"In the heat of the day ... God's kool SPIRIT" ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH "Oasis of Joy" USA

Today is ... Sunday, July 21, 2019

Worship at All Saints is a time of quiet reflection, mixed with a good dose of joy and celebration.

We hope your soul is nourished, being with us today. We sure do 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 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.

Coffee? Today?? ----- it's in Charter Hall!!

welcome ... with maybe an announcement or two

OPENING PRAYER

I've never been more convinced ... never more sure ... never hoped or dreamed more ... never yearned more --- that the POWER LOVE will always be at the very foundation ...

- ... of who I am as a person,
- ... who we are as a country,
- ... who we are as a church,

... who each of us is as one of your children.

I want to live my life ... our shared lives ... with an atmosphere of trust, and kindness, and goodness ---- all laced with love ... the kind of love you share through your son.

I often worry that division & hatred & prejudice have too much power. That "what's wrong" becomes more important than "what's right."

I'll never stop trying, or hoping, or believing.

The "power" lies deep inside the heart and soul of each one or us. Thanks for keeping the fire burning, Lord. Amen.

opening song "Love divine, all loves excelling" 631

the liturgy ... page 184 "This is the feast" page 187

readings for the day
*1st lesson *the psalm *2nd reading
please rise for the gospel
"alleluia" page 188

"will my younger friends come forward?" kids' time "Who's more important in God's eyes??"

song "Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling" 608

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 (spirit): 59, 77, 80, 90 "alleluia, he's my savior, alleluia"

closing song "All hail the power of Jesus' name" 634 (vv. 1,2,3,5)

Benediction 3-fold "amen"

The eternal light shines brightly this morning ...

from Nancy Pierz and her daughter ... in loving memory of Al Pierz, on his 70th birthday.

We miss you, Al!!

Tuesday: FUN-FEST WITH ST. COLLETTA'S 5:30 Come and enjoy ... sign-ups in the narthex. We provide the main dish ... you can bring something to share ... but not necessary. "Youth" are welcome and needed!!

Thursday: Evening worship at 7:30.

This Thursday we are having an informal "supper" in Charter Hall at 6:00. Bring a friend ... bring the kids ... bring something to share (only if you can ... not necessary) --- just fun to be together for a while.

(Our next supper is August 22)

"DO – NUT" forget to register ...

*for Sunday School (3-year olds thru 6th grade)

*Confirmation class (7th and 8th grade)

*Youth Group (7th thru 12th grade)

Forms are in the narthex ... you can also register on-line ...

the links are:

Sunday School: https://forms.gle/2rU9pEsBwKRu3asz8

Confirmation: https://forms.gle/pBHGDVD8fqCiyxi2A

Youth Group: https://forms.gle/AhNe3bj6CuDDjMcm9

Please put this date on your calendar ... SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2:00 THE CIVIL WAR BAND