



The Beckley Presbyterian Church
203 South Kanawha Street
Beckley, West Virginia 25801



All Saints' Day

November 3, 2019
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The mission of Beckley Presbyterian Church is to glorify God through the nurturing and equipping of our congregation to manifest our faith throughout God's creation with love, joy, hope, and open hearts."

ORDER OF WORSHIP

*If you are able, please stand for items marked **
Portions in bold type are for congregational participation.

WELCOME AND GREETINGS

Peace to you. Greet the friends there, each by name (3 John 1:15)

PRELUDE *For All the Saints* arr. Timothy H. Waugh

CALL TO WORSHIP *(Responsive)*

One: Praise the Lord, all you saints!

Many: Praise God all you heavenly hosts!

One: Let us praise the name of the Lord:

Many: For God's name only is exalted!

One: Abraham, Isaac and Jacob:

Many: Isaiah, Jeremiah and all you Patriarchs and Prophets!

One: Miriam, Ruth and Naomi:

Many: Elizabeth, Mary and all you Holy Women!

One: Matthew, Mark and Luke:

Many: James and John and all you Evangelists and Apostles!

One: Stephen, Thomas, Peter and Paul:

Many: Philip, Bartholomew and all you Holy Martyrs!

One: Praise the Lord!

Many: O praise the name of the Lord!

One: These are the saints whose robes are washed white in the blood of the Lamb.

Many: Praise the Lord!

One: We are the saints who are the living body of Christ, the Church.

Many: Praise the Lord! O praise the name of the Lord!

INVOCATION

* HYMN 324

For All the Faithful Women

* CALL TO CONFESSION

* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION** *(Together)*

Lord God, Your people are saints, even on earth in the here and now. We don't act like it. We act all too human, with our selfishness and indifference to the needs around us. We are petty and mean. We fail to do the good we can, and succeed in doing things we should not do. Forgive us. Make us saints in deed. Help us to live as followers of Jesus, doing all the good we can to all the people we can in the name of Jesus. Give us strength for the journey. May we seek your Word, your peace, your blessing. In the name of Jesus we pray, Amen.

* **KYRIE**

Lord Have Mercy

551

Lord, have mercy; Christ Have mercy;
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy;
Lord, have mercy upon us.

* **DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS**

* **GLORIA**

Glory Be to the Father

581

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

ANTHEM

Angels Bear My Soul Away

Gary Cornell

NECROLOGY *(Insert)*

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Jennifer Blankenship

The Lord's Prayer *(Together)*

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PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

This is the Word of the Lord.....**Thanks be to God.**

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SERMON

All the Saints

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

Invitation to the Lord's Supper

(BCW 126)

The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Eternal God, holy and mighty,... who forever sing
to the glory of your name:

**(Sung) #552 Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of
power and might, heaven and earth are full of
your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is
He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the
highest.**

You are holy, O God of majesty,... Praise to you,
Lord Jesus:

**(Sung) #553 Christ has died; Christ is risen;
Christ will come again. Christ has died;
Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us..., all glory and honor are yours, eternal God, now and forever.
(Sung) #554 Amen.

* HYMN 726

Will You Come and Follow Me

MOMENT FOR MISSION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERING

Offertory *Children of the Heavenly Father* arr. Robert Hobby

* **DOXOLOGY** *Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow* **606**

**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. Amen**

* **PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

GOD'S PEOPLE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

* **HYMN 326**

For All the Saints

* **CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

* **CHORAL RESPONSE**

Benediction

Robert Hobby

POSTLUDE

For All the Saints

arr. Robert Hobby

GO IN PEACE!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS - We are so glad that you are here worshipping with us today. If this is your first time worshipping with us, please fill out the blue visitor card available in the pews and place it in the offering plate. If you are participating in Beckley Presbyterian Church and you would like to become a member, please speak with the Pastor after worship.

FRIENDSHIP PADS are located at the end of the row. Please sign and pass it along your pew as we prepare for worship.

THE FLOWERS in the sanctuary are placed this morning to the Glory of God and loving memory of Art Shaffer by Sue Shaffer and family.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE is offering a mini-workshop for people who lead or would like to lead children's sermons during worship. The class will be during our Sunday school hour, starting at 9:45 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 10 in the chapel. Pastor Monte will lead the workshop. Our children's sermons here are excellently and lovingly done, and we invite both new and experienced storytellers to join in this important ministry.

THANKSGIVING DINNER - Please join the congregation for our annual Thanksgiving Dinner to be held **November 24**, immediately following worship in Friendship Hall. Tickets will be sold **starting Monday, November 4th through Sunday, November 17th**.

POINSETTIA ORDER FORMS in your bulletin need to be returned by **Monday, November 18th**. Extra forms are available in the rack at the front of the church.

OUR PRAYERS go out to these churches today First Presbyterian Church, Buckhannon, Rock Lake Presbyterian Church, South Charleston, and Sugar Grove Presbyterian Church, Morgantown in the Presbytery of West Virginia; Ndugamano Church in the Thegenge Parish in the Nyeri Presbytery

OUR THANKS to Marcia Fairlie for Cookies in the Witherspoon Room, and to Peggy White, lay reader: Jennifer Blankenship, Time for Young Disciples leader; Nancy Hageman nursery assistant, communion preparers, Clyde and Cathy Smith and to this week's greeter, Sue Shaffer.

ELDERS ON CALL

Nov 3-9-Billy Richmond and Nancy Cameron

Nov 10-16-Bob Mestrovic and Betsy Gilmer

SUNDAY SCHOOL is at 9:45 a.m. Children and youth classes are held in the Educational Building on the upper floor. *The Present Word Class* meets in Friendship Hall.

FELLOWSHIP and refreshments are available in the Witherspoon Room during the Sunday School hour.

NURSERY CARE is provided in the Educational Building from 9:30 a.m. to noon for newborn to age 5.

RESTROOMS are located on either side of the sanctuary on the landing going downstairs to the Friendship Hall. **Men's Restroom** on the **right landing** and **Ladies** on the **left landing**. **Handicapped Accessible Restrooms** are located in the back of the sanctuary and the parking lot entrance hallway leading to the Friendship Hall.

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, Nov 3

All Saints Day

9:45 a.m.-Sunday School

10:55 a.m. - Worship and Holy Communion

7 p.m. Worship on 99.5 FM Radio

MONDAY, Nov 4

Noon - AA Meeting - Ed. Bldg.

TUESDAY, Nov 5

9:00 a.m.-The Shepherd's Center

6:30 p.m.-Cub Scouts

8:00 p.m. - AA Meeting - Ed. Bldg.

WEDNESDAY, Nov 6

Noon - AA Meeting - Ed. Bldg.

THURSDAY, Nov 7

Noon - AA Meeting - Ed. Bldg.

6:00 p.m.-Choir

7:15 p.m.-Handbells

FRIDAY, Nov 8

8:00 p.m. - AA Meeting - Ed. Bldg.

SATURDAY, Nov 9

12:00 p.m.-PW Meeting

SUNDAY, Nov 10

9:45 a.m.-Sunday School

10:55 a.m. - Worship

7 p.m. Worship on 99.5 FM Radio

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Class of 2020-2021

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Nancy Cameron
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Dr. Billy Richmond
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Charles McNeel
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Rev. Monte Mitchell, Moderator

Dan Calvert, Clerk of Session

MISSIONARIES SUPPORTED BY BECKLEY PRESBYTERIAN

Drs. Leslie and Cynthia Morgan in Bangladesh

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