

Praying Our Goodbyes

November 6, 2022 ❖ 4:00 pm

PRELUDES

Alle Menschen müssen sterben

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

Prelude on "The King of Love"

Healey Willan (1880-1968)

*Introit: In the sight of the unwise
from the anthem The Souls of the Righteous*

*James Nares (1715-1783)
Cecilia Rogers, Soprano Solo*

*In the sight of the unwise they seemed to die, and their
departure is taken for misery. But they are in peace.*

Wisdom 3:2-3

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Officiant Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.
(Philippians 1:2)

CONFESSION OF SIN

Officiant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All **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.**

Officiant 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.*

INVITATORY AND PSALTER

Officiant O God, make speed to save us.

People **Lord, make haste to help us.**

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Spirit:
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.**

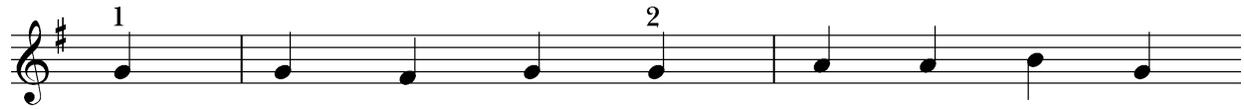
HYMN

Hymn 25

O gracious Light

The Eighth Tune

Please join in singing The Phos hilaron (metrical).



1 O gra - cious Light, Lord Je - sus Christ, in
2 Now sun - set comes, but light shines forth, the
3 Wor - thy are you of end - less praise, O



you the Fa - ther's glo - ry shone. Im - mor - tal, ho - ly,
lamps are lit to pierce the night. Praise Fa - ther, Son, and
Son of God, Life - giv - ing Lord; where - fore you are through



blest is he, and blest are you, his ho - ly Son.
Spi - rit: God who dwells in the e - ter - nal light.
all the earth and in the high - est heaven a - dored.

This hymn may be sung unaccompanied as a four-part canon at a distance of one measure.

PSALM: Psalm 23

Please be seated and join in singing this setting of the 23rd Psalm

Hymn 645

The King of love my shepherd is

St. Columba



1 The King of love my shep-herd is, whose good-ness
 2 Where streams of liv-ing wa-ter flow, my ran-somed
 * 3 Per-verse and fool-ish oft I strayed, but yet in
 * 4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill with thee, dear
 5 Thou spread'st a ta-ble in my sight; thy unc-tion
 6 And so through all the length of days thy good-ness



1 fail-eth nev-er; I noth-ing lack if
 2 soul he lead-eth, and where the ver-dant
 3 love he sought me, and on his shoul-der
 4 Lord, be-side me; thy rod and staff my
 5 grace be-stow-eth; and oh, what trans-port
 6 fail-eth nev-er: Good Shep-herd, may I



1 I am his, and he is mine for ev-er.
 2 pas-tures grow, with food ce-les-tial feed-eth.
 3 gent-ly laid, and home, re-joic-ing, brought me.
 4 com-fort still, thy cross be-fore to guide me.
 5 of de-light from thy pure chal-ice flow-eth!
 6 sing thy praise with-in thy house for ev-er.

FIRST READING: Wisdom 3:1-9

Reader A reading from the book of Wisdom.

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them forever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

This poem describes Tennyson's calm and accepting attitude toward death. Although he followed this work with subsequent poems, he requested that "Crossing the Bar" appear as the final poem in all collections of his work. He uses the metaphor of a sand bar to describe the barrier between life and death.

*Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me!
And may there be no moaning of the bar,
When I put out to sea.
But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
Too full for sound or foam,
When that which drew from out the boundless deep
Turns again home!
Twilight and evening bell,
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness of farewell,
When I embark;
For tho' from out our bourne of Time and Place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my Pilot face to face
When I have crost the bar.*

SECOND READING: John 5:24-27

Reader A reading from the Gospel according to John.

Jesus said, "Very truly, I tell you, anyone who hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life, and does not come under judgment, but has passed from death to life. Very truly, I tell you, the hour is coming, and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live. For just as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself; and he has given him authority to execute judgment, because he is the Son of Man."

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

*Tell me where is the road I can call my own,
That I left, that I lost
So long ago?
All these years I have wandered,
Oh when will I know
There's a way, there's a road that will lead me home?

After wind, after rain,
When the dark is done,
As I wake from a dream
In the gold of day,*

*Through the air there's a calling
From far away,
There's a voice I can hear that will lead me home.*

*Rise up, follow me,
Come away is the call,
With love in your heart
As the only song;
There is no such beauty as where you belong,
rise up, follow me,
I will lead you home.*

Please stand as able and join in singing the Office Hymn.

