

All Saints Lutheran Church & 262-968-3322 & www.aslcwales.org The Rev. Roy Nelson, Pastor & revroy@aslcwales.org July 4, 2021 & 9:30 a.m. Worship Bulletin In-Person and Livestream

We are grateful that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. **Join our livestream worship**here

Service of the Word

Prelude

Welcome

Independence Day (Galatians 5:13-14)

It is absolutely clear that God has called you to a free life. Just make sure that you don't use this freedom as an excuse to do whatever you want to do and destroy your freedom. Rather, use your freedom to serve one another in love; that's how freedom grows. For everything we know about God's Word is summed up in a single sentence: Love others as you love yourself. That's an act of true freedom. Amen

Gathering Song

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Hymn #733

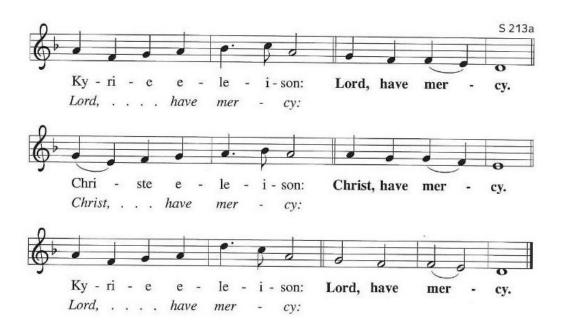




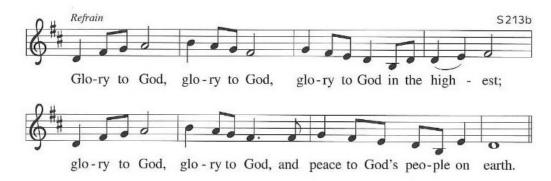
Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

Kyrie



Praise Canticle



Prayer of the Day

God of the covenant, in our baptism you call us to proclaim the coming of your kingdom. Give us the courage you gave the apostles, that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every circumstance of life, in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

First Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:7b-10

^{7b} Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. 8 Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. ¹⁰ Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong. The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsive Reading: Psalm 123:1-3a

¹To you I lift up my eyes, O you who are enthroned in the heavens!

² As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master, so our eyes look to the LORD our God, until he has mercy upon us.

³ Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy upon us.

Gospel Acclamation



Gospel: Mark 6:1-13

¹ He left that place and came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. ² On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! ³ Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. ⁴ Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house." ⁵ And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. ⁶ And he was amazed at their unbelief. Then he went about among the villages teaching. ⁷ He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. ⁸ He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; ⁹ but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. ¹⁰ He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. ¹¹ If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." ¹² So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. ¹³ They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

The Gospel of Our Lord, **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Message Wendy Quinn

Hymn of the Day

Lift Every and Sing

Hymn #841





Apostles' Creed

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, 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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

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. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

After each portion of the prayers, the response is... Lord in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

Prayer requests may be submitted by sending an email <u>before</u> Sunday to revroy@aslcwales.org.

You may also call the church office during the week at 262-968-3322

or submit a prayer request on our website <u>here</u>.

Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And also with you.**

Offering

The offering is an opportunity for us to take a portion of what God has blessed us with and offer it for the purpose of doing God's work in the world through the church.

Or click here: Donate Now

Please be sure to:

- ▶ indicate which account the money goes to
- ► click on the drop-down box to specify if your gift is a one time donation, or the frequency with which you would like to give.



Simply text the phone number 262-233-1776 and follow the prompts. The first time you will need to get set up and register your phone. For future donations, simply text 'give' to this number.

Offering Song

Amazing Grace/Our Chains Are Gone

Carl & Joan Kelly

Offering Prayer

Generous God, you have created all that is, and you provide for us in every season. Bless all that we offer, that through these gifts the world will receive your blessing. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, we pray as Jesus taught us:

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.

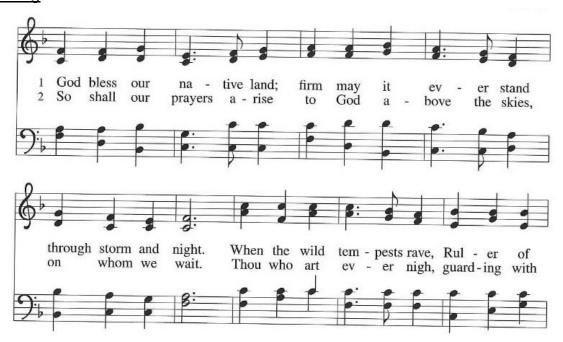
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. **Amen.**

Announcements

Sending Song God Bless Our Native Land Hymn #891





Dismissal

Go in peace, serving God by serving others.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

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Prayer Concerns and Celebrations of June 27, 2021

Dear Lord,

We bring to you the burdens we carry, and our prayers for healing and comfort. We remember people suffering around the world, amid the turmoil of political strife, and those often wounded or killed for the sake of their Christian belief. We pray for the leaders around the world that, regardless of their religious belief, the Holy Spirit works in their hearts and minds to instill a sense of freedom and justice for all, especially those who are unable to advocate for themselves. Keep those who are suffering in mind and body close to you. Heal the sick, injured and those suffering with other medical conditions. Wrap them, their caregivers and their families in your tender embrace, so that they feel the grace, love, and comfort which only you can provide. For all, we pray that your will be done.

We especially pray for:

- * Julie Mercer healing from recent surgery Ellen and Chuck Gallagher
- * Continued prayers for: Peter, Jean Bawder, Jim Mihal, Sean Kelly, Laurie & Lance, Pearl, Gertrtude, Mary Kleiman, Karen Parmen, Eileen, Mark, Dennis, Max, George, Collin, Mike, Jeff

Today, we especially remember and thank you for:

- Prayer of thanksgiving for the one year anniversary of Ben Voelkel's successful kidney transplant J
 Voelkel
- Vincent King celebrated his 4th birthday Konig family

Lord, we thank you for all the wonderful gifts which you bestow on us. Let us be a blessing to others, using what you have so freely given us... our time, our talents, our empathy... Thank you for today, and I pray your Holy Spirit continue to guide me on my journey, and that your light continues to shine through us.

Today, we especially remember and thank you for:

All of this we bring to you in prayer, confident that you will hear us. This we ask, in Jesus' name. Amen

Special Prayer
For You

May you know that God is
by your side and may you feel
His cleep tender love
with you every
moment of
every day.

These are ways to continue to support God's work in and through All Saints even when we cannot gather at church.

1. Mail your check to church (705 W. Tomlin Rd. Wales, WI 53183-9419)

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- 2. Give via text-to-give at 262-233-1776.
- 3. Click on 'donate now' to go directly to our website.
- 4. Continue (or start) your giving through Breeze, or automatic payments through your bank.