



ALL  
SAINTS  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
To all who mourn and long for comfort;  
To all who struggle and desire hope;  
To all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares;  
To all who sin and need a Savior;  
To all who are strangers and yearn for fellowship;  
To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
To whomever will come—*

*All Saints Presbyterian Church opens wide her doors  
and offers welcome in the name of the risen Lord Jesus Christ.*

## Looking Ahead

### **TODAY – October 4**

9AM at Christ Community  
Church in Franklin  
and via live stream  
*Corporate Worship*

6PM via live stream  
*Sunday School*

### **October 7**

6:30PM at Granny White Park  
Pavilion  
*Midweek Prayer and Devotional*

### **October 11**

9AM at Christ Community  
Church in Franklin  
and via live stream  
*Corporate Worship*

6PM via live stream  
*Sunday School*

### **October 24**

10AM at Edwin Warner Park  
*All Saints Field Day*

## Announcements

**October Missions Prayer:** Please be in Prayer for Nate Bonham and his family as he transitions from his work in Peru with Cross Collaboration to a new expansive role as Regional Director over South America for MTW. The Bonhams are moving to a more central location and continuing oversight of church planting in South America. Also be in prayer for the continued growth of Seminario Bíblico Reformado and the training of over 150 students.

**Members of the Week:** Graham and Mary Hillard; Clara and Desmond

**Sunday School:** Please join us for Sunday School tonight at 6PM on Zoom as we finish our Psalm study with Psalm 50.

**Midweek Prayer:** Gather with us at Granny White Park next to the Pavilion this Wednesday, October 7, at 6:30PM for a time of prayer and a brief devotional. There will be adults available to keep an eye on our children on the playground during the meeting. We will send a text reminder Wednesday afternoon.

**All Saints Field Day:** The Events Committee has planned a day of fun and fellowship for our church family at Edwin Warner Park on October 24 at 10AM. More details can be found on the events page of our website, and feel free to reach out to Kate Stuart if you have questions.

**Operation Christmas Child:** We thank the Lord for the opportunity to bring joy and the Good news of Jesus Christ to children across the globe through the ministry of Operation Christmas Child. Gift boxes will be collected at All Saints on November 7 and 14. For more information and gift ideas, visit [samaritanspurse.org/occ](http://samaritanspurse.org/occ).

**Support:** All Saints is a registered 501(c)3 and all donations are tax deductible. Please consider giving to support the work we're doing to bring the gospel to Brentwood! There is a collection box on the table at the door for those who are able to give. You can also give on our website at [allsaintspres.net](http://allsaintspres.net).

# THE ORDER FOR THE PUBLIC WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday Morning, October 4, 2020

9:00 a.m.



Welcome and Announcements

Preparation for Worship

Prelude

## GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

\*Call to Worship. . . . . from Isaiah 12:4–6

Give thanks to the LORD, call upon his name,

**make known his deeds among the peoples,**

proclaim that his name is exalted.

**Sing praises to the LORD,**

for he has done gloriously;

**let this be made known in all the earth.**

Shout, and sing for joy, O inhabitant of Zion,

**for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel.**

The Psalm. . . . . Psalm 47

Minster: Salvation belongs to the LORD;

People: Your blessing be on your people!

\*Psalm of Praise . . . . . Book of Psalms for Worship, 98B

*Psalm 98*

1. <sup>1</sup> To the LORD O sing a new song  
 2. He re - called His love for Is - r'el,  
 3. <sup>6</sup> With the blast of horn and trum - pet

For the won - ders He has done;  
 And to them has faith - ful been;  
 Shout be - fore the LORD, the King.

His right hand and arm most ho - ly  
 When our God sent His sal - va - tion  
<sup>7</sup> Let the sea re - sound with prais - es,

Have for Him the vic - t'ry won.  
 It a - round the earth was seen.  
 Earth with all its peo - ple, sing.

