

Augustana Lutheran Church

2100 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C.

THE FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

(Transferred)

NOVEMBER 4, 2007

TEN-THIRTY A.M.

“For all the saints who from their labors rest ...”

Susan Anderson Nash

January 17, 1947 – January 17, 2007

Alvin Ingram

July 24, 1926 – February 19, 2007

Carroll H. Schipp

December 15, 1926 – February 28, 2007

Salome Ardelle Burton

November 26, 1949 – October 21, 2007

Dorothy L Smith

February 2, 1923 – October 23, 2007



THE PREPARATION AND ENTRANCE RITE

Voluntary

In Peace and Joy I Now Depart

J. S. Bach

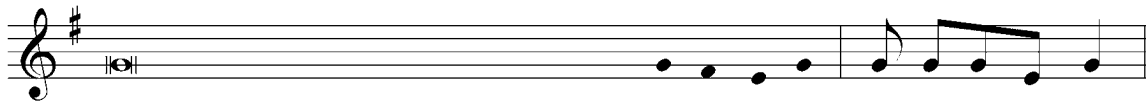
The Congregation stands as the bells are rung.

Entrance Hymn, No. 422

For All the Saints

Stanzas 1-2. All
Stanza 3. Women
Stanza 4. Men
Stanza 5. Choir
Stanzas 6-7. All

Apostolic Greeting



*The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit,* be with you all. **And al - so with you.**

Kyrie

Sung by the Choir.

Gloria



Cantor: 1. All glo - ry be to God in high - est heav'n.
2. Lord Je - sus Christ, the on - ly Son of God,
3. For you a - lone are Lord, the Ho - ly One,



And peace un - to all peo - ple of good will.
O Lamb of God, be mer - ci - ful to us.
For you a - lone are Most High, Je - sus Christ,



We praise, we bless, we glo - ri - fy your Name:
You sit at God's right hand, re - ceive our prayer.
Now with the Ho - ly Spir - it to be praised,



Lord God, al - might - y Fa - ther, heav'n - ly King.
Son of the Fa - ther, Sa - vior of the world.
Hon - ored and glo - ri - fied for ev - er - more. A - men.

Salutation and Prayer of the Day



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you. Let us pray ... A - men.

Almighty God, whose people are knit together in one holy Church, the body of Christ our Lord: Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Lesson

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

Psalm 149



1. Give praise to the Lord, and sing a new song,
2. With tim - brel and harp and joy - ful ac - claim,
3. In glo - ry ex - ult, all saints of the Lord;
4. For this is God's word: the saints shall not fail,



A - mid all the saints God's prais - es pro - long;
With glad - ness and mirth, we praise Your great name;
With song in the night high prais - es ac - cord;
But o - ver the earth their pow'r shall pre - vail;



A song to your mak - er and rul - er now raise,
For now in Your peo - ple good plea - sure You seek,
Go forth in God's ser - vice and strong in God's might
All king - doms and na - tions shall yield to their sway.



All chil - dren of Zi - on, re - joice and give praise.
With robes of sal - va - tion You cov - er the meek.
To con - quer all e - vil and stand for the right.
To God give the glo - ry; sing prais - es for aye.

Second Lesson

Ephesians 1:11-23

Litany of the Saints

All sing the Refrain, Adoramus te Domine (We adore you, O Lord), following each petition.

The musical notation is for a two-staff piece in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is written on the treble clef staff, and the accompaniment is on the bass clef staff. The lyrics are: (hum) A - do - ra - mus te Do - mi - ne.

With the angels and archangels: *Refrain*

With the patriarchs and prophets: *Refrain*

With the Virgin Mary, Mother of God: *Refrain*

With the apostles and evangelists: *Refrain*

With all the martyrs of Christ: *Refrain*

With all who witness to the Gospel of the Lord: *Refrain*

With your servant, Susan Nash: *Refrain*

With your servant, Alvin Ingram: *Refrain*

With your servant, Carroll Schipp: *Refrain*

With your servant, Ardelle Burton: *Refrain*

With your servant, Dorothy Smith: *Refrain*

With all who are dear to us: *Refrain*

With your Church throughout the world and heaven above: *Refrain*

Holy Gospel

Luke 6:20-31

The musical notation is for a single-staff piece in G major. The lyrics are: The Gospel is announced:
The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ____ chap-ter. Glo - ry to you, O Lord.

