

All Saints Sunday



OVERLAND PARK
CHRISTIAN CHURCH



Words of Welcome

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Gathering in the Light

Prelude to Worship

Julie Dean, piano

*Invitation to Worship

Rev. Lisa Setty

one: God of grace, in the beginning, you gathered us into community,

*all: **For as you said, "It is not good that the human being should be alone!"***

one: God of freedom, in the exodus, you gathered us into community,

*all: **For you heard the cry of our groaning, our desire for liberation, for new life!***

one: God of love, at Pentecost, you gathered us into community,

*all: **For you gave birth to the church!***

one: And this morning, we give thanks that you gather us into community,

*all: **A community of abundant life: of grace, of freedom, and of love.***

one: Beloved, come, let us worship God!

*all: **Let us worship God!***

*Opening Hymn

"All Are Welcome"

Chalice Praise #159

Invocation

Rev. Lisa Setty

Prayer Response

"O Lord, Hear My Prayer"

Chalice Praise #104

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Prayer of Illumination

"Be Still"

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Worship & Wonder Scripture

"The Good Shepherd and the Wolf"

Judy Nickum

a Worship & Wonder story written by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome W. Berryman

based on John 10 and Matthew 18

told in the Children Worship & Wonder room

Scripture	John 10:1-15 (New Revised Standard Version updated edition)	Nancy Phipps
Sermon	"Abundant Community"	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
Special Music	"True Colors" by Billy Steinberg and Tom Kelly	Mary Beth Boucher

THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship

Prayers of the People		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Our 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 debts as we forgive our debtors.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Response in Song	"One Body In Christ"	Chalice Praise #174
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Invitation to Stewardship		Nancy Phipps
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*Doxology	"We Cannot Own the Sunlit Sky"	Chalice Hymnal #684; v 1
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Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Communion Prayer

Words of Institution		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Communion Response	"Here Is Bread"	Chalice Praise #161; vv 1 & 3
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Remembering the Saints

SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship		Teresa Phillips
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*Closing Hymn	"This Is the Place"	Chalice Praise #160
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*Blessing and Benediction		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Postlude		Julie Dean, piano
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