<sup>2</sup> And the LORD re - vealed His res - cue,  
<sup>4</sup> Sing un - to the LORD with glad - ness,  
<sup>8</sup> Let the riv - ers in their glad - ness  
 4. For most sure - ly He is com - ing,

His sal - va - tion He made known;  
 All the earth sing joy - ful praise.  
 Clap their hands with one ac - cord;  
 Judge of all the earth to be.

<sup>3</sup> In the sight of ev - ery na - tion  
<sup>5</sup> To the LORD with harp make mu - sic,  
 Let the moun - tains sing to - geth - er  
 Just - ly He will judge the peo - ples,

He His righ - teous - ness has shown.  
 With the harp your voic - es raise.  
<sup>9</sup> And re - joice be - fore the LORD.  
 And the world with eq - ui - ty.

\*Prayer of Invocation

## GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE TO CONFESS

First Scripture Lesson . . . . . Esther 7  
(see page 10)

Minster: This is the Word of the LORD  
People: Thanks be to God!

Confession of Sin . . . . . adapted from Psalm 51

Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being, and you teach us wisdom in the secret heart. Purge us with hyssop, and we shall be clean; wash us, and we shall be whiter than snow. Let us hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have broken rejoice. Hide your face from our sins, and blot out all our iniquities. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Cast us not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation, and uphold us with a willing spirit. *Amen.*

Meditation

Here we pause in silence to meditate upon our sin and need for forgiveness.

Assurance of Pardon . . . . . Psalm 103:1-5

Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name! Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

\*Hymn of Christ's Return . . . . . Trinity Hymnal, 320

*Rejoice, All Ye Believers*

1. Re - joice, all ye be - liev - ers, and let your lights ap - pear;  
 2. See that your lamps are burn - ing; re - plen - ish them with oil;  
 3. Ye saints, who here in pa - tience your cross and suf - f'ings bore,  
 4. Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;

the eve - ning is ad - vanc - ing, and dark - er night is near:  
 and wait for your sal - va - tion, the end of earth - ly toil.  
 shall live and reign for - ev - er, when sor - row is no more:  
 a - rise, thou sun so longed for, o'er this be - night - ed sphere.

the Bride - groom is a - ris - ing, and soon he draw - eth nigh;  
 The watch - ers on the moun - tain pro - claim the Bride - groom near;  
 a - round the throne of glo - ry the Lamb ye shall be - hold,  
 With hearts and hands up - lift - ed, we plead, O Lord, to see

up, pray, and watch, and wres - tle: at mid - night comes the cry.  
 go meet him as he com - eth, with al - le - lu - ias clear.  
 in tri - umph cast be - fore him your di - a - dems of gold.  
 the day of earth's re - demp - tion that brings us un - to thee.



# GOD TAKES HIS PEOPLE TO THE CROSS

Prayer for Illumination

Second Scripture Lesson . . . . . Matthew 12:22–32  
(see page 11)

Preaching of the Word . . . . . Rev. Matthew Bradley  
*Are You With Him or Against Him?*

Prayer of Intercession

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. *Amen.*

\*Affirmation of Faith . . . . . The Apostles' Creed

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

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

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

The Lord's Supper

We use wine in the observance of the Lord's Supper as well as gluten-free bread.

\*Doxology . . . . . Trinity Hymnal, 731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise him all creatures here below.  
Praise him above ye heavenly hosts.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving



# GOD SENDS HIS PEOPLE OUT WITH HIS BLESSING

\*Hymn of God's Truth . . . . . Trinity Hymnal, 59

*Forever Settled in the Heavens*

1. For - ev - er set - tled in the heav'ns, thy word, O  
2. Thy word and works un - moved re - main, thine ev - 'ry  
3. I should have per - ished in my woe had not I  
4. The wick - ed would de - stroy my soul, but in thy

Lord, shall firm - ly stand; thy faith - ful - ness shall nev - er  
pur - pose to ful - fil; all things are thine and thee o -  
loved thy law di - vine; that law I nev - er can for -  
truth is ref - uge sure; ex - ceed - ing broad is thy com -

fail; the earth a - bides at thy com - mand.  
bey, and all as ser - vants wait thy will.  
get; O save me, Lord, for I am thine.  
mand, and in per - fec - tion shall en - dure.

