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Our Troops: Erik Arias, Joshua Bruhn, William E. Bryant, Logan Dean,
Bryan Franklin, Joe Frank Garcia, III, Logan Petersen

Upcoming Events:

Finance Committee Meeting November 3 at 6 PM conference room



Profoundly Christian Distinctly Methodist 9-9:45 in the conference room



"The Table" Youth Breakfast Fellowship 9-9:45 in Seeker Classroom



Last Health Talk Monday at 10 AM November 3



Hondo Methodist Women meet Nov. 5 at 9:30 at Sanday Callis home



Education C. Meeting November 6 at 5:30 PM in the conference room



SPRC meets Nov. 10 at 6 PM in the conference room



Volunteers needed for Christmas in God's Country Sign-ups in the narthex
contact Cora to help on Nov. 22 and Nihar to help on Nov. 21

Worship Assistants November 2:

Rev. J. Paul Bruhn

Choir Director: Leon Steward

Children's Church: Linda Bohlen

Technical Support: Dee Willman, Roger Garcia, Tricia Boll

Lay Leader: Tricia Boll

Liturgist: Martha Galbraith

Counters: Bob Hart & Linda Bohlen

Worship Service

November 2, 2025

CELEBRATING ALL SAINTS DAY

WELCOME

GATHERING MUSIC

ALL SAINTS LITURGY (SEE INSERT)

GATHERING WORDS:

Sing to the Lord a new song;

Sing to the Lord, all the earth.

Sing to the Lord, praise His name;

Proclaim His salvation day after day.

Declare His glory among the nations,

Make known His marvelous deeds among all peoples.

ALLELUIA!

***HYMN: # 346 "Be Still My Soul"**

***OPENING PRAYER:**

Heavenly Father, we come to You exhausted and frail.

So often we are need driven instead of Spirit-led.

Forgive us for our lack of faith that You do know best and

You will lead us to places of renewal and rest.

May we encounter Your very presence in the here and now

and let us be refreshed beyond our wildest imagination.

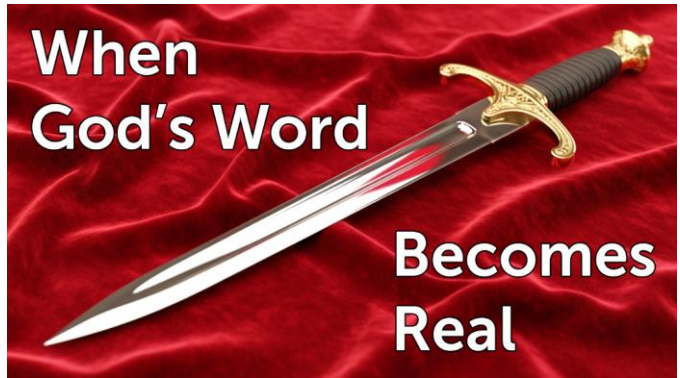
Then we can leave from here, sing Your praises and tell others

about the true source of genuine joy and peace.

This we ask in the Name of our risen Savior and LORD, Jesus of
Nazareth, the Anointed One, Your only begotten Son who lives and
reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one GOD forever and ever.

AMEN.

**When
God's Word**



**Becomes
Real**

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: *Psalm 46* (NKJV page 876)

God is our refuge and strength, A very present help in trouble.
Therefore we will not fear, Even though the earth be removed,
And though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea;
Though its waters roar and be troubled,
Though the mountains shake with its swelling. Selah
There is a river whose streams shall make glad the city of God,
The holy place of the tabernacle of the Most High.
God is in the midst of her, she shall not be moved;
God shall help her, just at the break of dawn.
The nations raged, the kingdoms were moved; He uttered His voice, the earth melted.
The Lord of hosts is with us; The God of Jacob is our refuge. Selah
Come, behold the works of the Lord, Who has made desolations in the earth.
He makes wars cease to the end of the earth;
He breaks the bow and cuts the spear in two; He burns the chariot in the fire.
Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations,
I will be exalted in the earth!
The Lord of hosts is with us; The God of Jacob is our refuge. Selah

HYMN: # 2272 *"Holy Ground"*

COMMUNITY PRAYER AND PASTORAL PRAYER

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: *Hebrews 4:1-16* (NKJV page 1835)

Therefore, since a promise remains of entering His rest, let us fear lest any of you seem to have come short of it.
For indeed the gospel was preached to us as well as to them; but the word which they heard did not profit them, not being mixed with faith in those who heard it.
For we who have believed do enter that rest, as He has said: "So I swore in My wrath, 'They shall not enter My rest,' " although the works were finished from the foundation of the world.
For He has spoken in a certain place of the seventh day in this way: "And God rested on the seventh day from all His works";
and again in this place: "They shall not enter My rest."
Since therefore it remains that some must enter it, and those to whom it was first preached did not enter because of disobedience,
again He designates a certain day, saying in David, "Today," after such a long time, as it has been said: "Today, if you will hear His voice, Do not harden your hearts."
For if Joshua had given them rest, then He would not afterward have spoken of another day.
There remains therefore a rest for the people of God.

For he who has entered His rest has himself also ceased from his works as God did from His.

Let us therefore be diligent to enter that rest, lest anyone fall according to the same example of disobedience.

For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discernor of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

And there is no creature hidden from His sight, but all things are naked and open to the eyes of Him to whom we must give account.

Seeing then that we have a great High Priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession.

For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin.

Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

YOUNG DISCIPLES

HYMN: # 624 *"When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder"

MESSAGE: "WHEN GOD'S WORD BECOMES REAL" BY PASTOR J. PAUL BRUHN

HOLY COMMUNION: PAGE 730 FOLLOW THE SLIDES

OFFERTORY PRAYER **OFFERTORY *INSTRUMENTAL***

DOXOLOGY: # 682 *"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

GREAT THANKSGIVING PAGE 731—734 FOLLOW THE SLIDES

HYMN: # 419 *"Come to the Feast"*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION **SEE THE SLIDES**

CLOSING HYMN: # 2031 *"We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise"

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

*Today's Altar Flowers are given
In Loving Memory of Larry Griffin by the Griffin Family*