St Andrew's
Presbyterian Church, Barrie
November 1st, 2026
23rd Sunday after Pentecost
All Saints Day

Matthew 5:12a

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven.

Guest Speaker: Jeffrey Walther

We Prepare for Worship

Gathering – Seek Ye First by Karen Lafferty

Welcome & Announcements Cynthia Farrar

Prelude – Sweet Hour of Prayer by William B. Bradbury

We Gather to Praise God

Call to Worship Cynthia Farrar

L. Let us bless the Lord at all times;
All. God's praise will always be on our lips.

L. Magnify the Lord in all ways;
All. We will lift up God's name together in worship and in service.

L. God, send your light and your truth as we gather to worship.
All. May they lead us into your holy presence.

Hymn #611 – For All the Saints v. 1, 2, 7, 8

1. For all the saints who from their labours rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed,
thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!

2. Thou wast their rock, their fortress and their might,
thou, Lord, their captain in the well-fought fight,
thou in the darkness drear their one true light.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!

7. But lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day;
the saints triumphant rise in bright array:
the King of glory passes on his way.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!

8. From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
singing to Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!

Prayers of Adoration and Confession

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. **Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

<u>We Listen for God's Word</u>

Hymn #466 – Praise the Lord with the Sound of Trumpet

1. Praise the Lord with the sound of trumpet,
praise the Lord with the harp and lute,
praise the Lord with the gentle sounding flute.
Praise the Lord in the field and forest,
praise the Lord in the city square,
praise the Lord anytime and anywhere.
Praise the Lord in the wind and sunshine,
praise the Lord in the dark of night,
praise the Lord in the rain or snow or in the morning light.
Praise the Lord in the deepest valley,
praise the Lord on the highest hill,
praise the Lord, never let your voice be still.

2. Praise the Lord with the crashing cymbal,
praise the Lord with the pipe and string,
praise the Lord with the joyful songs you sing.
Praise the Lord on a weekday morning,
praise the Lord on a Sunday noon,
praise the Lord by the light of sun or moon.
Praise the Lord in the time of sorrow,
praise the Lord in the time of joy,
praise the Lord every moment,
nothing let your praise destroy.
Praise the Lord in the peace and quiet,
praise the Lord in your work or play,
praise the Lord everywhere in every way!

The Church as God's Family Mia Drummond

Scripture Readings Cynthia Farrar

Psalm 19:1-10 read responsively

1. The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.

2. Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge.

3. There is no speech, nor are there words; their voice is not heard;

4. yet their voice goes out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world. In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun,

5. which comes out like a bridegroom from his wedding canopy, and like a strong man runs its course with joy.

6. Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them; and nothing is hid from its heat.

7. The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the Lord are sure, making wise the simple;

8. the precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the Lord is clear, enlightening the eyes;

9. the fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

10. More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb.

John 10:1-10

Choir – Dream a Dream by Ed Robertson

"The God of Life More Abundant" Jeffrey Walther

We Respond to God's Word

Hymn #645 – Follow Me, the Master Said

1. "Follow me," the Master said:
we will follow Jesus.
By his word and Spirit led,
we will follow Jesus.
Still for us he lives to plead,
at the throne will intercede,
offers help in time of need;
we will follow Jesus.

2. Should the world and sin oppose,
we will follow Jesus.
He is greater than our foes;
we will follow Jesus.
On his promise we depend;
he will hear us and defend,
help and keep us to the end;
we will follow Jesus.

3 Though the way may dark appear,
we will follow Jesus.
He will make our pathway clear;
we will follow Jesus.
In our daily round of care,
as we plead with God in prayer,
with the cross which we must bear,
we will follow Jesus.

4. Ever keep that end in view;
we will follow Jesus.
All his promises are true;
we will follow Jesus.

When this earthly course is run,
and the Master says, "Well done!"
life eternal we have won;
we will follow Jesus.

Prayers of the People

Invitation to the Offering

Doxology – Make Me a Servant

Make me a servant, humble and meek,
Lord, let me lift up those who are weak,
And may the prayer of my heart always be:
Make me a servant,
Make me a servant,
Make me a servant today.

Offering Prayer

<u>We Go Out to Serve God</u>

Hymn #699 – All the Way My Saviour Leads Me

Benediction

Go Now in Peace

Go now in peace, never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know he will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there watching from above.
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

Amen! Amen! Amen!

Postlude – Hallelujah by Leonard Cohen

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