SAINT JOHN'S MALONE





All Saints' Sunday

Welcome to Saint John's especially all who are visiting today! An audio loop system is in operation for those with hearing aids.

Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and the sin which clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

Hebrews 12: 1,2

Today: Sunday 31st October 2021

9.00am Eucharist (pg 201)

10.30am Sung Eucharist with a Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

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10.30am Sung Eucharist with Commemoration~See service booklet or below for page references in the BCP 2004

Setting: Davison

Hymn **708**

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Collect of the Day
Liturgy of the Word

Reading Revelation 21:1-6a

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Gradual Hymn 358

Gospel (stand) John 11:32-44

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Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honour and power.

All For you have created all things, and by your will they have their being.

You are worthy, O Lamb, for you were slain, and by your blood you ransomed for God saints from every tribe and language and nation.

All You have made them to be a kingdom and priests serving our God,

and they will reign with you on earth.

The names of those to be remembered are read aloud. Silence is kept.

All Give rest, O Christ, to your servant with the saints:

where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing, but life everlasting.

You only are immortal, the creator and maker of all: and we are mortal, formed from the dust of the earth, and unto earth shall we return.

For so you ordained when you created me, saying:



'Dust you are and to dust you shall return.'

All of us go down to the dust,

yet weeping at the grave, we make our song:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

All Give rest, O Christ, to your servant with the saints:

where sorrow and pain are no more,

neither sighing, but life everlasting.

Hear us, O merciful Father,

as we remember in love

those whom we have placed in your hands.

Acknowledge, we pray, the sheep of your own fold,

lambs of your own flock,

sinners of your own redeeming.

Enfold them in the arms of your mercy,

in the blessed rest of everlasting peace,

and in the glorious company of the saints in light.

All Amen.

Great Silence

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Post Communion Hymn 376

Post Communion Prayer page 220

Blessing

Organ Voluntary Tocatta and Fugue in D minor (BMV565) - Bach

Collect Two

Almighty God,

you have knit together your elect

in one communion and fellowship

in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord:

Grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints

in all virtuous and godly living

that we may come to those inexpressible joys

that you have prepared for those who truly love you;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.. Amen

Epistle Reading Rev 21:1-6a

The New Heaven and the New Earth

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

'See, the home of God is among mortals.

He will dwell with them;

they will be his peoples,

and God himself will be with them;

he will wipe every tear from their eyes.

Death will be no more;

mourning and crying and pain will be no more,

for the first things have passed away.'

And the one who was seated on the throne said, 'See, I am making all things new.' Also he said, 'Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.' Then he said to me, 'It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 146 *page 761*

Gospel Reading John 11:32-44

(At the Eucharist) Hear the Gospel of our Saviour Christ, according to John chapter 11 beginning at verse 32 **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.' When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?'

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the

dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead for four days.' Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Post Communion Prayer

God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things:
May we, who have shared at this table as strangers and pilgrims here on earth, be welcomed with all your saints to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.. Amen

Services this week

Wednesday 3rd November

12:30pm Contemplative Eucharist for All Souls' Day

7.30pm Zoom Compline Mid-week prayer. Passcodes for Zoom can be emailed to parishioners. Please contact the Rector malone@connor.anglican.org.

Thursday 4th **November Eucharist 10.30am** with prayer for those in need *A cup of tea/coffee is now available after this service.*

Next Sunday: Trinity 7th November Third Sunday before Advent 9.00 a.m. Eucharist 10.30 a.m. Sunday First



Notices:

- Welcome to all our visitors. If you need assistance with anything, please ask one of the churchwardens or stewards
- Under GDPR guidance we need to tell you that we will be recording the service and/or livestreaming today. The cameras will point towards the nave altar and pulpit and only on occasion, towards the entrance doors. Those coming to and from the side areas and exiting will be in the camera view for a short time.
- We are collecting for South Belfast Food Bank on an ongoing basis again. Please leave your contributions in the vestibule on the way in. Thank you.

A reminder about some of our in-church worship protocols:

- Please remain in your seat that has been assigned to you unless it's absolutely necessary to move out of it.
- A one way system remains in place in church as does mandatory
 handwashing at the cleansing stations on entry and exit. Masks are also worn
 during worship, on entry and exit and during singing. This keeps us safer and
 by doing this we look after our neighbour who may be more vulnerable than
 us.
- Observe two metres spacing on the way in and out of church. **Inside the nave** distancing is 1 metre in the pews. It is 2 metres in the transepts and choir.
- If you display any of Covid19 related symptoms you should not come to church. Please observe government testing guidelines and isolation requirements. If you have been at church and then contract Covid-19 please inform the Rector by Tel:028 9066 6644 or by email malone:connor.anglican.org
- If you're gathering outside please follow government guidance.
- Autumn Online Study Group A 5 week course on Tuesday evenings exploring the life and works of C S Lewis' starting Tuesday 2nd November from7:30pm-8:10pm. To register and obtain the Zoom access details email briancrowe@aol.com

All Saints to Advent Introduction to the Season

No Christian is solitary. Through baptism we become members one of another in Christ, members of a company of saints whose mutual belonging transcends death:

One family, we dwell in him, one Church, above, beneath; though now divided by the stream, the narrow stream of death. (Charles Wesley)

All Saints' Day and the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed on All Souls' Day both celebrate this mutual belonging. All Saints' Day celebrates men and women in whose lives the Church as a whole has seen the grace of God powerfully at work. It is an opportunity to give thanks for that grace, and for the wonderful ends to which it shapes a human life; it is a time to be encouraged by the example of the saints and to recall that sanctity may grow in the ordinary circumstances, as well as the extraordinary crises, of human living. The Commemoration of the Faithful Departed celebrates the saints in a more local and intimate key. It allows us to remember with thanksgiving before God those whom we have known more directly: those who gave us life, or who nurtured us in faith.

Redemption is a work of God's grace; it is God who redeems us in Christ and there is nothing to be done beyond what Christ has done. But we still wait for the final consummation of God's new creation in Christ; those who are Christ's, whether or not they have passed through death, are joined in prayer that God's kingdom will be revealed finally and in all its fullness.



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