Sunday, November 1, 2020 FEAST OF SAINTS Proper 26, Year A Christ Church Cathedral Nashville, Tennessee



VOLUNTARY

Enigma Variations -Variation IX - Nimrod Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

Pre-Liturgy of the Word announcements

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

The procession from the side door to the sanctuary pausing to reverence the altar individually

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant	† Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People	And blessed be his kingdom now and for ever. Amen.

KYRIE ELEISON

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLet us pray.

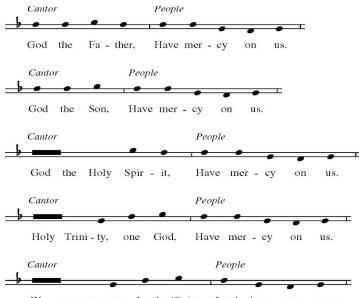
Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen**.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON - 1 John 3:1-3

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

LectorThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

A LITANY OF SAINTS



We pray to you, Lord Christ. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Saint Mary the Virgin, your holy and blessed Mother, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Saint Michael and all the holy angels, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Saint John the Baptist, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Saint Joseph, your foster-father and guardian, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With all the holy patriarchs and prophets, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Saint Peter, Saint Paul, and all your holy apostles, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With all the holy Evangelists, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Saint Stephen, Ignatius of Antioch and Polycarp of Smyrna, Perpetua and the Martyrs of Carthage, Janani Luwum and all holy martyrs, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Ambrose of Milan, Lancelot Andrewes, Jackson Kemper, and all faithful bishops, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With George Herbert, Absalom Jones, James de Koven, and all faithful presbyters, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Phoebe, Lawrence, Nicholas Ferrar, and all faithful deacons, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Athanasius, Augustine of Hippo, Thomas Aquinas, Richard Hooker, and all faithful theologians and teachers, we pray to you, O Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

With John Chrysostom, John Wesley, Charles Simeon, and all faithful preachers of your Gospel, we pray to you, O Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

With Jerome, John Wycliffe, William Tyndale, Henry Martyn, Samuel Isaac Schereschewsky, and all who translate the Holy Scriptures, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

THE GOSPEL LESSON – Matthew 5:1-12

Gospeller.The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

GospellerThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

With Augustine of Canterbury, Aidan of Lindisfarne, Thomas Bray, Charles MacKenzie, and all holy missionaries, we pray to you, O Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

With Martin Luther, Thomas Cranmer, and all who reform your Church according to the Gospel, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Benedict of Nursia, Columba of Iona, Francis of Assisi, and all holy monks and friars, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Agnes of Rome, Hilda of Whitby, Clare of Assisi, Julian of Norwich, and all holy virgins, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With Mary and Martha of Bethany, Monica, and all who serve you in their families, we pray to you, O Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

With John of Damascus, Hildegarde of Bingen, John Donne, Charles Wesley, and all who serve you through art and poetry and music, we pray to you, O Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

With Alfred the Great, Margaret of Scotland, Louis of France, Emma and Kamehameha of Hawai'i, and all those called to an earthly crown to advance your heavenly kingdom, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

With Hugh of Lincoln, Elizabeth of Hungary, William Wilberforce, and all who serve the poor and maintain the cause of those who have no helper, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the holy Church of God, that it may be filled with truth and love, and be found without fault at the Day of your Coming, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Rejoicing in the fellowship of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life to Christ our God. Lord, hear our prayer.

SERMON – The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough *A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.*

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son, he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, † and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM VII

O Lord, compassionate and forgiving, You bid us to choose between living now in false comfort or with division by walking in the newness of Christ. Keep us grounded and honest, strong in our faith, willing to bear the cost in this life for the promise of Jesus in the next. O God of the cross and empty tomb: **hold our hearts in the hands of your mercy.**

O Lord, compassionate and forgiving, lift the hearts and souls of those anointed to guide your Church through these trying times. Grant them unceasing energy to inspire discipleship worthy of Christ. O God of the cross and empty tomb: **hold our hearts in the hands of your mercy.**

O Lord, compassionate and forgiving, give us the courage to be what we expect and demand of political leaders in this world, across this country, in Tennessee and in Nashville. Strengthen us to work in large and small ways to end quarreling, power plays, personal and institutional racism, and violence that separates and destroys us here and across the world. O God of the cross and empty tomb: **hold our hearts in the hands of your mercy.**

O Lord, compassionate and forgiving, we *pause* in this moment to remember all who have suffered for the sake of conscience; save them from despair and give us grace that our society may be cleansed and strengthened. O God of the cross and empty tomb: **hold our hearts in the hands of your mercy.**

O Lord, compassionate and forgiving, comfort and help all who are seriously ill, struggling with addiction, or experiencing homelessness, and grant an extra blessing on all who provide support and assistance. For all in need of comfort, companionship, and healing, especially *Susan, Geoffrey, Patti, Tom, Rachel, Laura, John, Kadijah, Tallu, Madeline, Sage, Paul, Marion, Debbie, Peter, Sophia, Joe, Gilbert, Jeff, Geoffrey, Delores, Eules*, and *Joe.* O God of the cross and empty tomb: hold our hearts in the hands of your mercy.

