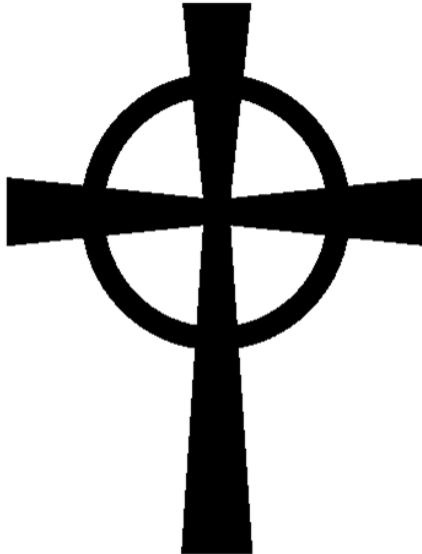


ALL SOULS'

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

POINT LOMA



November 18, 2023

Five o'clock in the evening

THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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*We invite all to grow in faith with us
as we embody and courageously share God's love in the world.*

WELCOME TO ALL SOULS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

in the Episcopal Diocese of San Diego

Thank you for spending Saturday evening with us. **WHOEVER you are and WHEREVER you may be on your journey of faith, you are welcome here.** We're blessed by your presence, and we look forward to connecting with you. **Everything you need to participate in today's liturgy is in this bulletin.**

All ages are welcome; infants and children (and their accompanying noises) enliven this service. (On Sunday mornings, all **children are invited to the Playground** at the front of the church. Children leave the service for Children's Chapel after the Gospel lesson, and they return for Holy Communion. **Childcare** (infant to kindergarten) **is available** in the Community Building, located across the plaza, until 1:00 PM.)

If you are visiting, please fill out a "connect" card so we can let you know of upcoming events; prayer request cards are also available. Cards may be placed in the offering plate or given to an usher. To learn more about being a member of All Souls', please speak with **Father Douglas, our rector,** or **Brother Michael, our deacon.**

Restrooms are located in the hallway adjacent to Catalina Boulevard; an usher can direct you to one.

Please silence your phone to maintain a worshipful environment and as a courtesy to others.

Worship and Devotions at All Souls'

Sunday, 8:00 AM (without music) & **10:15 AM** (with music)

Holy Eucharist (Church)

Tuesday, 9:30 AM

Morning Prayer (via Zoom)

Tuesday, 4:00 PM

Centering Prayer (Chapel)

Thursday, 9:30 AM

Holy Eucharist (Chapel)

Saturday, 4:00 PM

Centering Prayer (Chapel)

Saturday, 5:00 PM

Celtic Holy Eucharist (Church)

Third Sunday of the month, 5:00 PM

Choral Evensong (September – May)

The church office is open Monday through Friday 9 AM – 3 PM.

Father Douglas is happy to speak with you about joining or participating in the life of All Souls'; questions you may have or difficulties you may be experiencing; others who may need pastoral care; or anything else on your mind. You may reach him at 619-223-6394 (office), 619-335-8168 (cell) or dworthington@allsoulspointloma.org.

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THE HOLY EUCHARIST

All stand, as they are able

Celebrant Blessed be the one, holy and living God.
People Glory to God for ever and ever.

The SONG of PRAISE

I will sing a new song to my God,
for you are great and glorious, wonderful in strength, invincible.
Let the whole creation serve you,
for you spoke and all things came into being.
You sent your breath and it formed them,
no one is able to resist your voice.
Mountains and seas are stirred to their depths,
rocks melt like wax at your presence.
But to those who fear you,
you continue to show mercy.
No sacrifice, however fragrant, can please you,
but whoever fears the Lord shall stand in your sight for ever.

The COLLECT of the DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Celebrant Let us pray.

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning:
Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that
we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life,
which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with
you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen. *Amen.*

All sit.

THE WORD

The FIRST READING

Judges 4:1-7

A reading from the Book of the Judges.

