



7th Sunday of Easter

May 17, 2026

Welcome to worship at All Saints! We are glad you are joining us.

We will be sharing in the meal of Holy Communion this morning. Please have bread or crackers and wine or juice available in order to participate in the meal from home, knowing that these elements are the body and blood of Christ, broken and shed for you. All are welcome at the Lord's table!

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Our weekly announcements are emailed on Thursdays. Please visit our website or contact the church office to be added to that mailing list. Weekly bulletins available for viewing on our website (www.allsaints-madison.org).

Order of Worship

Prelude: – *Oceans – with – 'Tis So Sweet to Truste in Jesus"*

Welcome & Announcements

Thanksgiving for Baptism:

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!

P: In the name of the One
who was, who is, and who is to come.

C: Amen.

P: Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism,
clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness,
let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

Holy God,
fountain of living water,
source of mercy, tender and mighty,
you are clothed with majesty and splendor.
Your steadfast love fills the earth.

C: Your steadfast love fills the earth.

P: Your love flows through water,
satisfying the thirst of all living things,
sustaining life in this community,
nourishing and delighting us.

We bless you for our local gifts of water:

Lakes Mendota, Monona, Wingra, Waubesa, and
Kegonsa, and so much more!

Your steadfast love fills the earth.

C: Your steadfast love fills the earth.

P: Your love flows through water,
a sign of your saving power:
Noah and the animals survive the flood,
Hagar discovers your well.

The Israelites escape through the sea,
and they drink from your gushing rock.
Naaman washes his leprosy away, and
the Samaritan woman will never be thirsty again.
Your steadfast love fills the earth.

C: Your steadfast love fills the earth.

P: Your love flows through the water of baptism
joined to your life-giving Word:
your well of mercy and cleansing flood,
your sea of deliverance from death into life,
your healing river washing sin away,
your living water springing up to eternal life.
Your steadfast love fills the earth.

C: Your steadfast love fills the earth.

P: Shower us with your Holy Spirit.
Fill us with your love.
Clothe us and all your people with grace.
Embolden us to do justice.
Bless us to love mercy.
Guide us to walk humbly with you,
whom we thank and praise, through Jesus Christ,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

C: Amen

Gathering Hymn: *God Is Here*

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God is here! As we your people
meet to offer praise and prayer,
may we find in fuller measure
what it is in Christ we share.
Here, as in the world around us,
all our varied skills and arts
wait the coming of the Spirit
into open minds and hearts.

Here are symbols to remind us
of our lifelong need of grace;
here are table, font, and pulpit;
here the cross has central place.
Here in honesty of preaching,
here in silence, as in speech,
here, in newness and renewal,
God the Spirit comes to each.

Here our children find a welcome
in the Shepherd's flock and fold;
here as bread and wine are taken,
Christ sustains us as of old.
Here the servants of the Servant
seek in worship to explore
what it means in daily living
to believe and to adore.

Lord of all, of church and kingdom,
in an age of change and doubt,
keep us faithful to the gospel;
help us work your purpose out.
Here, in this day's dedication,
all we have to give, receive;
we, who cannot live without you,
we adore you! We believe!

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God, and the communion
of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

Kyrie

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Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way,
Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

For peace in the world, for the health of the church,
for the unity of all;
for this holy house, for all who worship and praise,
let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way,
Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

That we may live out your impassioned response
to the hungry and the poor;
that we may live out truth and justice and grace,
let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord

Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way,
Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

For peace in our hearts, for peace in our homes,
for friends and family;
for life and for love, for our work and our play,
let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.
Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way,
Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

For your Spirit to guide; that you center our lives
in the water and the Word;
that you nourish our souls with your body and blood,
let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way,
Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

Prayer of the Day

First Reading: Acts 1:6-14

Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35

Sung to the tune of
"Blessed Be the God of Israel"

Let God arise and strike his foes;
Let those who hate him flee;
Let them, like smoke the wind blows off,
All vanish speedily.
Before God let the wicked melt
As wax does in the flame,
But let the righteous all be glad
And offer God acclaim.

