

Order of Worship - Communion - November 1, 2020

Prelude	<i>For All the Saints</i>	James Woodman (b. 1957)
Welcome & Call to Worship		Rev. Will Burhans
Guest Steward		Betsy Goodell
Opening Hymn	<i>For All the Saints</i> (vv. 1-3)	New Century Hymnal, #299

For all the saints who from their labors rest,
Who to the world their steadfast faith confessed,
Your name, O Jesus, be forever blessed. Alleluia! Alleluia!

You were their rock, their refuge, and their might:
You, Christ, the hope that put their fears to flight;
'Mid gloom and doubt, you were their one true light. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Still may your people, faithful, true, and bold,
Live as the saints who nobly fought of old,
And share with them a glorious crown of gold. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Call to Confession		Liturgist: Liz Sayre
Prayer of Confession		
Assurance of Forgiveness		
The Lord's Prayer		
A Time for the Young		Jacob Greenberg
Scripture	Matthew 23:1-12	Liturgist: Peter Rosenberger
Sermon		Rev. Judy Arnold
Sacrament of Holy Communion		Rev. Will Burhans and Rev. Judy Arnold
Hymn of Preparation	<i>Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life</i>	New Century Hymnal, #331

Come, my way, my truth, my life:
Such a way as gives us breath;
Such a truth as ends all strife,
Such a life as killeth death.

Come, my light, my feast, my strength:
Such a light as shows a feast,
Such a feast as mends in length,
Such a strength as makes his guest.

Come, my joy, my love, my heart:
Such a joy as none can move,
Such a love as none can part,
Such a heart as joys in love.

Invitation
Prayer of Consecration
Words of Institution
Sharing of Bread and Cup
Prayer of Thanksgiving

Prayers of the People

Gathered Congregation

Hymn

There's a Spirit in the Air
(vv. 1-4)

New Century Hymnal, #294

There's a spirit in the air, telling Christians everywhere:
"Praise the love that Christ revealed, living, working in our world."

Lose your shyness, find your tongue; tell the world what God has done:
God in Christ has come to stay. Live tomorrow's life today.

When believers break the bread, when a hungry child is fed:
Praise the love that Christ revealed, living, working in our world.

Still the Spirit give us light, seeing wrong and setting right:
God in Christ has come to stay. Live tomorrow's life today.

Benediction

Rev. Judy Arnold

Postlude

Ein feste Burg

J.G Walther (1684-1748)

You are invited to fellowship with one another through Zoom Breakout Rooms.
Our host, Bruce Alexander, will initiate the breakout rooms and participants will be randomly selected to join one another. Just click on the bottom right hand corner of your screen which will say "Join Breakout Room"

Rev. Will Burhans, Lead Pastor, Rev. Judy Arnold, Associate Pastor,
Jane Ring Frank, Minister of Music & Worship Arts, Jeffrey Mead, Keyboards
Jacob Greenberg, Interim Director of Faith Formation for Children and Youth
Kathleen Zagata, Minister of Health & Wellness

Thanks to Daniel Khudyak who is our contract video editor!
www.danielkhudyak.com/ The password is dkhudyak

Link to the Creation Care Voter Challenge:
<https://sneucc-reg.brtapp.com/CreationCareVoterPledge>

Please keep these people in your prayers:

Peggy and Jim Dickson, sister and brother-in-law of Fred Greene. Prayers for continued healing; both are recovering at home (in Wisconsin) from the covid virus.

The family of Robert Drummond, in their grief. A former church member who joined our church in 1982. He died on October 10th.

Family and friends of Suzanne White, Mother-in-law of Megan Scipione's sister, in their grief.

Bruce Lauterwasser, for strength and healing through this new round of radiation therapy.

For the family of Peg Perenick, comfort and peace. Peg (Margaret) Perenick died on September 30th. Many of our long-time members may remember Peg when she was the church secretary and bookkeeper. We remember kindly her service to the church.

For the family and friends of Pam Boerner, in their grief.

Reynolds Wilson Burns, Laurie Roby's nephew's wife. Prayers for healing for her and for Laurie's nephew, Bryant.

Elizabeth Thompson and her friends and family. Elizabeth had a stroke in June and has been declining. She is in the nursing facility at Brookhaven.

Kurt Rosenberger and family, for safety in the midst of the CA fires.

Glenn McPherson, Tony McPherson's brother, for healing as he awaits a kidney transplant.

Marie Flannery, friend of Lisa Loughlin and Julie O'Hara, that her spirits stay high as she awaits results of a biopsy.

Jane Ring Frank and Stephen Cole, for healing.

Sarah Hebb Carpenter, for successful surgery and healing.

A prayer of mourning for all those who have died of COVID19, as Renée Graham described them in The Globe on 5/12/2020 they are: "...health care workers, military veterans, doting grandparents, church folk, Holocaust survivors, a man who helped liberate a concentration camp, cancer survivors, bikers, lawmakers, grocery store workers, neurobiologists, barbers, meat plant workers, accountants, truck and bus drivers, security guards and educators."

For all the Black Lives that have been extra-judicially and violently extinguished.

Olivia, for healing and help finding her way back to recovery.

All of the front line healthcare workers and first responders, for their safety.

Rev. Lucy Sanders, for healing.

Susan Zimmerman, Julianne's mother, For stabilization & relief from pain; and comfort for her family.