The musical notation is for a single-staff piece in G major. The lyrics are: After the Gospel is read:
The Gos-pel of the Lord. Praise ____ to you, O Christ.

Sermon

The Congregation stands for the Hymn of the Day.

Hymn of the Day



1. I know that my Re-deem-er
2. He lives to grant me rich sup -
3. He lives and grants me dail - y



lives! What com - fort this sweet sen - tence gives! He lives, he
ply; He lives to guide me with his eye; He lives to
breath; He lives, and I shall con - quer death; He lives my



lives, who once was dead; He lives, my ev - er - liv - ing
com - fort me when faint; He lives to hear my soul's com -
man - sion to pre - pare; He lives to bring me safe - ly



head! He lives tri - um - phant from the grave; He lives e -
plaint. He lives to si - lence all my fears; He lives to
there. He lives, all glo - ry to his name! He lives, my



ter - nal - ly to save; He lives ex - alt - ed, throned a -
wipe a - way my tears; He lives to calm my trou - bled
Sav - ior, still the same; What joy this blest as - sur - ance



bove; He lives to rule his Church in love.
heart; He lives all bless - ings to im - part.
gives: I know that my Re - deem - er lives!

Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven;
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the virgin Mary and became truly human.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.**

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen

Prayers

Each petition concludes with one of the following responses:

Lord in your mercy: **Hear our Prayer.**

Let us bless the Lord: **Thanks be to God.**

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Sharing of Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

Anthem, at the Offering

Swing Low, Sweet Chariot

arr. J. Thomas Mitts

The Congregation stands.

Offertory Hymn, No. 424

Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones

Offertory Verse and Prayer

Let us rejoice and exult and give God the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready; to her it has been granted to be clothed with fine linen, bright and pure – for the fine linen is the righteous deeds of the saints.

Gracious God, by **Christ's death on the cross you have given new life to us. Receive these gifts as tokens of our love for you, that we might give thanks for the fullness of your salvation in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

The Great Thanksgiving – Setting Five, page 161

Eucharistic Prayer

Sanctus, Acclamation and Amen – page 162

The Lord's Prayer – page 163

Agnus Dei – page 164

The Distribution of the Blessed Sacrament

All Christians are invited to receive the Sacrament.

Non-communicants are invited to come forward to receive a blessing.

Solo

Just a Closer Walk with Thee

Spiritual

THE POST-COMMUNION

The Congregation stands.

Eucharistic Blessing

Nunc dimittis, No. 313

O Lord, Now Let Your Servant

Post-Communion Prayer

Gracious God, through the gift of this meal you heal our brokenness and strengthen our spirits. Increase our faith in you, that the power of this holy sacrament might bring us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Benediction

Hymn

The congregation turns to face the entrance of the church as the Procession passes.



1. O ho - ly an - gels bright, who wait at God's right hand, or
2. O bless - ed souls at rest, who ran this earth - ly race and
3. O saints, who toil be - low, a - dore your heav'n - ly King, and
4. My soul, bear now your part, tri - umph in God a - bove: and



through the realms of light fly at your Lord's com - mand, as - sist our
now, from sin re - leased, be - hold the Sa - vior's face, God's prais - es
on - ward as you go some joy - ful an - them sing; take what God
with a well - tuned heart sing high the songs of love! Let all your



song, for else the theme too high does seem for mor - tal tongue.
sound, as in God's sight with sweet de - light you do a - bound.
gives and praise God still, through good or ill, who ev - er lives!
days till life shall end, what - e'er God send, be filled with praise.

Dismissal

Go in peace.

Welcome others as Christ has welcomed you.

Thanks be to God.

