



St. James's Episcopal Church

All Saints' Day
November 7, 2021
11:15 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite II and Baptism

Before the liturgy, in silence, talk to God. During the liturgy, let God speak to you.

After the liturgy, speak to one another. Please silence all electronic devices.

Prelude: In Paradisum

Gerald Near

Hymn 287: *Sine Nomine*, "For all the saints"

Verse 4 – Women Verse 7 – Men

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Celebrant There is one Body and one Spirit;

People There is one hope in God's call to us;

Celebrant One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

People One God and Father of all.

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

Epistle: Revelation 21:1-6a

I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

“See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away.”

And the one who was seated on the throne said, “See, I am making all things new.” Also he said, “Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.” Then he said to me, “It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end.”

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 24 *Domini est terra*

Remaining seated, the People read the Psalm responsively by half verse.

The earth is the LORD’S and all that is in it, *
the world and all who dwell therein.

For it is he who founded it upon the seas *
and made it firm upon the rivers of the deep.

“Who can ascend the hill of the LORD?” *
and who can stand in his holy place?”

“Those who have clean hands and a pure heart, *
who have not pledged themselves to falsehood,
nor sworn by what is a fraud.

They shall receive a blessing from the LORD *
and a just reward from the God of their salvation.”

Such is the generation of those who seek him, *
of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob.

Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; *
and the King of glory shall come in.

“Who is this King of glory?” *

“The LORD, strong and mighty,
the LORD, mighty in battle.”

Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; *
and the King of glory shall come in.

“Who is he, this King of glory?” *

“The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory.”

Hymn 286: *Zeuch mich, zeuch mich*, “Who are these like stars appearing”

Gospel: John 11:32-44

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ,
 according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, “Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.” When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, “Where have you laid him?” They said to him, “Lord, come and see.” Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, “See how he loved him!” But some of them said, “Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?”

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, “Take away the stone.” Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, “Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days.” Jesus said to her, “Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?” So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, “Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.” When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, “Lazarus, come out!” The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, “Unbind him, and let him go.”

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon: Lay Chaplain Blake Singer

Hymn 293 (vs. 1, 3): *Grand Isle*, “I sing a song of the saints of God”

Presentation and Examination of the Candidates *BCP 301*

The Congregation may be seated.

Celebrant The Candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Sponsors I present *N.* to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

Celebrant Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is brought up in the Christian faith and life?

Sponsors I will, with God’s help.

Celebrant Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

Sponsors I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Answer I renounce them.

Celebrant Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Answer I renounce them.

Celebrant Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Answer I renounce them.

Celebrant Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?

Answer I do.

Celebrant Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Answer I do.

Celebrant Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?

Answer I do.

Celebrant Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ?

People We will.

Celebrant Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

Baptismal Covenant

The People stands as able.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

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

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
People 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.

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship,
in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?
People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall
into sin, repent and return to the Lord?
People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News
of God in Christ?
People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons,
loving your neighbor as yourself?
People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people,
and respect the dignity of every human being?
People I will, with God's help.

Prayers for the Candidates

Celebrant

Let us now pray for these persons who are to receive the Sacrament of
new birth.

The People respond to each petition, saying, "Lord, hear our prayer."

Leader Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.
Leader Open their hearts to your grace and truth.
Leader Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.
Leader Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.
Leader Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.
Leader Send them into the world in witness to your love.
Leader Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.

Celebrant

Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ
your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to
come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever. *Amen.*

Thanksgiving over the Water

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Baptism

Celebrant

N., I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. *Amen.*

N., you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever. *Amen.*

Receive this light as a sign of the new light which has been enkindled in you.

Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon these your servants the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. *Amen.*

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

Celebrant and People

We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.

Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And also with you.

Greeting and Announcements

The Holy Communion

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Body and Blood of our Lord at the altar. Gluten-free wafers are available. All are invited to receive a blessing at the altar, indicated by crossing your arms across your chest.

Offering of Gifts and Praise

To give online, you may use the QR code located in the back of the bulletin.

Anthem: Justorum animae

Charles Villiers Stanford

Justorum animae	The souls of the just
in manu Dei sunt.	are in the hand of God,
et non tanget illos	and they shall not be touched
tortum malitiae:	by the torment of malice:
visi sunt oculis	in the sight of the unwise
insipientium mori,	they seemed to die,
illi autem sunt in pace.	but they are in peace.

Hymn 380 (v. 3): *Old 100th*, “Praise God, from whom all blessings flow”

Necrology

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. (*The Celebrant continues with the Preface for All Saints Day.*)

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus S129

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

The People may kneel or stand, as is their custom.

Celebrant

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People

We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

Celebrant

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant

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,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread and S155

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Music at Communion

Anthem: Give us the wings of faith

Ernest Bullock

Give us the wings of faith to rise
Within the veil, and see
The saints above, how great their joys,
How bright their glories be.

We ask them whence their victory came,
They, with one united breath,
Ascribe the conquest to the Lamb,
Their triumph to his death.

