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If you'd like to join us for Sunday worship service live, please go to our Facebook page or YouTube and connect with the following link:

<http://upc-superior.com/youtube>

Please feel free to place any questions you may have by replying in the comments section (YouTube), or contact the church office by phone or email and request to be added to our email list.

PRAYER REQUEST

The Pastor is always glad to share prayer requests during the Prayer Time during each worship service. You can share a prayer request online in the comments section (YouTube) and by contacting the church by email or phone.

The Prayer Chain may be activated by calling
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Dean Hecht at 715-398-6532.

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Online Worship

***Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time &
All Saints***

November 6th, 2022

10:00 a.m.

If you are joining us online, please light a candle to remind yourself of the presence of God.

* Please rise in body or spirit

If the text is bolded, everyone is invited to say the words in unison

PRELUDE Alex Sandor
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***INTROIT O Lord, Our Lord, How Majestic is Your Name (2x) #613**

***CALL TO WORSHIP (Adapted from Psalm 144)**

One: Blessed be the Lord, our rock.

All: O Lord, what are humans that you regard them, or mortals that you think of them?

One: They are like a breath; their days are like a passing shadow.

All: Stretch out your hand from on high; set us free and rescue us from the mighty waters.

One: Let us sing new songs to God.

All: May our sons in their youth be like plants full grown, our daughters like corner pillars, cut for the building of a palace.

One: May our refrigerators and pantries be filled with produce of every kind.

All: Happy are the people to whom such blessings fall; happy are the people whose God is the Lord.

PRAYER OF ADORATION & CONFESSION

One: O Lord, our God.

All: How majestic is your name in all the earth! Thank you for the gift of resurrection. Thank you for the promise of new life. Thank you that we can say: "O Death, where is your sting? O pain, where is your victory?" We confess that there are times where we do not live the resurrection reality. Sometimes, we are offensive, mean, and aggressive. We confess that we often feel defeated in the face of death. Forgive us. Help us to believe in and live out the power of the resurrection. In the name of Christ, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: ...Witness and believe the good news of the Gospel: because of Christ's birth, life, death, and especially his resurrection...

All: We are all forgiven. Amen.

***PASSING THE PEACE & MAKING AMENDS**

One: The peace of Christ be with you...

All: And also with you!

You are invited to bless those around you or in the comments section. Say hello to one another. In person please minimize contact.

RESPONSE (Choir will lead, congregation responds)

I've Got Peace Like a River #623

Children may come forward during this song for Time with Children.

TIME WITH CHILDREN Laura Foote

BELL CHOIR Immortal Invisible

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Old Testament Reading

**Dustin Anderson
Haggai 1:15b-2:9**

SERMON "Questions That Miss The Point & Levirate Law: Resurrection"

New Testament Reading

**Rev. Brett M Foote
Luke 20:27-38**

***NICENE CREED**

One: Let us affirm our faith together.

All: 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, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. 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, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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.

***HYMN** We Praise You, O God #612

OFFERING

MOMENT FOR MISSION

OFFERTORY

Alex Sandor

***RESPONSE Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow #609**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God all creatures, here below.

Alleluia, alleluia! Praise God, in Jesus fully known:

Creator, Word, and Spirit one.

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

PRAYER OVER OFFERING

One: Let us bless these gifts.

All: God of the resurrection, we offer all our gifts to you: Our lives, our passions, and more. Bless these tithes and offerings. Bless our lives with clarity as we serve and love alongside our neighbors for the betterment of our community. May we be good stewards of your gifts and may we be loving neighbors. May all those who have been pushed aside find in us good friends and companions on the journey. In each and

every gift we give, whether it be time, talents, or treasures, may we reflect Christ to others. May we live resurrection lives. Help us to connect with, serve, and care for our community so that the Twin Ports, and the surrounding areas may know endless and boundless life. In the name of the Holy Trinity, Amen.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to Holy Communion

COMMUNION HYMN **I Come With Joy** **#515**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to God.

One: Let us give thanks to God most High.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

One: Thanks and praise to you, O God, creator and lover of the universe.

You created all that was; you nurture all that is; you imagine all that will be.

You are the pattern of community, Three-in-One God of mercy. From the beginning of time, you have created us for relationship with one another, with the earth, and with you.

When we reject your call to community, choosing isolation over partnership and brokenness over healing,

you call us back, again and again, with words of grace and the promise of new life.

