



All Saints Presbyterian Church

August 2nd, 2026

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

**Congregation Stands*

***Gathering Song** (10:25 AM) He Is Exalted

He is exalted
The King is exalted on high
I will praise Him
He is exalted, forever exalted
And I will praise His name

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Chorus

He is the Lord
Forever His truth shall reign
Heaven and earth
Rejoice in His holy name
He is exalted
The King is exalted on high

Chorus

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Entering into the Worship of God

Welcome ————— Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

Announcements ————— Steve Baldwin



***Call to Worship**

Bryan Bademan, *Elder*

Based on Psalm 66

Leader: Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds toward the children of man!

Everyone: Shout for joy to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise!



***Song of Praise: Crown Him with Many Crowns**

Crown him with many crowns
The Lamb upon his throne
Hark! How the heavenly anthem
drowns
All music but its own
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of him who died for thee
And hail him as thy matchless
King
Through all eternity

Crown him the Lord of love
Behold his hands and side
Rich wounds, yet visible above
In beauty glorified
No angel in the sky
Can fully bear that sight
But downward bends his burning
eye
At mysteries so bright

Crown Him the Lord of life
Who triumphed o'er the grave
Who rose victorious to the strife
For those He came to save
His glories now we sing
Who died, and rose on high
Who died eternal life to bring
And lives that death may die

Crown him the Lord of peace
Whose pow'r a scepter sways
From pole to pole, that wars may
cease
Absorbed in prayer and praise
His reign shall know no end
And round his pierced feet
Fair flow'rs of paradise extend
Their fragrance ever sweet

Crown him the Lord of years
The Potentate of time
Creator of the rolling spheres

Ineffably sublime
All hail, Redeemer, hail!
For Thou hast died for me
Thy praise shall never, never fail
Throughout eternity

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***Prayer of Invocation** ————— Bryan Bademan, *Elder*

***Confession of Faith** ————— Bryan Bademan, *Elder*

From the Belgic Confession of Faith, Article 19

One of the oldest confessions of the Protestant Reformed churches of the Netherlands and Belgium, the Belgic Confession was written in 1561 by Guido de Brès, a Dutch preacher who died as a martyr six years later. The year after the Confession was produced, a copy was sent to King Philip II by petitioners who declared that they were ready to obey the government in all lawful things, but that they would "offer their backs to stripes, their tongues to knives, their mouths to gags, and their whole bodies to the fire," rather than deny the truth expressed in this Confession.

Leader: Christians, what do we believe about the two natures of our Lord Jesus Christ?

Everyone: We believe that the person of the Son has been inseparably united and joined together with human nature, in such a way that there are not two Sons of God, nor two persons, but two natures united in a single person, with each nature retaining its own distinct properties. Thus his divine nature has always remained uncreated, without beginning of days or end of life, filling heaven and earth.

His human nature has not lost its properties but continues to have those of a creature—it has a beginning of days; it is of a finite nature and retains all that belongs to a real body. And even though he, by his resurrection, gave it immortality, that nonetheless did not change the reality of his human nature; for our salvation and resurrection depend also on the reality of his body. Amen.

***Song of Praise:** Dawning Light of Our Salvation

Long in darkness Israel wandered
Long in mortal shadows, we
Walked in bondage and self-pity
Trode in paths of sin and grief
In the prophets' words He told us
Long the God of Israel spoke

He alone in strength would save us
From the hands of all our foes

He shall raise a mighty Savior
Born of David's lineage, He
Comes in cov'nant love to claim us

From our sins to set us free
Light to those who dwell in
darkness
Life to those from death who flee
Joy unto the earth, and gladness
To your pathways dawning peace!

Chorus

Every valley be exalted!
Every mountain be made plain!
Crooked ways repent and
straighten
All creation bend in praise!

Jesus, Lord, and mighty Savior
David's Son and yet his King
Dawning light of our salvation
Of your saving pow'r we sing!
Stand, O lame and dance ye broken
Know the Savior's healing grace
Come, O deaf and hear him singing
Turn, O blind, behold his face!

Chorus x2

"Dawning Light of Our Salvation"

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Confession of Sin ————— Bryan Bademan, *Elder*

Everyone: Eternal God, our Judge and Redeemer, we confess that we have tried to hide from you, for we have done wrong. We have lived for ourselves without regard for you or your ways. We have turned from our neighbors and have refused to bear the burdens of others. We have ignored the pain of the world all around us, and we pass by the hungry, the poor, and the oppressed without concern. In your great mercy forgive our sins and free us from our selfishness, and our love of comfort, that, with the help of your Holy Spirit, we may choose the far greater blessings of doing your will by obeying your commandments. In the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, we pray. Amen.

