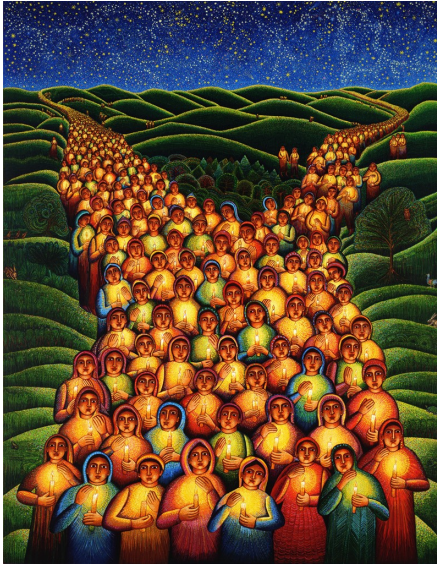




First Baptist Church

J E F F E R S O N C I T Y T E N N E S S E E



THE WORSHIP OF GOD All Saints Day

November 3, 2024

10:45am

Welcome/Opportunities for Service/Invocation

Chad Hartsock

Prelude

For All the Saints

arr. Berry

Commemoration of Saints

Litany of Celebration

Chad Hartsock and Congregation

We are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses,
looking on, encouraging us to do the will of the Lord!

**We are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses. Let
us stand worthy and be faithful to God's call.**

We must not grow weary doing what is right; As we run
with joy the race, we must run with all our might.

**We must lay all earthly things aside that would hold us
down. We must claim the victory if we would win the
crown.**

We are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses,
looking on, encouraging us to do the will of the Lord.

**We are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses. Let
us stand worthy and be faithful to God's call.****

***Hymn of Remembrance 563**

In Unity We Lift Our Song

EIN' FESTE BURG

Remembrance of Saints

Pam Hester and Representatives

Adrian Blanc (12/03/2023)

Susie Jarnagan

Gayle Page (03/10/2024)

Shannon Martin

Bob Schefter (07/04/2024)

Geri Schefter

Robert Seals (05/01/2024)

Treva Seals

Virginia Webster (11/24/2023)

Melinda Jacques

Pastoral Prayer

Major Treadway

Musical Offering

We Thank You For Beloved Saints

Choplin

Worship Ensemble

Lord, thank You for beloved saints,
the true and faithful ones
who lived their lives with love and faith,
with many a task well done.

We thank You for the memory
of those who still inspire.

When we recall their lives of love,
they stir our spirits' fire.

We hear their voices in our hearts.
They speak their message clear:
"My friends, rise up, be faithful now.
Your day and time are here."

We thank You for beloved saints
and though their time on earth is gone,
when we build on foundations of their faith;
the legacy of love lives on.

Let love live on!

Offertory Prayer

Dana Bible

Offertory

Give Me Jesus

arr. Purifoy

***Response of Thanksgiving**

Luti, OLD HUNDREDTH

For saints of every time and place
Whose lives reveal the work of grace
And give us courage for our days,
We sing your never-ending praise!

Scripture Reading

Revelation 21:1-6a

Carolyn Blevins

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 and be their God;

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.”

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

*Hymn of Commemoration 566

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

ST. ANNE

**O God, our Help in ages past,
our Hope for years to come,
our Shelter from the stormy blast,
and our eternal Home.**

**Under the shadow of Thy throne
Thy saints have dwelt secure;
sufficient is Thine arm alone,
and our defense is sure.**

Before the hills in order stood,
or earth received its frame,
from everlasting Thou art God,
to endless years the same.

**A thousand ages in Thy sight
are like an evening gone,
short as the watch that ends the night
before the rising sun.**

Time, like an ever-rolling stream
bears mortals all away;
they fly forgotten, as a dream
dies at the opening day.

**O God, our Help in ages past,
our Hope for years to come,
be Thou our Guard while life shall last,
and our eternal Home! AMEN.**

Sermon

The Saints in Light

Major Treadway

Time of Reflection and Response

For All the Saints

Williams

***Hymn of Identity and Sending Forth 262**

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

ST. THOMAS

***Benediction**

Major Treadway

*If you can do so, please stand for this portion of the worship service.

THE COMING WEEK AT FBC

Sunday, November 3

11:45am Budget Discussion/Fellowship Hall
5:00pm Youth Gathering/214

Monday, November 4

6:00pm Cub Scouts/Fellowship Hall
7:00pm Boy Scouts/Fellowship Hall
8:00pm Upper Room Ladies Bible Study/Zoom

Tuesday, November 5

10:00am Tuesday's Neighbors/Parlor
1:00pm Staff Meeting/Office

Wednesday, November 6

9:30am Community Bible Study/301
5:00pm Wednesday Night Supper (Lasagna)/Fellowship Hall
5:00pm Youth Gathering/214
6:00pm Common Prayer & Bible Study/Music Ste
6:00pm Music Makers/Room 218
6:45pm Worship Ensemble Rehearsal/Music Ste

Thursday, November 7

8:30am Men's Breakfast/Bojangles

Friday, November 8—Church Office Closed

Welcome to First Baptist Church!

Our membership is open to all persons regardless of race, social status, gender, and sexual identity and affirms our motto, “Breaking down barriers to proclaim the love of Christ.”

CHURCH STAFF

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We are glad that you are here!

If you're a guest today and would like to let us know, please scan the QR code with your smartphone camera to access our online response card.

You can also scan the code to submit a prayer request or let us know that you are interested in membership at First Baptist. Response cards and offering envelopes are also available in the pew racks and can be placed in the offering plate or offering boxes.