Service of Holy Communion

Feast of All Saints Day (Observed)
7 November 2018
Pre-Service Music

—Stand as you are able and face the baptismal font—

P: Maranatha! Come, Lord Jesus.
C: Come quickly, Lord. Maranatha!

Entrance Hymn

Salutation and Prayer of the Day

—Please be seated—

First Reading

Revelation 7: 9-17

—Stand and follow the processional cross, turning as it passes you—

Hymn Acclamation

LSB 677, st. 2

Gospel Reading

Matthew 5:1-12

Hymn Acclamation

—Please be seated—

Homily

Revelation 7

Hymn of the Day

LSB 677, sts. 4-6

The assembly is invited to sing these stanzas in harmony

Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

P: I heard a voice from heaven saying, “Write this: Blessed are the dead who die in the lord henceforth” “Blessed indeed,” says the Spirit, “that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them” (Rev. 14:13).

P: Let us remember with thanksgiving those who have gone before us with the sign of faith, for they were created by God to offer Him praise and thanksgiving forever. He
gave them new life through His Son in Holy Baptism and nourished them in the company of His people at His holy table. In His mercy He has summoned them to His nearer presence to await the resurrection of all flesh and the entrance into the new heaven and the new earth where they will continue in joyful service of Him forever.

Now are read the names of those from and directly connected to this seminary community who have died since the previous All Saints’ Day. Bells will be rung and a brief silence will follow after each name is read to reflect upon the promises of God granted to the saints through their baptism into Christ.

Dorothy Kiehl  
Wife of late Erich Kiehl (Professor Emeritus)

Jerry Becker  
Father-in-law to Joan Becker (Technology Services)

Rev. Dr. Jakob Heckert  
Former Faculty Member

Margaret Becker  
Mother to Rev. Dr. Wally Becker (Former Director of Placement and Current Guest Instructor)

Jessie Collins  
Custodian and Friend of the Seminary

Rev. Kenneth Gerike  
Former Alumni Council Member

Magdalene Thompson  
Grandmother to Ray Foreman (Technology Services)

Geraldine Ayers  
Mother-in-law to Kathryn Gritts (Seminary Support)

Vivi Diefenthaler  
Wife to Rev. Dr. Jon Diefenthaler (Alumnus and Guest Instructor)

Helen Wilson  
Mother to Mary Jane Autry (Former Staff in Accounting)

Ruth Zwibelman Shedlofsky  
Mother to Joel Shedlofsky (Library Services)

Peter Peck  
Christus Vivit Recipient

Rev. William Schmelder  
Professor Emeritus

Delores Peebles  
Mother/Grandmother to Marla Bostic/Melodie Bostic

Rev. Dr. Charles Knippel  
Professor Emeritus

Dr. Schiko Okamoto  
Mother to Rev. Dr. Joel Okamoto (Faculty)

Barbara Schultz  
Mother to Vicki Biggs (Seminary Advancement)

Rev. Dr. Wilbert Rosin  
Father to Rev. Dr. Robert Rosin (Professor Emeritus)

Robert Spellmeyer  
Mother to Cheryl Thompson

In joyful expectation of the resurrection to life, we remember before You, O Lord, in our hearts and minds all our departed family and friends who have gone before us in faith.
Jesus, Remember Me

The assembly sings the prayer continuously as the names of family and friends of the seminary community who have died are read. As the names are read, worshipers may come forward to one of three stations, one in the middle aisle and one at each side aisle, to light candles in remembrance and thanksgiving for any saints, living or dead. Proceed down the aisle closest to you. The assembly may stand both in front of and behind the table, using all three bowls on the table. Please light your candle from any of the other candles in the bowl. Once all the names have been read, the assembly is invited to speak aloud the names of all those they are remembering this day. After the service you are invited to take your candle with you.