The Israelites again did what was evil in the sight of the Lord, after Ehud died. So the Lord sold them into the hand of King Jabin of Canaan, who reigned in Hazor; the commander of his army was Sisera, who lived in Harosheth-ha-goiim. Then the Israelites cried out to the Lord for help; for he had nine hundred chariots of iron, and had oppressed the Israelites cruelly twenty years.

At that time Deborah, a prophetess, wife of Lappidoth, was judging Israel. She used to sit under the palm of Deborah between Ramah and Bethel in the hill country of Ephraim; and the Israelites came up to her for judgment. She sent and summoned Barak son of Abinoam from Kedesh in Naphtali, and said to him, "The Lord, the God of Israel, commands you, 'Go, take position at Mount Tabor, bringing ten thousand from the tribe of Naphtali and the tribe of Zebulun. I will draw out Sisera, the general of Jabin's army, to meet you by the Wadi Kishon with his chariots and his troops; and I will give him into your hand.'"

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The SECOND READING 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Thessalonians.

Now concerning the times and the seasons, brothers and sisters, you do not need to have anything written to you. For you yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. When they say, "There is peace and security," then sudden destruction will come upon them, as labor pains come upon a pregnant woman, and there will be no escape! But you, beloved, are not in darkness, for that day to surprise you like a thief; for you are all children of light and children of the day; we are not of the night or of darkness. So then let us not fall asleep as others do, but let us keep awake and be sober; for those who sleep sleep at night, and those who are drunk get drunk at night. But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, and put on the breastplate of faith and love, and for a helmet the hope of salvation. For God has destined us not for wrath but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, so that whether we are awake or

asleep we may live with him. Therefore encourage one another and build up each other, as indeed you are doing.

Lector The Word of the Lord

People Thanks be to God.

All stand, as they are able

***The* HOLY GOSPEL**

Matthew 25:14-30

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "It is as if a man, going on a journey, summoned his slaves and entrusted his property to them; to one he gave five talents, to another two, to another one, to each according to his ability. Then he went away. The one who had received the five talents went off at once and traded with them, and made five more talents. In the same way, the one who had the two talents made two more talents. But the one who had received the one talent went off and dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money. After a long time the master of those slaves came and settled accounts with them. Then the one who had received the five talents came forward, bringing five more talents, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me five talents; see, I have made five more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' And the one with the two talents also came forward, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me two talents; see, I have made two more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' Then the one who had received the one talent also came forward, saying, 'Master, I knew that you were a harsh man, reaping where you did not sow, and gathering where you did not scatter seed; so I was afraid, and I went and hid your talent in the ground. Here you have what is yours.' But his master replied, 'You wicked and lazy slave! You knew, did you, that I reap where I did not sow, and gather where I did not scatter? Then you ought to have invested my money with the bankers, and on my return I would have received what was my own with interest. So take the talent from him, and give it to the one with the ten talents. For to all those who have, more will be given, and they will have an abundance; but from those who have nothing, even what they have will be taken away. As for this worthless

slave, throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.””

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

All sit

REFLECTION *and* CONVERSATION

All stand, as able.

A CELTIC CREED

We believe in God above us, maker and sustainer of all life,
of sun and moon, of water and earth, of male and female.

We believe in God beside us, Jesus Christ, the word made flesh,
born of a woman, servant of the poor, tortured and nailed to a tree.
A man of sorrows, he died forsaken.
He descended into the earth to the place of death.
On the third day he rose from the tomb.
He ascended into heaven, to be everywhere present,
and His kingdom will come on earth.

We believe in God within us, the Holy Spirit of Pentecostal fire,
life-giving breath of the Church, Spirit of healing and forgiveness,
source of resurrection and of eternal life. Amen.

***The* PRAYERS *of the* PEOPLE**

Celebrant Let us lift up our voices in prayer and supplication, to the God who creates,
redeems and sustains.

Intercessor We pray for all who work through the power of Christ in the Church today:
serving the needs of the poor and healing the wounds of injustice, division
and consumerism in our society.

Silence

We pray for the elderly, the sick, and the lonely: that they may receive comfort, companionship and care from those around them.

