



November 3, 2024

All Saints Sunday

Community News

Prelude		
Welcome and Announcements		Rev. Dr. Robert C. Brown
✕Collect for All Saints Sunday (in unison)		
God of unfailing light, in your realm of glory the poor are blessed, the hungry filled, and every tear is wiped away. Strengthened by this vision and the great cloud of witnesses, may we follow in the way of holiness that your Son made known in life and death. Amen.		
✕Opening Hymn	<i>For All the Saints</i> (verses 1, 2, 4, and 6)	711
✕Invitation, Prayer of Confession – Page 12		Rev. Josh Swanson
✕Passing of the Peace (Children may follow Ms. Casey to Children’s Church)		
Mission Moment – Murphy-Harpst Children’s Home		Dr. Brown
Naming of the Saints		Dr. Brown
Prayer (in unison)		
We bless your holy name, O God, for all your servants who, having finished their course, now rest from their labors. Give us grace to follow the example of their steadfastness and faithfulness, to your honor and glory; through Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.		
9:00	<i>Make Me a Channel of Your Peace</i> (Fettke)	Choir
11:00	<i>At The River</i> (Copeland)	Karen Graffius
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Wes Maston
Response	<i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</i>	349
Sermon	“Remembering the Saints” Philippians 1:3 & Hebrews 12:1-3	Rev. Ken Stephens
Holy Communion		13
Prayer after Communion		11
✕Closing Hymn	<i>Hymn of Promise</i>	707
✕Benediction		Rev. Stephens
Postlude		
✕Standing as you are able.		

All Saints Sunday is the day set aside to honor those who have gone on before us. This year we celebrate the memories of:

Linda Barstow McCormick	Charlotte Crawford Cowart
Janis Atherton Kagiya	Doyle Henry Garrett
Joan Ellis Nesbit	Janice Haynes Dixon

Church Workday November 9, 1106 Maple St. – Two work sessions, 8-12 and/or 1-4 PM.
A Full Breakfast will be served by the Community First Men at 7:30 to all who participate in the workday.

Communion Offering will go to the Salvation Army for their Christmas Kettle offering.

Angel Tree donations will be received during the month of November for the children of the Murphy-Harpst Home.

Blood Drive November 9, 11 – 3 PM at the Lighthouse

Once Upon a Christmas, co-sponsored by Community First and hosted by Authors, Illustrators and Artists at the Center for the Arts, November 9 from 1-4 PM. Email Erin Echols to volunteer.
erinlechols@gmail.com

Pairs and Spares – Nov. 13, 11:30 am. Vegetable soup lunch will be served at the Lighthouse.
RSVP to Ken by Nov. 10 – 678-938-7626 or ken@communityfirstumc.org

Discipleship Opportunity – During Advent we are called to quietness, preparing ourselves for the coming of the Christ into our lives. Please join this Centering Prayer Group on December 3, 10 and 17 at 11:30, 1106 Maple Street. Facilitator: Carol Boyd (cboyd889@gmail.com)

Church Office Hours at 1106 Maple Street are **Tuesdays**, 9-11 and **Thursdays**, Noon – 2 PM

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