OFFICE HYMN

Hymn 482

Lord of all hopefulness

Slane



1 Lord of all hope - ful - ness, Lord of all joy,
2 Lord of all ea - ger - ness, Lord of all faith,
3 Lord of all kind - li - ness, Lord of all grace,
4 Lord of all gen - tle - ness, Lord of all calm,



whose trust, ev - er child - like, no cares could de - stroy,
whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
your hands swift to wel - come, your arms to em - brace,
whose voice is con - tent - ment, whose pres - ence is balm,



be there at our wak - ing, and give us, we pray,
be there at our lab - ors, and give us, we pray,
be there at our hom - ing, and give us, we pray,
be there at our sleep - ing, and give us, we pray,



your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.
your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.
your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.
your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

REFLECTION

The Rev. Dr. Barbara Stewart

THE LIGHTING OF CANDLES

All who would like to light a candle are welcome to do so.

MUSIC DURING THE CANDLE-LIGHTING

During this time quiet music by various composers will be played.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Officiant Let us pray.

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. Amen.

SUFFRAGES

- Officiant* That this evening may be holy, good, and peaceful,
People **We entreat you, O Lord.**
- Officiant* That your holy angels may lead us in paths of peace and goodwill,
People **We entreat you, O Lord.**
- Officiant* That we may be pardoned and forgiven for our sins and offenses,
People **We entreat you, O Lord.**
- Officiant* That there may be peace to your Church and to the whole world,
People **We entreat you, O Lord.**
- Officiant* That we may depart this life in your faith and fear, and not be condemned before the great judgment seat of Christ,
People **We entreat you, O Lord.**
- Officiant* That we may be bound together by your Holy Spirit in the communion of St. Michael and all your saints, entrusting one another and all our life to Christ,
People **We entreat you, O Lord.**

COLLECTS

O God, the Maker and Redeemer of all believers: Grant to the faithful departed the unsearchable benefits of the passion of your Son; that on the day of his appearing they may be manifested as your children; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

O God, accept our praise and thanksgiving for the lives of all your faithful people who have served you on earth and are now at rest. Grant that we too may dedicate ourselves to your service, following their good examples, and share with them your heavenly kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ANTHEM

Russian Kontakion of the Departed

Kievan chant

*Give rest, O Christ, to your servants with your saints,
where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing, but life everlasting.*

*You only are immortal, the creator and maker of mankind;
and we are mortal, formed of the earth; and to earth shall we return.*

*For so did you ordain when you created me, saying,
"You are dust, and to dust you shall return."*

*All of us go down to the dust; yet even at the grave we make our song:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.*

*Give rest, O Christ, to your servants with your saints,
where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing, but life everlasting.*

Please stand as able and join in singing

HYMN

Hymn 662

Abide with me

Eventide

Descant by Ray Urwin

1 A - bide with me: fast falls the e - ven - tide;
2 I need thy pres - ence ev - ery pass - ing hour;
3 I fear no foe, with thee at hand to bless;
4 Hold thou thy cross be - fore my clos - ing eyes;

the dark - ness deep - ens; Lord, with me a - bide:
what but thy grace can foil the tempt - er's power?
ills have no weight, and tears no bit - ter - ness.
shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies;

when o - ther help - ers fail and com - forts flee,
Who, like thy - self, my guide and stay can be?
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy vic - to - ry?
heaven's morn - ing breaks, and earth's vain sha - dows flee;

help of the help - less, O a - bide with me.
Through cloud and sun - shine, Lord, a - bide with me.
I tri - umph still, if thou a - bide with me.
in life, in death, O Lord, a - bide with me.

PROCESSION TO THE MEMORIAL GARDEN

Officiant Let us pray in silence as we walk to the Memorial Garden where we will read the names of our beloved ones who have died.

All follow the Officiant to the Memorial Garden.

READING OF THE NECROLOGY

Raye Virginia Allen	Alfred Aueryt
Bill Bailey	Annemaria Ballin
Katy Kennedy Barnhill	Sy Black
Greg Bond	Harry Bubb
Patricia Burgess	Ronald Cannan
Carver Cossey	Wally Dagnin
Cov Davis	Arline DeWalt
Dick DeWalt	John Dorsey
Thomas James Dunlap	Her Majesty The Queen Elizabeth II
Max Faller	Theresa Harrison
Jay Millikan Headley	Melinda Huszti
Mark Izumi	Bob Jenkins
Russ Jenkins	Peggy Jordan
David Keene	Craig Kennedy
Katie Kennedy	Alice Kersey
Happy Kiper	James Howard Litton
Jay Saint Marie	Esther Ann McNamee
Ronald Michelson	Bob Montgomery
Nathan Montgomery	Sandy Montgomery
Sean Mortland	Keith Nelson
Karen Nichol	Sally Panic
Michael Pattillo	Wally Paulson
Claire Foster Pelton	Valerie Plaisance
Neal Randle	Nina Hinson Rasmussen
Joyce Refoy	Jim Scott, Sr.
Tom Scott	Yuriko Seals
Betty Lou Sevigny	Charlotte Sheffield
Jack Sheffield	James Hamilton Ross Simpson
Marian Emily Simpson	Julie Paulson Smallin
Charles Spence	Corinne Spence

