# Morning Devotion at 7:30 AM All Saints' Day, November 1

INVITATORY *Psalm 24:1-2* The earth is the LORD'S and all that is in it, \* the world and all who dwell therein. For it is he who founded it upon the seas \* and made it firm upon the rivers of the deep.

### READING

Whenever the living creatures give glory, honor, and thanks to the one seated on the throne, who lives forever and always, the twenty-four elders fall before the one seated on the throne. They worship the one who lives forever and always. They throw down their crowns before the throne and say, "You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, because you created all things. It is by your will that they existed and were created." *Revelation 4:9-11* 

#### LITANY

Officiant:	Holy God, Creator of heaven and earth,
People:	Have mercy on us.
Officiant:	Holy and Mighty, Redeemer of the world,
People:	Have mercy on us.
Officiant:	Holy Immortal One, Sanctifier of the faithful,
People:	Have mercy on us.
Officiant:	Holy, blessed and glorious Trinity, One God,
People:	Have mercy on us.

Officiant: Jesus Christ, great high priest, living for ever to intercede for us:

pray for your Church, your broken body in the world.

People: Lord, graciously hear us.

Officiant: Jesus Christ, King of righteousness, enthroned at the right hand of the majesty on high, pray for the world, and make it subject to your gentle rule.

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Officiant: Jesus Christ, Son of man, drawing humanity into the life of God, pray for your brothers and sisters in need, distress or sorrow.

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Officiant: Jesus Christ, first-fruits of the new creation, keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, until you bring the whole created order to worship at your feet.

People: Lord, graciously hear us.

Officiant: Give us true repentance; forgive us our sins of negligence and ignorance and our deliberate sins; and grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit to amend our lives according to your word.

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Silence Prayers for ourselves and others

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

### COLLECT

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen**.

# Afternoon Devotion at 5:00 PM All Saints' Day, November 1

INVITATORY *Psalm 24:3-5* "Who can ascend the hill of the LORD? \* and who can stand in his holy place?" "Those who have clean hands and a pure heart, \* who have not pledged themselves to falsehood, nor sworn by what is a fraud.

They shall receive a blessing from the LORD \* and a just reward from the God of their salvation."

## READING

From now on, brothers and sisters, if anything is excellent and if anything is admirable, focus your thoughts on these things: all that is true, all that is holy, all that is just, all that is pure, all that is lovely, and all that is worthy of praise. Practice these things: whatever you learned, received, heard, or saw in us. The God of peace will be with you. *Philippians 4:8-9* 

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Officiant: Merciful Lord, strengthen all Christian people by your Holy Spirit, that we may live as a royal priesthood and a holy nation to the praise of Jesus Christ our Savior. Lord, in your mercy,

## People: hear our prayer.

Officiant: Bless all ministers of your Church, that by faithful proclamation of your word we may be built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets into a holy temple in the Lord. Lord, in your mercy,

# People: hear our prayer.

Officiant: Empower us by the gift of your holy and life-giving Spirit, that we may be transformed into the likeness of Christ from glory to glory. Lord, in your mercy,

# People: hear our prayer.

Officiant: Give to the world and its peoples the peace that comes from above, that they may find Christ's way of freedom and life. Lord, in your mercy,

## People: hear our prayer.

Officiant: Hold in your embrace all who witness to your love in the service of the poor and needy; all who minister to the sick and dying; and all who bring light to those in darkness. Lord, in your mercy,

## People: hear our prayer.

Officiant: Touch and heal all those whose lives are scarred by sin or disfigured by pain, that, raised from death to life in Christ, their sorrow may be turned to eternal joy. Lord, in your mercy,

## People: hear our prayer.

Officiant: Remember in your mercy all those gone before us who have been well-pleasing to you from eternity; preserve in your faith your servants on earth, guide us to your kingdom and grant us your peace at all times. Lord, in your mercy,

## People: hear our prayer.

Officiant: Hasten the day when many will come from east and west, from north and south, and sit at table in your kingdom. Lord, in your mercy,

## People: hear our prayer.

Officiant: We give you thanks for the whole company of your saints in glory, with whom in fellowship we join our prayers and praises; by your grace may we, like them, be made perfect in your love. Lord, in your mercy,

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