# The Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church

October 30, 2022-10:00 am

# **All Saints Sunday**



# Whoever you are, from wherever you come, you are welcome here.

The Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church seeks to be a congregation where God is the center of our lives; we celebrate children and youth and equip them with faith to meet life's challenges; we work for justice in local and global communities.

### **We Gather Together**

**The Prelude** Steal Away to Jesus trad. Spiritual, arr. Charles Callahan

The Greeting

The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert

**Introit** We All Need God's Love

The congregation is invited to join the choir in singing:

Love, love, love. We all need God's love. We need all God's love. We have all God's love. All God's love we need.

\*Call to Worship Ruling Elder Priscilla Huff

The earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord.

We all need God's love.

God is love. All who abide in love, abide in God.

We need all God's love.

Let us love one another because love is from God.

We have all God's love. All God's love we need.

Please use a connection card found in the pew to write your prayer concern and hand it to an usher or put it in the zoom chat and it will be included in the Joys and Concerns later in the service.

<sup>\*</sup>Those who are able are invited to stand. **Bold indicates congregational response.** 

\*Call to Confession and Corporate Prayer of Confession

Saving God, in each generation

you call your sons and daughters

from the dark caverns of death

into the bright light of new life.

We are grateful for the faithful witness of all the saints

who have gone before us

and who now rest from their labors.

When we fail to honor the wisdom passed down

from generation to generation, forgive us.

When we fail to see your dreams

for generations yet to come,

have mercy upon us.

Grant that all may be glad and rejoice in your salvation.

A time of silence will be kept for our personal prayers of confession.

#### \*Assurance of Pardon

God wipes away every tear from our eyes,

and heals all our disgrace.

Be glad and rejoice in God's salvation.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

#### \*The Peace

Since God has forgiven us in Christ,

Let us forgive one another.

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all!

And also with you!

\*People's Response

Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee;

take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise;

let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Children are invited to come forward to the chancel area.

Time with Children

The Rev. Keith Thompson

Hymn 697, Vs. 1

Following the Time with Children, Sunday School is available for children ages 3 – Grade 12. Childcare is available for children ages 2 and younger.

The Gathering Hymn

Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne, it shall be thy royal throne.

Hymn 697, Vs. 5

A Time for Sharing Our Faith

As a Deacon

Deacon Peggy Hawkins

## **We Share Our Community Joys and Concerns**

#### **Joys and Concerns**

Please write your prayers on the connection card in the pew or in the chat box on zoom. If you would like to submit a confidential prayer request, please email one of the pastors.

#### Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

... We ask these things in the name of the one who teaches us to pray together saying, Our Father and Mother, 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 Hear the Word

#### **Prayer for Illumination**

Faithful God, how blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness. Sanctify us by your Word and Spirit so that we may glorify you in the company of the faithful, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Gospel Luke 6:20-31 Pew Bible NT, p. 64+

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon Upside Down People The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert

#### Remembering our Community and Giving Thanks for the Communion of Saints

**The Necrology**Musical Meditation by Robb Saffell

The names of the members of this congregation who died since the last All Saints' Day will be voiced. Worshippers are then invited to say aloud or silently the names of those whom they loved and cared for who have died.

Almighty God, you have knit us together in one Holy Communion in the body of Christ. Give us grace to follow your saints in life, that we may be joined with them in life eternal.

## We Respond to God's Word

#### \*Affirmation of Faith

We believe that God is love.

In love, God made us and all that is.

In love, God entrusts us to be wise stewards.

We believe that giving is an act of worship.

In giving, God's love flows through us.

In giving, our spirits soar with joy.

We believe that all people need God's love.

God loves each of us.

God embraces us in our family of faith.

We share our gifts so that God's love is manifest in all the world.

W believe that God is love. Amen.

#### Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

Enter God's gates with thanksgiving and praise. Come to the Lord, who is good. Let us continue God's faithfulness in our acts of giving, supporting the church, changing the world.

## Offertory Anthem

#### Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal

Mark Hayes

w/ Emily Schmidt Massey, piano

~ Words attributed to F. R. Warren,1878

Hark, I hear the harps eternal ringing on the farther shore, as I near those swollen waters with their deep and solemn roar.

Hallelujah, praise the lamb. Hallelujah, glory to the great I AM.

And my soul, tho' stain'd with sorrow, fading as the light of day, Passes swiftly o'er those waters, to the city far away. Hallelujah...

Souls have cross'd before me, saintly, to that land of perfect rest; And I hear them singing faintly in the mansions of the blest.

Hallelujah, praise the lamb. Hallelujah, glory to the great I AM.

#### \*The People's Response

Hymn 697, Vs. 6

Sine Nomine

Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store; take myself and I will be ever, only, all for thee, ever, only, all for thee.

\*Prayer of Dedication

**\*Hymn 326, vs. 1-3,5** For All the Saints

\*Charge and Benediction

\*Postlude Variations on Sine Nomine Denis Bédard (b. 1950)

+ The scripture translation read is the NRSV Updated Edition 2021; the pew Bible is the 1989 NRSV.

\*Leaders in worship include The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert, Senior Pastor; The Rev. Keith Thompson, Acting Associate Pastor; Julie Vidrick Evans, Dir. of Music; Priscilla Huff, Liturgist. \*Flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the Glory of God. For future donations, please contact John Cox at johnwcox13@gmail.com for more information.

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WEEKLY CALENDAR		
October 30 – November 6, 2021		
Sunday, October 30	9:00 - 11:00	Childcare — Room 108
	10:00 - 11:00	All Saints Day Worship —Sanctuary and on Zoom at
		https://zoom.us/j/138205207?pwd=aFMraDdNVUtXeDYwazZZZzINWVgwdz09
	10:15 - 11:00	Sunday School — Firesides & Calvin Hall
	11:00 - 12:00	Coffee Hour — Chadsey Hall
	11:15 - 12:00	Youth Choir — Room 308
	11:30 - 12:30	Faith Trek — CCPC Conference Room
	1:00 - 2:30	ESL Classes — Rooms 104, 122, 130
Tuesday, November 1	12:30 - 2:30	Needlework Group – Library
Wednesday, November 2	11:00 - 12:00	Bible Study — Geneva Hall
Thursday, November 3	2:00 - 3:00	Coffee with Pastor Molly — Online at
		https://zoom.us/j/93390906145?pwd=QVJqdFNSU0YzUmVlc3dSYS82RWRaUT09#success
	7:30 - 9:30	Chancel Choir Rehearsal — Room 300 and CCPC Sanctuary
Sunday, November 6	9:00 - 11:00	Childcare — Room 108
	10:00 - 11:00	Worship —Sanctuary and on Zoom at
		https://zoom.us/j/138205207?pwd=aFMraDdNVUtXeDYwazZZZzINWVgwdz09
	10:15 - 11:00	Sunday School — Firesides & Calvin Hall
	11:00 - 12:00	Coffee Hour — Chadsey Hall
	11:15 - 12:00	Youth Choir — Room 308
	11:30 - 12:30	Faith Trek — CCPC Conference Room
	11:30 - 2:00	50+ Members Reception — Geneva Hall
	1:00 - 2:30	ESL Classes — Rooms 104, 122, 130