

**Chiming of the Hour** The Children of Highland Park

**Prelude** *For All The Saints*  
Mark Stern, organist & accompanist

**Welcome from the Waters** Rev. Masyn Evans-Clements,  
Associate Pastor

**Call to Worship, No. 693**, spoken in unison Rev. Masyn Evans-Clements

**Baptism of Caleb Gamble and Celeste Albritton**

Pastor: Caleb and Celeste, you have been raised from the waters of baptism to newness of life. You have become one with the witness of God from all times and all places. Through your baptism, God promises you the gift of the Holy Spirit to nurture you all the days of your life. Receive now this gift and the blessing of this living community of faith, the body of Christ.

**People: We thank you, God, for these lives and for your empowering love, freely given to all. We bless and welcome you home in the name of the Living Christ. We praise God for all the gifts you bring to this community and to all of creation. We covenant with you now: to love God with all our heart, mind and strength and to love all our neighbors as ourselves.**

**Hymn of Faith, No. 443** *Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know*

**Passing the Peace** Donna Reisenbigler, Liturgist

One: The Lord be with you.

**Many: And also with you.**

One: Lift up your hearts.

**Many: We lift them up unto the Lord.**

One: Now with the power of God's love and in the fullness of God's spirit, please greet one another with the Peace of Christ!

**Hymn of Peace** *All Are Welcome Here*  
Children are invited to the front steps for the children's sermon

**Children's Sermon** Rev. Masyn Evans-Clements  
Children 2nd grade and below are dismissed to the nursery.

**Remembering the Saints, Hymn, No. 567** *For All the Saints*

Larry Thane	Pat Mustoe	Mr. Weaver
Rev. John Nichol	Martha Burns	Benita Herrera Navarro
Carol Lake	David McDonold	Nancy Kinzler
Rev. Roger Paynter	Jeff Blackwelder	Loraine Reese
Jane Gilliam	Gordon Ritchie	Charles Ray Russell
Willard (Bill) Sapp	Jack Brandon	Jack Nation

**Offertory Prayer** Donna Reisenbigler

**Offertory** *Elegy*,  
Mark Stern

**Doxology, tune No. 706, Old 100th**  
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God, above ye heavenly host;  
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Pastoral Prayer** Rev. Masyn Evans-Clements  
After each celebration is shared the congregation responds with  
**Our hearts rejoice with yours.**

**The Lord's Prayer** **spoken in unison**

**Special Music** *Come to the Waters*,  
Hannah Neas, soloist and Rev. Masyn Evans-Clements, guitarist

Scripture Reading

Mark 12:28-34

Sermon

"The Shema Prayer "

Rev. Cheryl Kimble,  
Pastor

Words of Institution & Communion

Hymn of Response, No. 556

*On Jordan's Stormy Banks*

Announcements

Rev. Cheryl Kimble

Sung Benediction

*Go In Peace*

Postlude

*Toccata in E Minor,*  
Mark Stern

### **Announcements**

Please look for Roxanne and her Mission Ministry team to get your **Salvation Army Angel Christmas Tree** assignment. The bag you will be given includes the gift info for the child in need. The filled bags are due back December 1st.

Are you able to give a little time on Tuesday to offer **a little hospitality to the voters?** We will be serving coffee. Contact the office please with your availability.

**Rev. Masyn Evans-Clements wants to have coffee with you!** Masyn wants to have coffee with every single person that's a part of our church family. Schedule with her for a coffee or lunch chat at this link, and she'll see you there! <https://calendly.com/masynec-thechurchathp>

**Fall Food Drive** Nov. 3-17. Food will be collected in the Atrium and then delivered to The Baptist Community Center Mission and Micah 6 Food Pantry. **Get your bag and list today!**

**Womanfest** Nov. 8-10

**Youth Fall Retreat** dates are November 22-24th.

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**Highland  
Park**

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TO THE  
TABLE

The Worship of God  
on November 3, 2024

Welcome to our worship service. We are so glad you're here.  
All are welcome here because all are worthy.