

**LOVE & JOY IN A “HUMBLE PLACE”**  
**All Saints Lutheran Church**  
**13350 LaGrange Road Orland Park, IL 60462**  
**Don Borling, Pastor 708-448-2939**  
**Worship 8:30 & 11 Thursday evenings 7:30**  
**Sunday School & Breakfast Club 9:45 Adult Choir 9:30**

**SUNDAY, January 3, 2010**

*Worship at All Saints is laced with quiet dignity & a spirit of joy.*

We hope your soul is nourished, being with us today. We enjoy having kids in church ... but when they are disruptive ... we ask you PLEASE TO RESPECT the quiet-spirit-and-dignity of our worship experience and your neighbor. We have a fine nursery for kids age 5 and under ... and our highly paid and moderately festive staff is anxious to care for your children. Please accompany your child to the nursery and introduce yourself to the attendant. Most of all --- welcome to our “humble temple” ... the coffee in Charter Hall will definitely enrich your life!!

welcome, with an announcement or two

*opening prayer*

Lord, it's a new year, a new day. I still have my “old ways” ... my “old habits” ... Yet, I long to walk and live with a new kind of open-ness. More open to you ... to life's miracles and moments ... to the spirits and faces of all those around me. In a world of uncertainty ... well, this morning I lean upon what is certain: you, your spirit, your carpenter-son, and the goodness of those sitting around me.

A lot has happened this past year – painful “good-byes” ... a few wrong turns ... opportunities missed. But then there has been lots of goodness, too. I rejoice in the joy we have brought to others ... I rejoice in the joy, Lord, you bring to me.

Thanks of the “moment of today”. Amen.

opening song  
“Joy to the World” ... 39

the liturgy ... page 78

readings for the day

“will my younger friends come forward?” ... kids' time

song  
“Songs of Thankfulness and Praise” ... 90

meditation

song  
“As with Gladness Men of Old ” ... 82

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offering and offertory  
*Choir anthem ----- “Ding Dong! Merrily on High” 11:00*

prayers

closing song  
“Angels We Have Heard on High” ... 71

benediction and 3-fold “amen”  
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Don and Jude and their family have been vacationing this week.  
They will return tomorrow evening.  
Thanks to Craig Nelson and Kathy Janik for leading worship today.

The ETERNAL LIGHT shines brightly today from Robin Jost  
in loving memory of Dorothy Peddycord's birthday.  
God Bless Dottie!

*Coming Up in the Humble Temple...*

\***BOWLING** ... youth bowling on Sunday, January 24<sup>th</sup> at Orland Bowl  
Sign-up in the narthex.

\***MORE BOWLING** ... Adult bowling in on Sunday, January 31 at  
Frankfort Bowl. The cost is \$20/person ... dinner, bowling, shoes all  
included. Lots of fun last year!! Tickets are on sale in the narthex.

\***CONFIRMATION** ... resumes on January 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:15 pm

\***BREAKFAST CLUB** resumes on January 10<sup>th</sup>, Team Connect to Sunrise

\***SUPER BOWL PARTY** ... is Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup>.

\*It's almost **SPAGHETTI DINNER** time! February 27<sup>th</sup>, tickets will be  
\$20 per person.

**\*CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**

January 31, 2009 --- after second service --- about 12:15, is our  
Annual Meeting. Please try to attend.

\***PLEDGE FORMS** are still available in narthex.

\***OFFERING ENVELOPS** are in Nickerson Bridge.

\***BENEFIT OF JANICE FEULINER** – friend of Marcie Jonjevic & family.  
Pick up a voucher in the narthex, and if you go to Chili's restaurant between  
December 28<sup>th</sup> & January 30<sup>th</sup>, 10% of your purchase will go towards this  
benefit.

*our humble yet festive staff*

*Debbie Facius and Kathy Janik, office administrators*

*Ed Steele, Mr. Fix-it Linda McAley, custodian*

*Craig Nelson, pastoral support Kathy Klang, comptroller*

*Mark Nussle, choir director Mike Hefter, organist*

*Kathy Ruiten, Sunday School Superintendent*