



**United Methodist Church of Antioch**  
Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost  
November 7, 2021  
*All Saints Sunday*

**PRELUDE**                      *Lord, Be Glorified*

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Today	Worship, 8am & 10:30am Communion/All Saints Sunday Sunday School/Choir/ Youth Group, 9:15am Early Adopters Game Day, 11:45am
Mon, Nov. 8	Knitting & Crochet, 1-3pm/ All Saints Room
Tues, Nov. 9	UMCAP, 9am-2pm UMCAP Board Mtg, 2:30pm/Wesley Hall
Wed, Nov. 10	Church Council, 6:30pm/ Wesley Hall
Thurs, Nov. 11	Office Closed UMCAP, 9am-2pm PCD Lay Leadership, 7pm/Zoom
Fri, Nov. 12	PEO, 9-11am/Wesley Hall
Sat, Nov. 13	Discipleship Weekend: Symposium 9-11am/Zoom
Sun, Nov. 14	Worship, 8am & 10:30am Gratitude Sunday All Conference Worship, 4pm/Our Saviour's UMC Schaumburg

*~Please note, one of the worship services is recorded and streamed to the internet. It is usually the 10:30am service.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

-We follow Lake County Covid Guidelines which include wearing a mask indoors and allowing for proper distancing. If you would like a copy of our guidelines, please see an usher.

-Are you interested in joining UMCA? If you want to explore this possibility, please see Pastor Katie. When she sees who's interested, she will create a plan.

-WESLEY AFTERNOON CIRCLE will meet at 2:15 pm on Thursday, November 18, 2021 in Wesley Hall. There will also be a program and refreshments. If you need a ride, please call 224-818-8725 and one will be found for you

-Reminder for Kids Above All Holiday Gift Drive:  
Unwrapped gifts and child info card due back at church next Sunday November 14! The Mission Committee would like to thank you all for making this a special time for these children  
Any questions call Judy Degand 847-833-1529.

-The UM Foundation announces a new scholarship to help minority and financially qualifying students. Right now, the scholarship is in the fund-drive stage. If you would like to help donate to or learn more about this fund, you can do so at:  
<https://umfnic.thegivingsystem.com/uplift/Campaign/Details>

- An all-annual conference Discipleship Weekend is scheduled for November 13 and 14. "Tending to the Harvest" will include Saturday morning workshops via Zoom and Sunday afternoon worship open to everyone across the conference in person and via livestream. For more information and to register, visit <https://www.umcnic.org/calendar/growing-together-symposium> and <https://www.umcnic.org/calendar/conference-worship>

-Our Church Conference will be November 30 at 7:00pm in our sanctuary. Everyone is invited to come and meet our new

District Superintendent and help us do the annual business of the church. The SPRC will meet at 6:00pm before the Church Conference in the All Saints Room.

**MISSION STATEMENT (Unison)**

**The mission of the United Methodist Church of Antioch is to grow in faith; to worship God following the teachings of Jesus Christ, and to be instruments of God's love through the Holy Spirit as we reach out to our community and the world.**

*\* Invites you to stand as you are able, or to sit with gusto!*

**\*WE ARE WELCOMED TO WORSHIP (Responsively)**

L: We are in awe when people choose to make a sacrifice from which we benefit.

**P: It is inspiring when we think about all that others sacrificed to make sure we had what we needed.**

L: Knowing the people who came before us to tell us the stories of Jesus, who chose to give things up so we could know that God loved us, helps us to want to do that for others.

**P: Serving the world in the name of Jesus Christ will always cost us something. It is a price worth paying.**

**\*HYMN Red Hymnal #711**

*For All the Saints vs. 1,2,4,6*

**\*OPENING PRAYER (Unison)**

**Jesus, our Rock and our Redeemer, we celebrate all that you are doing in our midst. You have given us a strong past from which we came and we are called to inspire the future. Show us how to continue the lessons that Jesus taught us in our world today. And now, O God, hear us as we pray as Jesus taught us ...**

**\*THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)**

**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. Amen.**

## **CHILDREN'S TIME**

### **HYMN Black Hymnal # 2031**

*We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise*

### **WE ASK FOR UNDERSTANDING (Unison)**

**Giver of all Good Things, O Lord, we come now, asking you to be especially present in these moments. As the Scripture is read and the Word proclaimed, stir in us the change you need for our world. Help us to grow in ways that change our world for you. Amen.**

### **WE HEAR THE GOOD NEWS**

– Isaiah 25:6-9 & Mark 12:38-44

On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear. And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death forever. Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken.

