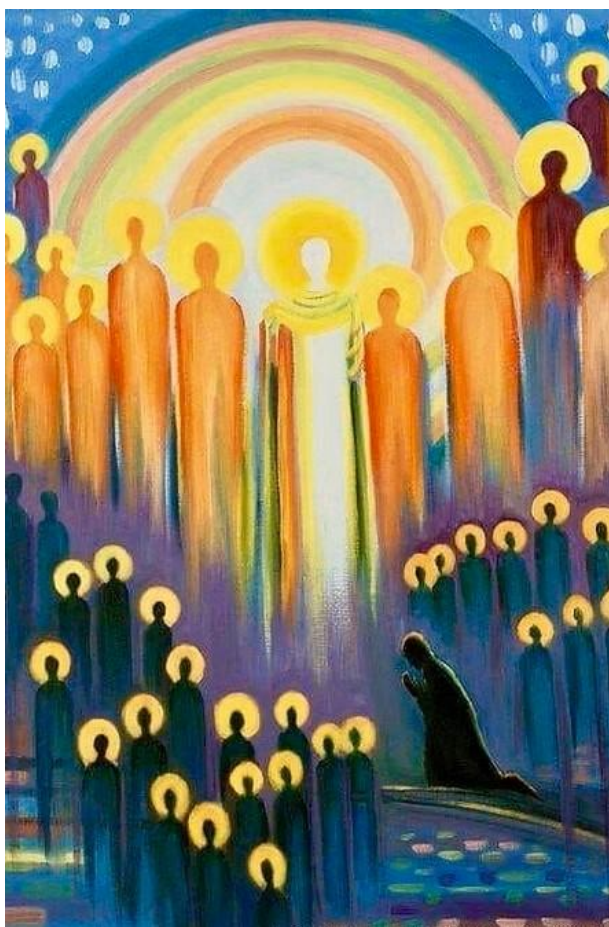


Emmanuel Episcopal Church
Wakefield, Massachusetts

The Twenty-third Sunday After Pentecost
Feast of All Saints



November 1, 2026

10:00 AM

HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

Welcome to Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Wakefield, MA ***Belong, Be Loved, Flourish!***

We are thrilled you are here! We welcome every person without exception in the name of Jesus Christ. You ***belong*** here and are an essential part of our family. You are ***beloved*** by God. We strive to "love God and love our neighbor," affirming that God created us for relationship and all creation ***flourishing***. We pray you are drawn to healing and joy.

If this is your first time, or first time back in a while, please fill out the visitors' card in the pew or Narthex. Introduce yourself to Rev. Brett and our Greeters — we are a friendly family!

A Note about Communion *You (all!) are welcome.* God invites you to be fed. All are welcome at the altar rail. Wine options include the chalice, intinction (a separate cup), or a non-alcohol alternative — simply let the clergy know. If you prefer not to receive, come forward with arms crossed for a blessing. *Our Altar Bread is Gluten Free.* If you cannot come forward, let an usher know and we will come to you.

A Note about Children We *love* all our children. Childcare and Kids' Club are available most Sundays at the 10:00 a.m. service in their special place off the Parish Hall. Once a month, children join us in the sanctuary as ushers, readers, and altar assistants. All children are welcome in the sanctuary — we ask that their grown-ups help them use quiet voices and quiet play, honoring those who need stillness to worship.

Assistive Listening Devices Four lightweight receivers are available at the back of the sanctuary. Pick one up, insert the earbud, and adjust the volume as needed — devices are charged and ready each week. Helpful for hearing differences or simply for clearer sound. See an usher with any questions.

We acknowledge that Emmanuel sits on the traditional land of the Algonquian-speaking Pawtucket tribe, whose caretaker's past, present, and future we honor with gratitude. As guests who have too often benefited at their expense, we commit to becoming better stewards and working toward a more just future.

