



# Camp Hill Presbyterian Church

Sunday, Oct. 30, 2022

All Saints' Day

10:30 a.m.

## Welcome!

We are glad you are worshipping with us today.

*Childcare is available from 8:45 a.m. to noon in Room 3 of the Kuhn Education Wing.  
We also invite children to use our activity area in the sanctuary.*

*The flowers are given by John and Abby Tierney in memory of their parents.*

*The rose on the small communion table is in honor of Edward Charles Barben, son of E.J. and  
Annabelle Barben. He was born Oct. 16 in Harrisburg.*

*Worship begins with the first note of the prelude – may we silence our voices and open our  
hearts, allowing the music to draw us together into the presence of God.*

Prelude *All Depends on Our Possessing* Paul Manz

Welcome

Choral Introit *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* John Goss  
The Chancel Choir

### \*Call to Worship

**L:** Throughout the human story, the Spirit of God continues to speak, in visions and voices, in images and ideas, and in all languages and all times, to all people in all places, inviting the people of God to discover new revelation.

**P:** To Abram, it came as a sign in the stars that he had been chosen by God. To Moses, it came in a sense that the earth was ablaze with God's glory. To Esther, it came as courage to speak, to act, to imagine, to risk. To Mary, it was dramatic, angelic, unbelievable – an overpowering realization that neither her life nor the world would ever be the same.

*\*Those who are able are asked to please stand.*

- L: To the disciples and a blind man, and a bleeding woman and a dying thief, and to thousands of others, it was the personal touch, the eyewitness experience of the teacher-healer-storyteller-lover – the human being they knew as Jesus of Nazareth. And the words and the life and the power of this Jesus have tunneled through tomb, flown through time and culture, and continue to live for us today.
- P: **The Spirit comes to us today in new voices and new visions and in new understandings of the voices passed on to us from yesterday. It may burn in our hearts like fire, or whisper in the silence as a still, small voice. We are here today because the Spirit speaks and we respond!**

\*Hymn 451

*Open My Eyes, That I May See*

\*Call to Confession/Silent Personal Confession

Jesus said, “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.” Trusting in God’s grace, let us confess our sin before God and one another, first in silence and then with one voice using our common prayer of confession.

\*Prayer of Confession

**Eternal God, in every age you have raised up men and women to live and die in faith. We confess that we are indifferent to your will. You call us to proclaim your name, but we are silent. You call us to do what is just, but we remain idle. You call us to live faithfully, but we are afraid. In your mercy, forgive us. Give us courage to follow in your way, that joined with those from ages past, who have served you with faith, hope, and love, we may inherit the kingdom you promised in Jesus Christ. Amen.**

\*Assurance of Forgiveness

Jesus said, “Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.” In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

\*Gloria Patri

***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, Amen.***

Children’s Message

The Rev. Stuart Seelman

(After the message, preschool and elementary-age children are invited to follow volunteers to the Little Kirk for an age-appropriate worship experience.)

First Scripture Reading (NT, p. 249)

Revelation 7:9-17

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God!**

Anthem

*Awake, My Soul, and Sing*  
The Chancel Choir

Allen Pote

Second Scripture Reading (NT, p. 124)

Acts 6:8-15, 17-60

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon

The Rev. Nancy Conklin

Remembering Our Saints

L: “They shall grow not old, as we grow old; age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning, we will remember them.”

P: **We will remember them.** (Share names aloud of those you’ve loved and lost.)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Consecration of the Blue Paraments for Advent

\*Hymn 326

*For All the Saints*

Presentation of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

*Prelude in G Major*

Felix Mendelssohn

\*Doxology (Tune: “Old Hundredth”)

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;  
Amen.***

\*Prayer of Dedication

**Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son, Christ our Lord. Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you. Amen.**

Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer

**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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

\*Hymn 720

*Jesus Calls Us*

\*Benediction

Postlude

*Toccata in d minor*

J.S. Bach

**CHPC Necrology for All Saints' Day**

Mary Beth Rickards – December 28, 2021

Frances J. Troup – February 3, 2022

Dorothy Z. Tucker – March 6, 2022

Josephine M. Romberger – June 5, 2022

Oscar F. (Bud) Lemmons – July 7, 2022

James E. Zuch – October 10, 2022

Joan S. Prescott – October 12, 2022

M. Jeffrey Hoaster – October 21, 2022

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