

## Old Testament

*Revelation 7:2–17*

<sup>2</sup>Then I saw another angel ascending from the rising of the sun, with the seal of the living God, and he called with a loud voice to the four angels who had been given power to harm earth and sea, <sup>3</sup>saying, “Do not harm the earth or the sea or the trees, until we have sealed the servants of our God on their foreheads.” <sup>4</sup>And I heard the number of the sealed, 144,000, sealed from every tribe of the sons of Israel:

<sup>5</sup>12,000 from the tribe of Judah were sealed,  
12,000 from the tribe of Reuben,  
12,000 from the tribe of Gad,  
<sup>6</sup>12,000 from the tribe of Asher,  
12,000 from the tribe of Naphtali,  
12,000 from the tribe of Manasseh,  
<sup>7</sup>12,000 from the tribe of Simeon,  
12,000 from the tribe of Levi,  
12,000 from the tribe of Issachar,  
<sup>8</sup>12,000 from the tribe of Zebulun,  
12,000 from the tribe of Joseph,  
12,000 from the tribe of Benjamin were sealed.

<sup>9</sup>After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, <sup>10</sup>and crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!” <sup>11</sup>And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, <sup>12</sup>saying, “Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

<sup>13</sup>Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?” <sup>14</sup>I said to him, “Sir, you know.” And he said to me, “These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

<sup>15</sup>“Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.

<sup>16</sup>They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat.

<sup>17</sup>For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

## Epistle

*1 John 3:1–3*

<sup>1</sup>See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. <sup>2</sup>Beloved, we are God’s children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. <sup>3</sup>And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

## Holy Gospel

*Matthew 5:1–12*

<sup>1</sup>Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.

<sup>2</sup>And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

<sup>3</sup>“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>4</sup>“Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

<sup>5</sup>“Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

<sup>6</sup>“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

<sup>7</sup>“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

<sup>8</sup>“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

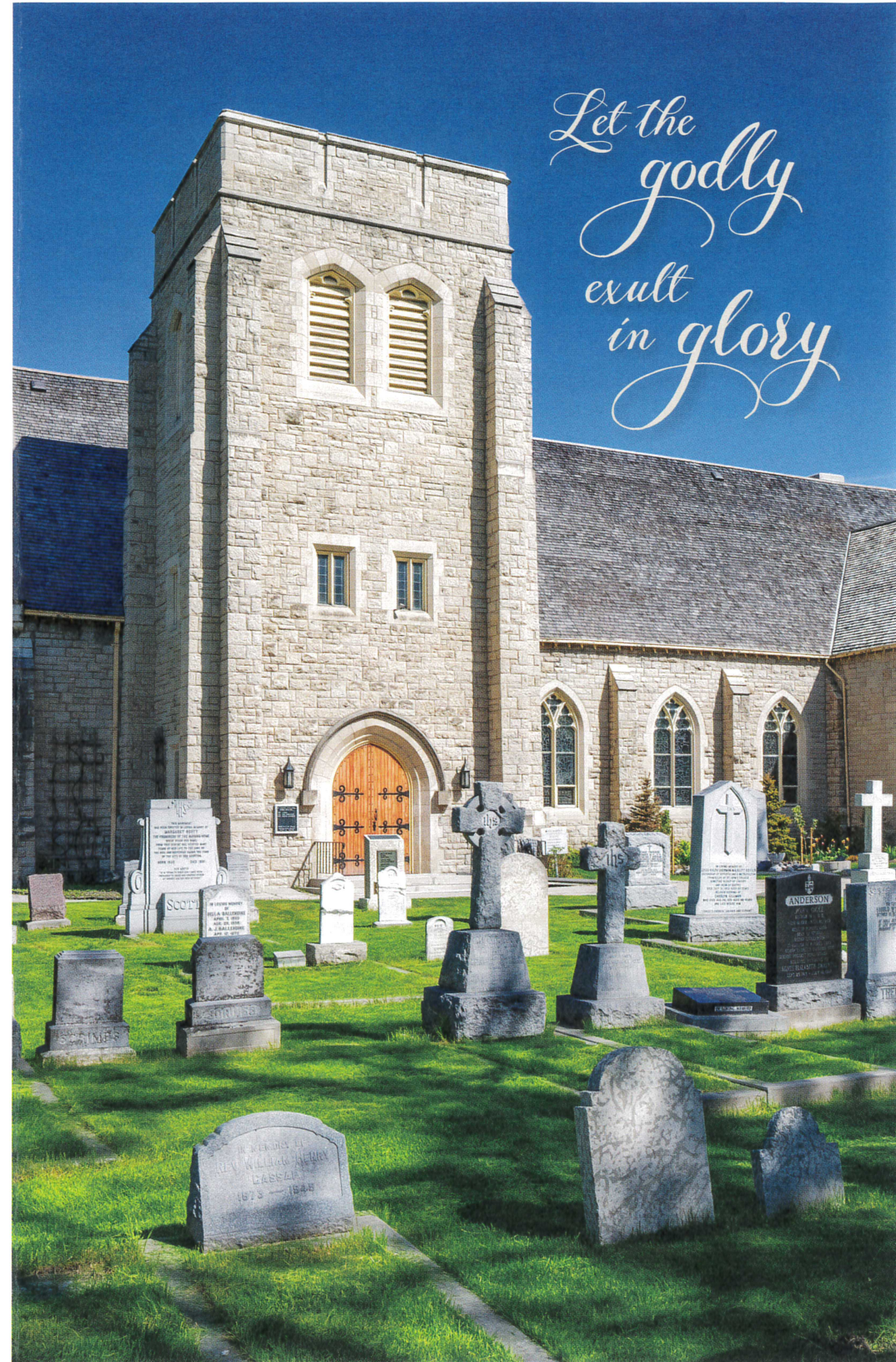
<sup>9</sup>“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

