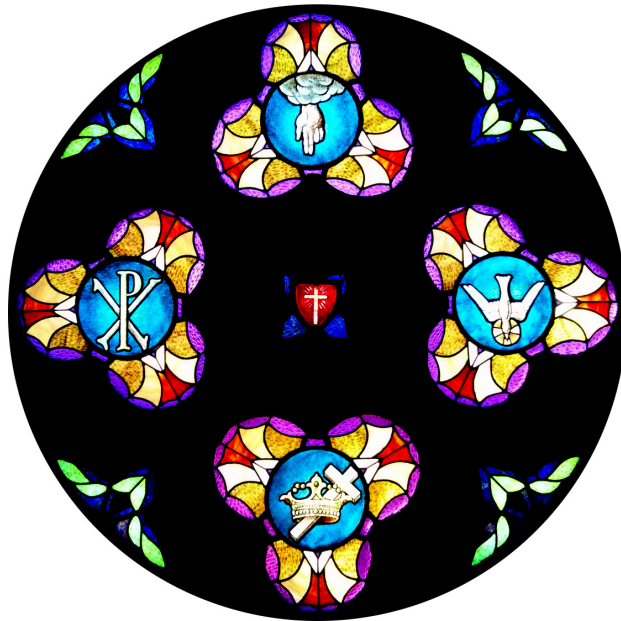


First Presbyterian Church Arlington

November 2, 2025
All Saints Sunday



Following Jesus, Transforming Life

Mission Statement:

**First Presbyterian Church of Arlington is transforming life
by glorifying God, following Jesus, and loving our neighbor.**

Preaching: Rev. Chris Campbell
Lay Leader: Matt Annen
Organist: Shina Heo

The Worship of God 11:00 a.m.

Words in bold are spoken by the congregation.

§ Invites all who are able to stand.

*Please silence all phones and devices.
Please fill out the Friendship Pad in your row.*

Gathering

Prelude

Tell Me the Old, Old Story

Tae Sook Kang

The Light of Christ

Prayer for Preparation

*You are our hiding place, O God. You preserve us from trouble and deliver us from death.
You teach us your wisdom and show us your grace by honoring the weak and forgiving the wicked.
All glory and praise be to you, for justice and mercy meet in you,
through Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.*

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Rev. Chris Campbell

Call to Worship

Happy are those who do not ridicule and scoff,
but who delight in God's teachings and meditate on them day and night.
They are like trees planted by streams of water.
They yield fruit in due season, and their leaves do not wither.

Introit

Yes, We'll Gather at the River

arr. Hal Hopson

All Saints Remembrance

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§ Hymn 326

For All the Saints

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§ Prayer of Confession

**Loving God, you promise that all who faithfully confess to you will be forgiven
and preserved from trouble. Trusting in your mercy,
we acknowledge the harm that we have done, and the good we have failed to do.
Forgive us, we pray. Guide us in your truth, and teach us the way to go,
that we may love and serve you well. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.**

§ Assurance of Pardon

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel! **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!**

§ Gloria Patri

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**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

Proclaiming

Gospel Reading

Luke 9:23-24

New Testament page 69

Children's Time

Children, age 3 to fourth grade, are invited to go to Kids For Christ (KFC).

Remembering the Saints

Lucy Cleaver, Fred Cook, Loyd Counts, Bobby Gamblin, Mary Lou Garrison, Joe Glenn, Marge Hampton, Bob Hanson, David Lowrance, Kathy Moore, Charlie Nieman, Betty Snowden, Lorna Snyder, Larry Thomas, Shirley Volluz, Richard Whitenight

Those who have lost loved ones this year are invited to take a rose from the display after the service.

The Lord's Prayer

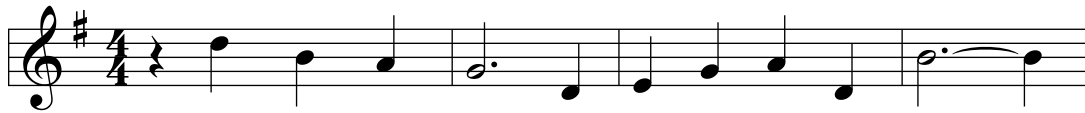
for the congregation of First Presbyterian Church, Arlington, Texas

Our Fa - ther who art in heav - en, hal - low - ed be thy name; _____
Thy king - dom come; Thy will be done on Earth as it is in heav - en.
Give us this day our dai - ly bread; for - give us our debts as we for - give our debt - ors;
Lead us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us from e - vil:
For Thine is the king - dom, and the pow - er, and the glo - ry, for - ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

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For All the Saints



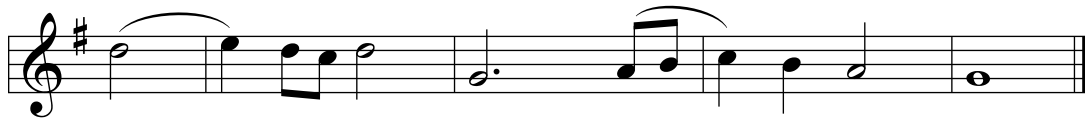
1 For all the saints who from their la - bors rest, who
 2 Thou wast their rock, their for - tress, and their might;
 3 O blest com - mu - nion, fel - low - ship di - vine!
 4 And when the strife is fierce, the war - fare long,
 5 From earth's wide bounds, from o - cean's far - thest coast, through



thee by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, thy
 thou, Lord, their cap - tain in the well - fought fight;
 We fee - bly strug - gle; they in glo - ry shine; yet
 steals on the ear the dis - tant tri - umph song, and
 gates of pearl streams in the count - less host,



name, O Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.
 thou, in the dark - ness drear, their one true light.
 all are one in thee, for all are thine.
 hearts are brave a - gain, and arms are strong.
 sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost,



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

The broad and sweeping tune with which this hymn is so closely identified was created to be sung during a reverent but dramatic procession at the beginning of an All Saints' Day service, an enacted representation of the enduring "fellowship divine" celebrated by this text.

377 I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light

1 I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to fol - low
 2 I want to see the bright-ness of God. I want to look at
 3 I'm look-ing for the com - ing of Christ. I want to be with

Je - sus. God set the stars to give light to the world. The
 Je - sus. Clear Sun of righ-teous-ness, shine on my path, and
 Je - sus. When we have run with pa-tience the race, we

Refrain

star of my life is Je - sus.
 show me the way to the Fa - ther. In him there is no dark-ness at
 shall know the joy of Je - sus.

all. The night and the day are both a - like. The Lamb is the

The author-composer of this unrhymed hymn regards it as a meditation and prayer deeply rooted in many scriptures, most connected with the theme of light: Genesis 1:17; Psalm 139:12; Isaiah 60:19; Malachi 4:2; John 14:8; Ephesians 5:8; Hebrews 12:1-2; 1 John 1:5; Revelation 21:23.

light of the cit - y of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The melody is primarily in the treble staff, with some notes in the bass staff. The lyrics are: "light of the cit - y of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus." The music ends with a double bar line.

Give Thanks for Those Whose Faith Is Firm

Capo 1: (D) (A) (Bm) (G)
E^b B^b Cm A^b

1 Give thanks for those whose faith is firm when all a -
 2 Give thanks for those whose hope is clear, be - yond mere
 3 Give thanks for those whose love is pure, a spar - kling
 4 Give thanks for saints of a - ges past and saints a -

(D) (A) (D) (G) (Em) (A) (F#m)
E^b B^b E^b A^b Fm B^b Gm

round seems bleak: on God's good prom - ise they re - ly, so
 mor - tal sight: who seek the cit - y God has planned, the
 pre - cious stone: they show by what they say and do an
 live to - day: though of - ten by this world de - spised, their

(Bm) (G) (Em) (A7) (D)
Cm A^b Fm B^b7 E^b

while they live and when they die how force - ful -
 true, e - ter - nal prom - ised land, and steer on
 in - ward beau - ty, warm and true, for God's con -
 hearts by God are rich - ly prized. Give thanks that

(A7) (B) (Em) (G) (A7) (D)
B^b7 C Fm A^b B^b7 E^b

ly they speak: the strong, who once were weak!
 toward that light, a bea - con ev - er bright.
 cerns they own: God's love through them is known.
 we may say we share their pil - grim way.

