

Sermon

Rev. Dric Williford

\*Hymn of Consecration

*Forward Through the Ages*

555 (v.1&3)

\*Benediction

\*Benediction Song

*On Eagle's Wings*

*And God will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn,  
make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of His hand.*

\*Postlude

*For All the Saints*

Leslye Ames

\*Stand as you are able.

Lay Reader: Karl Ames



*Blessed are the pure in heart,  
for they will see God.*

Matthew 5:8

*Commit . . . Connect . . . Engage . . .*

**First United Methodist Church, Tallassee is committed to making  
disciples of Jesus Christ, by connecting people to the Word of God  
and engaging them in ministry here and throughout the world.**

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**8:30 a.m. Worship**  
**November 5, 2017**  
**All Saints Sunday – White**

*The altar is open for personal prayer time prior to the beginning of our service.*

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**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude** *We're Marching to Zion* Leslye Ames

**\*Invocation**

**\*Theme Song** *Come into His Presence*  
Come into His presence with thanksgiving in your heart and give Him praise, and give Him praise; come into His presence with thanksgiving in your heart, your voices raise, your voices raise. Give glory and honor and power unto Him, Jesus, the name above all names.

**\*Greeting Time**

**\*Theme Song** *Come into His Presence*  
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**\*Hymn of Praise** *The Church's One Foundation* **545**

**\*Celebration of the Saints**

**\*Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed***

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting, Amen.*

\*means universal

**Joys and Concerns**

**Moment of Silence**

We light this candle to signify our prayers for those involved in armed conflict around the world. We lift up those we know and love serving in the United States Armed Services and we recognize God's call to pray for our enemies. We ask for God's peace and wholeness to illuminate every darkness. We join together in a moment of silence and invite you to lift up your prayers on behalf of our community, nation, and world.

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Congregational Singing**

*Faith of Our Fathers*

Faith of our fathers, living still, in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword; O how our hearts beat high with joy whene'er we hear that glorious word! Faith of our fathers, holy faith! We will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our fathers, we will love both friend and foe in all our strife; and preach thee, too, as love knows how by kindly words and virtuous life. Faith of our fathers, holy faith! We will be true to thee till death.

*\*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee. Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty, God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

**Children's Moment**

(Children age 4 – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade will be escorted to Children's Church)

**Offertory** *Find Us Faithful* Charles McCartha

**\*Prayer of Praise**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**Holy Communion** **UMH 12**

*Communion rail offerings go to the Minister's Discretionary Fund to help local residents in need.*

**\*Scripture** **Matthew 5:1-12**