

# Traditional Service of Worship

24th Sunday after Pentecost  
ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

November 4, 2018

11:00 A. M.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE: J. S. Bach  
*Have mercy on me, O God*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:  
(Worshippers are asked to sign the registration pads located in the pews.)

\*HYMN No. 711  
*For All the Saints*  
Verses 1-3, Verse 5- Choir only, Verse 6 - All

\*CALL TO WORSHIP:  
(please respond by reading the bold text)

We remember, O God...  
**The saints of history who have blazed a trail of courage through time**

We remember, O God...  
**The touch of loved ones, the example of heroes, the healing words of comforters**

We remember, O God...  
**The gentle strength of grandparents, the loyalty of friends, the kindness of strangers**

We remember, O God...  
**The supreme love of Jesus, the sharing of his suffering, the glory of his resurrection shown forth in the lives of disciples, young and old, dead and living, articulate and silent, strange and familiar, brilliant and ordinary**

We remember in every time and place  
**The saints of God who have shown us the Lord.**

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE/CONGREGATIONAL GREETING

SCRIPTURE LESSON Revelation 21:1-6a  
LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.  
**PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!**

REMEMBRANCE OF THE SAINTS:  
*A reading of names connected to RPUMC who have died this past year*

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER  
**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. Amen.**

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS:  
*As forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and gifts to God.*

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Schalk  
*Sing With All the Saints in Glory*  
Chancel Choir

\*DOXOLOGY: No. 95  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below.  
Praise God above ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*OFFERTORY PRAYER

\*HYMN OF ILLUMINATION No. 614  
*For the Bread Which You Have Broken*

TESTIMONY: Ron Richardson  
"Holy Remembrance"  
John 11:32-44

GREAT THANKSGIVING & HOLY COMMUNION  
*Following Communion, you are invited to light a candle in remembrance and honor of saints who are with us in spirit.*

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION: No. 712  
*I Sing a Song of the Saints of God*

\*THE BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Guilmant  
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\*CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND

**AUDIO ASSISTANCE DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE.**  
Ask an usher if you would like to use one.

## Assisting in Today's Worship

LITURGIST: Clark Burner  
HEAD USHER: Gordon Middleton  
USHER TEAM 3: Debbie Colbert, Alicia Dorsie-Frank, Karen Fleming, and Connie Hodges

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are given to the glory of God.

## Sunday Attendance - October 28, 2018

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE	108
RIVERKIDS: WORSHIP	7
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE	85
TOTAL SUNDAY WORSHIP	200
SALTY SERVANTS	28
NURSERY	6
SUNDAY SCHOOL/SMALL GROUPS	88

## What's Happening This Week

### SUNDAY MORNING

Coffee Time: 8-10:15 am ~ Rhames Fellowship Hall  
Sunday School: 10:10 am ~ McCord and Education Bldg.  
RiverKids:Worship: No RiverKids Worship Today.  
RiverKids: Praise: No RiverKids Praise Today.

### SPECIAL EVENTS TODAY

3rd & 4th Grade Bible Launch Party

### YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Riverside Youth: No Youth Today

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

5:30-6:30 pm ~ Rhames Fellowship Hall

### MEETINGS

Circle of Grace: Tuesday, 7 pm ~ Cory Lek's Home  
Finance Committee: Thursday, 6 pm ~ Library

### MUSIC ACTIVITIES

Adult Bell Choir: Sunday, 5 pm ~ Room 201  
Children's Bell Choir: Wednesday, 6 pm ~ Room 201  
Praise Team: Wednesday, 6 pm ~ Sanctuary  
Chancel Choir: Wednesday, 7:30 pm ~ Room 501

### CLASSES

Community Classes: Wednesday, 5 pm and 6:30 pm  
Yoga: Wednesday, 5 pm and Friday, 12:15 pm  
Tai Chi: Wednesday, 5 pm, Saturday 10:30 am  
The Life Center (Senior Adults): Friday, 10:00 am

### COMING UP NEXT WEEK

American Guild of Organists Hymn Festival, Sunday November 11th,  
5 pm (RPUMC Sanctuary)  
Interfaith Gratitude Service, Thursday, November 15th ~ 6pm  
(at Hendricks Avenue Baptist Church)