*As we prepare our hearts for worship, we kindly ask that you please
silence your cell phones. Thank you.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN #287 vss. 1,2,4,5&8

For all the saints, who from their labors rest

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 may thy sol - diers, faith - ful, true, and bold,
 4 O blest com - mun - ion, fel - low - ship di - vine!—



thee— by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, thy
 thou, Lord, their Cap - tain in the well - fought fight;—
 fight as the saints who no - bly fought of old, and
 We fecb - ly strug - gle, they in glo - ry shine; yet



Name, O Je - sus, be for ev - er blessed.
 thou, in the dark - ness in the one true Light.
 win, with— them, the vic - tor's crown of gold.
 all are— one in thee, for all are thine.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



*5 And when the strife is fierce, the war-fare long, steals on the ear the
 *6 The gold - en eve - ning bright - ens in the west; soon, soon to faith - ful



dis - tant tri - umph song, and hearts are brave a - gain, and arms are
 war - riors com - eth rest;— sweet is the calm of par - a - disc the



strong.
blest. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

*7 But lo! there breaks a yet more glo - rious day; the
*8 From earth's wide bounds, from o - cean's far - thest coast, through

saints tri - umph - ant rise in bright ar - ray; the
gates of pearl streams in the count - less host

King of glo - ry pass - es on his way.
sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost,

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Words: William Walsham How (1823-1897). Music: *Sine Nomine*, Ralph Vaughn Williams (1872-1958).

WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People: Glory to God for ever and ever. Amen

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you,

and worthily magnify your holy Name: through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

GLORIA

Peter Hurford (1930-2019)



Glo - ry to God in the high - est, —

and peace to his people on earth. Lord — God, — heav-en-ly King,

al - might - y God — and Fa - ther, — we wor-ship you,

we give you thanks, we praise you for — your glo - ry.

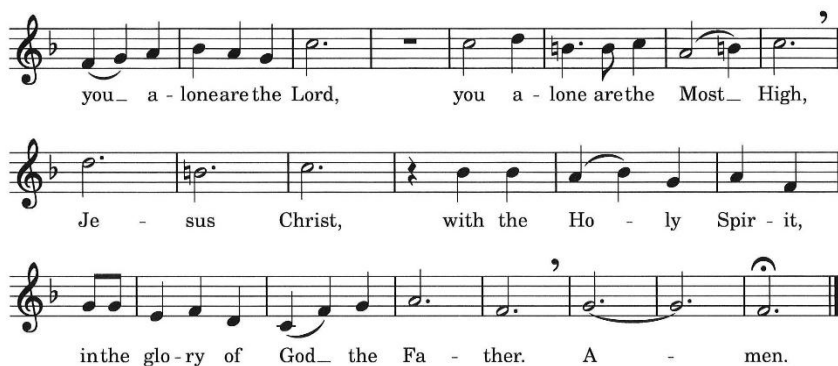
Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, —

Lord God, — Lamb of God, you take a - way — the

sins of the world: have mer - cy — on us;

you are sea - ted at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive

our — prayer. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,



COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray together.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

FIRST LESSON: REVELATION 7:9-17

Syra Bisson

In front of me, there were so many people in white robes with palm branches that I couldn't count them all. They came from every country, and spoke every language, as they stood before the throne of God and the Lamb of God. They were crying in a loud voice saying,

“God is the one who saves us.”

Everyone in heaven – the angels, the elders, the creatures – fell on their faces 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.”

Someone asked me, “Who are all these people dressed in white robes?” Then he said, “I know who they are – they are people who’ve been made clean by the Lamb of God. That’s why they worship God night and day. Never again will they be hungry or thirsty, or get sunburned. The Lamb of God will be their shepherd and guide them to springs of the water of life. And God will wipe their tears away.”

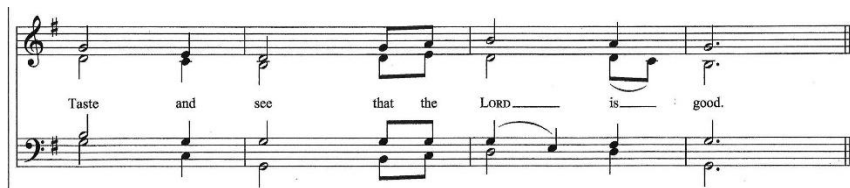
The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 34:1-10,22

The Psalm will be sung by the choir and congregation.

ANTIPHON



Taste and see that the LORD is good.

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ANTIPHON (Choir once, then all sing)

1 I will bless the Lord at all times; *
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

2 I will glory in the Lord; *
let the humble hear and rejoice.

3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; *
let us exalt his Name together.

