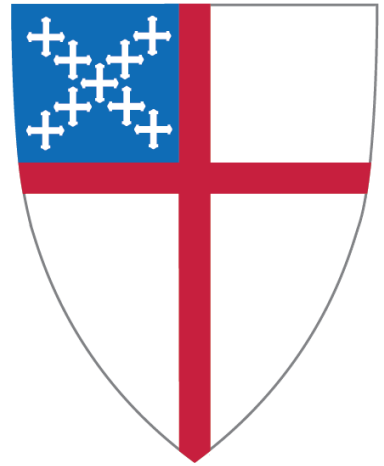


The Lessons Appointed for Use on the

All Saints' Sunday

Year A, RCL

November 1, 2026, 8:00 am



(First Reading)

A Reading from the Revelation to John

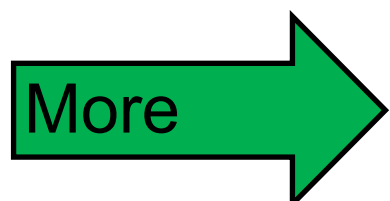
After this I, John, looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

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

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

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that 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."

**"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."**



**They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;
the sun will not strike them,
nor any scorching heat;
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."**

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

(People: Thanks be to God.)



(Psalm)

Psalm 34

Let's say it responsively by half verse.

I will bless the LORD at all times; *

his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

I will glory in the LORD; *

let the humble hear and rejoice.

Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD; *

let us exalt his Name together.

I sought the LORD, and he answered me *

and delivered me out of all my terror.

Look upon him and be radiant, *

and let not your faces be ashamed.

I called in my affliction and the LORD heard me *

and saved me from all my troubles.

**The angel of the LORD encompasses those who fear
him, ***

and he will deliver them.

Taste and see that the LORD is good; *

happy are they who trust in him!

Fear the LORD, you that are his saints, *

for those who fear him lack nothing.

The young lions lack and suffer hunger, *

but those who seek the LORD lack nothing that is good.

The LORD ransoms the life of his servants, *

and none will be punished who trust in him.



(The Epistle Reading)

A Reading from the 1st letter of John

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.

***Leader:* The Word of the Lord.**

(People:* *Thanks be to God.



Prayers of the People

You may stand, sit or kneel for the prayers

Celebrant: Cleansed in the blood of the Lamb, and one in communion with all the saints of every time and place, let us offer our prayers to the God who loves us, saying: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: For the holy church of God throughout the world, that the Lord may confirm it in faith, sustain it in hope, and deepen its communion in charity, let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: For those who wield earthly power, that they may recognize in the disciples of Jesus children of God anxious to serve in building

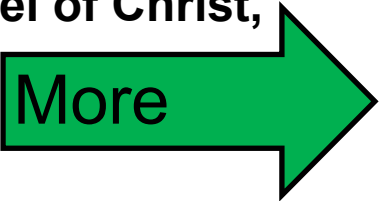
up the earthly city, let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

***Leader:* For those beset by persecution for
righteousness' sake and those weighed
down by trial and distress, that the example
of the saints may give them courage and the
help of believers give them hope, let us pray
to the Lord.**

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

***Leader:* For this assembly gathered to celebrate the
eucharist in communion with the church in
heaven and throughout the world, that
nourished by the word of truth and the bread
of life we may bear witness in our own
generation to the timeless gospel of Christ,
let us pray to the Lord.**

More 

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: On this day, we are called to remember those who have died, particularly those who have died in the past year, and all those interred in our Memorial Garden.

(Please add your own remembrances out loud or in the silence of your heart.)

Intercessor: For those who departed this life in faith and in the fear of God, especially Barbara & the Rev. George Crocker and Anne & Alfred Wyantt in whose memory the altar flowers are given, that they may join the innumerable throng of holy ones gathered before the throne and the Lamb, let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: **We remember before God all who are in any
need and who cry out for the presence of
God.**

*(Please add your own intercessions or thanksgivings out loud or in the
silence of your heart.)*

The Celebrant concludes the Prayers:

