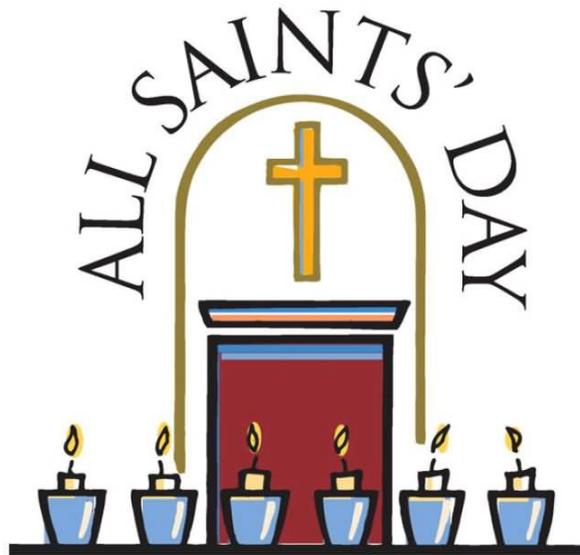


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Sentence – Know what is the hope to which God has called you, what are the riches of the glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of God's power in us who believe. Ephesians 1:18,19

Collect – Almighty God, your saints are one with you in the mystical body of Christ; give us grace to follow them in all virtue and holiness until we come to those inexpressible joys which you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

8.00am and 9.30am – All Saints Liturgy

Introit	76 You Holy Angels bright
Gradual	578 Let saints on earth together sing
Offertory	678 Take my life and let it be
Dismissal	636 For all the Saints (omit vs 3&4)

Readings for this Sunday 5th November

1st Reading – Revelations 7:9-17

Epistle – 1 John 3:1-3

Gospel – Matthew 5:1-12

Readers 8.00am – To be advised

Readers 9.30am – Megan Bowden and Gaylene Hotchkiss

Revelations 7: 9-17

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

1 John 3: 1-3

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Matthew 5: 1-12

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you”.

We remember in our prayers today – Campbell, Logan, Barbara,

Ken, Doreen, Kelvin, Louie, Briar, Robyn, Bob and Gabrielle, Simon, Julieanne, Carol, Lynette, Gail, Ella and Macey. And residents and parishioners in Catalina Crescent, Corunna Road, Currey Crescent, Forrest Hill Road.

This Week November

Tuesday 7th	Selwyn Centre 9.30am – 12.00. Join us for fun, fellowship and good conversation. Cost \$3.00.
Wednesday 8th	10.00 am Holy Communion followed by morning tea.
Thursday 9th	10.00am Mainly Music.
Sunday 12th	Services 8.00am and 9.30am

Readings for next Sunday 12th November

1st Reading – Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25

Epistle – 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Gospel – Matthew 25:1-13

Readers 8.00am – To be advised

Readers 9.30am – Tania Manuel and Maureen Christensen

Christmas gifts for Anglican Trust for Women and Children

Please bring your gifts next **Sunday 12th of November**. So we can deliver in time for gifts to be distributed before Christmas. Please leave gifts unwrapped.

Thanks – to everyone who helped out at the garage sale on Friday and Saturday. It's a lot of work but also a lot of fun. We are very grateful for your help.