

Rite of Remembrance: (All Saints Sunday, November 2, 2008)

Hymn of the Day: (# 335 – Jesus keep me near the Cross)

P: On this mountain the Lord of Hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food...
And God will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet
that is spread over all peoples; he will swallow up death forever. (Isaiah 25 : 6 - 7)
In sure and certain hope of the resurrection that begins now in our daily life as your
saints, and with confidence on the One who called us his children, we remember before
you the following:

(1st group - ROGER:)

Ellen Addo (- bell)
Bo Alphonse (- bell)
George Barrett (- bell)
Pastor Vilhelm and Marie Beck (- bell)
Georgina Cassels (- bell)
John Frederick Gurholt (- bell)
Süster Petersen (- bell)
Conway Jocks (- bell)

P: Your saints O Lord, call your name; Lord in your mercy,

C: HEAR OUR PRAYER (*three bell chord, light a candle*)

P: We believe in the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of
the body, and the life everlasting. You who clothe the birds of the air and the flowers of
the field, remember now these your people:

(2nd group - HANNE:)

Poul Andresen (- bell)
Rigmor Brandt (- bell)
Tage Christensen (- bell)
Kris Krogh Jensen (- bell)
Aage & Bodil Jepsen (- bell)
Camilla Clausen (-bell)
Erik Jørgensen (- bell)
Sigrid & Jørgen Røhmann (- bell)

P: Your saints O Lord, call your name; Lord in your mercy,

C: HEAR OUR PRAYER (*three bell chord, light a candle*)

P: Come to me all whose work is hard, whose load is heavy, and I will give you rest,
says Jesus. Bend your necks to my yoke and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble-
hearted, and you will find rest with me. Lord, hear now our prayers for these your gentle
servants:

(3rd group - ROGER:)

Elisabeth Langer (- bell)
Daniel Cobblah King-Kabu (- bell)
Victoria Wood (-bell)
The Campbell & Henry family (- bell)
Pearl Christensen (- bell)
Kirsti & Arthur Styker (- bell)
Andreas Eidnes (- bell)
Kamma Montpetit (- bell)

P: Your saints O Lord, call your name; Lord in your mercy,

C: HEAR OUR PRAYER (*three bell chord, light a candle*)

P: We know that there is nothing in death or life, in the realm of spirits or superhuman powers, in the world as it is or the world as it shall be, in the forces of the universe, in heights or depths – nothing in all creation that can separate us from your love, O God our sustainer. Sustain us again as we pray for these your people:

(*4th group - HANNE:*)

Knud Eriksen (- bell)

Janne (Holm) Diem (- bell)

Ingrid Holm (- bell)

Gerda England (-bell)

Vanda Holm (- bell)

Bente & Henning Stoffregen (- bell)

Anna & Marinus Christiansen (- bell)

Anni Zarudzka (- bell)

Minna Golding (- bell)

P: Your saints O Lord, call your name; Lord in your mercy,

C: HEAR OUR PRAYER (*three bell chord, light a candle*)

P: Peace is my gift to you, said Jesus, not peace as the world gives, but my peace. Set your troubled hearts at rest, and banish your fears. You, our Lord of peace, who healed with your hands, with the look of your eye, with your word, as you took children on your knees to show us your Kingdom of God, remember again these your children:

(*5th group - ROGER:*)

Robert & Lorraine Kinnu (- bell)

Henning & Eli Ross-Jensen (- bell)

Ron & Anne Priest (- bell)

Ingrid Lavergne (- bell)

Niels Golding (- bell)

Leslie Sargent (- bell)

Pastor Marty Holobow (- bell)

Traudi Sladeczek (- bell)

P: Your saints O Lord, call your name; Lord in your mercy,

C: HEAR OUR PRAYER (*three-bell chord, light a candle*)

P: And now, O Lord God, arise and enter this resting place of yours where the Ark of your strength has been placed. Let your priests, O Lord God, be clothed with salvation, and let your saints rejoice in your kind deeds:

(*6th group - HANNE:*)

Jørgen & Bergljot Sørensen (- bell)

Marie Sørensen (- bell)

Erik Thorø (- bell)

Syvert Ektvedt (- bell)

Viggo & Sophie Jepsen (- bell)

John Smith (- bell)

Esther & Helmer Anderson (- bell)

Thomas Thomsen (- bell)

and for those here unnamed but remembered in our hearts...(silence, then 3-bell chord).

P: O Lord, by the resurrection of Jesus you have named these we remember, together with us, as your blessed saints. Where there is sin, bring pardon, where there is hurt, healing, and where there is sadness, always, we ask, bring great joy to our lives. Into your hands, we commend ALL for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord,

C: AMEN (a pealing of 3 bells)

Thomas – Organ solo: Alle Menschen müssen sterben (J.S. Bach) BWV 643.

Alle Menschen müssen sterben,
alles Fleisch vergeht wie Heu,
was da lebet, muss verderben, soll es
anders werden neu.
Dieser Leib, der muss verwessen,
wenn er ewig soll genesen
der so grossen Herrlichkeit,
die den Frommen ist bereit.

Hark! a voice saith, All are mortal,
Yea, all flesh must fade as grass,
Only through Death's gloomy portal
To a better life ye pass,
And this body, formed of clay,
Here must languish and decay,
Ere it rise in glorious might,
Fit to dwell with saints in light.

Prayers of the people
Response

P: We bless you, O God
C: We praise your holy name

(Use handbells forming a minor chord (eg. ACE)

Give copies to each reader, pastor, organist, bell ringers.

Pealing of bells – start with lowest, 2 rings, next bell – faster rhythm, next bell – faster again.

Stop together.

Ringling of bells after the names are read. Start with lowest bell for first name, then other bells in turn.)