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Focus for Next Service

November 8th, 2026

Are You Ready?

Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25 Matthew 25:1-13

Public WIFI Log-in

PFUMC-Guest Password: ConnectMe!

Let us know you are worshipping with us,
whether you are in the Sanctuary or on YouTube.

Please fill out a connect card in your bulletin
or use the comment section on YouTube
to make your prayer request known to the pastor.

He will include your thanks to God
and your prayer concerns in our pastoral prayer.

If you would like to add your prayers to the weekly prayer chain,
contact Karen Lynch at 717-571-5903 or karen_lynch@me.com.

9:00 AM Non-Traditional Service

10:30 AM Traditional Service

All services are both in person and live-streamed
on our website and YouTube.

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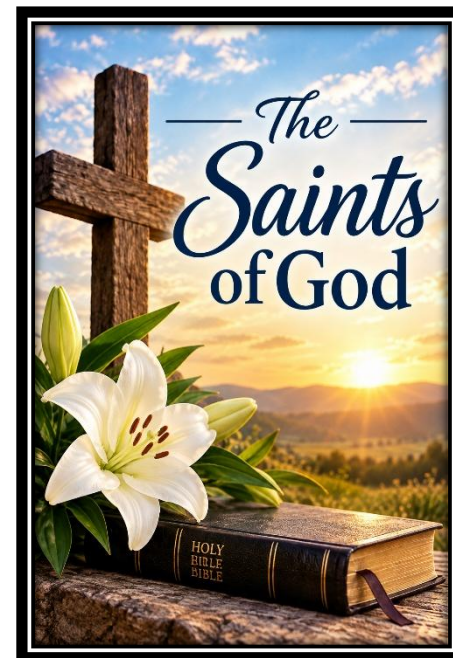
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November 1st, 2026

The Saints of God

All Saints Day

10:30 AM Service

Serving Christ, Changing Lives!

*Congregation standing, as able

The Saints of God

Prelude

*Call to Worship Mineo p. 264 (Lectionary Worship Aids)

Leader: Gathered as God's people,
we are joined with the saints of all the ages.

**People: Thanks be to God,
who has qualified us to share the inheritance of the saints.**

Leader: Thanks be to God for all the saints who have gone before us,
whose robes are washed in the blood of the Lamb.

**People: We give praise and glory to the God of all creation,
the God we have come to know in Jesus Christ.**

Leader: We are today's saints,
in the living body of Christ, the church.

People: We praise the name of the Lord! Alleluia! Amen!

*Opening Hymn #709 "Come, Let Us Join Our Friends Above"

Opening Prayer Mineo p. 264 (Lectionary Worship Aids)

**O God of heaven and earth,
you have made us your children,
created in your image,
holy and good.**

**Gather together, into your heart,
all believers of every age,
on earth and in heaven,
and clothe us in your love, forgiveness, and mercy.**

**Keep us holy and motivate us daily
to continue to walk in the ways of holiness.**

**Call us into passionate love for you,
and instill within us passion to serve others,
through Jesus Christ,
who lives and reigns forever with you
and the Holy Spirit.**

Amen.

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading

Deuteronomy 34:1-12

Second Reading

Acts 10:34-43

Sermon

"The Saints of God"

Prayer of Confession

Mineo p. 265 (Lectionary Worship Aids) alt.

**Holy and loving God,
we confess we have sometimes failed
to love our families, our neighbors, even our enemies.
At times, we have neglected the poor and the hungry.
We have not always listened to the call of Jesus
and followed him,
and been faithful witnesses to him
whose name we claim.
Forgive us, O God, and bless us.
Restore us to a right relationship with you
and with our sisters and brothers,
through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

Silent Prayers of Confession

Words of Pardon and Assurance

Offering

*Offertory Response #95 "Praise God For Whom...."

*Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer

*Hymn of Preparation #711 "For All the Saints"

Roll Call of the New Saints in Glory

Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving and Consecration #15-#16

The Lord's Prayer "using the word *sins* instead of *trespasses*"

Giving and Receiving of the Bread and Cup

*Closing Hymn #733 "Marching to Zion"

*Benediction

*Choral Response #733 (refrain only) "We're Marching to Zion"

Postlude