# All SAINTS SUNDAY

November 4, 2018

# Preparation for Worship – We bow before You, O Lord!

#### Prelude

| Announcements                 |                        |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| Invocation                    | Inside cover of hymnal |
| Confession of Sins/Absolution | Inside cover of hymnal |

#### Adoration in Worship - We Praise You, O Lord!

| Opening Hymn         | "For All the Saints" | #546 |
|----------------------|----------------------|------|
| Liturgical Reading   |                      | #705 |
| Hymn Response        | "Seek Ye First"      | #42  |
|                      |                      |      |
| Passing of the Peace |                      |      |

### Instruction in Worship - We Serve You, O Lord!

| First and Second Scripture Readings |                    |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Special Music                       |                    |
| The Gospel.                         | John 11:32-44      |
| The Chorus: "Thank-You Lord"        |                    |
| The Sermon:                         | Pastor Larry Jerke |
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### Dedication in Worship - We Serve You, O Lord!

| Offering Hymn:       | "Sweet By and By"            | #553          |
|----------------------|------------------------------|---------------|
| Offertory Hymn:"V    | Ve Give Thee But Thine Own". | #620          |
| Apostles' Creed      | Inside cov                   | /er of hymnal |
| Words of Institution |                              |               |
| Holy Communion       |                              |               |
| The Lord's Prayer    |                              |               |
| Closing Hymn         | "Ye Servants of God"         | #17           |
| Benediction.         |                              |               |

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#### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR: Nov 4th thru Nov 11th

| Today: | 9:00 a.m.<br>9:15 a.m.<br>10:15 a.m.<br>10:30 a.m.                         | Worship at Trinity<br>Sunday School at Lands<br>Sunday School at Trinity<br>Worship at Lands                     |
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| Wed:   | 5:30 p.m.<br>7:00 p.m.<br>8:00 p.m.  | Bible Study at Lands<br>Lands Council meets at Lands<br>Parish Council at Lands                                  |
| Thurs: | 1:30 p.m.<br>7:00 p.m.   | Quilting Workshop at Lands<br>General Ladies Meeting at Lands  |
| Sat:   | 9:30 a.m.  | Romsdal Women meet at Church   |
| Sun:   | Nov 11 <sup>th</sup><br>9:00 a.m.<br>9:15 a.m.<br>10:15 a.m.<br>10:30 a.m. | Worship Schedule<br>Worship at Romsdal<br>Sunday School at Lands<br>Sunday School at Romsdal<br>Worship at Lands |

Thanks to Pastor Jerke for leading us in our Worship today.

Romsdal Women will meet at the Church this coming Saturday at 9:30 a.m. to tie fleece blankets.

Grand Valley Lutheran will be hosting their Soup & Dessert Supper tonight from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The Lands Fall Festival and Bazaar will be held at Grand Valley Church on Saturday, Nov 17<sup>th</sup>. Serving time is 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., with the Bazaar starting at 7 p.m.

There are Samaritan Shoe Boxes in the back of the church. If you would like to help a child in need, please take one and bring it back next Sunday, November 11. Thank you for helping!!! Just a reminder please DO NOT include liquids or any candy in the boxes!!!

Pastor Paul Jensen passed away on October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Funeral Service was Oct 29<sup>th</sup>. His obituary is available online at https://www.karvonenfuneralhome.com/obi/notices/Paul-Jensen

# Today's Readings

# Nov 1, 2018 All Saints Sunday

# Prayer of the Day

Thank-You, Dear Lord, for the tremendous sacrifices made by those who have gone before us. May we learn how to walk wisely from their examples of faith, dedication, worship, and love. Bless the memory of Your Saints, Heavenly Father. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

### First Reading: Isaiah 25:6-9

6 On this mountain the Lord Almighty will prepare a feast of rich food for all peoples. a banquet of aged winethe best of meats and the finest of wines. 7 On this mountain he will destroy the shroud that enfolds all peoples, the sheet that covers all nations: he will swallow up death forever. 8 The Sovereign Lord will wipe away the tears from all faces: he will remove his people's disgrace from all the earth. The Lord has spoken. 9 In that day they will say, "Surely this is our God; we trusted in him. and he saved us. This is the Lord, we trusted in him: let us rejoice and be glad in his salvation."

#### Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-6a

**21** Then I saw "a new heaven and a new earth," for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and there was no longer any sea. **2** I saw the Holy City, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride beautifully dressed for her husband. **3** And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Look! God's dwelling place is now among the people, and he will dwell with them. They will be his people, and God himself will be with them and be their God. **4** 'He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death' or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away." **5** He who was seated on the throne said, "I am making everything new!" Then he said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true." **6** He said to me: "It is done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End."

#### Gospel Lesson: John 11:32-44

**32** When Mary reached the place where Jesus was and saw him, she fell at his feet and said, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." **33** When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who had come along with her also weeping, he was deeply moved in spirit and troubled. **34** "Where have you laid him?" he asked. "Come and see, Lord," they replied. **35** Jesus wept. **36** Then the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" **37** But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

**38** Jesus, once more deeply moved, came to the tomb. It was a cave with a stone laid across the entrance. **39** "Take away the stone," he said. "But, Lord," said Martha, the sister of the dead man, "by this time there is a bad odor, for he has been there four days." **40** Then Jesus said, "Did I not tell you that if you believe, you will see the glory of God?" **41** So they took away the stone. Then Jesus looked up and said, "Father, I thank you that you have heard me. **42** I knew that you always hear me, but I said this for the benefit of the people standing here, that they may believe that you sent me." **43** When he had said this, Jesus called in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" **44** The dead man came out, his hands and feet wrapped with strips of linen, and a cloth around his face. Jesus said to them, "Take off the grave clothes and let him go."



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