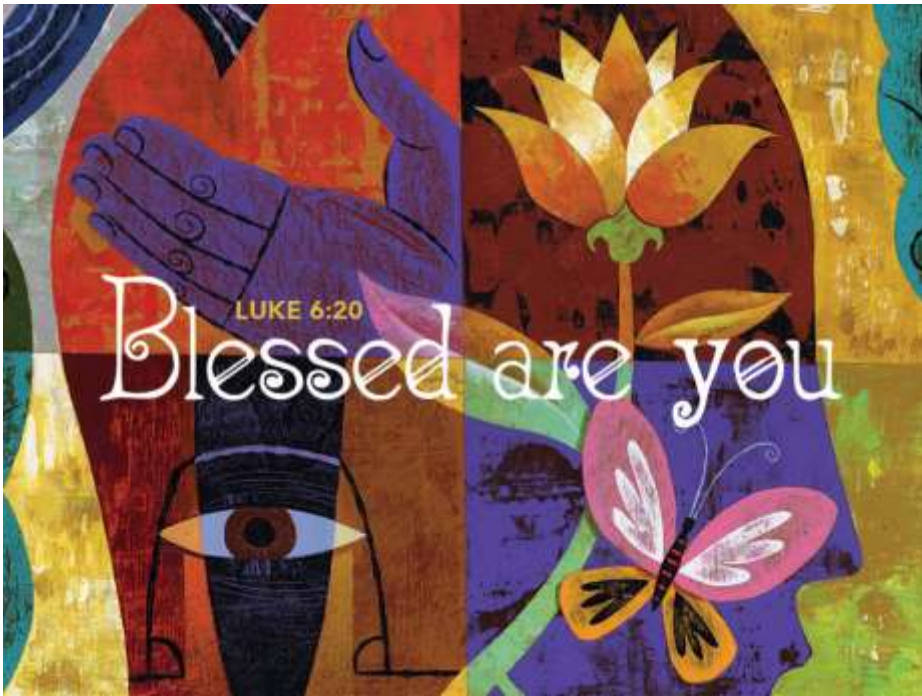


All Saints Sunday



*November 6, 2022 | 9:00 a.m.
Fall Harvest Festival*

*Kviteseid Lutheran Church
308 North Third Street
Milan, Minnesota*

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome to worship at Kviteseid Lutheran Church... on this All Saints Sunday. As we remember the faithful who have gone before us, we also rejoice to be called saints of God through baptism.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN "For All the Saints" (vs. 1, 2, 6, 7) ELW #422

INTRODUCTION

In holy baptism God makes saints out of sinners. In holy communion God forgives the sins of all the saints. In worship today we give thanks for all the saints "who from their labors rest." In the same breath we petition our God for the strength to hear and to heed the admonitions of Jesus in today's gospel. Sealed by the Spirit and sustained by the Savior's body and blood, we live with joy as God gives us breath, to the praise of God's glory.

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P For the peace and unity of the saints,
trusting in the promise of grace,
let us confess our sin to God and to one another.

C **God of the covenant,
who calls all people to reconciliation,
you have made us members of the very body of Christ;
yet we persist in wounding that body
with our divisions, our suspicions, and our neglect.
Forgive us, and teach us to nurture unity and peace.
For the sake of Jesus Christ
and the world he came to save; Amen.**

P In the great compassion of our God,
the death and resurrection of Christ Jesus has shown us
God's forgiveness for our sins.
Therefore, I declare to you the entire forgiveness for all your sins
in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

GREETING

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C **And also with you.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P Let us pray.

C Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

LESSON: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

The book of Daniel was written in the second century BCE, when the Syrian king Antiochus Epiphanes was severely persecuting the Jews. Daniel's vision of the four beasts proclaims that human kings will come and go, but the kingdom will ultimately belong to God and to God's people.

PSALM 149

L ¹Hallelujah! Sing to the LORD a new song,
God's praise in the assembly of the faithful.

**C ²Let Israel rejoice in their maker;
let the children of Zion be joyful in their ruler.**

L ³Let them praise their maker's name with dancing;
let them sing praise with tambourine and harp.

**C ⁴For the LORD takes pleasure in the people
and adorns the poor with victory.**

L ⁵Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; let them sing for joy on their beds.

**C ⁶Let the praises of God be in their throat
and a two-edged sword in their hand,**

L ⁷to wreak vengeance on the nations and punishment on the peoples,

C ⁸to bind their kings in chains and their nobles with links of iron,

L ⁹to inflict on them the judgment decreed;
this is glory for all God's faithful ones. Hallelujah!

LESSON: Ephesians 1:11-23

After giving thanks for the faith of the Ephesians, the writer of this letter prays that they might understand the wisdom, hope, and power of God that is embodied in Jesus Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

P The Holy Gospel, according to Luke, the 6th chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL: Luke 6:20-31

In echoes of the prophet Isaiah and Mary's song of praise, Jesus reveals surprising things about who enjoys blessing and who endures woe. He invites his disciples to shower radical love, blessing, forgiveness, generosity, and trust even on enemies and outsiders.

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY "For All Your Saints, O Lord" (vs. 1, 2, 4, 5) ELW #427

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C I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilot,
was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

LIGHTING OF MEMORIAL CANDLES

The candles being lit today are in loving memory and thanksgiving for the lives of: Phyllis Hanson, Fern Streed, Deb Kleven, Glen Hilden, Iola Pearson, David J. Olson, Yvonne Hilden, Leslie Bakke and Michael Schroeder.

HYMN "For All the Saints" (vs. 3 & 5) ELW #422

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Each portion of the prayers ends with these words:

P Lord, in your mercy,

C receive our prayer.

The prayers are concluded with these words:

P Accept these prayers, gracious God, and those known only to you;
through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C Amen.

SHARING THE PEACE

P The peace of Christ be with you always.

C **And also with you.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY RESPONSE "Create in Me a Clean Heart"

ELW #186

OFFERING PRAYER

P Blessed are you, Maker of all things.
As you have entrusted us with all that you have created,
now gather our gifts, nourish us with this sacrament,
and send us to those who hunger and thirst,
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.

C **Amen.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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C **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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

*As you come forward for communion, you may light a candle of remembrance.
Place candles toward the back of the container and move frontward as needed
to avoid reaching over lit candles.*

COMMUNION HYMNS	“Lamb of God”	page 154
	“Now We Join in Celebration”	ELW #462
	“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”	ELW #623
	“Abide with Me”	ELW #629
	“Blessed Assurance”	ELW #638

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

P We give you thanks, most gracious God, that you have fed us with the bread of heaven and given us a foretaste of Paradise. Enliven us to be your body in the world and to serve those who are in need; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C **Amen.**

BLESSING

P The God of peace, who creates all things and calls them good, who makes us alive in Jesus, and who breathes on us the Spirit of hope, ✠ bless you now and forever.

C **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN “Shall We Gather at the River” ELW #423

DISMISSAL

P Go in peace. Be a blessing in the world.

C **Thanks be to God.**

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