

A BIT OF LOVE IN A SPECIAL PLACE

All Saints Lutheran Church “Oasis of Joy” USA

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Worship 8:30 & 11 Thursday evenings 7:30

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Sunday School & Breakfast Club, 9:45 Choir, 9:30

THIS IS A HEARTLAND KIND-OF DAY

“Welcome – Ruth, Mike, Kristal, Harley, & Timmy”

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2011

**WORSHIP IN OUR HUMBLE TEMPLE IS A TIME OF
QUIET REFLECTION AND JOYOUS PRAISE ...**

We hope your soul is nourished, being with us today. We enjoy having kids in church ... but when they are noisy and restless, we as you **please to respect** 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 and moderately festive staff is always anxious to care for your children.

Please accompany your son/daughter to the nursery, and introduce yourself to the attendant.

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS. You haven't “tasted coffee” until you see what in store for you in Charter Hall.

how about an announcement or two??

opening prayer

I'm a bit weary this morning, Lord --- my bones, my heart, my spirit. I know a lot of this “STUFF” is far away ... but not really.

LIBYA. NEW ZEALAND. THE INNOCENTS ... being hurt. I see and hear the rash of anger ... the protests ... the price of gas so high a poor mom can't even use her car.

So much impatience out there ... the hurriedness of life.

Lord, I hunger for peace ... I hunger for us all ...

somehow ... TO GET ALONG.

I have this inner desire, Lord ---- to be an instrument of your peace. When the pace of life is too fast ... I will slow down, and walk in your gentle footsteps. When voices are loud and harsh,

I need to echo the sounds of patience and grace. When one of your children is “put down” ---- I can be the voice, lifting him up ... restoring dignity and pride.

When a child is hurt ... my hand will reach-out and heal.

Use me, Lord ... empower me with your grace ... fuel my soul with goodness and energy. Thanks for being my Lord ...amen.

opening song

“Abide with me” 272

the liturgy ... page 78

readings for the day

sacrament of baptism ... 11:00 (hymn 474)

We are honored this morning to share in the baptism of Bennett Pierce Bausa, son of Ray and Amy. God's blessings to you ... and your family!!

“will my younger friends come forward?”

kids' time

song

“What a friend we have in Jesus” 439

meditation

the creed ... page 85

offering and offertory

choir anthem: “Just as I am” ---- 8:30

prayers and sharing the Lord's supper

Communion songs from spirit book: 25, 8, 67

“alleluia, he's my savior, alleluia’

benediction and 3-fold “amen”

We have beautiful altar flowers this morning ...

*from Debbie Facius, in honor of her husband Alan's birthday.

*from Nancy Pierz, in honor of her grandson Bennett Pierce
Bausa's Baptism.

*from Michael O'Malley, in honor of his mom Barb's birthday.

The eternal light shines brightly today ...

*from the Pierz family, in loving memory of "Angel Al" Pierz.

*from Alan & Debbie Facius ... in honor of Debbie's dad ---

Tony Saliture --- working for Simmons Beautyrest 60 years.

*from "the rev" ... in honor of Kosnar's Drug Store and Liquors,
closing their doors after 54 years in the community.

***Monday --- Confirmation class, 7:15 – 8:30**

FIRST COMMUNION CLASS ... 3rd graders on up ...

Sunday, April 10 ---- please sign-up soon.

BIBLE STUDY COMING UP ... beginning March 15 ...

**Judeo – Christian tradition, the Easter story, and
the book of Revelation --- how about that???**

NEXT BINGO --- Friday, March 18 --- rsvp today!!

*Visitation for Ed O'Malley's mom --- Vi Krauss --- today from
2-8 at Zimmerman/Sandeman in Orland ... funeral service
tomorrow here ... 11:00 (visitation: 10 'til time of service).

*Memorial service for Vera Heiser --- Sunday, March 13,
2:00 here ... sign-up if you'd like to bring something to share.

**THANKS TO ALL ... for your time, support, and
contributions to our annual spaghetti dinner.**

our humble and loving staff

Debbie Facius and Kathy Janik, office administrators

Craig Nelson, pastoral support Ed Steele, Mr. Fix-it

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Mark Nussle, choir director Mike Hefter, organist

Kathy Ruitter, Sunday School Superintendent