It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

As he taught, he said, “Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! They devour widows’ houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation.”

He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. Then he called his disciples and said to them, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.”

L: The word of God for the people of God.

**P: Thanks be to God.**

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**REFLECTION** Thankful for Sacrifice Rev. Katie Voigt

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The Church Nursery is available at both services for children 4 years and under. Please speak to an usher if you need nursery care. We follow our Safe Sanctuary policy, a copy of which is available in the nursery room.

## REMEMBERING THE SAINTS

Preston J. Reckers  
Dorothy C. Slichenmyer  
Dorothy Lindblad  
Dolores D. Randall  
Jerry Crichton  
Roger E. Andrews  
Jim Holmes

Andre Meuter  
Brian Hahn  
Rev. Andrew C. Noxon  
Alice Scheske  
Donald E. Skidmore  
H. Irene Nevitt



## PRAYER FOR THE SAINTS AND FAITHFUL DEPARTED

**O God of both the living and the dead, we praise your holy name for all your servants who have faithfully lived and died. We thank you for the sacred ties that bind us to those unseen who encompass us as a cloud of witnesses. We pray that, encouraged by their example and strengthened by their fellowship, we may be diligent followers and that nothing will be able to separate us from your love in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.**

**CHOIR ANTHEM**      UMCA Choir      10:30am service  
*O Death, Where Is Your Sting?*

## MORNING PRAYERS

Joys/Concerns

Confession & Pardon

**(Unison): Most merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

(Pastor): Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

**(Unison): In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen.**

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

## SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

### HYMN SUNG WHILE RECEIVING

**Red Hymnal #629**

*You Satisfy the Hungry Heart*

### PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

**Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Unbind us and set us free. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**OFFERTORY**     *Because He Lives, Amen*

**\*DOXOLOGY Red Hymnal #95**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

**\*WE DEDICATE OUR GIFTS TO GOD (Unison)**

**Master of our lives, we come to you now, thanking you for all your many blessings. The widow teaches us what generosity looks like on earth. Help us to follow in her footsteps with what we give today and always, with our financial resources, but also with our time, our prayers, our commitment to others, and our willingness to share the stories of Christ. In the name of the ever-generous Jesus we pray. Amen.**

**\*CLOSING HYMN, Red Hymnal #712**

*I Sing a Song of the Saints of God*

**\*WE GO FORTH WITH BLESSING (Responsively)**

**L:** When we are afraid to make the sacrifice that Christ is calling us to, we need to remember that Jesus walks the road with us. We are never alone.

**P:** **With Jesus at our side, we pray for more faith to serve as the Christians Jesus desires us to be.**

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

**P:** **And also, with you. Amen.**

**\*POSTLUDE**

*Standing on the Promises*

*Red* indicates “The United Methodist Hymnal”

*Black* indicates “The Faith We Sing”

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*Worship Attendance & Giving for  
Sunday, October 31, 2021*

8:00am 32

10:30am 46

General Fund \$2,869

Building \$185

Memorial \$1,395

UVC \$126



Rejoice! A heartfelt “Thank you!” should be extended to everyone who has given to the Electronic Message Board fund. We are happy to announce that due to your generosity, along with a generous gift from a donor, we have secured enough funds to pay for the project! Amen, and God bless you for your sacrificial donations.

## *Worship Leadership*

<b>Today</b>		<b>November 14</b>
<b>Greeters</b>		
8:00am	Dawn Vogel	Ken Graesser
10:30am	Sally Rodgers	Carol Dunn
<b>Ushers</b>		
8:00am	Irv Metz	Jim Menzer
10:30am	Tom Kessel	Jerry Topcik
<b>Sound Board</b>		
8:00am	Walt Cichonski	Bert Kibbler
10:30am	Phil Georgia	Nancy Rae
<b>Liturgist</b>		
8:00am	Carleen Wurster	Bob Raukohl
10:30am	Joanne Rae	Sue DeRoche
<b>Coffee Servers</b>		
8:00am	Ken Graesser Mike DeBenedetto	Dawn Vogel
10:30am	Nikki & Phil Georgia	Terry King & Family
<b>Communion</b>		
8:00am	Heather Menzer	
10:30am	Nancy Rae	

Thank you to everyone who served in today's worship service!

## Notes:



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Please Note:

Deadline for the Newsletter is the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month-**for the FOLLOWING month**

Send info to [editorumca@att.net](mailto:editorumca@att.net) in Word Doc form or body of email.

Next deadline is November 15<sup>th</sup> for the December newsletter.

Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.