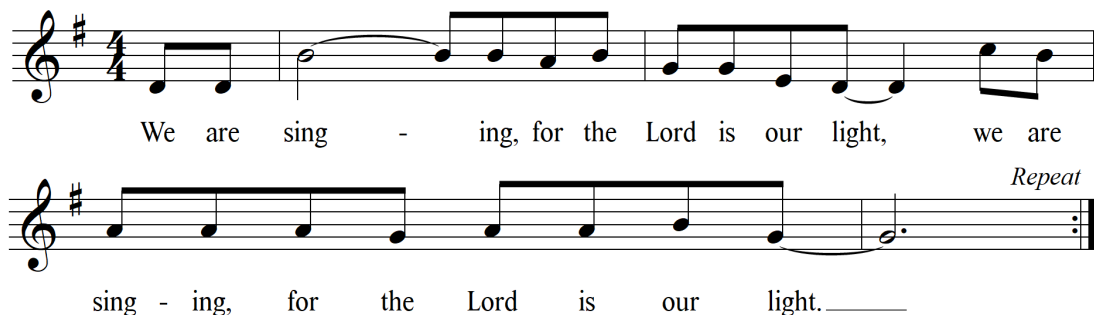
SANCTUARY CHOIR & SUNDAY SCHOOL SINGERS (9AM)

THIS LITTLE LIGHT

*** RESPONSE HYMN:**

WE ARE SINGING, FOR THE LORD IS OUR LIGHT

REFRAIN: ALL, VERSE: CHOIR OR CANTOR



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*** OFFERING PRAYER**

Liberating God, you break the bonds of injustice and let the oppressed go free. Receive these offerings in thanksgiving for all your works of merciful power, and shape us as people of your justice and freedom. You we magnify and adore, through Jesus our Savior. **Amen.**

*** GREAT THANKSGIVING**

FRONT OF HYMNAL, P. 129

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.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. In the wonder and mystery of the Word made flesh, you have opened the eyes of faith to a new and radiant vision of your glory, that beholding the God made visible, we may be drawn to love the God whom we cannot see. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory! Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!
Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest!**

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:

Our Fa-ther in heav-en, hal-low-ed be your name, your
king-dom come, your will be done on earth as in heav-en.
Give us to-day our dai - ly bread. For-give us our sins as
we for-give those who sin a - gainst us.____
Save us from the time of trial and de - liv-er us from e-vil, for the
king-dom, the pow'r and the glo-ry are yours, now and for - ev - er.____
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SHARING BREAD AND WINE

LAMB OF GOD

FRONT OF HYMNAL, p. 135

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.**

HYMN # 715

CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT

**Longing for light, we wait in darkness. Longing for truth, we turn to you.
Make us your own, your holy people, Light for the world to see.**

***Refrain:* Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness.
Christ, be our light! Shine in Your church gathered today.**

**Longing for peace, our world is troubled. Longing for hope, many despair.
Your word alone has pow'r to save us. Make us your living voice. *Refrain***

**Longing for food many are hungry. Longing for water, many still thirst.
Make us your bread, broken for others, shared until all are fed. *Refrain***

**Longing for shelter, many are homeless. Longing for warmth, many are cold.
Make us your building, sheltering others, Walls made of living stone. *Refrain***

**Many the gifts, many the people, Many the hearts that yearn to belong.
Let us be servants to one another, signs of your kingdom come. *Refrain***

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PIANO SOLO

*** TABLE BLESSING**

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

Holy One, we thank you for the healing that springs forth abundantly from this table. Renew our strength to do justice, love kindness, and journey humbly with you. **Amen.**

THE SENDING

*** BENEDICTION**

The God who faithfully brings forth justice and breaks the oppressor's rod (+) bless, strengthen, and uphold you, today and always. **Amen.**

*** SENDING HYMN: # 835**

ALL CREATURES, WORSHIP GOD MOST HIGH
VERSES 1, 2, 6

All creatures, worship God most high!
Sound ev'ry voice in earth and sky: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Sing, brother sun, in splendor bright; sing, sister moon and stars of night:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
Sing, brother wind; with clouds and rain,
You grow the gifts of fruit and grain: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Dear mother earth, so rich in care, praise God in colors bright and rare:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
O sisters, brothers, take your part,
And worship God with humble heart: Alleluia! Alleluia!
All creatures, bless the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Three in One:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia .

