

THE ORDER FOR OUR WORSHIP

PRELUDE - “Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty” tune by Neander

page 151 - **CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION**

HYMN 677 vs 1, 2, 3, 4, 8 - we sing, standing

LITANY OF COMMEMORATION - see insert

GREETING, followed by PRAYER

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

Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into the holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. **Amen.**

(please be seated)

FIRST LESSON (bulletin back page)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

PSALM 149 - “Give Praise to Our God” tune *Laudate Dominum*; we sing, seated

SECOND LESSON (bulletin back page)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

page 156 - **ALLELUIA** - we sing, standing

GOSPEL (bulletin back page)

Before, all shout: **Glory to you, O Lord!**

After, all shout: **Praise to you, O Christ!**

HYMN 678 - we sing seated

SERMON

NICENE CREED - all standing

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Response: **Hear our prayer!**

OFFERTORY

10:30 - *The Parish Choir sings “You are Mine” by Haas*

page 160 - **SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

page 161 - **SANCTUS**

LORD’S PRAYER

page 162 - **WORDS OF OUR LORD**

PEACE OF THE LORD

page 163 - **AGNUS DEI**

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

During the Distribution we sing HYMNS 687 and 700

All are invited to commune who have been baptized and instructed in the Faith; who repent of their sins; who are committed to Christ and to the mission of his church; and who believe with us that we receive and share our Savior’s Body and Blood in, with, and under the bread and the wine of the Sacrament - as signs of his forgiveness and of our Christian family solidarity.

All who commune, kindly sign your names in our

Communicant Register, which is located on the narthex shelf along side our Guest Register.

page 164 - **POST COMMUNION CANTICLE** - all standing

page 166 - **BENEDICTION**

NEWS AND NOTES

This Week Here (*bring masks*)

Wed - 1:30PM - Bible Study

- 7:15PM - Bell Choir

- 8:00PM - Parish Choir

Last Week Here

Worshipping: 50 Offering: \$4,597

Bible Studies! Sunday morning and Wednesday afternoon Bible Studies have resumed. Sunday Bible Study will start at 9:15 a.m. and will be held on non-communion Sundays (2nd and 4th Sunday). Wednesday Bible Study will be held at 1:30 p.m. We will be meeting in the fellowship hall (with social distancing in place – bring your masks). Both the Sunday and Wednesday Bible Studies will be available via zoom.

A WORD ABOUT THE LESSONS

Saints Are Blessed in the Eternal Presence of Christ - “A great multitude ... from all tribes and peoples and languages” cry out, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne” (Rev. 7:9–10). Faith-filled saints from every place and time with unified voices eternally magnify the Lamb of God. As His beloved children, we, too, “shall see him as he is” (1 John 3:2). Joined with the throng of angels and a myriad of saints, we shall “serve him day and night in his temple” (Rev. 7:15). In our earthly tension vacillating between saint and sinner, faith and doubt, sacred and profane, we earnestly seek Jesus to calm our fears, comfort our spirits and forgive our sins. The Holy Spirit, through faith in Christ, propels us forward to our eternal home, fortifying us in Word and Sacrament. In the midst of our constant struggle as believers, we need to be blessed. And so we are. The poor in spirit, the meek, the hungry, the thirsty, the merciful, the pure and the persecuted are all blessed, and we will most certainly inherit the kingdom of heaven (Matt. 5:1–12).

HYMN 670 - we sing, standing

POSTLUDE - “Sing Forth to the Lord” by David Paxton

Attn CLC Voters! There is a meeting scheduled for next Sunday at 1:00 via zoom.

Cheshire Food Pantry Thanksgiving Baskets - instead of collecting one item to be included in Thanksgiving baskets, this year, we are being asked to donate any items from the following list: Boxed mashed potatoes, fried onions, cranberry sauce, stuffing, flour, sugar. Items will be delivered to the pantry after the open office hours on Thur, Nov. 12. Please give as the Spirit moves you.

Heavenly Herald newsletters are on the narthex and hallway tables. Please help yourself to a copy to keep current on what’s going on here at CLC. Copies will also be available for pick up on Thursdays.