

ALL SAINTS' MEMORIAL CHURCH

September 25, 2022

The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost



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Service of Holy Eucharist, 9:30 am

Prelude *Ciacona in E Minor* **Dietrich Buxtehude**

Processional *Immortal, invisible* **Hymnal #423**

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation **BCP, p. 355**

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen**

Collect for Purity **BCP, p. 355**

Gloria in Excelsis **Community Mass, p. 2**

The Collect

O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Reading **Amos 6:1a,4-7** **Ed Boyer**

Alas for those who are at ease in Zion,
and for those who feel secure on Mount Samaria.

Alas for those who lie on beds of ivory,
and lounge on their couches,

and eat lambs from the flock,
and calves from the stall;

who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp,
and like David improvise on instruments of music;

who drink wine from bowls,
and anoint themselves with the finest oils,
but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph!

Therefore, they shall now be the first to go into exile,
and the revelry of the loungers shall pass away.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 146

BCP, p. 803

The Second Reading

1 Timothy 6:6-19

Becky Silliman

There is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, which he will bring about at the right time-- he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God

who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

The Gradual Hymn

O holy city, seen of John

Hymnal #583

The Holy Gospel

Luke 16:19-31

Jesus said, "There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. He called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.' But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.' He said, 'Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house-- for I have five brothers-- that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.' Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.' He said, 'No, Father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' He said to him, 'If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.'"

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

Andrea Hutnak

The Nicene Creed

BCP, p. 358

Prayers of the People Form IV

BCP, p. 388

April Donahower

Confession and Absolution

BCP, p. 360

The Peace

Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Anthem

With a voice of singing

Martin Shaw

Presentation Hymn

Tell out, my soul

Hymnal #437

The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer B)

BCP, p. 367

Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy)

Hymnal #S-125

Memorial Acclamation B

Hymnal #S-138

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, p. 364

Breaking of the Bread

Agnus Dei

Community Mass p. 6

The Communion

All who seek God are invited to the Lord's Table to receive the Sacrament.

Music During Communion *Break thou the bread of life*

LEVAS #146

Prayer of Thanksgiving

BCP, p. 365

Blessing

Recessional

Ye holy angels bright

Hymnal #625

Dismissal

BCP, p. 366

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PRAYERS

We pray for our fellow parishioners Derek, Gus, Marie, Trish, Victor, Rose, Susan, Gloria, Hakim Evans, and Marybeth. We also pray for Dorothea Evans Gordon, Mary Tryforos, Margaret Barney, Michael Blake, Clarence Scott, Germaine, Naida Thomas, Merynn Flynn, Karen L., Stephen, Barbara K., Rena, Lusaynie Sirleaf, Victor, Phil, John Flinton, and Bob Mello.

We pray for those who celebrate birthdays this week especially Derrick Goll.

We pray for those who serve in the armed forces, especially Hannah Makuch.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome! If visiting or a newcomer, please join us for Coffee Hour in Rose Hall following the service. Our restrooms are downstairs, next to Rose Hall.

Food Collection: Each week All Saints' collects food to be distributed monthly to food pantries in our area. We welcome donations of canned stews and soups in September and hot cereals in October. If you are unable to contribute to the monthly theme, we always accept pre-packaged, shelf stable, non-expired food of any type.

First Sunday of the Month, October 2nd, the Healing Prayer Ministry will be at the side altar during Communion to pray with you. Agnes, Deirdre, and Gigi are available to offer a private prayer with you.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 25: Confirmation Class following the service

September 28: Noonday Prayer and Faith Inquirers, 12:00pm in the church

September 28: Choir Practice, 7:00-8:30pm in the choir room

October 2: Healing Prayer Ministry

October 5: Eucharist with Healing Prayer 12:00pm followed by Faith Inquiries at 12:30pm

October 9: Blessings of the Animals and Healing Garden