4 I sought the Lord, and he answered me *
and delivered me out of all my terror.

ANTIPHON (all)

5 Look upon him and be radiant, *
and let not your faces be ashamed.

6 I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me *
and saved me from all my troubles.

7 The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him, *
and he will deliver them.

8 Taste and see that the Lord is good; *
happy are they who trust in him!

ANTIPHON (all)

9 Fear the Lord, you that are his saints, *
for those who fear him lack nothing.

10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger, *
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good.

22 The Lord ransoms the life of his servants, *
and none will be punished who trust in him.

ANTIPHON (all)

SECOND LESSON: 1 JOHN 3:1-3

Lorelai Santarelli

Can you believe the love the Father has for us? He calls us children of God because that is what we are. That's hard for some to believe, because they don't know God like we do.

My dear ones, we are now God's children. Who knows that is next for us? We do know, however, that we are like God and we will someday see God face to face. This hope keeps us going. 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.

The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN LEVAS #213 vss. 1,4&5

Children of the Heavenly Father



1. Chil - dren of the heav'n-ly Fa - ther Safe-ly in His bos - om gath - er;
2. God His own doth tend and nour-ish, In His ho - ly courts they flour-ish;
3. Nei - ther life nor death shall ev - er From the Lord His chil-dren sev - er;
4. Praise the Lord in joy - ful num-bers, Your pro-lect - or nev - er slum-bers;
5. Though He giv - eth or He tak - eth, God His chil-dren ne'er for - sak - eth;



1. Nest-ling bird nor star in heav - en, Such a ref - uge e'er was giv - en.
2. From all e - vil things He spares them, In His might - y arms He bears them.
3. Un - to them His grace He show - eth, And their sor - rows all He know - eth.
4. At the will of your de - fend - er Ev - ery per - son must sur - ren - der.
5. His the lov - ing pur - pose sole - ly To pre - serve them pure and ho - ly.



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GOSPEL LESSON: MATTHEW 5:1-12

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ,
according to Matthew.

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

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."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

SERMON LAUREN RIGSBY

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Father?

People: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People: **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People: **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

People: **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People: **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People: **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People: **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People: **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you cherish the wondrous works of God, and protect,
and restore, the beauty and integrity of all creation?

People: **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Keira Berry

These prayers were thoughtfully written by our Kids' Club and are in their words. In order to be inclusive, we ask that you respond verbally and with gestures to each prayer by saying:

We hold them in our hearts [place your hands over your hearts], and we lift them up to you, God [lift your hands up in the air].

Now, Let us pray

God, we pray that we each can hear and follow our calling from you so that we can be in service to those in need. We pray that all people feel safety, security and compassion in our church.

We hold them in our hearts, and we lift them up to you, God.

God, we pray that those with power keep in mind the powerless, and make decisions that benefit the many over the few.

We hold them in our hearts, and we lift them up to you, God.

God, We pray for those living in danger. That they may find peace and comfort, and that we may help keep them safe.

We hold them in our hearts, and we lift them up to you, God.

We pray for those in our community who don't have resources, those who are sick and in hospitals, those who have been wronged and those experiencing loneliness and thoughts of unworthiness.

May we make visible those who are often forgotten and may we encourage all to speak even when they feel silenced.

We hold them in our hearts, and we lift them up to you, God.

God, we pray for those who suffer, that they may find goodness, happiness and peace even in their suffering. We pray to find ways that we can ease their burden. May we use our voices to uplift their spirits.

We hold them in our hearts, and we lift them up to you, God.

We pray for the people we love who have died, that they have found joy even in death. We pray for their families who grieve and remember them each day.

We hold them in our hearts, and we lift them up to you, God.

Celebrant: Almighty and eternal God, mercifully accept the prayers of all your children. May they know they are cherished by you and by all here at Emmanuel.

We hold them in our hearts, and we lift them up to you, God.