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*** DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Follow in the way of Jesus.
Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

**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)**

ANNUAL MEETING



The Annual Report is now available. You can pick up a copy in the Narthex, Library, church office.

Our annual meeting will be held on
Sunday, February 18th
at 12:00pm

(following the 11am service) in the Sanctuary.

Book Club

Tuesday, February 13th
at 9:30am in Room 201

This month's selection:
My Italian Bulldozer
by Alexander McCall Smith

Angel Tree Jewelry & Care Card

Angel Tree Jewelry Making class
will be held on February 17th.

Care Card class will be held on
February 24th.

Sign up at the Senior Ministry Table
in the Narthex!

Ash Wednesday Services

~ February 14th ~

7:00am / 6:30pm



Lectors, communion assistants, and
ushers are needed for both services. If you would like
to share the gift of your service please contact Olivia
Chaparro at ochaparro@allsaintsphoenix.org.

4th Grade Milestone: Apostle's Creed

Sunday, February 18th at 9:00am in Room 201

All 4th Graders and their parents / caring adults are to
attend together. We will learn the Apostle's Creed and
begin to understand its meaning and significance to our
faith.

**Sunday, February 25th, the 4th Graders and their
parents / caring adults will lead the Apostle's Creed
at the 9:00am service.**

Questions? Contact Donald Wade at
dwade@allsaintsphoenix.org.

*Join us in the Fellowship Hall
between services
for coffee, donuts, and
conversation.*

Lift the World:

An Inspiring Experience of Love's Transformative Power

Sunday February 18th at 3pm at Peace Lutheran Church in Peoria

International English teacher, musician and founder of Heavenly Harp, Karin Gunderson, invites you to an
evening of heartfelt stories of Afghan refugees, soul-stirring songs with harp and meaningful conversations

This event is free of charge. A free-will offering will be accepted & Books, CDs, DVDs, Download cards and more
will be available for purchase to support this work.

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.



Sign-Up to be a Worship Volunteer

Trained volunteers can now visit allsaintsphoenix.org/volunteer to sign-up as a worship volunteer. Please contact the office with any questions or to schedule training.

Mission Support Relief Offering

Sunday, February 25th
**Benefits: NAU College
Campus Ministry**



Interested in becoming a member of All Saints Lutheran Church?

Join us for **New Member classes** for five consecutive Monday evenings in the Fellowship Hall and courtyard 6:00pm to 7:30pm **beginning Monday February 12th**.

Adults and kids are encouraged to attend together as a family! Sign up online at www.allsaintsphoenix.org/new-member-class or contact Donald Wade for info and registration dwade@allsaintsphoenix.org.



All Saints Souper Bowl Sunday



Join the Social Ministry Team in tackling hunger at the All Saints Souper Bowl!
Show your support for either the 49ers or the Chiefs by bringing cans of soup to their team's table in the Narthex. We'll deliver all of the cans to the Desert Mission Food Bank.
Through your generosity, everybody wins!!!

SPRING FESTIVAL

SAVE THE DATE:
March 16th 11am-3pm

All funds raised go to the Interfaith Homelessness
Emergency Lodging Program (I-HELP).

Contact Tim Gaffney for volunteer opportunities.



ALTAR FLOWERS & ETERNAL LIGHT

Honor a special occasion or remember a loved one by
sponsoring the sanctuary altar flowers or eternal light.
Sign up and pay in the church office.



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