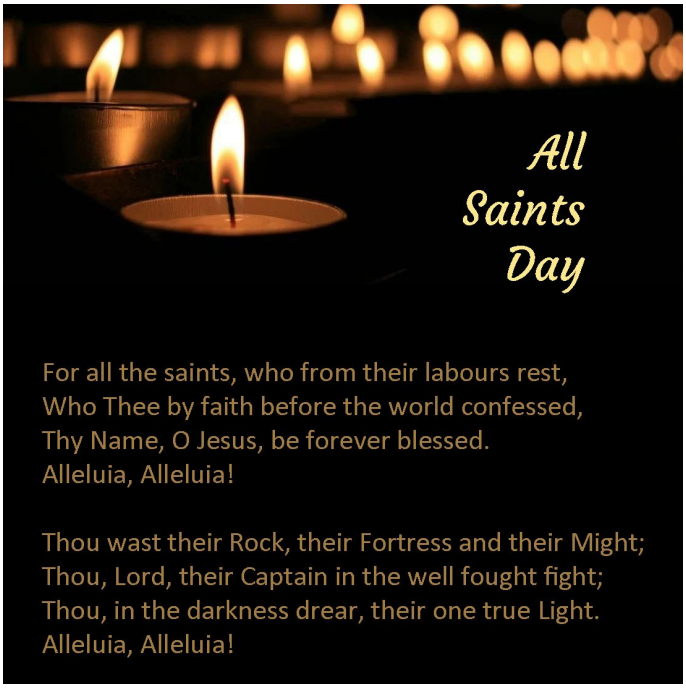
Twenty-Third Sunday
after
Pentecost
November 1, 2026



Order of Worship

✣*Please stand in body or in spirit*

We are pleased to welcome all who have come to worship with us this morning! Your presence is a blessing.

Welcome

✣Call to Worship:

Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song.
Rejoice and be glad, for the Lord reigns
Praise God with dance.
Praise God with songs of adoration.
For God lifts up the lowly and casts down the mighty.
Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song.

✣Hymn: "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" ..... UMH 703

Opening Prayer (In Unison)

Glorious God, we come into your holy presence with joy and gratitude. Bless this time of worship to draw us closer to you. Bless our lives to shine brightly with your love. Bless our work in the world to bring your justice and compassion to life. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

Anthem ..... Choir

Prayer, Praises, and 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

Offering

Prayer

✣Doxology

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.

All Saints' Day Remembrance

Hymn: "Shall We Gather at the River" vv. 1 and 4 ..... UMH 723

Prayer of Illumination (In unison)

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and your word is proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

New Testament Lesson: Revelation 21:1-7 (p 1230)

✣Gospel Lesson: John 14:1-14 (pp 1067-1068)

This is the Word of God for the People of God
Thanks be to God

(Over)

Zion United Methodist Church
In Cambridge, Maryland

MESSAGE*: Yes, Heaven Is for Real!* ..... Pastor Missy
A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II ..... UMH 12
✣HYMN: "Amazing Grace" vv. 1-3 and 6..... UMH 378
✣BENEDICTION

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of

Sweetie & Sheriff Robinson

by Susan Robinson.

Reading for Sun., November 8, 2026

Philippians 4:10-20

Give to God through Zion UMC

Sound:	Kenny Thomas	Accompanist:	Irene Howard
Greeter:	Susan Matthews	Choir Director:	Karla Wilkins
Videographer:	Brandon Crawford	Scripture:	George Thomas
Ushers:	Gene Williams & Tom Wilson	Pastor:	Missy Rekitzke

ATTENDANCE:
Sun., October 25, 2026
In-person: 57 Online: 3

Zion's Mission Statement

The mission of Zion UMC is to provide a loving community to welcome all who seek a Gospel-based commitment with Jesus Christ, through which their relationship with Him can thrive and to provide opportunities to serve others in His name.

Zion's Core Values

- Worship is the core of our life together.
- We are family.
- We grow disciples.
- We honor God by serving others.
- We live as God's stewards.
- We respect our heritage.

OTHER INFORMATION

Praise and Prayer Concerns may be emailed to office@zionumccambridge.org.
They will not be read during today's service, but added to next week's list.
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