#### Introit -

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.

In you, O LORD, do I take refuge; let me never be put to shame; in your righteousness deliver me.

For you are my rock and my fortress; and for your name's sake you lead me and guide me.

Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O LORD, faithful God. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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## First Reading: Revelation 7:9–17

<sup>9</sup>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 throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, <sup>10</sup>and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" <sup>11</sup>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, <sup>12</sup>saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

<sup>13</sup>Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" 14I 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.

<sup>15</sup>"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.

<sup>16</sup>They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat.

<sup>17</sup>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."

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

### **Epistle: 1 John 3:1–3**

<sup>1</sup>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. <sup>2</sup>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. <sup>3</sup>And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

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## Holy Gospel: Matthew 5:1–12

- **P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.
- Glory be to Thee, O Lord. (sung)

<sup>1</sup>Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.

<sup>2</sup>And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

<sup>3</sup>"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>4</sup>"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

<sup>5</sup>"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

<sup>6</sup>"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

<sup>7</sup>"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

<sup>8</sup>"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

<sup>9</sup>"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

<sup>10</sup>"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>11</sup>"Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. <sup>12</sup>Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- C Praise be to Thee, O Christ. (sung)

## HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod

All Saints Sunday

November 3, 2019



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**COMMUNION TODAY:** If anyone has difficulty going to the altar to receive communion, please let an usher know, and pastor will come to your pew to commune you individually.

### THOSE USING THE MEANS OF GRACE LAST SUNDAY

Worship Service: 88; Visitors: 4, Holy Communion: 66; Bible Class: 9, Sunday School: 14.

### CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK November 3 thru November 10

TODAY: HOLY COMMUNION

LSAM Volleyball Tournament at Concordia

Christmas Cantata Choir Practice, 4:00 p.m. in Trinity's choir loft

CCRM High School Youth at Trinity, 6:30 p.m.

WED.: LSA Chapel at Trinity, beginning at 8:35 a.m.

THUR.: Men's Bible Study at Classic, 7AM, Women's Bible Study at Trinity, 9:30AM

Holy Communion at Good Samaritan, 2:30 p.m. and at Ambrose at 3:30 p.m.

SAT.: Saturday evening worship at Trinity, 6:30 p.m., Bible Class at 7:30 p.m. NEXT SUN.: Worship Service with Holy Communion at St. John's, 8:00AM.

Bible Class at St. John's, 9:00 A.M.

Sunday School and Bible Class at Holy Cross, 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service at Holy Cross, 10:30 a.m.

Men's Club Chili and Soup Dinner at Trinity, 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Junior Youth Group at Trinity, 6:30 p.m.

ACOLYTES: Nov 3—Destiny Kestner; Nov 10—Skylar Mummert;; Nov 17--Dylana Stoppel; Nov 24—Emily Burdick; Dec 1—Gentry Dieckman; Dec 8 Lille Douglas.

**COMMUNION ASSISTANTS:** November 3 – Randy Harms and Randy Meyer.

November 24 – Randy Meyer and Jim Goosen

**HOLY CROSS GREETER:** November – Randy Harms.

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Fred Oelrichs, Arthur Hagen, Haldor Barnes, Eileen Brandes, Ethelene Jagels, Thomas Eckhoff, Lora Harms, Bill Talbott, Greg Ives, and members and loved ones in nursing homes or restricted to their homes.

HOLY CROSS BUDGET for 2019 is \$13,042.50 per month. Our loan balance is \$6,298.60.

THE NEXT CHRISTMAS CANTATA PRACTICE will be held TODAY in the choir loft at Trinity, beginning at 4:00 p.m. The Cantata will be on December 29th.

LSA CHRISTMAS PROGRAM: The Lutheran School Association students will joyfully tell you about the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ, during the Christmas program Saturday, December 7, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. All students grades K-8 are expected to participate in the program. Please mark your calendars and share the date with your family and friends!

BAPTISM TODAY: Jesse Daven Desmond Taube and Shawn Marie Taube, the children of John and Jennifer Taube will become members of God's Kingdom of Grace in today's service. Their sponsor is Carlos Santos. We pray that God the Holy Spirit would continue to shower His spiritual blessings upon Jesse and Shawn, their parents and their sponsor. THERE WILL BE A VETERANS' DAY PROGRAM at the Lutheran School on Monday.

November 11, 2019, beginning at 2:30 p.m. The public is invited!!!

JESUS SAID, I AM THE WAY, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." (John 14:6) There's an exciting L.W.M.L. Conference on Saturday, November 16th at St. Matthew Lutheran Church in Lee's Summit, MO. The schedule for the day is Registration at 9:30 am; Program 10:00 am - 3:00 pm (includes lunch). Topics include: Reaching Different Cultures & Generations ~ Technology ~ LWML Resources ~ Mission Grants ~ Leadership Techniques ~ Volunteers ~ Joyful Interruptions ~ Door Prizes. Early registration is \$5. Register and RSVP BY NOVEMBER 11 to Elaine Froeschle at 816-809-4848 or email her at edfroeschle55@gmail.com. At the door registration is \$8. If you plan to attend, please visit the MO District web page and print a

health form and bring it with you.

MISSION FAIR: Are you looking for a winter project? Now you have a project on which to work! It is never too early to start thinking about the Mission Fair for our 2020 MO District Convention. Are you a crafter? Do you sew, knit or crochet? Have you seen something cute and just had to buy it? Maybe you are a painter? All of these and more are good jumping off points for producing items for the Mission Fair. If you like it, someone else will, too. Share your ideas with women across the state by putting them into action and bringing them to the Mission Fair. START NOW!!! The LWML MO District Convention is at the University Plaza Hotel, Springfield, June 12-14, 2020.

ANNUAL HOMESTYLE SUPPER: American Legion Post 305 with the Legion Auxiliary and the Sons of the American Legion will have their annual Homestyle Supper on Saturday evening, November 9, 2019, from 5pm to 7pm at the American Legion building. Roast beef and Ham with all the trimmings and desert will be served. Advance tickets for \$9 may be found at several businesses in Cole Camp and Ionia.

CHILI AND SOUP DINNER: The Men's Club of Trinity Lutheran Church-Cole Camp, MO will hold a Chili and Soup Dinner NEXT Sunday, Nov. 10. A free-will donation will help support students to attend Lutheran colleges and seminaries. The dinner will be served in the church fellowship hall between 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

**GRADES 7 & 8 OF THE L.S.A.**, are making plans to visit Washington, DC. They will be flying out of KCl on April 26, 2020 and returning April 29, 2020. The trip is optional for students, but will be an exciting educational experience that all of our 7/8 students should get to experience. If you would like to help finance the student's adventure contact the school office.

THE LUTHERAN SCHOOL ASSOCIATION is now participating in Coca Cola GIVE. If you drink Coca Cola products and would like to donate your codes to the Lutheran School, it would be greatly appreciated. You can sign up on Coca Cola GIVE and enter or scan the codes yourself for LSA or bring your codes to the school office and we will do the work for you. This is another easy way to earn extra funds for your school.

# All Saints Sunday

# **Order of Worship**

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## Hymn 671

"Sing with All the Saints in Glory"

## The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. 

Amen. (sung)

## The Readings:

Revelation 7:9-17 1 John 3:1-3 Matthew 5:1-12

# Hymn of the Day 677 vv1-4

"For All the Saints"

## Today's Sermon

Text: 1 John 3

Theme: "God's Family has a Future"

## **Distribution Hymns:**

**822** "Alleluia! Let Praises Ring" **725** "Children of the Heavenly Father **700** "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Closing Hymn: 677 vv5-8

"For All the Saints"