

# **Immanuel Presbyterian Church**

All Saints' Day 8:30am Alternative Worship November 6, 2022

Discovering and displaying Christ in here and out there

## Gathering

#### Welcome and Community Life

**Prayer of Adoration** 

\*Song Sing, Sing, Sing Tomlin

\*Call to Worship

One: Holy and Strong One, Holy and Mighty One, extend our vision

All: and make us to be numbered with your saints.

One: Increase our faith

All: and make us to be numbered with your saints.

One: Direct our thoughts

All: and make us to be numbered with your saints.

One: Be in our words

All: and make us to be numbered with your saints.

\*Song Beautiful Savior Townend

### **Prayer of Confession**

All: Eternal God, in every age you have raised up men and women 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.

### Hearing

#### Children's Message

#### **Prayer for Illumination**

#### **Epistle Reading**

Ephesians 1: 11-23 NRSVue

<sup>11</sup> 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, <sup>12</sup> so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. 13 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; 14 this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. 15 I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason 16 I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers, <sup>17</sup> 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, <sup>18</sup> so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may perceive what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, 19 and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. <sup>20</sup> 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, <sup>21</sup> 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. <sup>22</sup> And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, <sup>23</sup> which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

One: The grass withers and the flower fades, but the Word of God endures forever.

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

An Enchanted Faith Rev. John C. Tittle

## Responding

#### \*Affirmation of Faith

One: With the saints, we believe and trust in God the Father who made all things.

All: We believe and trust in him.

One: With the saints, we believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ who redeemed

the world.

All: We believe and trust in him.

One: With the saints, we believe and trust in the Holy Spirit who gives life to the

people of God.

All: We believe and trust in him.

One: This is the faith of the saints of God.

All: This is our faith. We believe and trust in one God, Father, Son, and Holy

Spirit. Amen.

\*Prayer of Dedication

Offertory Music I'll Be On My Way Kirchner

Remembering All Saints' Day

Ann Bayes David Lohn Larry Tippie
Carol Ann Boone Carol Merkle Donald Tittle
Cinda Christy Michael Ross Dick Wainwright

Betty Hillman Fran Schugmann

Sealing

**Prayer of Thanksgiving** 

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

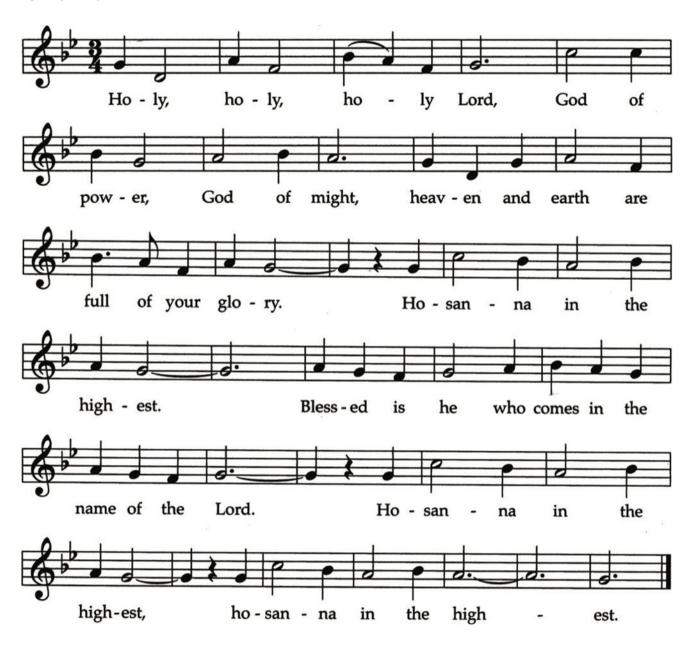
One: Lift up your hearts!

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

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

All: It is right for us to give thanks and praise.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name:



#### The Lord's Prayer

All: 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

**Concluding Prayer** 

Sending

\*Closing Song In Christ Alone Getty, Townend

#### \*Charge and Benediction

#### Participants:

Rev. Dr. John Tittle, Pastor

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Kris Goorsky, Director of Christian Formation

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Ed Vander Woude, audio visual

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