

A "dash of love" ... in a humble place  
All Saints Lutheran Church "Oasis of Joy" USA  
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Worship 8:30 & 10 Thursday evenings 7:30

SUNDAY, July 11, 2010

**Worship at All Saints is a time of quiet, respect, and joy.**

We hope your soul is nourished, being with us today. We enjoy having kids in church ... but ----- WHEN THEY ARE NOISY AND RESTLESS ... we ask you please TO REPECT the quiet and dignity ... both of our worship experience and your neighbor. We have a fine nursery for kids age 5 and under ... and our highly paid, moderately festive, and over-achieving staff is always anxious to care for your children. Please accompany your son/daughter to the nursery and introduce yourself to the attendant. Most of all ----- welcome to our church. Some of "the southland's" finest coffee awaits you in Charter Hall.

welcome ... with an announcement or two  
**HOW ABOUT A CAR WASH TODAY??? ... MAYBE A DONATION ...**  
and tell them NOT to touch your car??? ... it all goes to our kids'  
mission trip to HEARTLAND CHILDREN'S HOME next week.  
Thanks for all your support ... and thoughts and prayers ...

**opening prayer**

There are times, Lord ... like now ... when my deepest prayers have no words. Silence. A tear or two. A sigh of relief, gasping for the fresh breeze of your spirit. Today is one of those days.  
I'm not sure where my path leads ... but I know when I get to wherever I am going ... YOU WILL SHARE THAT DESTINATION WITH ME.  
There's so much I wish I could change ... bet you feel like this, too, Lord.  
More peace. More healing. More forgiveness.  
More people sharing what they have ... especially priceless gifts like time, love, courage, & strength.  
For now: I just bask in the moment of "now." Shared moments ---- with friends, strangers, with all your varied children. All of us together. I long to feel my "soul" ----- it's all I really have ... it's who I am, it's what I am, it's where I am.

I go from one thing to the next: often with uncertainty, too often with un-needed haste. Help me, in my humble journey ... to see and enjoy what & who is around me.  
A look of love, a gentle nod, just a moment ----- it's all someone might need to bring a bit of hope into their path.  
Thanks for listening, Lord ... thank-you ----- amen.

**opening song**

"Open now thy gates of beauty" 250

**the liturgy ... page 78**

**readings for the day**

**"will my younger friends come forward?"**  
kids' time

**song**

"Morning has broken" 76 (spirit)

**meditation**

**the creed ... page 85**

**offering and offertory**

**prayers and sharing the Lord's Supper**

Communion song (blue book)

710, 783, 767, 737

"alleluia, he's my savior, alleluia"

**closing song**

"Crown him with many crowns" 170

**BENEDICTION AND 3-FOLD "amen"**

*"Honor the journey ... for now ...  
it's the only one we have."*

**Beautiful flowers grace our sanctuary this morning ...**

\*from the Catalano's & Javorski's, in loving memory of Josephine Vertical.

\*from Bill Torsberg & family, in loving memory of Sue Torsberg, who died one year ago on July 11, 2009.

**The eternal light shines brightly today ...**

\*in loving memory of Josephine Vertical, from the Catalano's & Javorski's.

\*in honor of their 13<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary, from Pat & Gerry Levenda.

\*in loving memory of Sue Torsberg, from Bill and their family.

\*in honor of their 40<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary, from Ed & Bonnie O'Malley.

THANKS FOR SHARING THE GIFT OF FLOWERS AND LIGHT ... may God bless the memory and spirits of Josephine and Sue ... and we rejoice with the Levenda's and O'Malleys, as they celebrate their anniversaries.

**A FEW HUMBLE HAPPENINGS**

*"THE LOVE BUCKETS" today are dedicated to our friends at Heartland Children's Home and our mission team ---- thank-you.*

*THANKS TO OUR MEN'S CLUB for a wonderful steak fry last night.*

*The fun, the memories and spirits ---- good stuff!!*

*FUN-FESTS EVERY TUESDAY ----- 5:30*

**YOUTH GROUP TRIP TO RAGING WATERS WATER PARK.**

Thursday, July 22 ... 8:30 AM ... only \$15 ... how about that??

Friends are welcome ... but make sure they can come. Sign-up in narthex.

**WE WILL HAVE ONE MORE BRICK-ORDER THIS SUMMER.**

Forms are in narthex ... please let us know if you have any questions.

WE ALWAYS ENJOY YOUR HELP WITH ... serving Communion, sharing the eternal light and/or altar flowers. You can sign-up for these opportunities any time ... questions? ... check with our staff.

**OUR FESTIVE AND HUMBLE STAFF**

Debbie Facius and Kathy Janik, office administrators

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

Craig Nelson, pastoral support Kathy Klang, comptroller

Mike Hefter, organist Mark Nussle, choir director

Kathy Ruiter, Sunday School Superintendent