Silent Confession of Sin



Assurance of Pardon

Bryan Bademan, *Elder*

Leader: "If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared" (Psalms 130:3-4).

Through faith in Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.

Everyone: Amen.

***Song of Gratitude:** Lord Have Mercy (For What We Have Done)

For what we have done and left
undone

We fall on Your countless mercies
For sins that are known and those
unknown

We call on Your name so holy

For envy and pride, for closing our
eyes

For scorning our very neighbor
In thought, word, and deed, we've
failed You, our King

How deeply we need a Savior

Chorus

Lord have mercy, Christ have
mercy

Lord have mercy on us

Lord have mercy, Christ have
mercy

Lord have mercy on us

For what You have done, Your life
of love

You perfectly lived, we praise You
Though tempted and tried, You
fixed your eyes

You finished the work God gave
You

And there on the tree, a King
among thieves

You bled for a world's betrayal
You loved to the end, our merciful
friend

How pure and forever faithful

Chorus 2x

For hearts that are cold, for
seizing control

For scorning our very Maker
In thought, word, and deed, we've
failed You, our King

How deeply we need a Savior

Chorus 2x

*"Lord Have Mercy (For What We Have
Done)"*

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***Extending Peace to One Another** — Bryan Bademan, *Elder*

3-5 year olds are welcome to join Teach Us To Worship downstairs at this time

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

Everyone: And also with you.

You are encouraged to connect with whom you need to in order to make peace before coming to the Lord's Table, or extend the peace to others, particularly newcomers.

Hearing the Word of God



***Scripture Reading:** Ephesians 4:25-32 (ESV) — Meagan Buchholz

²⁵ Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another. ²⁶ Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, ²⁷ and give no opportunity to the devil. ²⁸ Let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labor, doing honest work with his own hands, so that he may have something to share with anyone in need. ²⁹ Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear. ³⁰ And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. ³¹ Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice. ³² Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord!

Everyone: Thanks be to God!

Prayer for Illumination — Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

Based on 1 Thessalonians 1:5

Everyone: Heavenly Father, we pray that as the gospel message of Jesus Christ our Lord is proclaimed, that it would come to us again, not only in word, but also in the transforming power of your Holy Spirit, with full conviction of the truth of all that you say. Amen.



Sermon ————— Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

“Forgiving One Another”

Responding to the Grace of God



Pastoral Prayer

Bryan Bademan, *Elder*

After the pastoral prayer, we will corporately pray the Lord's Prayer:

Our Father, 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.



Tithes and Offerings (Teach Us to Worship children return)



Celebrating the Lord's Supper

The Lord's Supper was instituted by Jesus Christ as a way for Christians to worship until he returns. When we eat and drink this meal by faith, Jesus himself is present with us by his Holy Spirit, and he nourishes and strengthens us to live as his disciples in the world. It is a meal that unites all believers in Jesus Christ, and thus we invite all baptized followers of Jesus Christ who are members of a Bible-believing church to participate with us. Children who have professed faith and have been admitted to the Lord's Supper by the leaders of your church are also encouraged to participate.

If you are not yet a baptized Christian, or if you have not been joined to a church, we want you to know that we are so glad that you are here! And yet, we ask that you refrain from participating in this meal. If you are interested in knowing more about what it means to follow Jesus and join his people in the church, any of the pastors or elders would be delighted to meet with you. We also encourage you not to participate if you have an unresolved conflict with another member of the church, and are not pursuing reconciliation, as this meal is to be a sign of our love and unity in Christ.

While not all will eat and drink (because we know that not all here have taken those first steps of faith and obedience to Jesus), we do encourage everyone to join the circle that will form around the sanctuary as a sign that you are all an important part of our church community

Prayers of Meditation for Those Not Partaking of the Sacrament:

If you are not able to receive Communion because you have not yet entrusted your life and eternity into the saving hands of Jesus Christ, you can select a prayer that best describes your current place in the spiritual journey and meditate on it

A Prayer for those who cannot believe in God

God, I have doubted your existence. I have reasoned you away or associated you with a Being that either does not love me or does not have the strength to show me that you care. And yet, I see today that there are many people who have experienced the same hardships and disappointments in life that I have, yet they believe in you. They say they see your care in their trials and they experience your strength in their hardships. And they say that it all must be true because of the resurrection of Jesus. God, this is all strange to me. Therefore, if you really exist, if you really are the caring and sovereign God these people and their Bible say you are, reveal yourself to me personally through this resurrected Jesus. Amen.

