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Season of Pentecost

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

## Call to Worship

L: Jesus said, "Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you."

Lord, as we search now, let us find you. C: As we knock, open the door to us. L: Let us know you, that we may praise you; C: and love you, that we may serve you.

## **Confession**

L: O God our King and our Maker, forgive us when we try to make you in our image; forgive us when we turn to earthly rulers for the wisdom and strength you have already shown us. Fulfill your purpose in us, that we may be your people, your temples upon this earth, your sisters and brothers in love and mercy. In trust and hope, we pray.

(Silence is held for personal reflection)

Even the Most High God regards the lowly with love and compassion. Even the perfect Christ welcomes the sinful and lost with open arms. Come, we are the brothers and sisters of Christ. All are forgiven by grace. **C: We are the family of God. Praise be for forgiveness in Christ's love! Amen.** 

Song "You Are My King (Amazing Love)"

I'm forgiven because you were forsaken I'm accepted, you were condemned I'm alive and well, your Spirit is within me Because you died and rose again (Repeat)

Amazing love, how can it be That you, my King, would die for me? Amazing love, I know it's true It's my joy to honor you (Repeat)

In all I do I honor you You are my King You are my King Jesus, you are my King Jesus, you are my King <u>July 24, 2022 8 & 9:30 am</u>

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## Prayer of the Day

All: Almighty and ever-living God, you are always more ready to hear than we are to pray, and you gladly give more that we either desire or deserve. Pour upon us your abundant mercy. Forgive us those things that weigh on our conscience, and give us those good things that come only through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

	Reading Psalm	138
	<sup>1</sup> I give you thanks, O LORD with my whole heart;	
	before the gods I sing your praise;	
	<sup>2</sup> I bow down toward your holy temple	
and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness,		-
for you have exalted your name and your word		our word
above everything.		
	<sup>3</sup> On the day I called, you answered me;	
you increased my strength of soul. <sup>[C]</sup>		
	<sup>4</sup> All the kings of the earth shall praise you,	
for they have heard the words of your mouth.		mouth.
<sup>5</sup> They shall sing of the ways of the LORD, for great is the glory of the LORD.		
<sup>6</sup> For though the LORD is high, he regards the lowly,		5
but the haughty he perceives from far away.		
<sup>7</sup> Though I walk in the midst of trouble,		
you preserve me against the wrath of my enemies;		my enemies;
	you stretch out your hand,	
and your right hand delivers me.		
<sup>8</sup> The LORD will fulfill his purpose for me;		
	your steadfast love, O LORD, endures f	
	Do not forsake the work of your hand	S.
L: The Word of the Lord.		
C: Thanks be to God.		
	Gospel Luke 11: 1-13	

He was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." <sup>2</sup> So he said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, may your name be revered as holy. May your kingdom come. <sup>3</sup> Give us each day our daily bread. <sup>4</sup> And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial." <sup>5</sup> And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread, <sup>6</sup> for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' <sup>7</sup> And he answers from within,

'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' <sup>8</sup>I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything out of friendship, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs.

<sup>9</sup> "So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. <sup>10</sup> For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. <sup>11</sup> Is there anyone among you who, if your child asked for<sup>[e]</sup> a fish, would give a snake instead of a fish? <sup>12</sup> Or if the child asked for an egg, would give a scorpion? <sup>13</sup> If you, then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit<sup>[f]</sup> to those who ask him!"

## L: The Gospel of our Lord. **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

Children's Time

Song

"Chain Breaker"

Verse 1 If you've been walking the same old road For miles and miles If you've been hearing the same old voice Tell the same old lies If you're trying to fill the same old holes inside There's a better life There's a better life

Chorus

If you've got pain He's a pain taker If you feel lost He's a way maker If you need freedom or saving He's a prison shaking Savior If you got chains He's a chain breaker

Verse 2

We've all searched for the light of day In the dead of night We've all found ourselves worn out From the same old fight We've all run to things we know just ain't right When there's a better life There's a better life

## Chorus 2X

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Offertory

# **Prayer for Offering**

L: Blessed are you, O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. **C: Amen.** 

## Apostle's Creed

All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord. who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

# Lord's Prayer

C: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be your name.