<sup>10</sup>“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>11</sup>“Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. <sup>12</sup>Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”



**About the Cover:** Whether the sun has risen or set on labors of the saints of the Lord in this life, all in heaven and on earth exult in the glory of Christ. For the Church spreads both geographically across the world and also temporally across all time. God be praised! He has brought forgiveness through Christ Jesus, who not only has gone to the grave but also rose from the dead to never die again (Romans 6:9).





## ALL SAINTS DAY

November 2 & 6, 2022

Sharing, Believing, Living, Caring

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Liturgy: Divine Service Setting Three p. 184

Hymns: 950, 677, 594, 676, 671

### THE MEASURE OF OUR LOVE

Attendance 10/26 (Wed): 37	Comm.: 31	Offering: \$1,226.25
Attendance 10/30 (Sun): 52	Comm.: 45	Offering: \$1,554.10
Budget Needs: \$3,594	Scrip Profit 10/30: \$15.50	
S.S. – 5	Staff – 4	B.C. – 13

### KINGDOM WORK THIS WEEK

WED (11/9) 1:45 p.m. – Confirmation Class  
6:00 pm. – Choir  
**7:00 p.m. – Worship**  
7:45 p.m. – Elders

THUR (11/10) 12:30 p.m. – Ladies Aid  
3:30 p.m. – Trustees

SUN (11/13) 8:00 a.m. – S.S./B.C.  
**9:00 a.m. – Worship**  
6:00 p.m. – Farm & Home 4H

**IN OUR PRAYERS** we remember Damian Wetzel, Wilfred Boldt, Julie Boldt, Kay Koffarnus, Jules & Carol Clausing, Lillian Maas, Sandy Haberland, Joan Zutz, Elaine Zeamer, Lori Krueger, Nancy Davidson, Terry Brandenburg, and Dallas Wenzel.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED** – We are in need of Sunday school teachers for the upcoming year. If interested, contact Amanda Zoellner.

**FOOD ‘N MORE** collection box is in the coat room. You can bring nonperishable food items, toiletries, and/or paper products. Items in need this year are: canned corn, cereal, mac & cheese, peanut butter, tuna & canned fruit. Items collected will be given to the Food Pantry at Holy Family Church in Brillion. Deadline is Sunday November 20<sup>th</sup>.

**HUNGRY HUNTER COOKIE SALE** is coming back. Sale will be on November 13<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board for cookie donations. Proceeds will go to BUILD THE QUILT.

**GREETERS** are wanted to welcome people to church. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the hallway.

**THANKSGIVING CARDS** are available in the card room.

**ADULT INFORMATION CLASS** – If anyone is interested in joining our congregation from a non-Lutheran background or is interested in learning the basics of our beliefs as Lutherans, contact Pastor Brandmahl so a class can be set up.

**JOYFUL GIVING** – Would you find it helpful to have your offerings debited directly from your bank account as you probably do with your other obligations? St. Bartholomew offers electronic giving for those of you who wish to have contributions transferred electronically to the church’s account. If you have plans to travel this summer, electronic giving gives you a convenient way to keep us with your intended offerings. Contact the church office to complete a form.

### **OUR STEWARDSHIP LIFE**

**Matthew 5:6 – “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.”** You only hunger and thirst for what you don’t have. Jesus has come to fill us up with righteousness – His own righteousness. He is the self-giving Lord whose sacrifice inspires us to be givers, too.