Silence

We pray for those who have been persecuted or seriously wronged by others: that they may experience the warmth and love of Christ, and come to forgive those who have hurt them.

Silence

We pray for all members of God's Church, that we all may humbly admit our failure to meet the needs of others.

Silence

We pray that all Churches may grow together towards unity of faith, and witness to the Good News of the Gospel.

Silence

Celebrant Grant, O Lord, the things that we ask in our faith according to the fullness of your love; the wideness of your mercy; and the all-presence of your grace. All this we ask in the Name of your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

***The* CONFESSIO*n* and ABSOLUTION**

A brief silence is kept, for personal confession

All The will of God be done by us;
The law of God be kept by us;
Our evil will controlled by us;
Our sharp tongue checked by us;
Quick forgiveness offered by us;
Speedy repentance made by us;
Temptation sternly shunned by us;
Blessed death welcomed by us;
Angels' music heard by us;
God's highest praises sung by us.

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

The PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And also with you.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Dedication of the In-gathered Pledges for 2024

The GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant Worship and praise belong to you, O God, in every place and at all times. You made us, all the people of the world, and everything that is. You give us the daylight. Your Word lights up our minds. Jesus was born among us to be light in our darkness. Your Spirit lives in us so that we can look at the world with your eyes.

One day we will be with you in heaven, but already we laugh with the saints and angels, and sing their joyful song:

All Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant O God, you never forget us or turn away from us, even when we fail you. You sent your Son Jesus who gave his life for us. He healed those who were

sick, cared for those who were poor, and cried with those who were sad. He forgave sinners and taught us to forgive. For all your love we give you thanks in the way that Jesus showed us.

On the night before he died, while he was having supper with his friends, he took bread and offered you thanks. He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying: "Take, eat. This is my Body: it is broken for you." After supper, he took the cup, he offered you thanks, and gave it to them saying: "Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new covenant; it is poured out for you, and for all, that sins may be forgiven. Do this in remembrance of me."

So, as we do what he told us: We open our hearts to him; we remember how he died and rose again, to live now in us. Together with him we offer you these gifts: In them we give you ourselves.

Send your Holy Spirit on us and on this bread and this wine, that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ, and that, sharing your life, we may travel in your company to our journey's end.

With all your people we give you thanks and praise through the Son and in the Spirit, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The LORD'S PRAYER

All 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The FRACTION

A period of silence is kept

Celebrant God of promise, you have prepared a banquet for us.
People Happy are those who are called to the Supper of the Lamb.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Bread, the Wine or both.

***The* POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

All Lord of the new dawn,
We have broken your bread, drunk your wine
and received your life.
By the power of your Spirit
keep us always in your love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***The* BLESSING**

Celebrant The power and peace of the Presence protect you.
The grace and goodness of the saints inspire you.
The good and gracious God go with you, and keep you always.
And the blessing of God Almighty ...

If there is bread or wine to bless, the Celebrant blesses them, saying

Blessed are you, O Lord our God, creator of the grain of the earth and the fruit of the vine: Bless this bread and this wine, that those who partake of them may share in the new life of the true Vine and the food of everlasting life, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

***The* DISMISSAL**

Celebrant Let us go forth in peace, to love and serve the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Thank you for joining us for this Celtic Mass.

PRAYER LIST

For Healing And Wellness

Margaret Whyte † Tom Howard † Amy Ennenga Maxim † Lindsey Schubert † Julie Eisenhower † Dylan Kilpatrick † Ernie Z. † Br Michael Kilpatrick † Mark † Sue Sparrow † Rick Wis † Fr Michael Carr † Kathy M. † Lynn Herrmann † Anna De May † Rosamund Bruce-Lyle † The Rev Tom Morelli † Chuck Pretto † Tracy Rodriguez † Mark Nokes † Kathleen Hare † Andrea † Duane Smets † Gertrud Mueller Nelson † Glenn Vorraro † Jock Bates † Paul Carroll † Rosemary Benoit † Connie Simon † Alex M † David Pettigrew † J J Northam †