O Lord, we give thanks for *George Joseph Osbourne*, son of *Elizabeth and Anthony Osbourne* baptized on Oct. 28 O God of the cross and empty tomb: **hold our hearts in the hands of your mercy.**

O Lord, compassionate and forgiving, we for the faithful departed, for the repose of their souls and the consolation of their families. We pray especially *Ruth Carolyn Taylor Rock*, mother of *Randy Rock*, mother-in-law of *Ruth Rock*, grandmother of *Daniel, Joseph*, and *Mimi Rock* O God of the cross and empty tomb: **hold our hearts in the hands of your mercy.**

Celebrant: O Lord, our God, rescue us from the desert of denial, open our eyes to the wellspring of the Spirit, awaken our hearts to live first for Christ, and compel us to walk without shame or fear in your light and love. We ask this in the name of Christ Jesus, the Sin-Bearer; and in the name of the Holy Spirit, the Fount of all Wisdom; who together with you are One God, now and forever. **Amen.**

CONFESSION OF SIN AND ABSOLUTION

Then the Deacon says Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Deacon and People Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive † you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen**.

THE PEACE

A reading of the names of the Christ Church Cathedral faithful departed will follow the Offertory Anthem and will include those buried in the columbarium and those buried from Christ Church Cathedral during the past year.

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION



Touch or scan the QR code above to leave your tithe and offering this morning. You may also text "CCCNash" to 73256 to give using your mobile phone.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Celebrant	Lift up your hearts.
People	We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People	It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Then, facing the Holy Table, Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

The Celebrant then says the Proper Preface

Celebrant and People Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed † is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel.

Then the Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior

and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life. *At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it or lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.*

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." †

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." †

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

The Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. † Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with the ever-blessed Virgin Mary and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN**.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept

Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following invitation

The Gifts of God for the People of God. † Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The Sacrament is distributed.

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

DISMISSAL

VOLUNTARY

Music for a Festival

Calvin Hampton (1938-1984)

Gifts for Music at All Saints have been given to the glory of God, and

in memory of Andy Grimes, by Edward and Betty Thackston

in thanksgiving for the life of Tula Standbrook, by Susan Standbrook

in loving memory of their parents, Webster and Mary Allen and Thomas and Ruth Snow, by George and Mavis Allen

in loving memory of Mary Margaret and Jack Farringer, by their daughter Jill Farringer Meese

in loving memory of Andrew Grimes, by Betty Grimes and their daughters, Julie, Betsy, Marie, and Anna

in memory of Father Norman Bray, by Millie, Emilyanne, and Elizabeth Mathis

in memory of Frances and Hal Durham, by Laura and David Duncan

in thanksgiving for Cathedral Clergy and staff and their tireless work to keep our church family united through worship and community

in memory of Carrie Teaford, by Jeremy Teaford

in memory of Tom DePauw, by Carol and Carrie DePauw

in thanksgiving for Canon Dr. Michael Velting and the Christ Church Cathedral Choir, by Louise Watkins

in loving memory of Ann and Henry Hopton, Virginia and Jack Hopton, by Amy Richardson

in memory of Mary Ann Long, beloved daughter of Patti West, and sister of Campbell West

Gifts of Flowers at All Saints have been given to the glory of God, and

in loving memory of Caroline and Don Hall, by Joshua, Lauren, and Rosemary Hall

in honor of those marginalized by society and those relegated to second class church membership in the diocese, by Charles Sullivan

in loving memory of their son Brady and in honor of their daughter Ellison, by Molly and David Williams

in loving memory of John D. Meece, by Beverly Meece

in loving memory of Ed Womack, by Tish Womack

in loving memory of her parents, James and Madeline Jordan, by Desaree Welch

in loving memory of Kurt Benz, Franklin Brooks, Bob Dobson, Tim Gay, Clay Isaacs, Melissa Lang, Lee Minton, Jim Rinker, Dennis Rose, and Barbara Schneider, by John Auston Bridges

2021 ANNUAL GIVING DRIVE

The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.

-John 1:5

We acknowledge with gratitude those who have recorded a pledge for the 2021 Annual General Fund Pledge Drive.

Pledgers for October 23-28, 2020

Louisa and Joe Altman		
John Bridges		
Mary Lea and Rick Bryant		
Abigail and John Butorac		
Katie and Dave Cour		
Ellen and Townes Duncan		
Terri and Jason Edwards		
Ellie and Brady Fulton		
Joe Giles		
Rebecca and Joe Ingle		
Thao and Chris King		
Sheri Sellmeyer and Barry Kolar		
Jere Lane		

Melanie and Bill Leader Judy and Bill Maxfield Maggie and Mike Meyer Ophelia and George Paine Jan Pate Mary and Ken Richards Georgianna Russell Lissa Smith & Edwin Williamson Charles Sullivan Jeremy Teaford Lisa and Ray Waddle Tish Womack

WORSHIP LEADER AND PREACHER The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, *Dean and Rector*

MUSICIAN Canon Dr. Michael Velting, Organist and Choirmaster

SACRISTAN Susan Hudson

Susan Thusson

LECTOR Jill Meese

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