ROLL OF REMEMBRANCE

Celebrant: At the rising sun and at its going down;

People: **We remember them.**

Celebrant: At the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter;

People: **We remember them.**

Reading of Names

Celebrant: At the opening of the buds and in the rebirth of spring;

People: **We remember them.**

Celebrant: At the blueness of the skies and in the warmth of summer;

People: **We remember them.**

Reading of Names

Celebrant: At the rustling of the leaves and in the beauty of the autumn;

People: **We remember them.**

Celebrant: At the beginning of the year and when it ends;

People: **We remember them.**

Celebrant: As long as we live, they too will live,

People: **for they are now a part of us as,
We remember them.**

Reading of Names

Celebrant: When we are weary and in need of strength;

People: **We remember them.**

Celebrant: When we are lost and sick at heart;

People: **We remember them.**

Reading of Names

Celebrant: When we have decisions that are difficult to make;

People: **We remember them.**

Celebrant: When we have joy we crave to share;

People: **We remember them.**

Reading of Names

Celebrant: When we have achievements that are based on theirs;

People: **We remember them.**

Celebrant: For as long as we live, they too will live,

People: **for they are now a part of us as, We remember them.**

Reading of Names

Celebrant: For as long as we live, they too will live,

People: **for they are now a part of us as, We remember them.**

Celebrant: Almighty God, by your Holy Spirit you have made us one with your saints in heaven and on earth: Grant that in our earthly pilgrimage we may always be supported by this fellowship of love and prayer, and know ourselves to be surrounded by their witness to your power and mercy. We ask this for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom all our intercessions are acceptable through the Spirit, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

CONFESSION - Enriching Our Worship

Let us confess our sins against God and one another.

Silence may be kept

God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. **Amen.**

ABSOLUTION

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Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

Christ is already here making peace among us.
The Peace of Christ be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The community shares a sign of peace.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stewardship

THE OFFERTORY

“Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him!” *Psalm 34*

Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and make good your vows to the Most High.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Never weather-beaten sail* Charles Wood
(1866-1926)

*Never weather-beaten sail more willing bent to shore,
Never tired pilgrim's limbs affected slumber more
Than my wearied sprite now longs to fly out of my troubled breast:
O come quickly, sweetest Lord, and take my soul to rest.*

*Ever blooming are the joys of Heaven's high Paradise,
Cold age deafs not there our ears, nor vapour dims our eyes:
Glory there the sun outshines, whose beams the blessed only see:
O come quickly, glorious Lord, and raise my sprite to thee!*

Please stand as you are able

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
 praise God, all creatures here below;
 Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
 praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.***

THE HOLY EUCHARIST - Eucharistic Prayer 2, *Enriching our Worship*

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing. You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

SANCTUS A Mass for a Soulful People

Grayson Warren Brown
 (1948-2023)



ho - ly Lord God of hosts

Heaven and earth are filled with your glo - ry,

Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Bless - ed is He who comes in the name

of the Lord of the Lord,

Ho - san - na in the high - est,

ho - san - na in the high - est.

The people stand or kneel.

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love.

Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice. Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.
AMEN.

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

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 trespasses, as we

forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

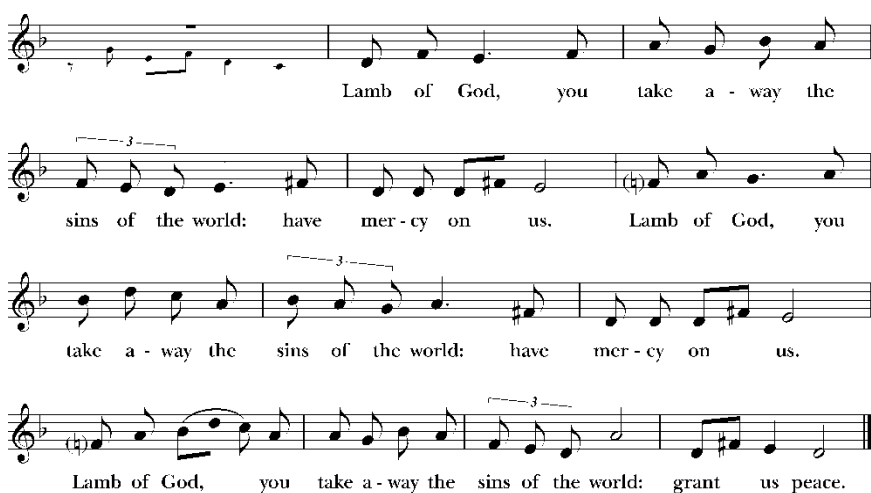
The people stand or kneel.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant: We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

People: We who are many are one body, for we all share in the one bread.

AGNUS DEI



The musical score for 'AGNUS DEI' is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: 'Lamb of God, you take a - way the'. The second staff continues the melody with a triplet of eighth notes marked '3' above the staff. The lyrics are: 'sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you'. The third staff continues with another triplet of eighth notes marked '3' above the staff. The lyrics are: 'take a - way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on us.'. The fourth staff concludes the piece with a final triplet of eighth notes marked '3' above the staff. The lyrics are: 'Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.' The piece ends with a double bar line.

