## St. Andrew Presbyterian Church

All Saints Day Rev. Tripp Brogdon, Pastor Mavis Stephens. Choir Director November 2, 2025 Elder John Jordan, Liturgist Dr. Jeff Gilbreath. Pianist

Prelude "Heaven Medley"

#### We Gather in God's Presence

Welcome

Minute for Mission

**DAR Breakfast** 

Jan Foster

\*Call to Worship: Adapted from Psalm 149

One: In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of the one who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will.

All: Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song; sing praise in the assembly of the faithful.

One: So that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory.

All: Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song; sing praise in the assembly of the faithful.

One: For the Lord takes pleasure in his people; he adorns the humble with victory. Let the faithful exult in glory;

All: Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song; sing praise in the assembly of the faithful.

One: The holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess it forever, forever and ever.

All: Let us worship the Lord!

\*Hymn "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart"

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**Gathering Prayer** 

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession:

Eternal God, in every age you have raised up women and men to live and die in faith. We confess that we are indifferent to your will. You call us to proclaim your name, but we are silent. You call us to do what is just, but we remain idle. You call us to live faithfully, but we are afraid. In your mercy, forgive us. Give us courage to follow in your way, that joined with those from

# ages past, who have served you with faith, hope, and love, we may inherit the kingdom you promised in Jesus Christ. Amen. (Silent Confession)

\*Hymn of Response

"There is a Redeemer" v.1

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Assurance of Pardon:

One: The hope to which we are called is the glorious inheritance of all the saints, the immeasurable greatness of God's power for us who believe. This is good news!

All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

\*Passing of the Peace

\*Gloria Patri #581

#### We Listen for God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading Luke 6:20-31

\*Hymn Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me""

Scripture Reading Ephesians 1:11-23

Sermon "Glorious Inheritance"

#### We Respond to God's Word

Call for the Offering

(The offering plate is not passed, but is located on a stand outside the sanctuary doors.)

Offertory "Find Us Faithful"

\*Doxology #606

\*Prayer of Dedication

Communion Anthem "Here at Thy Table, Lord"

Communion

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of 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: It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks and praise...

One: ...who forever sing to the glory of your name:

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: You are holy, O God of majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ, your Son, our

Lord.

One: Great is the mystery of faith:

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

Rev. Brogdon continues.

Breaking of the Bread and Sharing of the Cup

#### **Prayer After Communion**

God of glory, in this holy feast you have made us one with Christ and with that great multitude of the faithful – those who hunger and thirst no more and worship night and day in your temple. Lead us in the paths of righteousness and guide us to the springs of the water of life, until we join the choir of the redeemed, singing: Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb: Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### We Are Sent Into the World

\*Hymn "For All the Saints" #326

\*Benediction

Postlude "When We All Get to Heaven"

\*Please rise in body or spirit.

Bold and italic type indicates our shared response.

#### Calendar:

Tues., Nov. 4 10:00 AM PW Women's Meeting in the Fellowship Hall

Thurs., Nov. 6 1:00 PM Caring Hands

Sun., Nov. 9 8:00 AM Veteran's Day Breakfast

Mon., Nov. 10 HAD Lunch – sign up on the bulletin board to bring rolls, dessert,

cornbread, or serve.

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### Scripture Reading, John Jordan: Luke 6:20-31

Then he looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets. But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

## Scripture Reading, Rev. Brogdon: Ephesians 1:11-23

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit;

this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.