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

The first three stanzas of this text are organized around the three great virtues—faith, hope, and love—mentioned in 1 Corinthians 13:13. These have indeed been the marks of the faithful people of God always and everywhere, and the final stanza sums up our gratitude for them.

This week:

Sunday, Nov. 2

- Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. in classrooms
- Worship Service - 11 a.m. in the Sanctuary
- Youth and Children's Music Ministries - 12:45 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 4

- Senior Flexibility Class - 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall
- Tuesday Morning Bible Study - 10:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall
- HOPE tutoring - 6:30 p.m. in room 218

Wednesday, Nov. 5

- Men's Bible Study - 8 a.m. in room 204
- Quilting - 10:30 a.m. in room 204
- Wednesday Women's Bible Study - 1 p.m. in Fellowship Hall
- Ring of Praise Handbells - 6 p.m. in the choir room
- Chancel Choir Rehearsal - 7 p.m. in the choir room
- CFW Bible Study - 7 p.m. online

Thursday, Nov. 6

- Senior Flexibility Class - 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall
- Team meeting - 7 p.m.

Coming up:

Thursday, Nov. 13

- Prayer Ministry Council Meeting - 1 p.m. in the conference room

Sunday, Nov. 16

- Thanksgiving Lunch will be served after worship in Fellowship Hall

Saturday, Nov. 29

- Advent church decorating - 9 a.m. to noon

Thursday, Dec. 11

- Saints Alive luncheon at 11:30 in Fellowship Hall

Community:

Thanksgiving lunch will be served Nov. 16



Come one, come all to the Thanksgiving Lunch on Nov. 16, immediately after the worship service. The Fellowship Committee will provide all of the food for the meal. Please do not bring any side dishes. We look forward to celebrating this season of Thanksgiving with everyone.



Thanksgiving sacks available today - due back Nov. 9

FPCA is again joining Arlington Charities in feeding those who otherwise may not be able to enjoy a Thanksgiving dinner. Thanksgiving sacks are available on tables set up in the Narthex and outside the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up on the sheets to indicate how many sacks you will take. Fill them with the items indicated on the sheets attached to the sacks. The sacks are due back in the Fellowship Hall Nov. 9. Thank you for your generosity in helping feed a family so they can celebrate Thanksgiving together at home.

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Prayer Ministry:

Send prayer requests to prayer@firstprestexas.org

Prayers for those with health and other concerns:

Charles Arnold, Carol Browning, Judy Crowell, Cyprain Engwenyi, Betty Farrell, Ken Floyd, Bobbie Fowler, Ivone Franzolin, Jay and Susan Graham, Nancy Guerry, Elaine Keefer, Bob and Beverly Koch, Lisa Landolt, Margaret Landolt, Shawn LeBlanc, Pat May and her son Tim Karnes, Judy Reck, Lisa Scrabeck, Tonya Scrabeck, David Spencer, Drew Stephenson, Susie Thurston, Donna Vickers, Nancy Welborne, Patrick Welborne, Sherry and Shelby Wolfe, Danny Womble

Prayers for family in the armed forces:

Jeff Grimes, Nathan Haerer, Wolfgang Van Wie, Christopher Young

Prayers for our home-bound members:

Bettye Burdett, Madge Casselman, Margaret Fite, Jay and Susan Graham, Teresa Hanson, Ann Scarr, Leonard and Mary Jane Tibbetts, Dee Uhri

Pray for those who do not know Christ.

If you have any congregational care needs, contact Parish Associate Jim Shroyer at 682.445.0155 or jim@firstprestexas.org.

Sign up for daily devotional texts

Start your day with uplifting, encouraging words! Sign up to receive daily devotional texts from FPCA and the Next Step series through Nov. 16. The texts will include spiritual reflections and practices related to prayer, service, giving, and discipleship. To sign up, go to <https://bit.ly/FPCANextStep>, scan the QR code, or fill in your cell number in the Friendship Pad in the pew.



Presenting: *The Little Man*

This little man is faced with one of life's many decisions. He has to make a choice. He carries with him the baggage we all often choose to carry that weighs us down and can often prove a distraction. Follow *The Little Man* beginning today in the Fellowship Hall hallway. Share the journey. Each week, keep up with an inspirational follow-up to the prior Sunday's progression in the weekly E-News.

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