Lamb of God, you take a - way the

sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you

take a - way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on us.

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

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The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ lived, died, and rose again for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

COMMUNION

All are invited to come forward to receive communion or a blessing.

Our altar bread is gluten free.

Prayers for healing are also offered.

Choir members will receive communion first.

*Please stay seated until you are invited forward by the usher,
beginning from the back of the church.*

COMMUNION HYMN # 253 *Give us wings of faith to rise*

1 Give us the wings of faith to rise with - in the veil, and
2 We ask them whence their vic - tory came; they, with u - ni - ted
3 They marked the foot - steps that he trod, his zeal in - spired their
4 Our glo - rious Lead - er claims our praise for his own pat - tern

see the saints a - bove, how great their joys, how
breath, as - cribe their con - quest to the Lamb, their
quest, and fol - lowing their in - car - nate God, they
given; while the long cloud of wit - ness - es show

Optional Interlude Between Stanzas *Ending*

bright their glo - ries be. (be.)
tri - umph to his death. (death.)
reached the prom - ised rest. (rest.)
the same path to (heaven.) heaven.

Saints' Days; All Saints' Days (November 1).

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748), alt.

Music: *San Rocco*, Derek Williams (b. 1945)

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POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Please stand as you are able.

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

BLESSING *Book of Occasional Services*

May God give you grace to follow his saints in faith and hope and love; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN #618 *Ye watchers and ye holy ones*

Unison



1 Ye watch - ers and ye ho - ly ones, bright ser - aphs, cher - u -
2 O high - er than the cher - u - bim, more glo - rious than the
3 Re - spond, ye souls in end - less rest, ye pa - tri - archs and
4 O friends, in glad - ness let us sing, su - per - nal an - thems

Harmony *Unison*



bim, and thrones, raise the glad strain, Al - le - lu - ia! Cry
ser - a - phim, lead their prais - es, Al - le - lu - ia! 'Thou
pro - phets blest, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Ye
ech - o - ing, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! To

out, do - min - ions, prince-doms, powers, vir - tues, arch - an - gels, an - gels'
 bear-er of the e - ter - nal Word, most gra - cious, mag - ni - fy the
 ho - ly twelve, ye mar - tyrs strong, all saints tri - um-phant, raise the
 God the Fa - ther, God the Son, and God the Spi - rit, 'Three in

Harmony

choirs, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
 Lord, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
 song, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
 One, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -

Unison

lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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Intern Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia!
People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

POSTLUDE Recessional on *Lasst uns erfreuen*

Alan Smith
 (1962-2017)

**Please join us after the service for Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall
hosted by Dawn Jackson and Michelle Toppi.**

This month's coffee hour recipient is Esperanza Academy.

Lessons today are from *God's Word, My Voice,*
A Lectionary for Children by Lyn Zill Briggs

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PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Celebrant:	The Rev. Brett R. Johnson
Organist & Music Director	Luca Cantone
Postulant Intern:	Lauren Rigsby
Lectors:	Syra Bisson and Lorelai Santarelli
Litanist:	Keira Berry
Eucharistic Ministers:	Dawn Jackson and Amy Walsh
Altar Guild:	Faith Hodgkins, Carol Johnson and Erin Nobles
Usher:	Nikki Nash-MacIsaac
Roll Readers:	Kim Collins, Dawn Jackson and Amy Walsh
Vestry Greeter:	Nikki Nash-MacIsaac
Streaming Coordinator:	Pete McCann
YouTube Editor:	Kim Collins
YouTube Scheduler:	Denise Mallen



*The flowers adorning our altar are offered to the Glory of God and in
loving memory of her parents, Lawrence and Mary Blake by
Andrea and Dave Sullivan.*

HEALING PRAYER OFFERED TODAY

The Prayer Team is available as a healing prayer resource at a prayer station to the left of the main altar after each service and during communion at the 10:00 a.m. service.

