

*Today's liturgical color is white which symbolizes days and seasons of joy and mark pivotal events in the life of Christ.*

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**PRELUDE:** Song of the Saints Phil Wickham

**LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES / CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

**WELCOME**

**OPENING HYMN:** Shall We Gather at the River No. 723

**The saints from our church that have joined the Church Triumphant this year include:**

1/1: William Zentmeyer

1/10: Barbara Gibson

2/28: Betty Fleenor

4/29: Johnny Livingston

9/28: Phil Robbins

10/24: Paul Kannon

**A TIME FOR PRAYER** (please use prayer request cards found in the narthex or in the pews and place into the offering plates-look for latest prayer requests & blessings listed on hallway [leaving sanctuary] bulletin board)

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**GLORIA PATRI**

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT:** Kim P.

**\*\*Children's Sunday School is now open\*\***

**THE PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**Ushers:** Beth H., Erin H., Cecilia R., Amy G.

**OFFERTORY MUSIC:** Litaneý auf das Fest Aller Seelen (Litany of the Feast of All Souls) Franz Schubert

**DOXOLOGY** No. 95

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**SPECIAL MUSIC:** 10,000 Reasons

**Chorus: Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul; Worship His holy name; Sing like never before, O my soul; I'll worship Your Holy Name**

**SCRIPTURE READING:** Hebrews 11:1-12:2 The Passion Translation

**Lector:** Nathan D.

....<sup>12:1</sup> As for us, we have all of these great witnesses who encircle us like clouds. So we must let go of every wound that has pierced us and the sin we so easily fall into. Then we will be able to run life's marathon race with passion and determination, for the path has been already marked out before us. <sup>2</sup> We look away from the natural realm and we focus our attention and expectation onto Jesus who birthed faith within us and who leads us forward into faith's perfection. His example is this: Because his heart was focused on the joy of knowing that you would be his, he endured the agony of the cross and conquered its humiliation, and now sits exalted at the right hand of the throne of God!

This is the word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God**

**SERMON:** November Series: To Whom Are You Listening (continued)

Part 5: The Great Cloud of Witnesses

**RESPONSE TO THE SERVICE: A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE**

**COMMUNION STEWARDS:** Donna M., Alberta M., Lana P., Janice T.

**COMMUNION MUSIC:** Come, Come, Ye Saints arr by Ian Good

**COMMUNION LITURGY**

**THE APOSTLES' CREED** No. 881

**CLOSING HYMN:** Precious Name No. 536

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** (\*noted within the bulletin)

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE:** When the Saints Go Marching In Katherine E. Purvis & James M. Black

**Here's a snapshot of our current budget numbers:**

TITHES AND OFFERINGS	
<b>TUMC 25 CY BUDGET</b>	<b>\$161,500.00</b>
<b>WEEKLY GOAL</b>	<b>\$3,105.77</b>
SEMI/ANNUAL OFFERINGS	\$4,844.98
LAST WEEK'S OFFERING	\$850.36
YEARLY BUDGET TO DATE	\$133,548.11
YEARLY OFFERINGS TO DATE	\$125,851.95

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL:** EVERY Sunday @ 10 am

**CHOIR PRACTICE:** EVERY Wednesday evening @ 7 pm

**WOMEN OF TRINITY:** Meeting is **replaced with our spaghetti supper fundraiser TODAY.**

**ADMIN BOARD MTG:** Next meeting is **Nov 9** immediately following the **worship service.** All are invited to attend.

**METHODIST MEN:** Next meeting is **Nov 10, 6 pm** at Country Kitchen. All men are welcome to attend.

**Kathleen's Meals is SCHEDULED FOR Nov 18,** please reach out to Amanda Salyer if you are able to assist with deliveries.

## EVENTS AND CHURCH HAPPENINGS.....

**Our Mindful Moving** group has started up on **Wednesdays with a new time - 6:15 pm in the fellowship hall.** Donna Mahan leads us in some very effective exercises; please join us if you're able!

Our **Spaghetti Supper Fundraiser is TODAY,** following worship service – come hungry!

The UVA Wise Wesley will host the first **Wesley Jams on Nov 8 @ 7pm** w/Wesley Brass, Calli & Mike Shell, Papa Joe Smiddy Bluegrass Band & Jacob Sturgill!

**Volunteers are needed for Nov 9 @ 4pm to pack the backpacks.** We have a signup sheet in the fellowship hall, please sign up to help!

**Mark your calendars–Sun & Mon, Nov 16 & 17** – there will be a **community revival in Big Stone Gap**...more info available on bulletin board!

**Mark your calendars – Sun, Nov 23 @ 3 pm** will be hanging of the greens, followed by the Grinch movie & of course, food! Come help & get festive!

**Mark your calendars – Sunday, Nov 30** there will be a **Community Christmas Service** at the Episcopal Church @ 5:30pm.

## WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Sunday School: 8

In-Person Worship: 50

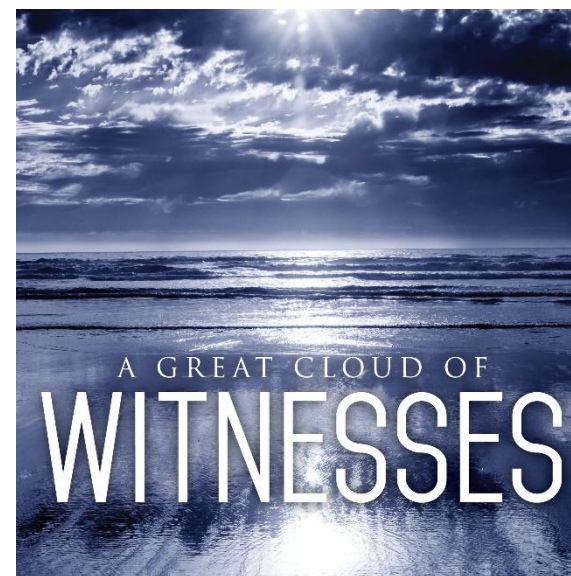
Facebook Live: 11

Visitors: 5

## The Trinity Companion

November 2, 2025

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY



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Worship begins at 11:00 am

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