ALL SAINTS DAY
Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost
Service of Word and Table
November 1, 2026 at 11:00am

GATHERING IN PRAISE

The Chiming of the Worship Hour

The Welcome and Announcements and Invocation

The Prelude
"Take the Name of Jesus with You" arr. Berry

The Lighting of the Candles & Procession of the Bell Standard

The Introit
"Shall We Gather at the River" Lowry

****The Hymn of Praise***
"For All the Saints" No. 711 (vv. 1, 2, 4, 6)

The Confession and Pardon No. 12

****The Peace***

The Stewardship Witness Ray Purnell

The Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

The Offertory
"Just Over in the Glory-Land" arr. Mauldin

****The Doxology***

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

The Children's Moments

****The Prayer for Illumination***
Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

****The Scripture Lesson*** 1 Samuel: 11:14 – 12:18
Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

The Sermon
"Samuel: Responding to God's Might Deeds"

RESPONDING IN FAITH

****The Hymn of Response***
"Now Thank We All Our God" No. 102 (all verses)

The Invitation to Holy Communion No. 12

The Great Thanksgiving No. 13

The Naming of the Saints
Beverly Campbell *Fox Haas* *Perry Green*

The Lord's Prayer
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.
Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

The Giving of the Bread and Cup

The Prayer after Communion

SENDING FORTH

****The Hymn of Invitation***
"The Church's One Foundation" No. 545 (vv. 1, 2, 5)

****The Choral Benediction***
"Blessed Be the Name" arr. Hudson

****The Postlude***
"Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation" arr. Berry

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Communion Offering - Our Communion offering for November will go to The Mission.

Chili Cook-Off and Mid-Week Worship – On the evening of Wednesday, November 4th, we will host a chili cook-off and mid-week worship service in lieu of our regular Wednesday night activities. Please join us and bring a friend. Everyone is welcome to come eat, socialize and worship

Veterans Day – November 11th is Veterans Day, and we will recognize all our veterans on Sunday, November 8th.

New Upper Rooms - The New Upper Room Devotional Guides are in. They are located on the table at the back of the sanctuary and on the table as you enter the church. Please take one.

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UPCOMING MEETINGS

Meetings will be held in the church library

November 9 at 5:30 p.m.	Mission Team
November 16 at 4:30 p.m.	CDC Board
November 17 at 6:00 p.m.	Leadership Council

MID-WEEK ACTIVITIES

Tuesday

5:00pm	Revive Study Group

Wednesday

11:00am	Morning Bible Study
12:00pm	Holy Communion (Sanctuary)
5:15pm	Chili Cook-Off – All Ages Welcome (FH)
6:00pm	Mid-Week Worship – All Ages

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Rachel Wood, Minister of Music
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