...Therefore, we join our voices with all the saints and angels and the whole creation to sing:

Song: "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

LUYH 538:1

The Institution (I Corinthians 11)

The Consecration

Let us proclaim the mystery of our faith.

Christ has died; Christ has risen. Christ will come again. Dying, he destroyed our death; rising, he restored our life. Lord Jesus, come in glory.

Prayer of Consecration (concluding with 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.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

We invite you to come to one of the communion stations when you feel ready and ask that you take the bread and juice back to your seats.

We will eat and drink together after all are served.

Communion Songs: "Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling" David Cherwien "Sing, Sing a New Song to the Lord God" Richard Proulx

The Thanksgiving: Psalm 34 p.871

## Sending

\*Benediction

\*Song: "Behold the Lamb" LUYH 840:1,4

Postlude: "For All the Saints" Denis Bedard

#### **Worship Participants**

Pastor: Dr. Joel Kok ◆ Organ/Piano: Lois Vander Zee ◆ Guitar: Laremy DeVries
Instrumentalists: Rylan Brue, Lisa Christians, Tim Rylaarsdam, Amie Smit, Jocelyn Zonnefeld
Worship Leader: Rebecca DeVries

All Saints Day

November 1, 2020



### Revelation 7:9-10

After this I looked, and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and before the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands. And they cried out in a loud voice:

"Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb."

† artwork by Laura James (www.laurajamesart.com)

Sound: Andy Landman → Video: Marty Vander Plaats → CCLI #493458 → OneLicense #A-721171

### Gathering

Prelude: "Laudate Dominum" W. A. Mozart/R. D. Hawkins "Here From All Nations" Robert A. Hobby

Welcome

\*Call to Worship: "For All the Saints" LUYH 254:1,3,4,5

\*Opening Prayer

\*God Greets Us, We Greet One Another

\*Song of Praise: "Hear Our Praises" LUYH 302

Renewal

#### Prayer for World Hunger Sunday

Oh God, what love you have lavished on us that we can call ourselves your children. (1 John 3:1) We are no longer foreigners and strangers. We are fellow citizens with your people. We are members of your household. Your welcome is extravagant! (Ephesians 2:19)

# Welcoming God, you invite us to the feast of both heaven and earth, to your table of plenty. You provide for all that we need.

You have made us alive in Christ and you seat us next to him at your table. The riches of your grace are ours to enjoy. (Ephesians 2:4-6) But your table is not just for us. Your banquet is for the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind. You remember the poor. You are the hope of the afflicted. (Luke 14:13, Psalm 9:18)

We wonder if we can be like Jesus, who said his food was to do your will and finish your work.

## Can we set aside our own interests and carry one another's burdens? (John 4:34)

You call us your handiwork. You say you created us in Christ Jesus to do good works. You have prepared those works in advance. Oh, holy mystery! (Ephesians 2:10) You say that if we hunger and thirst for righteousness that we will be satisfied. You promise that we will be made strong with all the strength that comes from your glorious power. (Matthew 5:6)

#### This is the feast of heaven and earth. Let this be all that we need.

Loving God, we will stand on those promises as a rock. Let your love flow through us and do immeasurably more than we can even ask or imagine. (Colossians 3:11) Let us share this love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. Let us not withhold good when it is in our power to act. (1 John 3:18,

Proverbs 3:27)

And to you, God of plenty, be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever! Amen. (Ephesians 3:21)

Song: "Pelas dores deste mundo/For the Troubles"

**LUYH 663** 

Words of Assurance: Psalm 9:18

p.850

Guide for Grateful Living: Micah 6:8

He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you? But to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God.

We Bring our Peter Fish

Word

p.1921

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Revelation 7:9-17

Sermon: "The Lamb Is Our Shepherd" Pastor Joel Kok

Response

\*Song of Response: "You, Lord, Are Both Lamb and Shepherd" LUYH 225

\*We Profess Our Faith: The Apostles' Creed LUYH 783A

Selection of a Deacon

Prayers for the Church and World

**Table** 

The Invitation

The Prayer of Thanksgiving
Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right for us to give thanks and praise.