Voluntary

Fugue in G Minor

Dietrich Buxtehude

We welcome all friends and visitors this morning to Augustana Lutheran Church, a congregation "Reconciled in Christ" that has been racially diverse since 1954. Please sign the guest register in the narthex and fill out the Attendance Registration booklet located in the pews. Join us for refreshments following the Service.

Servants at God's Altar

Celebrant and Preacher Norm Theiss
Deacon I Rebecca Roth
Deacon II Jon Quam
Lector Elisabeth Knauff

Organist and Choirmaster	Dr. J. Thomas Mitts
The Parish Choir	
Vocal Soloist	Dr. Tommie Robinson, Jr.
Crucifer	Paul Beddoe
Thurifer	Kelly Bowers
Bookbearer	Monique Agbro
Torchbearers	Chantelle Agbro, Scott Dillon
Altar Guild	Alice Anderson, Carol Vezetti
Ushers	Bruce Gaston, Tim Himes
Tellers	Kevin Horsted, Eileen Crawford David Wassum
Hospitality Hosts	Patricia Richter, Carol Vezetti

Parish Concerns

In our prayers, let us include the following:

+ **Members:** Aaron Bonds, Pearl Cox, Celia Davenport, Herman Davis, Sr., Dorothy Gladney, Sam Luebke, Bill Reid, Don Werner.

+ **Friends and Family:** Bill Barrows (Richter); Jeff Becker (Gaston); Connie Boorer (Hunter); Edith Bowers (Bowers); Judith Bremner (Bradley); Judy Cashner (Cashner); George Cypress (Burton); Mindy Davis (Isbell); Ray “Bud” Erickson (Kennedy-Nash); Robert Kyle Evans (Schipp); Violet Fiskerbeck (Bruening) Lyle Forness (Forness); TraciLynn Fox (VandenBosch); Patricia Franks (Knauff); Pat Frohman (Hunter); Betty Grady (Werner); Leona Harper (Knauff); Mary Elizabeth Jacobs (Berube); Denise Kellam (Bucci); Sara Kepple (Richter); John Larson (Kahler-Larson); Randell Laughlin (Theiss); Sylvia Luttamus (Luttamus); Ann Lockwood (Werner); Celeste Lotz (Knauff); Sally Markle (Markle-Elder); Ken Merritt (Hunter); Bruno Muzzi (Markle-Elder); Chris Nelson (Burch-Nelson); Fernando Otero (Pizza); Marion Papacosta (Roth-Renne); Susan Papp (Lenhart/Ray); Rachelle Portner (Hart); Mary Ann Richardson (Kennedy-Nash); Veronica Richardson (Knauff); Rich & Norma Shirey (Hart); Iris and Juan Sosa (Leath); Deborah Tang (Burton); Caleb Richter-Tate (Richter); Nancy Telford (Richter); Richard Tepel (Schipp); Marion Wagley (Capps); Joan Wassum (Wassum); Nellikan Wernicke (Baerwald); Pamela Wilson (Markle-Elder); Joleita Yurchak (Roth-Renne).

+ **In Christian Sympathy** with the family and friends of Leticia Pacheco, mother of Marciel Pacheco, the Building Maintenance Supervisor at Augustana. Sra. Pacheco died on Wednesday, October 31st in El Salvador.

+ **The Augustana Call Committee:** Ruth Sorenson, Chair, Josephine Allen, Brian Danaher, Robert (Chip) Fenton, LeeAnn Hart, Tommie Robinson, Jr., and Rebecca Roth, *ex officio*.

Names remain on the prayer list for four weeks and may be renewed by notifying the office.

