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### OUR WORSHIP TODAY, ALL SAINTS DAY November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018 GATHERING AND MEDITATION TIME

Pre-Service Music, Welcome, and Announcements

# CONFESSIONAL PRAYER

Pastor: Lord, we approach your altar with with love for You and our concern for the price you paid for us on the cross. We realize the difficulties that we face, and we confess the poor job we have done with our response to your sacrifice. For that, dear Lord, we make our confession to you this day.

Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by the things we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

# ABSOLUTION

<u>Pastor</u>: As a result of the love of God, the work of Jesus on His cross, and by the power of the Holy Spirit, I, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, and by the authority of Jesus Christ, forgive you all your sins in the name of the, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. In the name of Jesus we pray. Alleluia and Amen.

#### ENTRANCE HYMN: 322 Faith of Our Fathers, vs 1,3 THE PRAYER OF THE DAY (Recited In Unison):

Dearest Lord, Today is the day we celebrate the lives of the people whom we do not know who gave their lives in service to you, Alleluia. May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, so that we may know the hope to which God has called us. Alleluia and Amen.

# FIRST LESSON: Revelation 7:9-17 (ESV)

A Great Multitude from Every Nation

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the

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throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!"

And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

"Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence. They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat.

For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

#### PSALM: Psalm 149 with Doxology (ESV)

(Recited whole verse by whole verse – Congregation in **Bold**)

#### Sing to the Lord a New Song

Praise the LORD! Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise in the assembly of the godly!

Let Israel be glad in his Maker; let the children of Zion rejoice in their King!

Let them praise his name with dancing, making melody to him with tambourine and lyre!

For the LORD takes pleasure in his people; he adorns the humble with salvation.

Let the godly exult in glory; let them sing for joy on their beds.

Let the high praises of God be in their throats and two-edged swords in their hands,

to execute vengeance on the nations and punishments on the peoples,

to bind their kings with chains and their nobles with fetters of iron,

to execute on them the judgment written! This is honor for all his godly ones. Praise the LORD!

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

EPISTLE LESSON: 1 John 3:1-3 (ESV)

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See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him.

Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

Please rise for the Alleluia - Sung

# Alleluia, Lord to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life, Alleluia

# THE HOLY GOSPEL: (ESV)

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the Chapter.

### Glory to You oh Lord!

#### Gospel Matthew 5:1-12

Seeing the crowds, he went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.

#### The Beatitudes

And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

#### Praise to you oh Christ!

**SERMON** 'For All the Saints' **Pastor Steve Dygert STS** 

SERMON HYMN: Sing A New Song Unto The Lord - insert

### **OUR CONFESSION OF FAITH:** The Apostles Creed **(C)**

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

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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 Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. 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.

**THE OFFERING: Offertory - 522 I Love to Tell the Story, vs 1,3** *As the offering is brought forward, we will sing the Doxology.* 

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise him, all creatures here below, Praise him above, Ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### JESUS LOVES ME DONATION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

#### **PRAYERS OF PRAISE:**

Let us Pray: (*Prayer Response*) Lord in your Mercy: Hear our prayer. THE LORD'S PRAYER, PREPARATION OF THE TABLE, WORDS OF INSTITUTION, THE DISTRIBUTION, THE COMMUNION BLESSING COMMUNION HYMN:

THE AARONIC BENEDICTION & Let There Be Peace On Earth Congregational Song, Let There Be Peace on Earth

Let there be peace on earth And let it begin with me Let there be peace on earth The peace that was meant to be With God as our father Brothers all are we Let me walk with my brother In perfect harmony THE DISMISSAL Let peace begin with me Let this be the moment now With every step I take Let this be my solemn vow To take each moment And live each moment In peace eternally Let there be peace on earth And let it begin with me.

P. Go in peace! Serve the Lord!

#### C. Thanks be to God

**WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN!** Thank you for joining us as we worship of our Risen Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! We are happy you are here! As a kindness to one another, *please place your cell phones* **on muted** for the time we are together in worship. If you are a visitor, let us know you are here!

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**IN OUR PRAYERS:** Please use a prayer request card if you have a specific prayer request this morning. It is our joy and our privilege to share in these petitions to Almighty God. If you have them ready before the service, hand them to Pastor when you have them completed, otherwise give them to the ushers at the time the offering is collected.

**VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION:** Peggie Sue has planned a celebration for those who served in the military. Join us for this special day.

**JESUS LOVES YOU MINISTRIES:** Today is Sock-it-to-me Sunday, and next Sunday is Can-it Sunday. We will be giving our gifts to this ministry during the service after the offering.

- Nov 4 socks, men's-women's-childrens
- 11 canned pasta (ravioli, beefaroni, etc.)
- 18 crackers, 10-20 ounce Jellies
- 25 razors, deoderants
- Dec 2 small men's shorts/underwear, 29-36
- 9 small women's underwear
- 16 canned pasta (ravioli, beefaroni, etc.)
- 23 soups, meals turkeys and hams? Will let you know
- 30 TBA

#### We Serve Today:

 Reader:
 Tina Mennenga
 Offering: Bob Wilgus, Bev Cisco

 Communion:
 Bev Cisco, Bubbles Burress, Peggie Sue Dygert
 Greeter: Nancy Nordell

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 Bubbles Burress
 Offering: Bob Wilgus, Bev Cisco

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 Bev Cisco, Bubbles Burress, Peggie Sue Dygert
 Greeter: Nancy Nordell

Lead Pastor: Rev. Dr. Steve Dygert STS Asst. Pastor: Rev Tony Alonzo Our Savior Lutheran Church, LCMC 14344 Jamison Way Port Charlotte, FL 33953 Website: <u>http://www.oslc-lcmc.com</u> Office: (941) 249-5108 Bible Study 1: Sunday 11 A.M. Sunday Pastor's email: <u>pastor@oslc-lcmc.com</u> Pastor's Cell Phone: (260) 417-3304 Worship Time: Sunday 10 A.M Bible Study 2: Wednesdays 10 A.M. At OSLC



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