They marked the footsteps that he trod,
His zeal inspired their breast,
And, following their incarnate God,
They reached their promised rest.

Chant: The Beatitudes

Russian Orthodox chant

(for text, see Hymn 560)

Special Celebrations and Prayers

People with birthdays or anniversaries during the week and any with special prayer requests may come forward to the altar rail to receive a blessing.

Postcommunion Prayer

BCP 365

The People join in saying the Postcommunion Prayer, kneeling as able.

Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Hymn 625: *Darwall's 148th*, "Ye holy angels bright"

Dismissal

People Thanks be to God.

*The flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Armistead Williams, Carrington Williams,
Walter Armistead Williams, Jr., and Stephen James Anthony Smith*

Service Participants

Preacher: Lay Chaplain Blake Singer

Celebrant: The Reverend Dr. Robert Friend

Deacon: The Reverend Hilary Streever

Assisting Priest: The Reverend Dr. John McCard

Lectors: Dale Mann, Charol Shakeshaft

Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Margie Gray and Judy Philpott

IWC Greeter: Page Kastelberg

Musicians: Parish Choir

Organist: Virginia Ewing Whitmire

Director of Music: Dr. Mark A. Whitmire

Baptisms

Charlotte Ross Forsyth Allen, daughter of Anna Katherine Allen and Ross Charles Allen, granddaughter of Nancy Dismuke and the late Bill Dismuke and Kenneth and Regina Allen, and great-granddaughter of Audi Brite. Charlotte Ross' godparent is Demas Boudreaux.

Heather Jane Hurt, daughter of Meredith Braymer Hurt and Daniel Baker Hurt, sister of Charlotte Grace Hurt, and granddaughter of Meta and John Braymer and Barbara and Doug Hurt. Heather's godparent is Linnea Elizabeth Borter.

Virginia Montague Rhoads, daughter of Anna Kathryn Klele Rhoads and Holland Buchanan Rhoads, sister of Eleanor Elizabeth Rhoads, granddaughter of Jean Hinkle Klele, Carl Jonathan Klele, and Leigh Anne and David Rhoads, and great-granddaughter of Carl Franklin Klele, Julia Klele, and Becky Dowell. Virginia's godparents are Christina Crawford Edwards, Jeffrey Francis McMahon, and Natalie Klele Newfield.

All Saints' Sunday Necrology
November 2020 – November 2021

Almighty God, we remember before you this day all your faithful servants who have died in the past year; and we pray that, having opened to them the gates of larger life, you will receive them more and more into your joyful service, that, with all who have faithfully served you in the past, they may share in the eternal victory of Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

We remember especially:

Aubrie Aber
Alice Rebecca Monroe Adams
Sunny Adams
Keren Arthur
Shirley F. Baker
Dorothy Lee Barrett
Edward Bick
Susan Bloor
Luke Bowles
Michael Bradshaw
O. Christian Bredrup Jr.
Jane Swain Brown
Robert Butcher, Jr.
Barbara Caperton
Beryl Choi
Carol Corrigan
Janet W. Cosby
Charlie Crasten
Marilyn Creasy
Marilyn McCord Danner
Leah Davis
Tim Dilsaver
Violet Longmire Duke
Kamisha Durham
Connie Weldon Edwards
D. Maxwell Ellett
Roy Tripp Evans III "Sandy"
John Fergusson
Frances B. Fitzgerald
Philip B. Fleck

Caroline Cameron Flippen
Robert Wright Forsyth IV
John Joseph Fox Jr.
Emily Fyfe
Frank Grier
Stephen Gunther
Charlotte Harbach
Marie Harris
Stuart Harris, Jr.
Gisela Katerina Harrison
Mary Ellett Harrison
Dickye Phillips Hickman
Dan Hillsman
Chuckie Jackson
Suanne Reid Jackson
Lou Kendrick
Gloria King
Jeff Klein
Montine Attaway Knowles
Ashleigh Blumer Kohlitz
Roy Lambertson
Anne Beazley Little
James Londrey
Charlie Luck
Trudi Macon
Richard Campbell Manson, Jr.
Felecia Mason
Charlie McDowell
Bill Meredith
Thomas Miller

Kevin Moore
Robbie Morris
Sarah Morrison
James Muller
William Tayloe Murphy Jr.
Thornton Neal
Nancy Pace Newton
Darlene Ogden
Anne Osburn
Stan Paule
Alfred Pittman
Rita Porterfield
Marvin Presson, Jr.
Opal Rife
Richard Roscoe
Marvin Pierce Rucker II
James Ruehrmund, Sr.

