

“Loving the spirit ... on a Sunday morning ...”
ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH “Oasis of joy” USA

Sunday, June 30, 2019

**Love, spirit, a good dose of joy --- yes, it's all
“in the aire” ... as we welcome you to what we hope
is an uplifting worship experience.**

We enjoy very much having kids in church. When they get a bit noisy and goofy ... 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 and moderately festive staff is always anxious to care for your kids. Please accompany your son/daughter to the nursery, and introduce yourself to the attendants. We have some fine coffee (in Don's opinion) awaiting you in Charter Hall. Welcome to all.

Maybe an announcement or two

OPENING PRAYER

I don't even know where to go from here.

“Children of the heavenly father ... safely in his bosom
gather.”

Kids. Little ones. The fragile. The meek. The innocent.
I know --- all of us are important ...especially in your eyes and
in your kingdom. But when innocent kids hurt ----
abused, neglected, not safe on their porch --- born into
poverty, homeless, wandering ... it goes against everything

I want for all your children.

What do I do with the hurt?

Is it easier not to care? ... to turn the other way? ... to simply
say or think: THERE IS NOTHING I CAN DO!!

This is not what you've taught us.

My agenda? ----- to be kind, even kinder.

To be caring, even more so.

To love ---- in word and deed. To make the world a bit better:
one moment, one person at a time. Amen.

opening song

“Children of the heavenly father” 781

the liturgy ... page 184

“This is the feast” 186

readings for the day

*1st reading *the psalm *2nd reading
please rise for the gospel ... “alleluia” ... page 188

“will my younger friends come forward?”
kids' time ... “do you have a song to sing?”

song

“Shall we gather at the river” 423

meditation

the creed ... page 105

offering and offertory

“holy, holy, holy” page 190

prayers and sharing the Lord's Supper

“Lamb of God” page 191

Communion songs: 76, 77, 82, 83

“alleluia, he's my savior, alleluia”

closing song

“Savior, like a shepherd lead us” 789

benediction and three-fold “amen”

We have beautiful flowers gracing our church today ...

*in loving memory of David VanderVelde ... whose funeral service was this past Monday.

*in loving memory of Elizabeth Fillippo ... whose memorial service was Friday here at All Saints.

May God bless the memories and spirits of
David and Elizabeth.

The roses on the altar are in loving memory of Dr. Thomas Regan ... from Don and Peggy. He was a healer to many ... and, more important, a gentle and good man!!

*NO FUN-FEST this week. They will resume
on Tuesday, July 9.

NEXT SUNDAY IS OUR ANNUAL "Celebrate America"
service ---- 9:30. Bring neighbors and friends ... as we give
thanks for all those who give so much ... so we can
enjoy our everyday freedoms.

STEAK FRY IS COMING UP

*Saturday, July 13, 6:00.

A wonderful and meaningful evening ... as we remember
those who have left us, after living with cancer ... and
celebrating cancer survivors. Tickets in narthex.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE
on the far table in the narthex. Still looking for
two more teachers ---- it's fun!!

LOVE BUCKET FOR A courageous mom in need ...
"everyone has a story" ...