Dennis Dienell
(Father to Jamie Dienell)

Mary Lou McBride
(Adopted Mom for Pam Davitz)

Linda Wiehe
(Cousin to Laine Rosin)

Scott Sampson
(Father to Lindsay Bloch)

Rollo Pickford
(Grandfather to Lindsay Bloch)

Mark Gradberg
(Father to Eric Gradberg)

Dennis Franzen
(Pastor to Eric Gradberg)

Harold Thompson
(Grandfather to Andrew S. Thompson)

Helen Uhl
(Aunt to Brad Singer)

Ethel Pullmann
(Friend to Brad Singer)

Marie Fickensher-Heckmann
(Friend to Brad Singer)

Ed Fickenscher
(Friend to Brad Singer)

Elaine Beyer
(Friend to Brad Singer)

Roger Rickard
(Friend to Nathaniel Brown)

Janet Swanson
(Friend to Brad Singer)

Sandra Bateman
(Aunt to Luke Scheele)

Laverena Von Ahsen
(Grandmother to Hope Scheele)

Connie Bittfield
(Friend to Michael Duffy)

Harriet Finnigsmier
(Grandmother to Michael Duffy)

Eunice Warbelton
(Grandmother to Ryan Schnake)

Annie Schaeffer
(Friend to Ryan Arnold)

Phillip Cobb
(Friend to Ryan Arnold)

Mary Cima
(Grandmother to John Cima)

Gail Chase
(Aunt to Amy Will)

Lyla Johnson
(Grandmother to Peter Johnson)

Adaline Fields
(Friend to Adam Rodriguez)
Byron Johnson  
(Grandfather to Peter Johnson)

Rev. Monte Frohm  
(Pastor and Mentor to Nils Niemeier)

Shirley Goeglein  
(Friend to James Voelz)

Bill Dieterichs  
(Friend to Several Faculty)

Connie Marciniak  
(Grandmother to Emily Karolus)

Anna Gates  
(Mother-in-law to Donn Woolweber)

Peter Gates  
(Mother-in-law to Donn Woolweber)

Joanie Rosche  
(Wife of Bruce Rosche)

Lawrie Bertram  
(Teacher and Mentor to Álvaro Witt Duarte)

Dean Hartman  
(Friend to Colton LaMay)

L: Let us pray...Lord, remember your church throughout the world; make all its members grow in love for You and for one another. As You have received our brothers and sisters who have gone to their rest in the hope of the resurrection to eternal life, bring us at the last with them into the light of your presence, that in union with all Your saints we may give You glory forever, through Your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.  
C: Amen.

Prayers of the Church p. 159

Offertory LSB 677, sts. 7-8

Service of the Sacrament pp. 177-181
The Lord’s Supper will be distributed at six stations, instead of the altar rails, on each side of the chancel, two on the chancel level, two on the nave floor, and one in each transept. Please proceed to whichever station is available on your side as you approach the altar.

Communion Music LSB 671
LSB 675
LSB 672

Dismissal, Post-Communion Collect, and Blessing pp. 164-166

P: Maranatha! Come, Lord Jesus.

C: Come quickly, Lord. Maranatha!

Post-Service Music
The Servants of the Word

Presider: Dean of the Chapel Kent Burreson
Preacher: Professor Joel Biermann
Assistants: Chaplain Paul Sieveking, Sacristan Nathaniel Brown, Thurifer Kyle Ronchetto, Seminarians Mason Vieth, Brendan Harrell, Will Fredstrom, Thomas Gustafson, Kurt Hellwig, Michael Wilke, Álvaro Witt Duarte, Tim Evans, and Andrew Thompson
Organist: Jim Marriott

In Preparation for Communion

To Our Guests:

The Lord's Supper is celebrated on our campus in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord, as He says, gives not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord Jesus those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us. They show forth His death until He comes. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and so are unable to receive the Sacrament are invited to meditate on God's Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when divisions will have ceased.

