

St. Vincent UCC Live Stream Service

All Saints Sunday / November 1, 2020 Sacrament of Holy Communion



Greeting from Pastor Susan Hanson

Prelude Music by Deborah Rick, Church Musician

Call To Worship:

Pastor: Come, let us praise God together and celebrate that God is good!

People: Let us, then, be happy in the Lord!

Pastor: Let's sing together our first hymn, "O Savior for the Saints".

Hymn: "O Savior for the Saints" (# 298, UCC Hymnal)

O Savior for the saints who strove in you to live,
Who followed you without complaint, our grateful hymn receive.
O Savior for the saints who strove in you to die,
Who loved and served without restraint, accept our thankful cry.
They all in life and death, with you, O Christ in view,
Learned from the Holy Spirit's breath to suffer and to do.
For this, you name we bless and humbly pray anew

That we, like them, in holiness may live and die in you.

Call To Prayer: God calls us to follow his way of love and share it with the world. And with his help, we can do it. Let us turn to God and pray about that ... Prayer: Eternal God, we come to you and ask for your help. Empower us to act in loving and kind ways in the world in your name. Amen. Assurance: It is a blessing for us to know that, with God, all good things are possible. Let us give glory to God – the source of all power and love. Amen.

Scripture Reading: Micah 6: 6-8 and Matthew 5: 1-12

Hymn: "Open Our Eyes" (# 2086, Praise Book)

Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus, to reach out and touch him, and say that we love him. Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen. Open our eyes Lord, we want to see Jesus.

Pastor's Message: "For All The Saints" (Includes All Saints Celebration)

Special Music: Keith Patterson, Director of Music Ministry and Deborah Rick, Church Musician

Sacrament of Communion: Brief Service of Communion

Prayer List / Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer (using debts and debtors)

Hymn: "For All the Saints" (# 299, UCC Hymnal)

For all the saints who from their labors rest, who to the world their steadfast faith confessed, your name, O Jesus, be forever blessed. Alleluia! Alleluia!

You were their rock, their refuge, and their might; you, Christ, the hope that put their fears to flight; 'mid gloom and doubt, you were their one true light. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Still may your people, faithful, true, and bold, live as the saints who nobly fought of old.

and share with them a glorious crown of gold. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Ringed by this cloud of witnesses divine, we feebly struggle, they in glory shine; yet in your love our faithful lives entwine. Alleluia!

And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long, steals on the ear the distant triumph song, then hearts are brave again, and faith grows strong. Alleluia! Alleluia!