L: Mystery beyond our knowing, Yet as close to us as our breathing, in humble awe we pray.

#### C: Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven L: We pray for your vision of justice and mercy to be made real in our world even now.

# C: Give us this day our daily bread.

L: We pray for your vision of enough; enough sustenance, enough warmth, enough healing for all of your children.

## C: And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

L: We pray for the grace to let go of that which is harmful to us as we embrace your vision for abundant life, that we might follow you safely through the obstacle course.

# **C:** For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory Forever and ever.

L: Giving thanks for presence that defies definition in this life and beyond. Amen. **C: Amen.** 

## **Benediction and Sending**

L: May the God of hope fill us with the power of the Holy Spirit so that we will: Celebrate
C: Grace
L: Make
C: Disciples
L: Make
C: A Difference
L: Because
C: We are All Saints - All the Time! Amen

Hymn

"Blessed Be Your Name"

Verse 1

Blessed be Your name In the land that is plentiful Where Your streams of abundance flow Blessed be Your name Blessed be Your name When I'm found in the desert place Though I walk through the wilderness Blessed be Your name

## Chorus

Every blessing You pour out I'll Turn back to praise When the darkness closes in Lord Still I will say Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your name Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your glorious name

## Verse 2

Blessed be Your name When the sun's shining down on me When the world's all as it should be Blessed be Your name Blessed be Your name On the road marked with suffering Though there's pain in the offering Blessed be Your name

## Chorus

#### (BRIDGE)

You give and take away You give and take away My heart will choose to say Lord, blessed be Your name Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your name Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your glorious name

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L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.** 

Accompanists: Pastor Matt Schroeder, Pastor Paul Papanek Stork, Evan Bahls

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#### WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS

We are glad you chose to worship at All Saints today. We hope you find the worship service meaningful and that you feel at home with our congregation. If you want to learn more about All Saints or are looking to be connected, visit <u>www.allsaintsnya.org</u> or contact one of our staff: Darcy Gray, Office Administrator <u>dgray@allsaintsnya.org</u> Pastor Matthew Schroeder, Senior Pastor <u>mschroeder@allsaintsnya.org</u> Pastor Paul Papanek Stork, Interim <u>pstork@allsaintsnya.org</u>

#### The Week Ahead:

- Sun July 24 Outdoor Worship at 8 & 9:30 am
- Tue July 26 6 pm Young Adults at Mocha Monkey
- Thurs July 28 7 pm AA
- Sun July 31 Worship at 8 & 9:30 am

#### Visits to the Homebound

In order to ensure and increase connection with their church home, we are compiling a list of homebound members who would like to receive communion regularly in the home. If you know someone in your life who can no longer attend in-person services and would like a home visit with communion, please email <u>dgray@allsaintsnya.org</u> with their name and current residence.

In this same vein, please do not hesitate to reach out to the church office if you have a prayer request or any pastoral need. All Saints has a robust prayer partner ministry and our pastors are happy to call or make a visit in all circumstances. We are in this life together in order to support each other in our times of need. Please help us build up community as we continue to build up the body of Christ.

#### **School Supplies**

Keep All Saints in mind as you shop for school supplies. We can always use crayons, glue, and markers. A donation box is by the offices.

#### **Transition Team II Members Wanted**

Now that Pastor Matt has been called unanimously as the Senior Pastor at All Saints it's time to start the second phase of our journey toward a newpastoral leadership team. This time we will be focusing on establishing a 5-7 member Transition Team to work through the summer. Remember, the Transition Team is not the same as the Church Council or the Call Committee. The Council will continue to focus on the day-to-day activities of the congregation and a Call Committee will be established in the fall to interview potential associate pastors. The Transition Team will work through the summer with Pastor Paul to continue work on the Ministry Site Profile that will describe All Saints to prospective candidates this fall. The work will involve the following:

\*Gathering the feedback and ideas from both members of the congregation and people living in the surrounding community about All Saints.

\*Provide a forum for sharing and focusing hopes and aspirations for the future.

\*Develop a list of skills and priorities desired in a future associate pastor.

If you would like to serve on this Transition Team, or you know someone who would be a good addition to the Team, please contact Pastor Paul (pstork@allsaintsnya.org) or the church office.



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