Gifts to the Glory of God: Today's flowers, bread, and wine are given by Todd B. Johnson in memory of his grandmother, Frances Johnson

Next Steps in our Mortgage Madness Campaign: We will renew our "Help Pay the Monthly Mortgage" Campaign with the arrival of Advent in December. Meanwhile, thanks to the generosity of so many members and friends, by the end of June we had received enough funds for Accessibility to cover our \$9,899 monthly mortgage payments (principal and interest) through November, the end of the church year. **Now we have a great opportunity - namely, to use all additional Accessibility funds donated this autumn to pay back principal exclusively.** The benefits of making supplemental principal payments are enormous, as every additional dollar applied to principal payment saves us dollars in interest. In fact, our Finance Committee has calculated that **every \$4.00 used to pay down principal will save us \$6.00 in interest.** Let's see how many interest dollars we can save by December! Contributed last week: \$860.00

-- Today --

Adult Forum: 9:15 – Library – Chosen for Blessing

Nursery Program: 10:30 – Noon – Naomi and Ruth

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School: After receiving the bread and wine of communion, the children should exit via the Truman Door for their Classrooms – Rooms 303a and 303b.

Hospitality Hosts: Patricia Richter, Carol Vezzetti

All Committees Meet.

-- This Week --

Thursday, November 8: Choir rehearsal – 7:30 p.m. – Room 303

Saturday, November 10: National Lutheran Home Fall Festival

-- Next Sunday, November 11th, 24th Sunday After Pentecost --

Adult Forum: 9:15 – Library - Resurrection Life

Nursery Program: 10:30 – Noon – Samuel Listens to God

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Lessons: Job 19:23-27a, 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17, Luke 20:27-38

Hospitality Hosts: Lynn Fischer and Alan Fox, Betsy Knauff

-- Upcoming Events and Misc. Announcements --

Sunday, November 11th: J. Thomas Mitts presents an organ recital here at Augustana at 4:00 p.m., with a reception following in the Social Hall. You are cordially invited to attend.

Saturday, November 17th: Quiet Day in preparation of Advent, co-sponsored by the Metro DC Synod Prayer Resources Group, from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church,

Route 50 & Woodlawn Avenue, Falls Church, Virginia. (Church phone - 703/532-6617). The Quiet Day theme is "Living with open hands ... waiting", and will be in three sessions, each featuring a short introduction to be followed by a time for silent reflection, during which participants will be invited to prepare for God's coming this Advent. The Quiet Day leaders are the Rev, Jane Halpern and Barbara Rosenbaum of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church. Lunch is provided. (Donation requested) To register for the Quiet Day contact Barbara Rosenbaum at 703/824-1947 or email her at rosenbaum.Barbara@Verizon.net.

Sunday, November 18th Mark your calendar now: Stewardship luncheon of thanksgiving for the 2008 financial and time & talent commitments we place in the offering that day. A-H bring dessert; I-Y bring a salad or vegetable dish. Ham and turkey will be provided.

Amigos - Fellowship: The Social Ministries Committee is extending outreach to our sister congregation Iglesia Luterana Santa Maria in a very simple way. We are encouraging Augustanans to choose a Sunday when they can volunteer to attend a Santa Maria service, and to use the opportunity to make new friends. Please contact Brian Danaher at danaherb@hotmail.com if you can volunteer to be our "ambassador" this month on November 25.

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November 4, 2007 – THE FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

FIRST READING: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: ²I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, ³and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

¹⁵As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. ¹⁶I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: ¹⁷"As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. ¹⁸But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever--forever and ever."

SECOND READING: Ephesians 1:11-23

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, ¹²so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. ¹³In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; ¹⁴this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

¹⁵I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason ¹⁶I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. ¹⁷I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. ²⁰God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, ²¹far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. ²²And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, ²³ which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

GOSPEL:

Luke 6:20-31

"Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹"Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.

"Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.

²²"Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

²⁴"But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.

²⁵"Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.

"Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶"Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

²⁷"But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, ²⁸ bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. ²⁹If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt.

³⁰Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. ³¹Do to others as you would have them do to you."

The Mission Statement of Augustana Lutheran Church

"It is the purpose of Augustana Lutheran Church to engage as many persons as will share its confession of faith in a fellowship of worship, learning, witness and service that the Word of God in Jesus Christ may become effective in their lives together and individually and relate effectively in

Christian concern and love to the geographic community within which the Church is located.”