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Suuri kiitos! Thank you!

Seattle Finnish Lutheran Church

November 1, 2026 at 10 am



Pastor: Marita Toivonen
Music Director: Maria Männistö
Readers: Markku Powers and Eila Winter
Zoom Technician: Ilkka Lähdesmäki
Coffee team: FLC Council

FI Hymnal of Evangelical Lutheran Church of Finland
LBW Lutheran Book of Worship (the green book)
ELW Evangelical Lutheran Worship (the red book)
WOV With One Voice (the blue book)

All Saints Sunday

GATHERING - JOHDANTO

PRELUDE – ALKUMUSIIKKI
WELCOME – TERVETULOA

OPENING HYMN – ALKUVIRSI FI 555 *Oi Herra, luoksein jää*

GREETING - TERVEHDYS
P Isän ja Pojan ja Pyhän Hengen nimeen.
(In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit)
C Amen, amen, amen.
P Herra olkoon teidän kanssanne. *(The Lord be with you)*
C Niin myös sinun henkesi kanssa. *(So also with you)*

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS – YHTEINEN RIPPI
Introduction to the Confession – Johdanto rippiin

The Prayer for Forgiveness – Anteeksipyynnön rukous
Holy God,
we confess that we have trusted in our preparation
instead of your invitation.
We prioritize our piety over care for your beloved.
We trust the voice of our shame and fear,
which keeps us from entering fully
into relationship with you and others.
We are not awake to the coming of your reign.
Rouse us and rescue us,
that we may enter into your joy.
Amen.

The Words of Forgiveness – Anteeksiannon sanat

HYMN OF PRAISE – KIITOSVIRSI WOV 764 *Blest Are They*

PRAYER OF THE DAY – PÄIVÄN RUKOUS

WORD - SANA

1st BIBLE READING – 1. LUKUKAPPALE
MUSIC FOR MEDITATION – VASTAUSMUSIIKKI
2nd BIBLE READING – 2. LUKUKAPPALE

HYMN OF THE DAY FI 516 *Kuulkaa, keitä Mestari*

THE GOSPEL - EVANKELIUMI
MESSAGE – SAARNA
CREED - USKONTUNNUSTUS

HYMN – VIRSI FI 146 *Rauhan saivat pyhät Herran*

COMMON PRAYER - YHTEINEN ESIRUKOUS

MEMORIAL VIDEO – MUISTOVIDEO

THE LORD'S PRAYER - ISÄ MEIDÄN

SENDING – PÄÄTÖS

CLOSING HYMN – PÄÄTÖSVIRSI WOV 690 *Shall We Gather at the River*

BLESSING – SIUNAUS

ANNOUNCEMENTS - ILMOITUKSET
POSTLUDE – PÄÄTÖSMUSIIKKI

Coffee and refreshments

BIBLE TEXTS

First Reading: Revelation 7:9-17

9 After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. 10 They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

"Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne and to the Lamb!"

11 And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, 12 singing,

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom
and thanksgiving and honor
and power and might
be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

13 Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" 14 I said to him, "Sir, you are the one who knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

15 For this reason they are before the throne of God
and worship him day and night within his temple,
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.
16 They will hunger no more and thirst no more;
the sun will not strike them,
nor any scorching heat,
17 for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-3

1 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. 2 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. 3 And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

1 When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. 2 And he began to speak and taught them, saying:

3 "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
4 "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
5 "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
6 "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
7 "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.
8 "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
9 "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
10 "Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
11 "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. 12 Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ,
his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again 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.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
And deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and forever.
Amen.

Apostolinen uskontunnustus

Minä uskon Jumalaan,
Isään, Kaikkivaltiaaseen,
taivaan ja maan Luojaan,
ja Jeesukseen Kristukseen,
Jumalan ainoaan Poikaan, meidän Herraamme,
joka sikisi Pyhästä Hengestä,
syntyi neitsyt Mariasta,
kärsi Pontius Pilatuksen aikana,
ristiinnaulittiin, kuoli ja haudattiin,
astui alas tuonelaan,
nousi kolmantena päivänä kuolleista,
astui ylös taivaisiin,
istuu Jumalan, Isän, Kaikkivaltiaan, oikealla puolella
ja on sieltä tuleva tuomitsemaan eläviä ja kuolleita,
ja Pyhään Henkeen,
pyhän, yhteisen seurakunnan,
pyhäin yhteyden,
syntien anteeksiantamisen,
ruumiin ylösnousemisen
ja iankaikkisen elämän.

Isä meidän -rukous

Isä meidän, joka olet taivaissa.
Pyhitetty olkoon sinun nimesi.
Tulkoon sinun valtakuntasi.
Tapahtukoon sinun tahtosi,
myös maan päällä niin kuin taivaassa.
Anna meille tänä päivänä meidän jokapäiväinen leipämme.
Ja anna meille meidän syntimme anteeksi,
niin kuin mekin anteeksi annamme niille,
jotka ovat meitä vastaan rikkoneet.
Äläkä saata meitä kiusaukseen,
vaan päästä meidät pahasta.
Sillä sinun on valtakunta ja voima ja kunnia iankaikkisesti.
Aamen.