Margaret Ryan
Sara Elizabeth Savage Sharp
Dr. George Silver
Geoffrey Sisk
Jonnie Smith
John Patrick Sullivan
Lucy Cabell Summerell
Anne Dixon Sweets
Edward Thomas
Al Jean Thompson
Edmonia Woodfolk Trice
Emily Allene Isbell Ukrop
Gordon Wallace, Jr.
Mitzi Welton
Bodie Williamson
Barbara Willis
Woody

Eternal Lord God, who holds all souls in life: Give to your whole Church in paradise and on earth your light and your peace; that following the good examples of those who have served you on earth and are now at rest, all of us may at the last enter with them into your unending joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Prayers of the People

Please lift up to God those who have asked for our prayers:

For the sick and in need: especially Bless Arthur and family, Elizabeth Austin, Jennifer Ball, Andy Blieden, Ann Davis, Tom Evelyn, Tom Holliday, Leigh Hulcher, Roxanne James, Dave Johnson, Sue Kneip, George Longest, Matt Mattox, Linda Mays, Eve McCray, JoEllen McGugan, Bunky Miller, Claire Miller, Harry Moore, Adah Parashar, Peter Pfohl, Bradford Smith, Jay Stegmaier, Evelyn Sutton, Sue Swartwout, Ginger Trice, Erin Wright, Cassandra and family, Ben and Eloise, Ace, Dylan, Elaine, James, and Melissa

For those serving in our Armed Forces: especially David Bhatta, Robby Farmer, Wilson Nance, William Smith, and Mitchell Teefey

For all who advocate for the most vulnerable and strive to bring an end to poverty and homelessness: especially our outreach partners ACTS, CARITAS, REAL Life, and RE:Work Richmond

For the newly born: especially David White Pulliam III, son of Anne Porter Pulliam and Dave Pulliam and grandson of Trudy and Cliff Porter, who was born recently

For those who were baptized during the last year: especially Mary Elizabeth Barrineau (Erin and Clark Barrineau), Helen Clair Branch (Sally and Russell Branch), Thomas Rutherford Brown III (Claire and Thomas Brown), Gordon Lee Crenshaw III (Hannah and Gordon Crenshaw), Georgina Miller Cronly (Jo and John Cronly), Elizabeth Spilman Crowley (Elizabeth and Andrew Crowley), Eloise Lawson Dahl (Emily and Jonathan Dahl), Tyndall Ann Durham (Katie and Arch Durham), Frank Gordon Elgin III (Laura and Frank Elgin, Jr.), James Walter Gochenour (Sara and Kyle Gochenour), Virginia Matthews Hoffman (Blair and Michael Hoffman), Frances West Johnson (Ellie and Whitney Johnson), Helen Ruth Lamberson (Corrine and Pierce Lamberson), Anne Massie Meredith (Sara and Massie Meredith), Thomas Helms Messier (Ashley and Ryan Messier), Elizabeth Morgan Myers (Sandra and John Myers), Mary Kathryn Myers (Sandra and John Myers), Madelynn Jo Pace (Jonathan and Hannah Pace), Darcy Grace Pocklington (Amy Pocklington), Willa Jane Pocklington (Amy Pocklington), Mary Trueheart Pulliam (Anne and Dave Pulliam), Mazie Lane Sadler (Lane and George Sadler), Tyler Lee Van Selow Jr. (Lexie and Tyler Van Selow), Oliver James Skidmore (Alli and Alex Skidmore), Bodhi Ellsworth Stinson (Jill and William Stinson), Virginia Sawyer Tillou (Lucy and John Tillou), Charles Warren Tyler (Liz and Benjamin “Camm” Tyler), and Hunter Thompson Valentine (Cele and Will Valentine)

For all celebrating their birthdays this week, especially those who celebrate their birthdays today: Thomas Brown, Jr., Tripp Hickman, III, Eloise Krusen, and Jessica Ledoux

Music Notes



Justorum animae is by the English composer Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924). Stanford was Professor of Composition at the Royal College of Music from 1883 and Professor of Music at Cambridge from 1887. He held both positions until his death. The text of *Justorum animae* is from the Book of Wisdom, III.

Give us the wings of faith was composed by the British composer Ernest Bullock (1890-1979). Bullock studied the organ with Edward Bairstow in Leeds and was assistant organist at Leeds Parish Church from 1907 to 1912. He also took courses at the University of Durham, receiving Bachelor of Music in 1908 and Doctor of Music in 1914. After serving as sub-organist at Manchester Cathedral, St. Michael's College, Tenbury and Exeter Cathedral, he was named organist and Master of the Choristers at Westminster Abbey, and as such participated in the coronation of King George VI. He was knighted by King George VI in 1951. The text is by Isaac Watts (1674-1748), who is often called the “father of English hymnody.” Watts wrote 400 hymns and nearly 200 paraphrases of psalms, eleven of which appear in *Hymnal 1982*. They include “O God our help in ages past,” “Before the Lord’s eternal throne,” “Joy to the world,” “When I survey the wondrous cross,” and “Jesus shall reign where e’re the sun.”

Sunday, November 14 at 7:00 p.m.: Corey’s Gospel Hour



The West Gallery Choir and Guitar Ensemble invite you to Corey’s Gospel Hour in Valentine Hall. We’ll sing old gospel hymns, read wonderful poetry and hear songs by singer/guitarist Corey Axt and others.

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