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Order of Worship for 11/3/24

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*** Please rise in body/spirit | Congregational responses are in bold**

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

RINGING OF THE BELL

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Open my eyes that I may see

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Fling wide the temple gates!

All: Open up the ancient doors!

One: The mighty and glorious one is coming.

All: Who is this King of glory?

One: This is the Lord for whom we have waited.

All: Let us be glad and rejoice in God.

OPENING PRAYER

God of all glory, we gather here today with the saints of every time and place to honor and praise your holy name. As you have revealed your mercy and might to your faithful people in every age, so let us glimpse - even through our tears - the mystery of your life-giving grace and the love that even death cannot destroy; through Jesus Christ, Alpha and Omega. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN #526

For All the Saints (v. 1-4)

1 For all the saints, who from their labors rest,
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

2 Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might;
Thou, Lord, their captain in the well-fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

3 O blest communion, fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;

Yet all are one in Thee, for all are Thine.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

4 From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son and Holy Ghost,
Alleluia! Alleluia!

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION (all)**

Almighty Lord and God, in Jesus Christ you came from heaven to dwell among us, calling us to be your faithful people. Yet we remain shrouded in sin - we hurt and disgrace ourselves; we abuse and destroy one another; we dishonor your holy name. Forgive us; unbind us and let us go so that we may stand among your saints, rejoicing in your saving grace; through Jesus Christ our redeemer. Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

One: In the name of Jesus Christ,
All: **We are forgiven.**

***HYMN #2026**

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah! (Sung Twice)

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 24

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Old Testament page 502

Revelation 21:1-6a

This is the Word of the Lord.

New Testament page 259

Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Pastor TJ Shirley

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***HYMN #391**

Take My Life

1 Take my life, and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee.
Take my moments and my days;

Let them flow in ceaseless praise,
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

2 Take my hands, and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love.
Take my feet, and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee,
Swift and beautiful for Thee.

3 Take my voice, and let me sing
Always, only, for my King.
Take my lips, and let them be
Filled with messages from Thee,
Filled with messages from Thee.

4 Take my silver and my gold;
Not a mite would I withhold;
Take my intellect, and use
Every power as Thou shalt choose,
Every power as Thou shalt choose.

5 Take my will, and make it Thine;
It shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is Thine own;
It shall be Thy royal throne,
It shall be Thy royal throne.

6 Take my love, my Lord, I pour
At Thy feet its treasure store.
Take myself, and I will be
Ever, only, all for Thee,
Ever, only, all for Thee.

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Anthem for World Peace

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***DOXOLOGY #592**

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

GREAT THANKSGIVING

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

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

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

One: And so we sing with all the saints on earth
and all the angels in heaven:

All: 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...

One: Great is the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again...

One: Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory
and honor are yours, Almighty God, now and forever.

All: Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Hymnal p. 16

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

COMMUNION

(Gluten-free elements provided on stand in front.)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENT IN GOD'S NAME

*CLOSING HYMN #522

Lord, When I Came Into This Life

1 Lord, when I came into this life
You called me by my name;
Today I come, commit myself,
Responding to Your claim.

2 Within the circle of the faith
As member of Your cast,
I take my place with all the saints
Of future, present, past.

3 In all the tensions of my life,
Between my faith and doubt,
Let Your great Spirit give me hope,
Sustain me, lead me out.

4 So, help me in my unbelief
And let my life be true:
Feet firmly planted on the earth,
My sights set high on You.

*BENEDICTION

Liturgical resources from *Feasting on the Word: Worship Companion* and *Book of Common Worship* (1993) and (2018).