Remembering that we are not alone at this table, we join our voices with all the saints who pray this prayer you taught your disciples...

LORD'S PRAYER

All: 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. Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the glory and the power, forever. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Sharing the Bread and Cup

You are invited to participate in this sacrament regardless of age, church affiliation, or location. We invite you to use what elements you have near you at home, preferably bread and grape juice. Please do not let having those specific items preclude you from participating in this sacrament. Please use what is available. At home we invite you to serve one another or yourself using the words "The Bread of Heaven" for the bread and "The Cup of Salvation" for the juice in whatever form they take after the pastor has spoken the words of institution. Here at the church we invite you to take your individual elements as you come into the church, and follow the above pattern.

REMEMBRANCES—ALL SAINTS

One: In life and in death, we belong to you, our Alpha and Omega.

All thanks and praise to you, O God, Holy Three-in-One, now and forever.

All: Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

One: Let us give thanks.

All: With this bread of life and cup of salvation, O God, You have brought us into Christ's presence, united us with Him, and bound us to each other. Now send us out, empowered by Your Holy Spirit, that we may be Your light and love in the world. Amen.

Prayers to be Shared Please email or call the church with your prayer requests or share them in the comments section. (YouTube)

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

***CLOSING HYMN**

For All the Saints

#326

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

Alex Sandor



THE LORD'S SUPPER is open to all Christians. Celebrating the Eucharist is not a right conferred upon the worthy, but a privilege given to the undeserving who come in curiosity, faith, repentance, and love. In preparing to be brought into the presence of Christ in this Sacrament, the person confesses sin and brokenness, seeks reconciliation with God and neighbor, and trusts in Jesus Christ for cleansing and renewal. Even one who doubts, or whose trust is wavering, comes to the Table to be assured of God's love and grace in Jesus Christ.

All Saint's Day
November 1, 2021 – October 31, 2022

Today we remember those members of the church who have entered the Church Triumphant in the past twelve months.
We also remember your family members and friends who have passed away in the last year.

Vora Lindberg

Member of the church

Joe Hartnett

Member of the Church

Judie Strandberg

Neighbor of Cathy and Dean
Hecht, former First Pres.
Secretary

Delaney O'Malley

Niece of Connie Noble

Tim Bergstrom

Member of the church
Husband of Debbie Bergstrom

Leroy Forslund

Member of the church

Henry and Lois Schlacks

Parents of Eric Schlacks

Andy Lisak

Brother of Tom Lisak

Carol Mead

Member of the church

Mabel Williams

Member of the church

Ralph Davis

Father of Deborah Schlacks

Arlene Eaton

Mother to Beth Lisak

Don Corbin

Member of the church

Eileen Olson

Member of the church

Dorothy Radcliff

Cousin of the Hechts

Sami Jo Roske

Family Friend of Lisak Family

Randy Axt

Member of the church

Don Treagle

Husband of Jane Wester

Bud and Doris Farmer

Parents of Phyllis Flaherty
Former members of First Pres.

Richard (Dick) Parish

Member of the church

Chuck Olson

Son of Eileen and Lloyd Olson

Dave Okash

Brother of Bob Okash

Helzen Blair

Member of the church
Mother of Karen (Blair) Slattery

Ann Fox

Friend of Cathy and Dean
Hecht

Delores Pananen

Sister of Cliff Pananen

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Haggai 1:15b-2:9

on the twenty-fourth day of the month, in the sixth month. In the second year of King Darius, in the seventh month, on the twenty-first day of the month, the word of the Lord came by the prophet Haggai, saying: Speak now to Zerubbabel son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and to Joshua son of Jehozadak, the high priest, and to the remnant of the people, and say, Who is left among you that saw this house in its former glory? How does it look to you now? Is it not in your sight as nothing? Yet now take courage, O Zerubbabel, says the Lord; take courage, O Joshua, son of Jehozadak, the high priest; take courage, all you people of the land, says the Lord; work, for I am with you, says the Lord of hosts, according to the promise that I made you when you came out of Egypt. My spirit abides among you; do not fear. For thus says the Lord of hosts: Once again, in a little while, I will shake the heavens and the earth and the sea and the dry land; and I will shake all the nations, so that the treasure of all nations shall come, and I will fill this house with splendour, says the Lord of hosts. The silver is mine, and the gold is mine, says the Lord of hosts. The latter splendour of this house shall be greater than the former, says the Lord of hosts; and in this place I will give prosperity, says the Lord of hosts.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Luke 20:27-38

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him and asked him a question, 'Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her.'