Sing praise to God, exalt his name
Who rides the clouds on high;
The Lord who dwells in holiness
Yet hears the widow's cry.
God brings the solitary home
And breaks the prisoner's bands;
But rebels who reject the Lord
Shall live in arid lands.

Lord, when you led your people forth
Earth shook, the dark skies poured
Before the presence of the God
Of Sinai, Israel's Lord.
The gracious rain you sent, O God,
Renewed the weary land;
Your people found a home, the poor
Were strengthened by your hand.

O people of the earth, sing out;
sing praises to the Lord.
God rides across the ancient skies.
He thunders with his voice.
Ascribe power to Holy God,
whose strength is all around.
How wonderful you are, O Lord,
your gifts to us abound.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11

Gospel Acclamation

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Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel Reading: John 17:1-11

Sermon

Song of the Day: *We Will Glorify*

We will glorify the King of kings
We will glorify the Lamb
We will glorify the Lord of lords
Who is the great I Am

Lord Jehovah reigns in majesty
We will bow before His throne
We will worship Him in righteousness
We will worship Him alone

He is Lord of heaven Lord of earth
He is Lord of all who live
He is Lord above the universe
All praise to Him we give

Interlude

Hallelujah to the King of kings
Hallelujah to the Lamb
Hallelujah to the Lord of lords
Who is the great I Am

Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven;
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the virgin Mary,
and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,**

**who proceeds from the Father,
who with the Father and the Son
is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic
church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of
sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Prayers of Intercession:

P: Merciful God,
C: receive our prayer.

Sharing of the Peace:

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.
C: And also with you.

Offering: *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Handbells

Offertory Prayer

**Merciful God,
accept the fruits of our labor, gathered to give you
glory. You have set a table before us, a glimpse of that
great day when we will hunger and thirst no more.
Nourish us with the body and blood of Jesus,
that goodness and mercy may follow us
and bless the world you love.
In the name of Jesus, Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

P: The Lord be with you.
C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...

...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of pow'r and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory,
Full of your glory.
Hosanna, hosanna,
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna,
Hosanna in the highest.

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,
forever and ever. Amen.**

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

I Surrender

Lead by *New Song*

Here I am
Down on my knees again
Surrendering all
Surrendering all

Find me here
Lord as You draw me near
Desperate for You
Desperate for You
I surrender

Drench my soul
As mercy and grace unfold
I hunger and thirst
I hunger and thirst

With arms stretched wide
I know You hear my cry
Speak to me now
Speak to me now

I surrender
I surrender
I want to know You more
I want to know You more
(Repeat)

Like a rushing wind
Jesus breathe within
Lord have Your way
Lord have Your way in me

Like a mighty storm
Stir within my soul
Lord have Your way
Lord have Your way in me

Interlude

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I surrender
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I want to know You more
I want to know You more
(Repeat)

Post Communion Blessing

Communion Prayer

P: ... we pray:

Lead us from death to life,
From falsehood to truth,
From despair to hope,
From fear to trust.

Lead us from hate to love,
From war to peace;
Let peace fill our hearts,
Let peace fill our world,
Let peace fill our universe.

Blessing

Sending Hymn: *Bind Us Together*

Bind us together, Lord, bind us together
With cords that cannot be broken
Bind us together, Lord, bind us together
Bind us together with love

There is only one God
There is only one King
There is only one body
That is why we sing

Bind us together, Lord, bind us together
With cords that cannot be broken
Bind us together, Lord, bind us together
Bind us together with love

You are the family of God
You are the promise divine
You are God's chosen desire
You are the glorious new wine

Bind us together, Lord, bind us together
With cords that cannot be broken
Bind us together, Lord, bind us together
Bind us together with love

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Praise the Lord. Alleluia!

C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

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