

All Saints Sunday

**Stand if you are able*

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Lighting of the Memorial Candles

Chiming of the Beginning of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Dr. Lisa Hancock

On this All Saints Day, we gather to join the multitude of saints across the generations from all tribes, peoples, and languages, to proclaim:

**Salvation belongs to our God,
who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!**

We come to remember, to grieve, and to celebrate those saints who have come before, yet whose life and witness continues to teach us:

**Salvation belongs to our God,
who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!**

We gather today as the family of Christ, siblings and saints, diverse yet united by grace to live lives that declare:

**Salvation belongs to our God,
who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!**

May we be guided today by the Lamb who is our Shepherd, the one who gathers us, comforts us and tends us.

**May we join in the work of the Shepherd
to bring about a world with no more hunger,
no more thirst, no more suffering,
and no more pain
that all the saints of the past, the present,
and the future may share in God's abundant life.
Amen.**

*Hymn

UMH 709

Come, Let Us Join Our Friends Above

New Testament Reading

Revelation 7:9-17

The Word of God for the people of God; Thanks be to God!

Special Music

arr. Bulla

Golden Harps Are Sounding

*Psalter Reading

Psalm 34

UMH 769

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 5:1-12

Epistle Lesson

1 John 3:1-3

Prayers of the People

Holy Communion

UMH 12-15

Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

An offering plate is located on the table near the entrance of the sanctuary.

*Doxology and Offertory Prayer

UMH 95

*Hymn

UMH 614

For the Bread Which You Have Broken

*Dismissal with Blessing

*Threefold Amen

Today we celebrate the lives of

Harriet White Lassing – November 25, 2022

Marjorie LaFontisee Serrano – February 6, 2023

Richard George Rogers – February 16, 2023

Barry Eugene Crotty – June 8, 2023

Prayers and Praises

Shared the week of October 29: *Arthur Disher & family, Family of Steve Gross, Elizabeth DuBois, Ashley Gooding, Stella Perrin, Shane Plott, Carder Price, the WNC Conference clergy & lay delegates, Lewiston Maine victims & families, conflict/war between Israel & Gaza*
October 22: *Arthur & Elaine Disher, Lee & Debbie Lallance, Carder Price, Betty Friddle, People in Israel and Palestine, Commitment Sunday*
October 15: *Lee & Deborah Lallance, Carder, John Fox*
October 8: *Billy Herring, People in Israel and Palestine, People affected by the earthquake in Afghanistan, Terri & Jim Holloman, Lee & Debbie Lallance, Rita Waite*

Serving in Worship

Today: Ushers—Murray Sink, Nancy Flowers, Gloria McGurk, Brenda Raker; Liturgist—Rick Mende; Financial Officer—Glenda Ketchie; Trustee—Mike Price

Next Sunday: Ushers—Taylor Crane, Terry & Lynn Blumenthal; Liturgist—Becky DuBois; Financial Officer—Glenda Ketchie; Trustee—Mike Price

This Week at Burkhead United Methodist Church

Church Office is open Tuesday - Thursday, 10 am - 2 pm

Sunday, November 5 *All Saints Sunday*

- 9:15 am New Life Sunday School class
- 9:30 am Seekers Sunday School class
- 10:15 am Fellowship Time
- 10:30 am Worship Service with Communion
- 3:00 pm **2023 Charge Conference and Church Council meetings, meet in the Fellowship Hall**

Monday, November 6

- 6:00 pm Girl Scout Troop 1929

Tuesday, November 7

- 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911

Wednesday, November 8

- 6:00 pm **Community Fellowship Meal**

Sunday, November 12

- 9:15 am New Life Sunday School class
- 9:30 am Seekers Sunday School class
- 10:15 am Fellowship Time
- 10:30 am Worship Service, **Commitment Sunday**

Upcoming Events

Monday, November 13

- 10:30 am **Cooking for Open Arms meals**
- 6:30 pm **Finance Committee meeting**

Tuesday, November 14

- 10:30 am **Outreach Committee meeting**

Wednesday, November 15

- 1:00 pm **Y.A.R.N. Ministry**

Thursday, November 16

- 10:30 am **Third Thursday, meet at The Reynolda House**
- 6:30 pm **West Winston-Salem Missional Network Worship Service**



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November 5, 2023

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