IN-PERSON WORSHIP | CULTO EN PERSONA

1 de noviembre | November 1, 2026 | 10:30 a.m.

CALVARY DC

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Día de Todos los Santos | All Saints Sunday

Preludio | Prelude

Rise Up, O Saints of God! #611
Laura Henderson, organ
Chris Urquiaga, piano

La Bienvenida | Welcome

Pastor Sally

*Canción | Opening Song of Praise

For All the Saints, #637

For all the saints, who from their labors rest,
Who thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

Hoy por los santos que descansan ya,
Después de confesarte por la fe,
Tu nombre Cristo, hemos alabar,
¡Aleluya, Aleluya!

O blest communion, company divine!
We live and struggle, they in glory shine;
Yet all are one in thee, for all are thine.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

*Palabras de Alabanza | Call to Worship

Sarah Settels-Palacios, Deacon

We remember, O God…
Recordamos, oh Dios…
The countless saints of history who have blazed a trail of courage through time,

We remember, O God…
Recordamos, oh Dios…

The tender touch of loved ones,
the example of heroes,
the healing words of comforters,
the remarkable acts of fearless ones.

We remember, O God…
Recordamos, oh Dios…

The gentle strength of grandmothers,
the loyalty of friends,
the sacrifice of parents,
and the presence of ancestors.

Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses**,**
Let us worship God with joy!

**Congregation stands in body and/or in spirit. La congregación se pone de pie en persona o en espíritu.*
Para traducción del servicio en español, por favor hablar con un ujier.

*La Paz de Cristo | Passing the Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you. **And also with you.**
La paz del Señor sea contigo. **Y contigo también.**

*Respondemos Juntos | Responding Together

Make Us One | Haznos Uno

Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let your love flow so the world will know we are one in you.
Haznos uno, uno en ti. Haznos uno, Señor, en ti.
Y que el mundo vea en nuestro amor que somos uno en ti.

Tiempo con los Niños I Time with Children

Pastor Sally

Ofrendas | Offertory

Shall We Gather at the River
arr. Marilyn Thompson
Laura Henderson, organ
Chris Urquiaga, piano

Please visit http://www.calvarydc.org/give. Each Sunday, we have the opportunity to engage in a spiritual practice tracing back to the early church. As followers of Jesus began re-imagining their allegiance to God and not Caesar, they also chose to share their money, time, and resources in ways that disrupted systems of power and violence around them. As a community of faith shaped by this intention as we strive to be radically inclusive, progressive, and multicultural, we pray that our commitments might free you to give to this place both joyfully and intentionally.

Oraciónes del Pueblo | Prayers of the People

Pastor Sally

We remember the great ancestors of our faith,
from Abraham, Sarah, and Hagar to Paul, Silas, and Phoebe:
Ancestors of the faith, we remember you.

We remember the prophets and priests,
the ministers and teachers who have taught us the way of God:
Teachers of the faith, we remember you.

We remember our grandparents and parents, aunts and uncles,
those who have gone before us in our lifetime:
Family of our faith, we remember you.

We lift up the memories of children and grandchildren,
brothers and sisters, husbands and wives and parents
whose lives ended too soon:
Those close in our heart, we remember you.

We lift up to You, O God,
the names of those we have lost in this past year from our lives,
knowing that they are with Your heart forever.
As we speak these names aloud, we will pause after every name
to remember, pray, and give thanks for their life.

(*Speaking the names of those who have died in the past year and those who we hold especially closely in our remembrance today.*)

We celebrate the lives of those we have named, O God,
and lift up many more names in our hearts.

Family of God, we remember you, and we honor you.
We know you are with us in the spirit of worship,
and you will not be forgotten.

We give thanks, O God,
for all who have gone on to join with You beyond this life.
We trust in the hope of resurrection and the promise of new life in Christ,
and know that in our grief and celebration, O God,
You are with us through it all, and we are not left alone.
In the name of Christ, in whom love lives forever, we pray. Amen.

— Rev. Mindi, on her Rev-o-lution website.

Respuesta Musical | Sung Response

Pues Si Vivimos, #536

Pues si vivimos, para El vivimos
Y si morimos para El morimos.
Sea que vivamos o que muramos,
Somos del Señor, somos del Señor.

When we are living, it is in Christ Jesus,
And when we're dying, it is in the Lord.
Both in our living and in our dying,
We belong to God, we belong to God.

Lectura | Scripture + Stewardship Reflection

Mateo | Matthew 5:1-12
Rev. Edgar Palacios

Viendo la multitud, subió al monte; y sentándose, vinieron a él sus discípulos. **2** Y abriendo su
boca les enseñaba, diciendo:
3 Bienaventurados los pobres en espíritu, porque de ellos es el reino de los cielos.
4 Bienaventurados los que lloran, porque ellos recibirán consolación.
5 Bienaventurados los mansos, porque ellos recibirán la tierra por heredad.
6 Bienaventurados los que tienen hambre y sed de justicia, porque ellos serán saciados.
7 Bienaventurados los misericordiosos, porque ellos alcanzarán misericordia.
8 Bienaventurados los de limpio corazón, porque ellos verán a Dios.
9 Bienaventurados los pacificadores, porque ellos serán llamados hijos de Dios.
10 Bienaventurados los que padecen persecución por causa de la justicia, porque de ellos es el
reino de los cielos.
11 Bienaventurados sois cuando por mi causa os vituperen y os persigan, y digan toda clase de
mal contra vosotros, mintiendo. **12** Gozaos y alegraos, porque vuestro galardón es grande en
los cielos; porque así persiguieron a los profetas que fueron antes de vosotros.