EMMANUEL PRAYER LIST

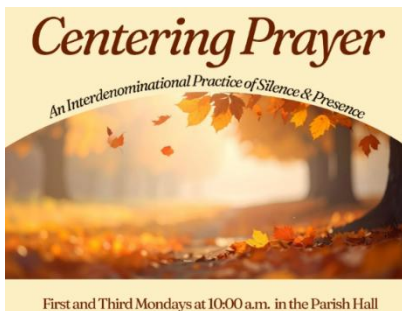
Andrew, Debbie and Evelyn Bourne, Peter Brown, Ally Bush, Lydia Cedrone, John Claya, Jacob DeCarlen-Bumiller, John DeNatale, Donna, Erica, Kristen Goddard, Michelle Hager, CJ, Ginny Johnson, Jonathan, Chris Kelsey, Kevin MacKenzie, Diane Manning, Margaret, Mark Martino, Sara Murphy, Mo Pollman, Rebecca, Carolyn and Jeff Robinson, Keith Santarelli, Sheila and Josh, Souliotis Family, Trudy, Amy Walsh, Kelly Wood, and Alan Wright.

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

In the Diocesan cycle of Prayer, we pray for the churches of the South Shore Deanery: Church of St. John the Evangelist, Duxbury; Society of St. Margaret, Duxbury; Trinity Church, Marshfield; Christ Church, Quincy; Parish of St. Chrysostom, Quincy; **and** Trinity Church, Randolph.

JOIN US TODAY - EMMANUEL TOWN HALL!

Please join us on **November 1st**, following both services, for a Town Hall at coffee hour, to learn from our Treasurer, Aimee Forsythe, about Emmanuel's budget process. Aimee will explain how the budget is created and where we are at this point in the year. Rev. Brett and our wardens will also be available. This is a timely opportunity for you to ask questions related to our budget, as we discern our pledges for 2027.



Centering Prayer:
Monday, November 2nd
at 10:00 a.m.
in the Parish Hall.
Please join us!
All are welcome!

JOIN US FRIDAY!



3rd Annual Emmanuel Gala – Auction Now Open!

Exciting news – the auction for our **3rd Annual Emmanuel Gala** is live and open for browsing! Head over to our auction page to preview this year's incredible lineup of items, with more being added every day, so check back often. (QR code is below)

Bidding opens Monday, November 2nd – just days before our gala on Friday, November 6th. Whether you plan to join us in person or bid remotely, there's something for everyone in this year's auction.

Questions? Email fundraising@emmanuelwakefield.org



JOIN US SATURDAY!



THE GREAT EMMANUEL RESET

ATTIC • GROUNDS • CLOSETS • CORNERS

We're going in.



**SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 7TH**



PICK YOUR HOUR

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Come when you can.

Leave when you need to.



GROUNDS

Rake, garden, prune, and tidy outside spaces.



ATTIC

Sort, organize and clear out. (Yes, we have a dumpster!)



HAUL

Move items, bags and the heavier stuff.



TIDY

Sweep, clean and put things back in order.



HOSPITALITY

Coffee, snacks and keeping everyone fueled.



KIDS

Kid-sized jobs, fresh air, and a free snack!

*Coffee when you arrive.
Pizza when we finish. ♥*



QUESTIONS OR RSVP?

Contact Lisa Ventura at office@emmanuelwakefield.org
or 781-245-6450.

*If you would like to give to the ministries
of Emmanuel Episcopal Church,
please use this QR code.*





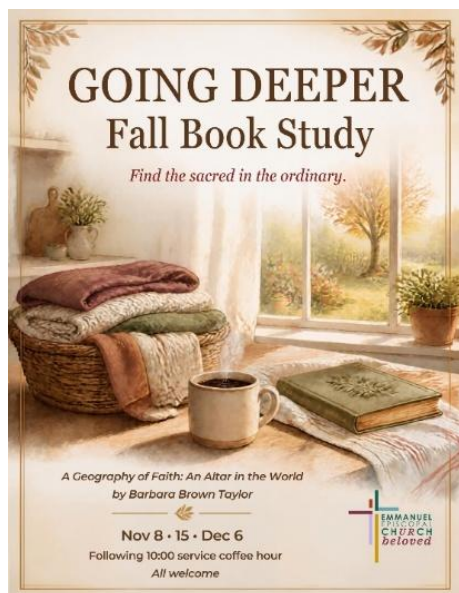
Kids Korner

Important Dates:

November 1st: Intergenerational Service
November 8th: Youth ministry after communion
November 22nd: Youth ministry after communion
November 29th: No Kids Club in Observance of Thanksgiving

Announcements:

We are looking forward to continuing our support of the Wakefield Food Pantry. As always, we will be helping to stock the pantry and are looking for ways to raise money to send to the pantry so that we can support them in more ways than one! If you have any ideas for a crafty fundraiser, please send them our way!



