

“The joy of summer worship ...”  
ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH “Oasis of Joy” USA

Today is ... Sunday, July 8, 2018

**Worship at All Saints is a time of quiet reflection ...  
and lots of joy.**

We hope your soul is nourished, being with us this morning. We sure enjoy having kids in church. When they get a bit goofy and noisy, we ask you PLEASE TO RESPECT the sanctity of our worship experience, and the comfort of your neighbor. We have a fine nursery for kids age 5 and under. Our highly paid, very festive, and intensely Lutheran staff is always anxious to care for your children. Please accompany your son/daughter to the nursery, and introduce yourself to the attendants. We have some fine coffee and hot water for tea awaiting you in Charter Hall. Coffee? Today? ... oh, well!!

welcome: announcements? kind words?

**OPENING PRAYER**

Lord, I spent my share of time ---- wandering and wondering ...  
Yes, wandering through this journey called “life.” Not knowing always  
where the “spirit” will lead me ... or what “voices” I will follow next.

Confusing, sometimes, Lord.

I often wish LIFE could be simpler ... but I really don't know  
what that means anymore.

Help me be a little more “content” with who I am, what I do,  
where I live, the things that bring me joy.

Maybe help me garner the “quiet courage” to change what I  
need to ... without being obsessed by it.

Help me see the majestic in the ordinary,  
the wonder in common moments,

joy in some of the gifts I too often take for granted.

You have helped me discover ... even my church has ----- yes,  
the joy of giving of myself ... unto others.

It's what you and Jesus teach me ---- amen.

opening song

“This is my Father's world” (the non-Don version)

the liturgy ... page 184

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readings for the day

\*1<sup>st</sup> lesson ... the psalm ... \*2<sup>nd</sup> lesson

please rise for the gospel ... “alleluia” ... page 188

“will my younger friends come forward?”

kids' time

DO YOU LOOK ON THE BRIGHT SIDE OF LIFE?

song

“As we gather at your table” 522

meditation

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offering and offertory

“holy, holy, holy” page 190

prayers and sharing the Lord's Supper  
Communion songs (spirit): 83, 85, 90, 92

“alleluia, he's my savior, alleluia:

closing song

“Holy, Holy, Holy” 413

benediction and three-fold “amen”

**The eternal light shines brightly today ...**

*\*from Nancy Frothingham ... in honor of her husband Rich's  
#70<sup>th</sup> birthday. Happy birthday, friend!!*

**OUR ANNUAL STEAK FRY IS COMING UP ON  
SATURDAY, JULY 21, 6:00.**

Tickets continue to be \$20 ... and if that's a bit much ... just pay what  
you can. WE JUST WANT YOU TO BE THERE.

GREAT MEAL ... steak and chicken ... cash bar with pop, beer,  
and wine. Before dinner ... we have a candlelight tribute to those  
who have left us, after living with cancer. And we celebrate those of  
you who are cancer survivors. A wonderful evening ... please get  
your tickets today.

**SCHOLARSHIP FORMS IN THE NARTHEX.**

\*For graduating seniors from high school.

\*The Charlie Fund, for college and grad-students studying  
to work with special needs kids.

\*The adult choir scholarship, for high school students.

**REGISTRATION FORMS FOR ... Sunday School (3 years old  
thru 6<sup>th</sup> grade) ... Confirmation (7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade) ...  
and Youth Group (7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade) ...**

**CAN YOU HELP?**

\*Sharing altar flowers and eternal light.

\*Helping Don with Communion.

\*Call the office if you'd like to be an usher, greeter,  
or lay-reader ----- it all makes a difference.

**The "love bucket" today is for the newly established  
Deborah Lynn Buglio Scholarship Fund ... checks payable  
to the church.**