Ethan Stahl

Rhoda Stanley

John Howard Strong

Dennis Turbett

Vina Williams

Dick Woods

Ed Woodson

Dale Woolley

Rudy Zitny

Larry Zulkowski

CONCLUDING PRAYERS

O God, whose blessed Son was laid in a sepulcher in the garden: Bless, we pray, this place, and grant that all those who rest and are remembered here, may dwell with Christ in paradise, and may come to your heavenly kingdom; through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Almighty God, we remember before you today your faithful servants; and we pray that, having opened to them the gates of a larger life, you will receive them more and more into your joyful service, that, with all who have faithfully served you in the past, they may share in the eternal victory of Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Officiant Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord;

People **And let light perpetual shine upon them.**

Officiant May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Officiant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

Officiant Let us go forth in the Name of Christ.

People **Thanks be to God.**

At a Glance:

Fall and Winter Schedule:

Parade of Saints

Sunday, October 30 at 9:00 am

Daylight Saving Time Ends

Set clocks back one hour.

Sunday, November 6 at 2:00 am

All Saints Day and

UTO Ingathering

Sunday, November 6 at 9:00 am

Praying Our Goodbyes

Sunday, November 6 at 4:00 pm

2022 Stewardship Campaign

Very Rev. Canon Gary Hall guest
celebrant/homilist

Sunday, November 13 at 9:00 am

Southern California

Children's Chorus

Sunday, November 13 at 4:00 pm

Fellowship Commission

Cookie Exchange

Saturday, November 19 at 9:00 am
in Michael's Room

Alternative Gift Fair

Rev. Will Crist guest celebrant/homilist

Sunday, November 20 at 9:00 am

Thanksgiving Day Worship

Thursday, November 24 at 9:00 am

This Week at St. Mike's:

Sunday, November 6

Daylight Saving Time Ends

All Saints Day

UTO Ingathering

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

10:30 am Sunday Conversations

4:00 pm Praying Our Goodbyes

Tuesday, November 8

8:30 am Holy Eucharist

7:00 pm Tuesday Night at Mike's

Wednesday, November 9

4:00 pm Embracing Evangelism

Thursday, November 10

8:30 am Men's Fellowship

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 11

10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry

6:00 pm Prayer Vigil for Peace

Sunday, November 13

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9:00 am Holy Eucharist

10:30 am Sunday Conversations

Details on this week's events can be found elsewhere in this bulletin.

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Adult Christian Education and Small Discussion Groups

All are welcome to join one or more of the groups listed below. For more information, visit our website:

<https://www.stmikescdm.org>

St. Mike's Sunday Conversations

10:30 am in Michael's Room and on Zoom

On Nov. 6, Brooke Brooke and Julie will lead the discussion on the final Kerygma workbook chapters: **Riots and Encouragements** and **Story without End** (13 and 14).

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/sundaysat10>

Meeting ID: 966 632 5340 / Passcode: 221426

View our updated schedule:

<https://www.stmikescdm.org/blog/sunday-conversations-1030-am/>

Contact: **Kim Montgomery**

Tuesday Nights at Mike's

Tuesdays at 7:00 pm on Zoom

Currently studying *The Church Cracked Open* by Stephanie Spellers.

On Nov. 8, Chapter 4: The Church of Empire.

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/tuesdayatmikes>

Meeting ID: 834 2976 3754 / Passcode: none

Contact: **Beth Bianchi**

Bible Challenge

Third Sundays at 8:00 am in the Conference Room and on Zoom

We continue our series on *Creation Care*, the 50 Day Bible Challenge published by Forward Movement.

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/thirdsundaybiblechallenge>

Meeting ID: 958 1933 0475 / Passcode: 018474

Contact: **Susan Caldwell**

Inklings Book Group

Third Mondays at 10:30 am in the Davis Library and on Zoom

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/inklingsbookgroup>

Meeting ID: 938 4250 5095 / Passcode: 573156

Contact: **Susan Caldwell**

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Fridays at 10:00 am

Please join us as we knit or crochet and pray!

Contact: **Barbara Stewart+** at (949) 378-9780

Men's Fellowship Group

Thursdays at 8:30 am

Dedicated to studying the Bible and the works of Christian theologians. Open to all adult men of the parish.

Contact: **Kim Montgomery**

Visit our church calendar for more:

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