\*Benediction . . . . . Ephesians 6:23–24

Peace be to the brothers, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all who love our Lord Jesus Christ with love incorruptible. *Amen.*

Postlude



## First Scripture Lesson

So the king and Haman went in to feast with Queen Esther. <sup>2</sup> And on the second day, as they were drinking wine after the feast, the king again said to Esther, “What is your wish, Queen Esther? It shall be granted you. And what is your request? Even to the half of my kingdom, it shall be fulfilled.” <sup>3</sup> Then Queen Esther answered, “If I have found favor in your sight, O king, and if it please the king, let my life be granted me for my wish, and my people for my request. <sup>4</sup> For we have been sold, I and my people, to be destroyed, to be killed, and to be annihilated. If we had been sold merely as slaves, men and women, I would have been silent, for our affliction is not to be compared with the loss to the king.” <sup>5</sup> Then King Ahasuerus said to Queen Esther, “Who is he, and where is he, who has dared to do this?” <sup>6</sup> And Esther said, “A foe and enemy! This wicked Haman!” Then Haman was terrified before the king and the queen.

<sup>7</sup> And the king arose in his wrath from the wine-drinking and went into the palace garden, but Haman stayed to beg for his life from Queen Esther, for he saw that harm was determined against him by the king. <sup>8</sup> And the king returned from the palace garden to the place where they were drinking wine, as Haman was falling on the couch where Esther was. And the king said, “Will he even assault the queen in my presence, in my own house?” As the word left the mouth of the king, they covered Haman’s face. <sup>9</sup> Then Harbona, one of the eunuchs in attendance on the king, said, “Moreover, the gallows that Haman has prepared for Mordecai, whose word saved the king, is standing at Haman’s house, fifty cubits high.” And the king said, “Hang him on that.” <sup>10</sup> So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai. Then the wrath of the king abated.

*Esther 7, ESV*

## Second Scripture Lesson

<sup>22</sup> Then a demon-oppressed man who was blind and mute was brought to him, and he healed him, so that the man spoke and saw. <sup>23</sup> And all the people were amazed, and said, “Can this be the Son of David?” <sup>24</sup> But when the Pharisees heard it, they said, “It is only by Beelzebub, the prince of demons, that this man casts out demons.” <sup>25</sup> Knowing their thoughts, he said to them, “Every kingdom divided against itself is laid waste, and no city or house divided against itself will stand. <sup>26</sup> And if Satan casts out Satan, he is divided against himself. How then will his kingdom stand? <sup>27</sup> And if I cast out demons by Beelzebub, by whom do your sons cast them out? Therefore they will be your judges. <sup>28</sup> But if it is

by the Spirit of God that I cast out demons, then the kingdom of God has come upon you. <sup>29</sup> Or how can someone enter a strong man’s house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man? Then indeed he may plunder his house. <sup>30</sup> Whoever is not with me is against me, and whoever does not gather with me scatters. <sup>31</sup> Therefore I tell you, every sin and blasphemy will be forgiven people, but the blasphemy against the Spirit will not be forgiven. <sup>32</sup> And whoever speaks a word against the Son of Man will be forgiven, but whoever speaks against the Holy Spirit will not be forgiven, either in this age or in the age to come.

*Matthew 12:22–32, ESV*

# Welcome to All Saints Presbyterian Church!

The mission of All Saints is to glorify God according to his Word by preaching the gospel to all people, equipping the saints for the work of ministry, and building up the body of Christ until the day of Christ's return.

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