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When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he sat down, his disciples
came to him. [2] And he began to speak and taught them, saying:
[3] "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
[4] "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
[5] "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
[6] "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
[7] "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.
[8] "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
[9] "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
[10] "Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the
kingdom of heaven.
[11] "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against
you falsely on my account. [12] Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the
same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Música Especial | Special Music

Gracias a la Vida
Chris Urquiaga, soloist

Sermón | Sermon

Pastor Maria

*Himno | Hymn of Remembrance

When All is Ended, #703

Please sing stanzas all 4 stanzas.

*Bendición | Benediction

Pastor Sally

Postludio | Postlude

O God, Our Help in Ages Past, #67
Laura Henderson, organ
Chris Urquiaga, piano

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Contact the **Deacon of the Week**, Sarah Settels-Palacios,
sarahsettels@gmail.com with your cares and concerns.

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bit.ly/ZoomCalvaryDC or watch the livestream at link above.

Next Virtual Sunday— Sunday, November 29 (Thanksgiving Weekend)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY: Quarterly Business Meeting— Please join us immediately following worship for a special QBM in which will vote on the nominations slate and budget. We are grateful to the committee and to all who have agreed to serve as a board member or deacon this coming year!

Pledging at Calvary—We hope our October stewardship series offered you good time and space to consider how you might give and serve in the coming year. We invite you to fill out a pledge form at the adjacent QR code.

Bilingual Bible Study— Join Pastor Edgar Palacios and the Latino Fellowship at 9:00 a.m. in the Library on in-person Sundays as they study Scripture and social justice together. This series is entitled, “El Espíritu de Vida y El Reino de Dios,” (the Spirit of Life and the Reign of God.)

OUR LABOR TOGETHER | A Mission Statement

We are a multi-racial, multi-ethnic community of Christ followers committed to the sacred work of anti-racism, social justice, and radical inclusion.

OUR BELOVEDNESS | A Values Statement

We affirm that God celebrates the creative diversity of God's kin-dom, loving people of every color, faith, nationality, immigration status, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, physical and cognitive ability, and economic status. It matters that people who have been historically marginalized by the Christian church in America *see* themselves listed here as God's beloved. In other words, ***you*** are our values statement.

- We believe Black Lives Matter. Further still, Black Lives are precious and beloved by God. We are a church shaped by this profound theological statement. Until this is fully understood and expressed in the policies and practices of this nation's political and social life, it is essential for people of faith to keep saying, and living, this truth.
- We believe no human being is "illegal," and as a Sanctuary Church, we fully welcome and support people of all immigration statuses.
- We believe LGBTQ+ lives are sacred, beautiful, and ought to be fully included and affirmed in all aspects of congregational life and leadership.
- We celebrate that our worshipping life is multi-lingual and multi-dimensional, especially shaped by Latin American, particularly Salvadoran, traditions, and the Historic Black Church tradition.
- We value interfaith inclusion and welcome people of any and all faith traditions to find a home here.
- We value people for who they are and not for their role in an economy where wealth accumulates and people struggle to live.
- We acknowledge that we gather on the traditional land of the Piscataway, Anacostan, and Nacotchtank Peoples past and present, and honor with gratitude the land itself and the people who have stewarded it throughout the generations. We believe that the earth is sacred and that we must continue to learn how to be better caretakers of the land we inhabit.
- We value diverse theological voices which have long stood on the margins within the Christian tradition in America.

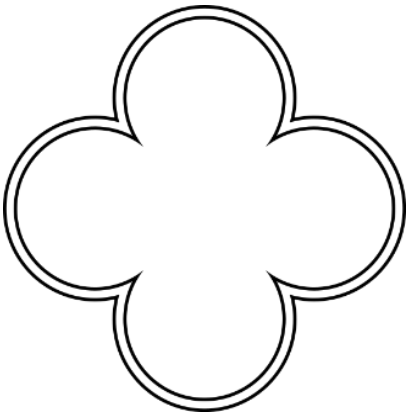
OUR HOLY IMAGINATION | A Vision Statement

We believe that Jesus identifies particularly with oppressed and marginalized people and invites us into radically inclusive community. As a historically white church with the sacred gift of now being a multiracial Christian community, we hear the clarion call to engage in the active and disruptive work of anti-racism and decolonization, both within ourselves and in the world. Ultimately, we commit to this labor as a *joyful* act of discipleship that leads us ever deeper into the Gospel of liberation and life.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

New this week: Graciela and Donald Daus, Karla Fahey's aunt and uncle

Sherry Reid, Jackie Wright's mother; Celia Thomas; Claudia Moore; Karen Heidelberger; Manuel Torres; Francisco Pereira; Barbara Rice, Courtney Miller's mom; Dan Mayfield, Jay Mayfield's father; Alice Bartlett; Eleonora Settels; Carrie Dale, mother of Amy Dale; Marlene Shambaugh, Courtney Miller's aunt; Harold Walker, Jackie Wright's stepfather; For peace to prevail in Ukraine, Palestine, Afghanistan, and Yemen; Peace in El Salvador, refugees, asylum seekers, and immigration reform; Victims of gun violence, racial reconciliation and justice everywhere; People targeted with hate crimes; Peace in our world, especially those impacted by war, violence, and government turmoil; Our collective response to resisting white supremacy; Victims of terror everywhere.



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