Marian Rogers † Tom Alberts † Taryn Holland † James Trepasso † Tim Lyons † Leigh Hartmen † Aiden Barille † Melisa Spangler † Gary Axford † Julie Michael † Stephanie Yocum † Pamela Burt † Suzie Spettle † Mark Turfler

For Support, Comfort And Safety

Mary Philipson † Fiona and Naomi † Cathy & Family † Kathy & Family † Evan Bakke & Family † Gordon Steele † The Steele Family † Jim Bryant † Folsom Family † The Family & Friends of Kaylen Ricks † Allisyn Thomas † Joe Wilson † Mercer Family † Goddard Family † Fosnaught Family † Davis Family † Campbell Family † Jeff Cocco & Family † Liz & David Ostrander † Luna, Maddie & Kyle Rodenbeck Family † Janice Brinsfield † Marsh Family † Alan MacKillop † Sarah Leon † Leon Family † Charley Hansell † Dave Brown † Healthcare Workers † First Responders † Refugees and hostages throughout the world † Our brothers and sisters living on the street

For Those In Uniformed Service

All Marines and Sailors serving in the 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Miramar † PFC Dylan Kilpatrick † LT Carlie Spore † Major Tim Berger † Sgt. Anthony Oakley † ET2 Kenneth Smith † Personnel and recruits at MCRD † All members of our uniformed civilian and military services

For Repose Of The Soul

Bob Hammes † Stacy Nielson † Mimmi Borjesson † Dr Pete Weber

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Loaves & Fishes Needs Help NOW!

Loaves & Fishes is serving an ever increasing number of families and unhoused persons. Its food purchase costs at San Diego Food Bank have gone up 10-fold. Please find it in your hearts to fill the basket in the narthex every week with the following items: *canned chicken / tuna, hearty canned soups / pasta, noodle cups, canned fruit, canned corn, protein bars, water, peanut butter, pasta, rice, canned & dried beans, cereal*. Please, nothing in glass containers – and only foodstuffs that will appeal to most people’s tastes.

In addition to donations of food, Loaves & Fishes accepts monetary contributions that it uses to purchase food from the Food Bank. Make checks payable to Ocean Beach Emergency Food.

TODAY Lector & Intercessor Training

Attention, All Souls’ lectors and intercessors! It’s time for another “tune up session.” We need to look at how we read, how we use the mic in the pulpit, etc. Jack needs to remind all

of us of proper “choreography” for moving around when we’re a lector or intercessor. So, we’re having a session today, immediately after the 10:15 Eucharist. (Apologies to the 8:00 readers for not being able to do this earlier, but the choir now begins practicing in the church after the 8:00 service.) **Please plan on attending today** as it’s very important we’re all on the same page when it comes to how we approach our reading and how we move. Many thanks!

***THANKSGIVING EVE* Eucharist at 7:00 PM**

We will gather as a parish to celebrate the Feast of Thanksgiving at 7:00 PM on Wednesday, November 22. Come and pause a moment before the ‘big day’ to offer heartfelt thanks for all God’s providence and bounty ... and also enjoy singing some of your favorite Thanksgiving hymns!

***JUST WEEKS AWAY* AN ADVENT PROCESSION OF LESSONS & CAROLS**

Sunday, December 3 at 5pm (Advent Sunday) *Sung by Candlelight*

Mark your calendars! Join the Choir of All Souls’ on the First Sunday of Advent for one of the most beautiful liturgies of the church year. This service serves not to celebrate Christmas, but to expect it through a series of powerful lessons and carols that anticipate the Advent of the Messiah.

CHRISTMAS MARKETPLACE AND FESTIVAL :: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

We Need Your Cookies!!

Our Christmas Marketplace and Festival is upon us! See you on campus on Saturday, December 2! Or before—if you’re volunteering. Three words in addition to your other event volunteering: COOKIES COOKIES COOKIES (and other goodies) !!! It’s time to Bake and Make!! We need EVERY household to make pretty cookies for the plated Tea offerings, and the Pantry needs all your talented efforts to provide elegant holiday foods for sale. Get out your favorite Christmas Bread, Dessert, Savory Snacks (and more) recipes and plan to bring them to the Cookie plating and Pantry folks on Friday, December 1. They’ll be in the Child Care rooms. With the help of your freezer, you can start on many of your best goodies NOW.

