

All Saints Sunday
November 1, 2026 - 10:30 am

Prelude/ Bell/ Welcome and Announcements

Opening Litany

L: We gather in the name of our triune God. + In the new Jerusalem
there will be no need of sun or moon, **C: for the glory of God will be its light.**
L: Before the Lamb is a multitude from every nation, **C: and they worship God night and day.**
L: Surely Christ is coming soon. **C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

Hymn of Light

Joyous Light of Heavenly Glory

ELW 561

Thanksgiving for Baptism

L: Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness,
let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.
Holy God, fountain of living water, source of mercy, tender and mighty, you are clothed with majesty and splendor.
Your steadfast love fills the earth. **C: Your steadfast love fills the earth.**
L: Your love flows through water, satisfying the thirst of all living things, sustaining life in this community,
nourishing and delighting us. We bless you for the gift of many local waters: *Green Lake, Lake Koronis, Lake
Calhoun, Long Lake, Diamond Lake, the Crow River, etc.* Your steadfast love fills the earth.
C: Your steadfast love fills the earth.
L: Your love flows through water, a sign of your saving power: Noah and the animals survive the flood, Hagar
discovers your well. The Israelites escape through the sea, and they drink from your gushing rock. Naaman
washes his leprosy away, and the Samaritan woman will never be thirsty again. Your steadfast love fills the earth.
C: Your steadfast love fills the earth.
L: Your love flows through the water of baptism joined to your life-giving Word: as we remember the baptism of
Leland Wendroth this past year at Nordland, we also recognize your well of mercy and cleansing flood, your sea of
deliverance from death into life, your healing river washing sin away, your living water springing up to eternal life.
Your steadfast love fills the earth. **C: Your steadfast love fills the earth.**
L: Shower us with your Holy Spirit. Fill us with your love. Clothe us and all your people with grace. Embolden us to
do justice. Bless us to love mercy. Guide us to walk humbly with you, whom we thank and praise, through Jesus
Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. **C: Amen.**

First Reading

Revelation 7:9-17

Pew Bible pg. 1921

Responsive Psalm 34:1-10,22

L: I will bless the Lord at all times; the praise of God shall ever be in my mouth.
C: I will glory in the Lord; let the lowly hear and rejoice.
L: Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; let us exalt God's name together.
C: I sought the Lord, who answered me and delivered me from all my terrors.
L: Look upon the Lord and be radiant, and let not your faces be ashamed.
C: I called in my affliction, and the Lord heard me and saved me from all my troubles.
L: The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear the Lord and delivers them.
C: Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who take refuge in God!
L: Fear the Lord, you saints of the Lord, for those who fear the Lord lack nothing.
C: The lions are in want and suffer hunger, but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good.
L: O Lord, you redeem the life of your servants, and those who put their trust in you will not be punished.

Gospel Acclamation

Word of God, Come Down on Earth

ELW 510 vs. 1

Gospel Reading

Matthew 5:1-12

Pew Bible pg. 1501

C: Glory to you, O Lord.
L: The Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

Children's Welcome Song "***Jesus loves the little children. All the children of the world. You are loved and you
are light. You are precious in God's sight. Jesus loves the little children of the world.***"

Children's Message & Sermon

Rev. Mindy Czycalla

Hymn of the Day

Blessed Are the Poor in Spirit (Tune: Come, Thou Font, ELW 807) Insert/Screens

Remembering the Saints

L: On this All Saints Day, we remember those who have shaped our lives through their love, their faith,

and their witness. We give thanks for the gift of their lives and the ways they continue to live in our hearts.

C: We give you thanks, O God, for the communion of saints.

L: For those we miss deeply, for the voices we long to hear, the hands we wish to hold, and the memories that bring both tears and smiles.

C: Hold us in our grief, O God, and surround us with your everlasting love.

L: For the promise made to us in baptism, that in life and in death we belong to Christ, and that even the grave cannot separate us from the love of God.

C: Our hope is in Christ, who is the resurrection and the life.

L: Let us remember before God those from Nordland Lutheran who have died in the past year, giving thanks for their lives and entrusting them to the mercy of God.

A candle lit for each person and the bell is tolled. Marie Deadrick, Kathee Martinson, Ruth Hanson, Joan Schmidt, Michael Ornberg, Kathy Chesness, and the countless other saints who have been entrusted to your everlasting care. *(Bell is tolled three times)*

L: God of grace and glory, you gather your people across generations into the communion of saints. Receive our thanks for those who have gone before us, comfort all who mourn, and give us courage to live faithfully until that day when grief and death are no more, and all your saints are gathered in the joy of your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. **C: Amen.**

Reflection Time *Come light a candle in remembrance of All the Saints.*

Hymn of Reflection *What Wondrous Love Is This* ELW 666

Offering / Offertory *Fragrant Offering* Screens

Prayers of the People L: God, in your mercy, C: **hear our prayer.**

Sharing of the Peace L: The peace of Christ be with you always. **C: And also with you.**

The Great Thanksgiving

L: The Lord be with you

C: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Words of Institution / The Lord's Prayer

Communion Welcome: *All who are hungry for God's love and mercy are welcome to this table of forgiveness.*

Holy Communion Distribution / Post Communion Prayer

Blessing One Another, L: The holy Trinity, Creator, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you with wisdom to welcome the reign of God, today and always. **C: Amen. Amen. Amen.**

Sending Hymn *By All Your Saints* ELW 421 vs. 1, 2, last

Dismissal, L: Go in peace. Encourage one another. **C: We will! Thanks be to God.**

Bell / Postlude

We Thank

Greeters; Ushers; Tech Desk; Reader / Communion: Youth; Organist/Pianist: RaNae Martinson

We remember in our prayers:

Nordland: Jerrod Quade, Susan Pederson, Terry Porter, Norma Heschke, Doris Nygaard

Friends: Dave & Sandy Steffensen, Carol Rohr, Bob Olson, Nick Carlson, Maggie & Michael Kihui,

Wilder Christenson, Jacob & Emily Peterson, Amanda Rosendahl

Nordland's Week

<i>Today</i> 9:30 am	Education & Fellowship / 10:30 am Worship, All Saints Sunday
Mon. 11:00 am	Memorial Service for Kathryn Chesness, visitation one hour before
Wed. 9:00 am	Christian Service Day
6 / 6:30 pm	Wed. Meal / Conf. & Education
Sat. 8:00 am	Men in the Basement
Sun. 9:30 am	Education & Fellowship / 10:30 am Worship, Veterans Honored

West Central Singers Fall Concert: Celebrating the months and seasons of Minnesota in song! Concerts will be Nordland Lutheran Church on Sat. Nov. 14, 4:00 pm and at Bethel Lutheran Church, Willmar on Sunday, Nov. 15, 4:00 pm. Tickets: Pay-What-You-Can, suggested ticket price \$15, available at the door.

Nordland Lutheran Church Annual Meeting Part 1 will be held on Sun., Nov. 15, following worship.

Dinner Theatre at Green Lake Bible Camp, the show runs December 10-14. Enjoy the show & dinner meal complete with hors d'oeuvres, salad course, main course, and dessert course. Original show written by Dave Eliason and Brian Pearson, tickets are \$100 per person. Limited quantities are available. For more information & details of the show, visit www.gllm.org/dinner-theater or call the camp 320-796-2181.