

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

PRAYER OF THE DAY

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 one 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!**

"Give Praise to Our God" - *see insert*

*Tune Laudate Dominum; arr. Parry
Psalm 149*

SECOND LESSON *(bulletin back page)*

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page 156 - **ALLELUIA VERSE** - *all standing*

GOSPEL *(bulletin back page)* - *all standing*

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

HYMN 678 - *we sing, seated*

SERMON

NICENE CREED - *hymnal, last page
all standing*

10:30 - **RITE OF FIRST
HOLY COMMUNION**

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

all may kneel

Response: **Hear our prayer!**

OFFERTORY

*The Parish Choir sings (10:30) "We Thank
You for Beloved Saints" by Pepper Choplin*

page 160 - **SERVICE OF THE
SACRAMENT**

Page 161 - **SANCTUS**

LORD'S PRAYER

page 162 - **WORDS OF OUR LORD**

SHARING OF PEACE

page 163 - **AGNUS DEI**

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

*During the Distribution we sing HYMNS 680
and 700*

*All are invited to commune who have been
baptized and instructed in the Faith; who rep-
ent 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 -
where He gives forgiveness and Christian uni-
ty.*

*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

Altar Flowers this morning are given by April Slauson in loving memory of her parents, Felix and Arlene and sister, Judith Ann Satikas.

This Week Here

Wed - 1:30PM - Bible Study
- 7:15PM - Bell Choir
- 8:00PM - Parish Choir
Thur - 10:00AM - Bulletin Pick-Up

The CLC nomination committee announces the slate of candidates to be considered for the 2022 Council. This will be presented at the November 14th Voters' Assembly meeting as part of the election process. Additional candidates who have not been approached by the nomination committee will be requested for any of the positions up for election. *Please see insert sheet.*

Advent Jubilee Lunch will be held here after the 10:30 service on **December 5!** Everyone is welcome to join us. *Please sign up on the bulletin board if you plan to attend.*

Apple Pies are back! Order forms are located on the hallway counter. Please place or-

HYMN 670 - *we sing, standing*

POSTLUDE - "God of Our Fathers" by Warren; arr. Saxton

der by November 10. Pick pies up on November 13 by 12:00 noon.

Apple Pie Workshop will be held on Saturday, November 13 at 8:30 a.m. We need crust makers, peelers, slicers, mixers, rollers, box makers - please sign up on the bulletin board if you can help.

Organ Recital - There will be a beautiful Organ Recital next Sunday, **November 14** at 4:00 p.m. The public is invited and this is a free concert. The attendees are asked to wear masks. The performer is Noah Klein. He will play great works by J. S. Bach, Buxtehude, Hindemith and Mendelssohn. We will also get to sing hymns in true Lutheran style. It will last one hour with no intermission.

Food Collection for Thanksgiving Baskets We are helping the Cheshire Community Food Pantry create 170 Thanksgiving Baskets for members of our Cheshire Community who are in need. This year CLC has been asked to collect 170 each of canned yams and stuffing mix. Please help us fill the baskets by bringing in your contribution by noon, on **November 11.**

A WORD ABOUT THE LESSONS

Saints Are Blessed in the Eternal Presence of Christ - "A great multitude ... from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages," cry out, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne" (Rev. 7:9-17). 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 3:1-3). Joined with the throng of angels and myriad saints, we shall "serve him day and night in his temple" (Rev. 7:9-17). 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, fortifying us in Word and Sacrament, to our eternal home. 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).