Help Us Bake for St. Nicholas!!

Saint Nicholas is coming! Come help us prepare by making our traditional St. Nicholas Cookies in the church kitchen: Nov. 27, 1:00-4:00 PM; and Nov. 28, 29 & 30, 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM.

Get Ready for Some Wonderful Music!!

The Christmas Marketplace and Festival features food, handcrafted gifts, activities for children and MUSIC! This year's Marketplace features a wonderful array of musical offerings. Don't miss this opportunity! All performances take place inside the Church.

San Diego Mandolin Orchestra (10:00-10:45 AM)

Representing the San Diego Community College Continuing Education Emeritus Program,
Director Jim Trepasso

A Christmas Carol Sing-Along (11:00-11:45 AM)

Led by All Souls' Director of Music and Organist, Ruben Valenzuela

The Notables (12:00-12:45 PM)

Representing the San Diego Community College Continuing Education Emeritus Program,
Director Bill Cobb

Open Rehearsal with the All Souls' Choir (1:00-2:00 PM)

Don't miss this opportunity to hear the All Souls' Choir as they rehearse for the next day's Advent Lessons and Carols Service.

THIS WEEK AT ALL SOULS'

Sun, Nov 19	Sunday Forum (Sherman Room)	9:20 AM
Sun, Nov 19	Pledge Dedication Sunday: <i>All-parish Lunch</i> (Gooden Hall)	11:45 AM
Sun, Nov 19	Youth Group (Sherman Room)	11:45 AM
Sun, Nov 19	Choral Evensong (Sherman Room)	5:00 PM
Sun, Nov 19	AA (Sherman Room)	6:45 PM
Mon, Nov 20	AI-Anon (Sherman Room)	6:45 PM
Mon, Nov 20	Adult Education Commission (Conference Room)	1:00 PM
Tue, Nov 21	Morning Prayer (via Zoom)	9:30 AM
Tue, Nov 21	Investment Committee (via Zoom)	11:00 AM
Tue, Nov 21	Bible Study: <i>The Gospel of Matthew</i> (Sherman Room & Zoom)	12:00 PM
Tue, Nov 21	Centering Prayer (Chapel)	4:00 PM

Wed, Nov 22	Chorister Rehearsal (Church)	4:00 PM
Wed, Nov 22	Scouts: BSA Troop 555 (Girls 11-17) (Sherman Room)	6:30 PM
Wed, Nov 22	Holy Eucharist: <i>Thanksgiving Eve</i> (Church)	7:00 PM
Wed, Nov 22	Al-Anon (Sherman Room)	7:00 PM
Thu, Nov 23	<u>NO</u> Mid-week Holy Eucharist	9:30 AM
Thu, Nov 23	<u>NO</u> Choir Rehearsal (Church)	7:00 PM
Fri, Nov 24	Parish Office Closed	
Sat, Nov 25	Showers of Blessings (Ocean Beach)	8:00 AM
Sat, Nov 25	Centering Prayer (Chapel)	4:00 PM
Sat, Nov 25	Celtic Eucharist (Church)	5:00 PM
Sun, Nov 26	Holy Eucharist: <i>The Final Sunday after Pentecost</i> (Church) <i>Coffee Hour follows</i>	8:00 AM
Sun, Nov 26	Sunday Forum (Sherman Room)	9:20 AM
Sun, Nov 26	Music for Small Souls (Gooden Hall)	9:30 AM
Sun, Nov 26	Holy Eucharist: <i>The Final Sunday after Pentecost</i> (Church) <i>Coffee Hour follows</i>	10:15 AM
Sun, Nov 26	Youth Group (Sherman Room)	11:45 AM

Childcare is available every Sunday from 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Holy Days this week: Thanksgiving (we're celebrating on Wednesday Eve)

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