Jesus said to them, 'Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die any more, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive.'

United Presbyterian Church Weekly Calendar

SUNDAY 11/6

- 8:45 AM Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 10:00 AM Morning Worship
- 10:15 AM Children's Church
- Coffee Hour—Family of Mabel Williams
- 11:30 AM Confirmation
- 11:45 AM Get To Know UPC Class
- 6 PM Boy Scouts

MONDAY 11/7

- 1 PM Mabel Williams' Visitation
- 2 PM Mabel Williams' Funeral with light refreshments to follow
- 4 PM Piano Lessons
- 6 PM Cub Scouts
- 7:30 PM Piano Lessons

TUESDAY 11/8

- 3:45 PM Piano Lessons
- 4 PM Pickleball
- 4:45 PM CYF Committee

WEDNESDAY 11/9

- 12 PM Staff Meeting
- 2-6 PM CSA Pickup
- 3:45 PM Piano Lessons
- 6:30 PM Personnel Committee

THURSDAY 11/10

- 5 PM Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 6 PM Youth Room in use
- 6 PM Buildings and Grounds
- 7 PM AA Meeting

FRIDAY 11/11

Building in use

SATURDAY 11/12

Building in use

Birthdays This Week

- 11/9 Ian McCumber
- 11/10 Nathan Anderson
- 11/10 Kathy Mehr Jensen
- 11/10 Mary Kay Coone
- 11/12 Piper Carswell

LOOKING AHEAD

November 20
November 24-25
December 4

Hanging of the Greens
Office Closed
DS3 Concert

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CURRENT COVID PROCEDURES

We are currently encouraging masking. There is no longer a hiatus on eating together.

Session will continue to monitor the situation through the Public Health Department of Douglas County.

LITURGIST & COFFEE HOUR SIGN UP

There are two sign up sheets at the back of the Narthex, one to sign up to host our coffee hours following the service, and one where you can sign up to be a liturgist during our Sunday worship services. These are both great opportunities to get involved with the church!

NURSERY AVAILABILITY

Our nursery is staffed 15 minutes before the service begins for children who are newborn through 4 years old. Stop by the Nursery and meet Iris, our Nursery Coordinator and her volunteer assistants. Once checked in, your young ones can play in a safe environment during worship.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

After the Time with Children portion of our service, children ages 5 through 5th grade are invited to Children's Church! This is a time designed specifically for our young ones to learn and grow in their faith. Children's Church takes place in the Youth room, which is next to the Nursery.

SECOND SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY

Every second Sunday of the month there is a Bible study for our high school students. We will meet in the Youth room after the service. Don't worry, we'll have snacks for any grumbling bellies. Our next one will be on November 13.

COME JOIN US!

The Bell Choir is looking for a new member. If you would like to join this great group, please contact Jane. Also, the Chancel Choir has empty seats. We'd love to fill them all and add more. Please give it a try. Show up for practice at 8:45 Sunday morning!

INCLUSIVE CARE UNIT

We are currently accepting: **mittens, hats, scarves, hand warmers, coats, toiletry items (toothbrushes, toilet paper, bars of soap, etc.), and non-liquid, sealed food items.** Please bring donations in during office hours or on Sunday morning. *Thank you for your donations!*

VOLLEYBALL

We had 10 for volleyball on Sunday. Our MVP was Jeff Olson, and Jay had 2 blocks.

Volleyball History: Volleyball was invented in Massachusetts in 1895

There will be no Volleyball today!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FELLOWSHIP AND OUTREACH NEWS

Every Tuesday- Pickleball from 4-6 PM

Every Sunday- Volleyball from 6-7:30 PM

November 6th, 13th, 20th, and 27th- Pictures for Church Directory
Would you like a family or individual photo to be included in our church directory? The Fellowship and Outreach Committee is excited to announce that we will have a photographer, Jane Wester, available to snap your picture after church each Sunday in November. The best part is it is entirely free.

December 4th- We are equally thrilled to announce that DS3 will be at the church to perform a Christmas Concert on December 4th at 4:00 PM. DS3 features three talented musicians from Superior, Alex Sandor, Amy Eichers, and Dr. Erin Aldridge. Mark your calendars because this free concert is an event you will not want to miss!

THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who participated in this year's Fall Fling Bazaar! Whether you helped set up, baked or crafted goods to donate, or shopped on Saturday, we appreciate the support on all fronts. Thank you!

LET'S MAKE A DEAL

Let's make a deal! Leftover items from our Fall Fling Bazaar will be sold **NEXT SUNDAY**, November 13th.

DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN DONATE ONLINE?

At United Presbyterian Church, we offer many opportunities to give of yourself to glorify God. From signing up to volunteer to donating financially, if you'd like to support the mission and vision of the church you can do so at the following link:

<https://www.upc-superior.com/donate>

613 O Lord, Our Lord

How Majestic Is Your Name

O Lord, our Lord, how ma-jes-tic is your name in all the

1 earth. O earth. O Lord, we praise your name. O

Lord, we mag-ni-fy your name: Prince of Peace, might-y

God; O Lord God Al-might-y.

623 I've Got Peace like a River

1 I've got peace like a riv-er; I've got peace like a
 2 I've got joy like a foun-tain; I've got joy like a
 3 I've got love like an o-cean; I've got love like an

1 riv-er; I've got peace like a riv-er, in my
 foun-tain; I've got joy like a foun-tain, in my
 o-cean; I've got love like an o-cean, in my

2 soul. I've got riv-er, in my soul.
 soul. I've got foun-tain, in my soul.
 soul. I've got o-cean, in my soul.

We Praise You, O God 612

1 We praise you, O God, our Re - deem - er, Cre - a - tor;
 2 We wor - ship you, God of our fa - thers and moth - ers;
 3 With voic - es u - nit - ed our prais - es we of - fer

in grate - ful de - vo - tion our trib - ute we bring.
 through tri - al and tem - pest our guide you have been.
 and glad - ly our songs of thanks - giv - ing we raise.

We lay it be - fore you; we kneel and a - dore you;
 When per - ils o'er - take us, you will not for - sake us,
 With you, Lord, be - side us, your strong arm will guide us.

we bless your ho - ly name; glad prais - es we sing.
 and with your help, O Lord, our strug - gles we win.
 To you, our great Re - deem - er, for - ev - er be praise!

I Come with Joy 515

Capo 3: (D) (G) (A) (D) (Bm)
 F B \flat C F Dm

1 I come with joy, a child of God, for - giv - en, loved, and
 2 I come with Chris - tians far and near to find, as all are
 3 As Christ breaks bread and bids us share, each proud di - vi - sion
 4 The Spir - it of the ris - en Christ, un - seen, but ev - er
 5 To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound by all that God has

(Asus) (Am) (G) (F#m) (D)
 Csus Cm B \flat Am F

free, the life of Je - sus to re - call, in
 fed, the new com - mu - ni - ty of love in
 ends. The love that made us, makes us one, and
 near, is in such friend - ship bet - ter known, a -
 done, we'll go with joy, to give the world the

(Em) (D/F#) (G) (A) (Am7) (D)
 Gm F/A B \flat C Cm7 F

love laid down for me, in love laid down for me.
 Christ's com - mu - nion bread, in Christ's com - mu - nion bread.
 strang - ers now are friends, and strang - ers now are friends.
 live a - mong us here, a - live a - mong us here.
 love that makes us one, the love that makes us one.

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

For All the Saints



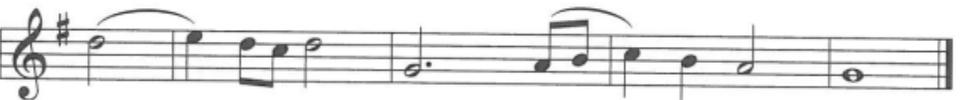
1 For all the saints who from their la - bors rest, who
 2 Thou wast their rock, their for - tress, and their might;
 3 O blest com - mu - nion, fel - low - ship di - vine!
 4 And when the strife is fierce, the war - fare long,
 5 From earth's wide bounds, from o - cean's far - thest coast, through



thee by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, thy
 thou, Lord, their cap - tain in the well - fought fight;
 We fee - bly strug - gle; they in glo - ry shine; yet
 steals on the ear the dis - tant tri - umph song, and
 gates of pearl streams in the count - less host,



name, O Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.
 thou, in the dark - ness drear, their one true light.
 all are one in thee, for all are thine.
 hearts are brave a - gain, and arms are strong.
 sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost,



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!