Tonight is the eve of All Saints’ Day, the festival in the Church that recalls the faith and witness of our brothers and sisters in Christ throughout all ages. The service celebrates our continuing communion with them, and memorializes the recently deceased. The early Church followed the Jewish custom that a new day began at sundown; thus, feasts and festivals in the Church were observed beginning on the night before. The night before All Saints (or All Hallows) became known as All Hallows’ Eve, or Halloween. Our Scripture readings tonight point to Jesus, for it is by faith in him that we step from darkness into light, and from death into life.
**Entrance**

The service begins on the Chapel steps. The ushers will distribute candles.

*Greeting*

Leader: Light and peace, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Opening Prayer (in unison)*

Lord Christ, your saints have given light to the world in every generation: grant that we who follow in their footsteps may be worthy to enter with them into that heavenly country, where you live and reign for ever and ever. Amen.

*Procession of the Saints*

The congregation will silently follow the crucifer and worship leaders inside, bearing the light with them. The choir sings from the triforium and transepts while the congregation processes into the chancel to be seated. If the chancel fills, please be seated in the chairs at the front of the nave.

*Choral Introit*

Requiem aeternam

Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine,
et lux perpetua luceat eis.
Te depect hymnus Deus, in Sion,
et tibi reddetur votum in Jerusalem.
Exaudi orationem meam;
ad te omnis caro veniet.
Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine,
et lux perpetua luceat eis.

Grant them eternal rest, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
A hymn becomes you, O God, in Zion,
and to you shall a vow be repaid in Jerusalem.
Hear my prayer;
to you shall all flesh come.
Grant them eternal rest, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.

Preparation

The Lord almighty grant us peaceful night and a perfect end. Amen.
Our help is in the name of the Lord: the maker of heaven and earth.
O God, make speed to save us. O Lord, make haste to help us.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without
end. Amen. Praise ye the Lord. The Lord’s name be praised.

Lesson

Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give
you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek
and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my
yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

—Matthew 11:28–30

Responsory

I will lay me down in peace, and take my rest.
Into thy hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit.
Into thy hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit.
For thou hast redeemed me, O Lord, thou God of truth.
Into thy hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit.
Keep me as the apple of an eye.
Hide me under the shadow of thy wings.

*HYMN 90

Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones

You may extinguish your candles.

*CONFESSION

Almighty and most merciful Father,
We have wandered and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.
We have followed the devices and desires of our own hearts.
We have offended against your holy laws.
We have left undone those things that we ought to have done;
And we have done those things that we ought not to have done;
There is no health in us.
But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us sinners.
Spare those who confess their faults.
Restore those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to us in Christ Jesus our Lord.
And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may live a disciplined, righteous and godly life, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

The minister speaks words of assurance.

*THE PEACE

All exchange signs and words of God’s peace.
**Proclamation**

**Prayer for Illumination (in unison)**

O Living God, bring us forth from death to life, so that as the scriptures are read and your word is proclaimed, we, like all of your saints, may be brought to a sure and living faith in your lordship; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

**First Lesson—Psalm 34 (OT pages 480–1)**

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

**Witness of the Saints**

St. Patrick (circa 5th Century)

**Anthem**

Justorum animae

Orlandus Lassus (c. 1532–1594)

Justorum animae in manu Dei sunt,  
et non tanget illos tormentum mortis.  
Visi sunt oculis insipientium mori,  
illi autem sunt in pace.

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and the torment of death shall not touch them. In the sight of the unwise they seem to die, but they are in peace.

—Wisdom of Solomon 3:1–2a, 3b

**Witness of the Saints**

Pandita Ramabai (1858–1922)


Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

**Witness of the Saints**

St. Ignatius of Loyola (1491–1556)

**Anthem**

Set me as a Seal upon thy Heart

William Walton (1902–1983)

Set me as a seal upon thine heart, as a seal upon thine arm: for love is strong as death; Many waters cannot quench love, neither can the floods drown it.

—Adap. Song of Solomon 8:6–7

**Witness of the Saints**

Jarena Lee (1783–1864)
*Gospel Lesson—John 11:32–44 (NT page 99)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Response

*The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in the one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Greeting and Call to Prayer

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray.

Prayers of the People

The congregation responds to each petition, “Hear our prayer.”

Thanksgiving and Communion

*The Great Thanksgiving

Musical Setting D, on page 23 of the hymnal

*The Lord’s Prayer

(All are encouraged to pray the Lord’s Prayer in the language of their choosing. The English version is number 895 in the hymnal.)
SHARING OF THE BREAD AND WINE

All who love Christ, earnestly repent of their sins, and seek to be at peace with God and neighbor are invited to receive Communion. Wine is used for Communion. You may also come forward to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION

ANTHEM

Libera nos, salva nos

John Sheppard
(c. 1515–1558)

Libera nos, salva nos, justifica nos, O beata Trinitas.
Benedicamus Patrem et Filium et Sancto Spiritu:
Laudemus et superexaltemus eum in saecula.
Benedictus es Dominus in firmamento caeli:
Et laudabilis et gloriosus et superexaltatus in saecula.
Benedicat et custodiat nos omnipotens et misericors Dominus. Amen.
Libera nos, salva nos, justifica nos, O beata Trinitas.

Free us, keep us safe and deal justly with us, O blessed Trinity.
Let us bless the Father and the Son and the Holy Ghost:
Let us praise and magnify him for ever.
You are blessed, O Lord, in the firmament of heaven:
And praiseworthy and glorified and magnified forever.
May the almighty and merciful Lord bless and guard us. Amen.
Free us, keep us safe and deal justly with us, O blessed Trinity

—Antiphon for Trinity Sunday

*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. We praise you that through this meal you assure us that we are living members of the Body of Christ and heirs of your eternal kingdom. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, amen.
**SENDING FORTH**

*BENEDICTION*

**THE SHARING OF THE LIGHT**

*The choir sings Te lucis ante terminum while candles are lit.*

Before the ending of the day,                   Plainchant
Creator of the world we pray,
That with thy wonted favour thou
Wouldst be our guard and keeper now.

From all ill dreams defend our eyes,
From nightly fears and fantasies;
Tread underfoot our ghostly foe,
That no pollution we may know.

O Father, that we ask be done,
Through Jesus Christ, thine only Son;
Who, with the Holy Ghost and thee,
Doth live and reign eternally.

*HYMN 711*

For All the Saints                   SINE NOMINE

*CLOSING PROCESSION*

*At the hymn’s conclusion, the crucifer and torches will lead a candlelight procession out of the chancel, signifying the light of Christ into the world. Please feel free to remain in the chancel for the organ postlude if you would prefer. Should you need to leave, please do so quietly and respectfully.*

POSTLUDE

Tu es petra                   Henri Mulet
(1878–1967)

*All who are able may stand.*
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