



All Saints Sunday

9:15 a.m.

November 2, 2025

Church of the Epiphany
Vacaville, CA

ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

Holy Eucharist

Liturgy of the Word

Entrance Hymn

Hymnal 287

"Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blessed!..."

1. For all the saints,
who from their labors rest,
Who thee by faith
before the world confessed,
Thy Name O Jesus,
be forever blessed.
Alleluia, alleluia.

2. Thou wast their rock,
their fortress and their might:
thou, Lord, their Captain
in the well-fought fight;
thou, in the darkness
drear their one true Light.
Alleluia, alleluia.

3. O may thy soldiers,
Faithful, true and bold,
Fight as the saints who
Nobly fought of old, and
Win, with them,
The victor's crown of gold.
Alleluia, alleluia.

4. O blest communion,
Fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle,
They in glory shine;
Yet all are one
In thee, for all are thine.
Alleluia, alleluia.

All standing, the Celebrant says

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Celebrant and People say

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen*

The following is sung, all standing

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest
And peace to his people on earth
Lord God, heavenly King,
Almighty God and Father,

We worship you, we give you thanks,
We praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,

You take away the sin of the world
Have mercy upon us.
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,
Receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord.
You alone are the most high
Jesus Christ

With the Holy Spirit,
In the glory of God the Father.
Amen

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Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let 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.

First Reading

Daniel 7:1-3,15-18

A reading from the Book of Daniel.

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: "As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom for ever—for ever and ever." or the widow when she pours out her complaint.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 149 *Cantate Domino*

1 Hallelujah!

Sing to the Lord a new song; *

sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

2 Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; *

let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.

3 Let them praise his Name in the dance; *

let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

4 For the Lord takes pleasure in his people *
and adorns the poor with victory.

5 Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; *
let them be joyful on their beds.

6 Let the praises of God be in their throat *
and a two-edged sword in their hand;

7 To wreak vengeance on the nations *
and punishment on the peoples;

8 To bind their kings in chains *
and their nobles with links of iron;

9 To inflict on them the judgment decreed; *
this is glory for all his faithful people.
Hallelujah!

Epistle

Ephesians 1:11-23

A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches

of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Living Epistle

Marty Van Zandt

Sequence Hymn

“Open our hearts to make this vow...”

Chorus:

Open our hearts to make this vow:
To use our eyes to see you now,
To use our hands to do your work,
That we may be your love observed.

4. You preserve us from all trouble,
You who are our hiding place.
May we always love and trust you;
Keep us steadfast in our faith. [*Chorus*]

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Holy Gospel

Luke 6:20-31

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ**

Jesus looked up at his disciples and said:

“Blessed are you who are poor,

for yours is the kingdom of God.

"Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.

"Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.

"Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets."

"But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.

"Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.

"Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.

"Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

"But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Rev. John Heidel

Nicene Creed

BCP 326

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

Prayers of the People

Celebrant: Called as we all are to give Jesus to the world, in faith we gather as a Church in prayer, asking our Gracious God to hear our needs and the needs of all who asked us to remember them in our prayers:

Reader: As if speaking in tongues, let your spirit descend upon us.

People: ***Breathe on me, breath of God***

Reader: We pray for your Universal Church, its members and its mission. We pray for Presiding Bishop Sean, for Bishop Megan, for our diocese and for this congregation. We pray for Rev. John, Rev. Katherine and for our church leadership.

People: ***God be in our faith, our mission, and our parish.***

Reader: We pray for our nation and those in authority. Help them align their spirit with yours and end division with a sincere, peaceful and helpful disposition.

People: ***God give us grace with a peaceful and helpful disposition.***

Reader: We pray for the welfare of the world. Like the Spirit of God helped overcome the barriers of nationality, language, and social status, we pray that all the people of the world can overcome their differences with unity, peace and understanding.

People: ***God be in our heads and in our understanding.***

Reader: We pray for the concerns of our local community and its resources. Let us be aware of opportunities to serve and not shut our eyes because we don't want to see protests, lines of hungry people, grieving families, and those who are different than ourselves.

People: ***God be in our eyes and in our looking.***

Reader: We pray for those who suffer and those in any trouble. Let us not say hurtful, cynical or mean-spirited things. Let us speak as one body to find words of encouragement and faith, especially to our children and the vulnerable.

People: ***God be in our mouths and in our speaking.***

Reader: We pray for peace from above, for your loving kindness, and for the salvation of our souls. We pray especially for (read Prayer List here). With all our heart and mind,

People: ***God be in our hearts and in our loving.***

The celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Almighty God, we entrust all who are dear to us to Your never-failing care and love, for this life and the life to come, knowing that You are doing for them better things than we can desire or pray for: through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Confession of Sin

The Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister 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.

The Bishop, when present, or the Priest, 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

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us offer each other the sign of peace

Announcements, Birthday and Anniversary Offerings: *Dan Ferrick (11/6), Wayne Soto (11/6), Matthew Peavey (11/7), the Rev. Mack Olson (11/7), Carol Marshall (11/8)*

HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, and offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

Offertory

"When the saints go marching in..."

