



Chatham Community Church

Joined in the Spirit
November 5, 2017

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Thank you for worshipping with us. We rejoice that you are here today!

November Focus Verse

1 Thessalonians 5:18

"Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

Music for Prayer and Meditation

Let us silence our hearts, our minds, and our voices to worship our God

Choral Introit

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The earth and all that is in it belongs to the Holy One.

People: **Look, here is our God, for whom we have waited.**

Leader: This is the Holy One, for whom we have waited.

People: **Let us be glad and rejoice in our salvation.**

Leader: Who shall stand in this holy place?

ALL: **We come, seeking the face of God.**

*Opening Prayer

Leader: Let us pray...

Faithful Redeemer, you are the beginning and ending of all things. You promise to wipe away every tear, that death and mourning will be no more. You make your home among us, and abide with us as our God. Teach us to live as the saints you call us to be, that we may truly be your people, living and doing your will, in the name of Jesus, who is the Christ. Amen.

*Opening Hymn #654

"Holy Ground"

CELEBRATION OF GOD'S SAINTS

Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:1-3	Dale
Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:4	Sheila
Choir Anthem		
Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:5	A Fisherman
Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:6	Josiah

EXPRESSING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayer Hymn #482 *"Sanctuary"*
**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true;
with thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.**
Pastoral Prayer, Silent Prayer, **Lord's Prayer** *(words printed in hymnal #740)*
Prayer Response #490: **Hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord.
Incline thine ear to us, and grant us thy peace.**

Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:7	A Mother
Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:8	A Young Man

SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*Doxology #34
**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

*Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:9	Chinese Proverb
Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:10	Anna
Holy Communion	<i>All are welcome to receive God's mercy, freely given</i>	
Scripture Reading	Matthew 5:11-12a	Chathamites

*Closing Hymn #515

"Hymn of Promise"

***Benediction and Congregational Response**

May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever.
Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor.
Lift up your eyes and see God's face, full of grace forever.
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*Postlude

**please stand as you are able*

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Pastor Patty will be in Chatham Wednesday and Thursday afternoon / evening.

Please continue to pray for...

Hoyt Mis, Lou Gehrig's disease **Laura Tice**, health concerns
Jeff Natterer, health concern **Neva Bournival**, now at Elmcroft
Clarice, Rosalie's sister – health concerns
Rev. Doug Lewis, treatment for lung cancer (If you wish to send him a card,
his address is 5 Fairwood Ave. Norwalk OH 44857
Gayle Maly, treatment for cancer
Ethan Siman, Adam Klein, Jared Bohley, Haley Theus in the service

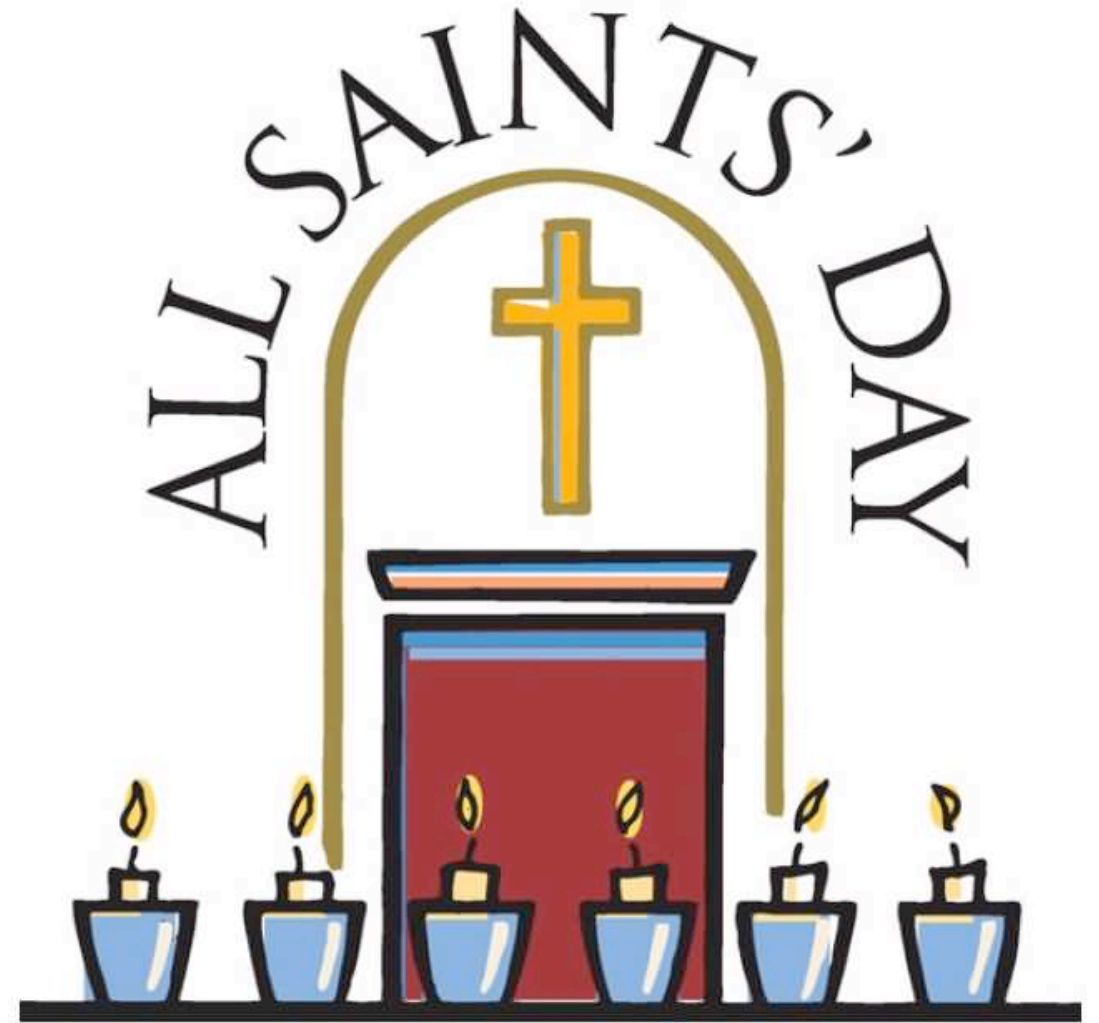
Record of our Faithfulness

*Attendance last week: 47 Offering: \$1,064.00 Matthew 25: \$30.00
*Norma Siman Memorial Fund: \$100.00**

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ✓ Sunday, November 5 – 2:00 p.m. Norma Siman's memorial service at the north church
- ✓ Sunday, November 5 – 3:30 p.m. Mexico Mission Trip Meeting
- ✓ Tuesday, November 7 – 7:00 p.m. Education Committee Meeting
- ✓ Wednesday, November 8 – 7:00 p.m. Apple Butter Festival wrap-up
- ✓ Thursday, November 9 – 1:30 and 6:30 Bible Study (Psalm 139:1-18)
- ✓ Sunday, November 12 – Veteran's Recognition

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR NORMA SIMAN – There will be a memorial service for Norma Siman next Sunday at 2:00 p.m. at the north church. There will be a catered luncheon at the Chatham Memorial Hall (VFW) following the service.



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