-Kent J. Burreson, Dean of the Chapel

Notes Regarding Communion

• The campus Lord’s Supper is sponsored and hosted by the Lutheran Church of St. Andrew and Pastors Mark Hricko and Steve Miller of Silver Spring, Maryland.
• The bread was baked by Debbie Gates
• When receiving the cup to partake of Christ Jesus’ blood, please place your hand on the cup in some way to assist the server in guiding it to your mouth. Depending upon how those distributing the cup are holding it, you can either take hold of the cup at the base on the bottom OR on the stem of the chalice OR at the bowl itself on the upper part. By doing so you will assist the server and help to prevent any unwelcome spillage.
• The Reliquary (unconsecrated, additional bread) will be distributed after the service in the narthex if there is sufficient quantity. You are invited to take a piece with you.
• If you would prefer not to drink wine directly from the chalice, you may intinct the bread by dipping it into the chalice.
• If you have a gluten allergy or any other special need, please contact Dean of the Chapel Kent Burreson.

**The Maranatha**
The *Maranatha* (1 Corinthians 16:22), a translated phrase in Greek of an Aramaic expression similar to “Hosanna” or “Alleluia,” probably is best translated “Our Lord, Come!” (See also Revelation 22:20, Come, Lord Jesus!) It is an insistent plea for the Christ Jesus’ coming on the great day of the Lord. It was probably used as a liturgical phrase in early Christian worship. In the same pattern we will use it on Wednesdays from All Saints’ Day through the end of the church year and every day throughout Advent as a prayer of fervent expectancy and longing for the coming of our Lord.

**Private Confession and Absolution**
Contact Chaplain Sieveking to arrange for confession and absolution.

**Prayer Requests**
• Partner Church Bodies: Evangelical Lutheran Church of Ingria in Russia led by Bishop Arri Kugappi
• Synodical Leaders: 1st Vice-President Herbert Mueller
• Districts and District Presidents’ Kansas District led by Rev. Peter Lange
• Campus Divine Service Host Congregation: Lutheran Church of St. Andrew and Pastor Mark Hricko of Silver Spring, Maryland
• Missionaries: The Eric Stinnett Family and the Mark Rabe Family serving in Ethiopia; Kendra McNatt and Kristin Lange serving in Germany
• The Poor and Those Suffering from Natural and Man-Made Disasters: Hawaii, Texas, California, Wisconsin, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Florida, Puerto Rico, Mexico, Indonesia, El Salvador, India
• Those battling mental illness
• Those who are ill/undergoing surgery: Rev. Erich Kaelberer suffering from ALS; Gillian Bond’s friend, Trevor, battling a very serious form of liver cancer and preparing for further chemotherapy; Roger Drinnon, father to graduate student Roger Drinnon, battling cancer; Dick Jostes, staff member in Seminary Advancement, recovering from surgery for lung cancer and undergoing
chemotherapy; Elias Wyeth, infant son of Roseann and seminarian Dwight Wyeth, facing major health concerns that demand further testing; Professor Emeritus Bob Weise recovering from a lung biopsy; Maureen Campise, staff member in the vicarage office, who is on medical leave following knee surgery; Jim Campise, brother-in law to Maureen Campise, hospitalized with serious medical conditions; Rev. Tim Beckendorf, 2003 graduate and LBT missionary recovering from a serious bicycle accident while here on furlough; Shaon Shanks, member of the C&W services staff, battling cancer and recovering from surgery; Graduate Dan Merz, pastor in New Jersey, for upcoming surgery to remove a non-cancerous lesion and for his recovery; Tina Baudendistel, mother of Cindy Bunte, Food Bank Coordinator, who is in the ICU.

- Those Mourning: Vicki Biggs, Sr. Vice President of Seminary Advancement, and her family at the death of her mother, Barbara Schultz; The family of Marge and James Lucas, whose grandson, Chris, is associated with the seminary, mourning Marge’s death and attending to James who suffered a heart attack; Professor Robert Rosin and his family at the death of his father, Rev. Dr. Wilbert Rosin, a pastor, teacher, and theologian in the LCMS.

Reflections on John 11 for All Saints’ Day from Ted and Rick (dark nose) by LCMS Pastor James Wetzstein (Agnus Day appears with the permission of www.agnusday.org).