1. I'm just a weary pilgrim
Plodding through this world of sin,
Getting ready for that City
When the saints go marching in.

Refrain:

Oh, when the saints
Go marching in,
When the saints go marching in,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
When the saints go marching in.

2. Up there I'll see the Savior
Who redeemed my soul from sin;

With extended hands, he'll greet me
When the saints go marching in.

Refrain (2X):

Oh, when the saints
Go marching in,
When the saints go marching in,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
When the saints go marching in.

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Doxology

Hymnal 380 v.3

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

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 God thanks and praise.**

Celebrant:

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

For in the multitude of your saints you have surrounded us with a great
cloud of witnesses, that we might rejoice in their fellowship, and run with
endurance the race that is set before us; and, together with them, receive
the crown of glory that never fades away.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with the Angels and Archangels, and with the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus

Hymnal S-125



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

The people stand or kneel.

Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world. 🛎

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, 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 we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him.

Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: 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.*

The Celebrant then continues

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

Celebrant and People

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.**

Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

Celebrant: [Alleluia.] Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast. [Alleluia.]**

Fraction Anthem

Hymnal S-154

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; therefore
let us keep the feast.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

*At Church of the Epiphany, we welcome everyone equally as children of God created
in the image of God. Whether you are visiting from out of town, "shopping for a
church," seeking God, or hoping to learn more about Jesus Christ, we welcome you
to our worship services. Whatever your religious background, age race, gender,
sexual orientation, or economic status, we welcome you. Wherever you are in your
spiritual journey, please join us at the altar for Communion.*

Organ Voluntary

Communion Hymn

Hymnal 335

"I am the bread of life..."

1. I am the bread of life;

They who come to me shall not hunger;

They who believe in me shall not thirst.

No one can come to me unless the Father draw them.

Refrain:

And I will raise them up, and I will raise them up,
And I will raise them up on the last day.

2. The bread that I will give
Is my Flesh for the life of the world,
And they who eat of this bread,
They shall live forever,
They shall live forever. *[Refrain]*

3. Unless you eat of the Flesh of the Son of Man
And drink of his Blood,
You shall not have life within you,
You shall not have life within you. *[Refrain]*

4. I am the resurrection,
I am the life.
They who believe in me,
Even if they die,
They shall live forever. *[Refrain]*

5. Yes, Lord, we believe
That you are the Christ,
The Son of God
Who has come into the world. *[Refrain]*

After Communion, the Celebrant says

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.***

Priest's Blessing

May Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate this festival of all the Saints, be now and evermore your guide and companion in the way. Amen.

May God, who has bound us together in the company of the elect, in this age and the age to come, attend to the prayers of his faithful servants on your behalf, as he hears your prayers for them. Amen.

May God, who has given us, in the lives of his saints, patterns of holy living and victorious dying, strengthen your faith and devotion, and enable you to bear witness to the truth against all adversity. Amen.

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. Amen.

Recessional

Hymnal 448

"O love, how deep..."

1. O love, how deep,
How broad, how high,
How passing thought and fantasy,
That God, the Son of God,
Should take our mortal form
For mortals' sake.

2. For us baptized,
For us he bore
His holy fast and hungered sore;
For us temptations sharp he knew;
For us the tempter overthrew.

3. For us he prayed,
For us he taught
For us his daily works he wrought:
By words and signs
And actions thus
Still seeking not himself but us.

Dismissal

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia!

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**

Don't be shy: Sing along!

At Church of the Epiphany, everyone is invited to sing with the ensemble during the service. You'll find the words printed in the bulletin. When a hymnal number is listed, the music can be found in the red 1982 Hymnal located in the pews. (You are also welcome to attend rehearsals at 5:30 p.m. Thursdays.)

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving for the lives and faithfulness of Estella San Juan

TODAY'S SERVERS:

Altar Guild: Kathleen Cocuzza, Lector: Inge Dyrud, Prayers: Lucia Morgan,
LEM/Acolyte: Kathleen Cocuzza, Usher: Liz Sickels
Coffee Hour: Daughters of the King

Today at Epiphany

Coffee Hour: After the service in the Parish Hall. Please join us!

Upcoming Events

Daily Morning Prayer: 8 a.m. Mondays-Saturdays on Facebook Live or Epiphany Vacaville's YouTube channel.

Nightly Compline Service: online: 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday on the Epiphany Facebook page.

Music Rehearsal: 5:30 p.m. Thursdays. Come make a joyful noise!

Diocese of Northern California Convention: November 6-8 in Redding.

Worship Committee: 5 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 11, in Rev. John's office.

Vestry meeting: 11a.m. Sunday, Nov. 16, in the Sunday School room.

Rite I Eucharistic Service: 8 a.m. Sunday, Nov, 23m at Epiphany.

Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service: 10 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 23, at Unity of the Valley Spiritual Center, 350 N Orchard Ave, Vacaville.

Thanksgiving Eve Service, 6 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 26, at Epiphany

Advent preparation/Greening of the Church: 9 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 29.

Come help us clean and decorate Epiphany for the holiday season!

Merriment on Main: 5-8 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 2. Epiphany will be serving hot chocolate.



Church of the Epiphany

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