

THE HYMN OF INVITATION

**“God Be with You till We Meet Again”**

Hymn 673

(The altar of this church is open to you...come.  
Come to witness, come to repent, come to pray.)

**\*THE CHIMES AND SERVICE OF LIGHT**

(The Living Flame on the altar reminds us that we must carry the message  
of God's grace and love out from this sanctuary into the world.)

**\*THE BENEDICTION**

**\*THE CHORAL RESPONSE**  
“Go Now in Peace”

Altar Choir  
Don Besig

**THE POSTLUDE**

*Partita on “For All The Saints” : Bicinium*

David Cherwien



**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
THE ORDER FOR WORSHIP**

November 5, 2006  
9:25 a.m.

All Saints Sunday  
Liturgical Color: Red

*Worship is the quickening of conscience by God's holiness; the nourishment of mind  
with His truth; the purifying of imagination by His beauty; the opening of the heart to  
His love; the surrender of the will to His purpose—and all of this gathered up in adora-  
tion, the most selfless emotion of which our nature is capable and therefore the chief  
remedy for that self-centeredness which is our original sin and the source of all actual  
sin. - William Temple.*

(The asterisk (\*) designates when the congregation will please stand.  
Worshippers who find standing difficult are invited to remain seated.

Worshippers are encouraged to turn off their cell phones while they are in the sanctuary.  
**Bold print** is read or sung by the congregation.)

**Grace United Methodist Church**

**Ministers**

The Congregation of Grace United Methodist Church

**Pastors**

Stephen A. Beutler      Grace Marie Ransom      Rob Ransom  
Larry Newberg, Visitation Pastor

**Our Missionaries**

Oscar Ramos, Hispanic Ministry of North Indiana Conference  
Jeff Newton, Kokomo Urban Outreach Ministries  
Dr. Dennis Marke, Medical Missionary, Kissy, Sierra Leone

**Specialized Ministries**

Randy Manning, Director of Music      Barbara Hobbs, Pianist/Organist  
Jacque Hunt, Chamber Ensemble Director      Cindy Lovegrove, Office Manager  
Debra Long, Volunteer Parish Nurse      Phill Montgomery, Counselor

Our Greeters today are Joe & Ann Winger and Connie Wall.

The flowers are given to the glory of God by Candace, Mike & Drew Blatt in honor of  
Sam's 16th birthday; Mike Rodgers in honor of Camella's birthday  
and by Bruce Clark in honor of his parents.

**WE GATHER TOGETHER FOR WORSHIP**

**THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(You are invited to sign and pass the Ritual of Friendship pads.

When it reaches the end of the pew, please pass it back so that all may note those worshipping today.  
Cards are available in the pew for those desiring to request prayer or praise  
for specific needs, concerns and joys. Please place the card in the offering plate during the offering.)

**THE PRELUDE**

*Partita on “For All The Saints” : Chorale*

David Cherwien

**WE PREPARE OURSELVES FOR WORSHIP**

**THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Grace and peace to you from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ!

All: **We have come to experience God's grace in our worship and in our lives!**

## \*THE CHIMES AND SERVICE OF LIGHT

(The congregation stands with the first note of the chimes.

The lighted candles on the altar symbolize the presence of God's Holy Spirit.

The Holy Bible is facing the congregation as a reminder that God's Word is open and available to all.)

## WE OPEN OUR LIVES TO GOD

### \*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

**"For All the Saints"**

(Musical Interlude)

Hymn 711

### THE CALL TO PRAYER

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

**We bless your holy name, O God, for all your servants who, having finished their course, now rest from their labors. Give us grace to follow the example of their steadfastness and faithfulness, to your honor and glory; through Christ Jesus our Lord. Hear us now as we celebrate those who have gone on to be with You since last All Saints Day.**

### \*CELEBRATING THE SAINTS

We lovingly remember before God the following Grace United Methodist Church per sons who have become members of the Church Eternal from November 3, 2005 through November 5, 2006:

Bruce Clark	John Connelly	Martha Craig
Clarice Halfast	Dorothy Hemstreet	Raymond Hemstreet
Eunice Henricks	Milton Hongen	Sandy Lintner
Margaret Metzger	Reba Mullins	Beth Rodgers
Marcia Woods	Doyle Younce	

(A bell is tolled and a candle is lit for all those remembered above.)

We lovingly remember before God all others, though not members of Grace United Methodist Church, who are members of the body of Christ and have gone on to be with our Lord in the church Eternal during the past year.

(A bell is tolled three times for those others who have touched our lives, and one candle is lit for all those who have influenced our faith journey.)

Moments of Silent Prayer

The Pastoral Prayer

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, forever. Amen.**

## WE HEAR THE LIVING WORD

(During the playing of the hymn, "Children of the Heavenly Father", Children, pre-school through Grade 2 are invited to attend an age appropriate Worship experience in Room #102, Lower Level.

An adult will meet the children at the sanctuary exit to escort our little ones to their room.)

### THE ANTHEM

*"Look at the World"*

Altar Choir  
John Rutter

### \*THE READING OF THE SCRIPTURE

John 4:1-26

### THE PROCLAMATION

**"C - Christ-centered Worship"**

Pastor Steve Beutler

## WE DEDICATE OURSELVES TO GOD

### RESPONDING TO GOD IN OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

(If you are visiting this morning, you are our guest. If Grace U.M. Church is your home, remember that the biblical expectation is that you will give your tithe to your church. May we all remember that giving to God in response to His great love is the most celebrative moment of corporate worship. Today's loose coin offering is dedicated to CAM.)

The Giving of our Tithes and Offering

The Offertory

*"The Heart of Worship"*

Matt Redman, arranged by Mark Hayes

\*The Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

**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.**