Please join us next Sunday for this fall's book study of *A Geography of Faith – An Altar in the World* by professor and former parish priest Barbara Brown Taylor. Our first session will be led by Dave Sullivan focusing on Chapters 2 & 3. Mark your calendars for **November 8th, 15th, and December 6th** following the 10:00 a.m. service coffee hour. -We'd love to have you join us!

NOVEMBER SOUL SUPPER

SOUL SUPPER • THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Seen, *not shamed.*

Understanding Addiction and Recovery

A conversation with Nicole O'Brien,
Founder of Ruth's Way for Women

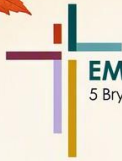
6:00 PM shared meal • 6:45 PM program
Emmanuel Episcopal Church • 5 Bryant Street, Wakefield, MA

RSVP to lventura@emmanuelwakefield.org
Childcare available
Gluten-free options always included
All are welcome

The logo for Ruth's Way is a circular emblem with the text "Ruth's Way" in a script font, surrounded by a decorative border. To the right of the logo is a stylized cross graphic composed of several colored lines (red, green, blue, yellow) intersecting at a central point.

Please let us know if you are coming by signing up on the sheet in the Narthex or emailing the office. If you can contribute something for the dinner – main or side dish, salad, desserts or drinks, please sign up on the sheet in the Narthex or by using the below QR code.





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GRATITUDE TREE

November Gratitude Tree

This November, we invite everyone to participate in our **Gratitude Tree**.

Take a moment to reflect on the blessings in your life and share your appreciation by adding a **Thank You Card** to our tree.

You may write a thank you to:

- Someone who has helped or supported you
- A friend, family member, neighbor, or fellow parishioner
- Someone specific by name
- An anonymous person
- God for a blessing in your life
- Anything or anyone for which you are grateful

Then hang your card on the Gratitude Tree!

Let us fill our tree with messages of gratitude and thanksgiving throughout the month of November, creating a beautiful reminder of God's blessings and the kindness all around us.

*"Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good;
His love endures forever."*

PSALM 107:1

*Grateful Hearts
Stronger Together*

PARISH SCHEDULE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 1, 2026

Sunday, November 1		ALL SAINTS SUNDAY
	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist – Rite I
	9:00 AM	Coffee Hour
	9:00 AM	Emmanuel Town Hall
	9:45 AM	Nursery Care
	9:45 AM	Kids’ Club
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist – Rite II
	11:00 AM	Coffee Hour
	11:00 AM	Emmanuel Town Hall
Monday, November 2	10:00 AM	Centering Prayer
Tuesday, November 3	6:00 PM	Worship Advisory Team
	7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday, November 4	12 Noon	Clericus Mystic Valley
	2:00 PM	Wardens’ Meeting
	5:15 PM	Nominating Committee
	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer
Friday, November 6	6:00 PM	Emmanuel Gala!
Saturday, November 7	9:00 AM	Attic & Grounds Cleanup
	4:00 PM	Rainbow Recovery
Sunday, November 8	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist – Rite I
	9:00 AM	Coffee Hour
	9:45 AM	Nursery Care
	9:45 AM	Kids’ Club
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist – Rite II
	11:00 AM	Coffee Hour
	11:45 AM	Fall Book Study – <i>An Altar in the World</i>

WAKEFIELD FOOD PANTRY

The most needed item for the month of November is Pasta Roni.

The cover photo can be found here:

<https://www.posterlounge.com/artists/elizabeth-wang/>



OUR MISSION:

Emmanuel Episcopal Church is a diverse, inclusive, and welcoming community dedicated to spiritual growth through worship, education and service.



OUR VISION:

Emmanuel embodies Christ's light in service to all. Here, through God's love and grace, all are accepted, purpose is found, and together we flourish.



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Please be advised that our services are live streamed on our YouTube channel. Your participation in the service serves as your consent to the broadcast of your image and voice and to the broadcast of the image and voice of your participating minor children.

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