A Prayer for those Searching for Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

A Prayer of Belief and Commitment

Lord Jesus, I admit that in and of myself I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared to believe, but in you, oh Christ, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. I commit myself to be baptized into union with you and to follow you all my life as a committed disciple of Jesus, no matter what the cost.

Songs to the Cross: Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Come behold the wondrous
myst'ry
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing in our darkness
Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ who
condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous
myst'ry
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living in His suff'ring
Never trace nor stain of sin

See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound
man
Christ the great and sure
fulfillment
Of the law in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous
myst'ry
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured love untold

Come behold the wondrous
myst'ry
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain
Him

Praise the Lord He is alive
What a foretaste of deliv'rance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes

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How unwavering our hope
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My Jesus I Love Thee

My Jesus, I love Thee
I know Thou art mine
For Thee, all the follies
Of sin I resign
My gracious Redeemer
My Savior art Thou
If ever I loved Thee
my Jesus, 'tis now

I love Thee because
Thou hast first loved me
And purchased my pardon
On Calvary's tree
I love Thee for wearing
The thorns on Thy brow
If ever I loved Thee
my Jesus, 'tis now

I'll love Thee in life
I will love Thee in death

And praise Thee as long as
Thou lendest me breath
And say when the death dew
Lies cold on my brow
"If ever I loved Thee
my Jesus, 'tis now"

In mansions of glory
And endless delight
I'll ever adore Thee
In heaven so bright
I'll sing with the glittering
Crown on my brow
"If ever I loved Thee
my Jesus, 'tis now"

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*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all
blessings flow
Praise Him, all creatures here
below

Praise Him above, ye heav'nly
host
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost
Amen

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***Benediction:** ————— Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

Leader: May our Lord Jesus Christ, the one who came with grace and truth, also fill your hearts with grace and truth, as you worship and serve him this week. And may the joy of God Almighty – the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit – be your strength always. Amen.

Community Groups

To learn more about Community Groups at All Saints or get connected to a group, please email staff@allsaintsmsp.org

Northeast

Kuhfusses & Poelarends
Wed | 6:00 - 7:30PM

Mac-Grove

Kruzezs & Olsons
Resumes August 19th

Northern Suburbs

Aarrestads
Sun (1st and 3rd)
4:30-6:30PM

South Minneapolis

Laus
Sun | 4:30 - 6:00PM

West Side

Stephensons
Tues | 6:30 – 8:00PM

Como Saint Paul

Covingtons
Wed | 6:00 – 7:45PM

Eagan

Waller & Levenhagens
On summer break

South Minneapolis

Pagels
Wed | 6:00 - 7:30PM
On a break until October

Ministry Events

allsaintsmsp.org/events



*Events, registrations
and All Saints info*

Today - Congregational Meeting

We have a congregational meeting in the Fellowship Hall directly following the worship service. During this meeting we will be sharing updates regarding plans for our building as well as our worship service, approving the annual budget, announcing our plan for a communicants' class, introducing a new church management software, and making a few other brief announcements on the life of our church. We anticipate that this meeting will last for about 90 minutes. Lunch will be provided (or you are welcome to bring your own,) and childcare is available in the nursery for children ages 0 - 3.

Sunday, Aug 16 - Baptism Sunday

If you would like your child to be baptized, we will have our next baptism Sunday on August 16th during the worship service, followed by a dessert reception in the Fellowship Hall. Please visit the Events section of our website to sign up! If you are an adult or have an older child who has not been baptized but would like to be, please email Pastor Adam (adam@allsaintsmsp.org) to discuss setting up an interview with our elders.

Saturday, Aug 22 - Women's Worship Night

Women of All Saints, you are invited to join the women's ministry team for a time of worship, prayer, snacks, and conversation! Please join us on Saturday, August 22nd, from 7:00 to 9:00pm at the Evansons' home. Reach out to womens.team@allsaintsmsp.org if you have questions or would like more information!

Wednesday, Aug 26 - Church Picnic

Join us for an all-church picnic on August 26th! We'll meet at Wabun Picnic Area at Minnehaha Park, beginning at 5pm. All Saints will provide burgers/hot dogs and beverages, but bring a side or dessert to share, as well as any lawn games you might want to play! There is a playground near the picnic shelter, as well as a splash pad, so if little ones (or you!) would like to cool off, please bring swimsuits and towels (parents are responsible for keeping an eye on their kids.) Email feasts.team@allsaintsmsp.org if you have any questions!

Save the date for our 2027 space-themed VBS!

Monday, July 12 - Thursday, July 15