

# All Saints Eve

October 31, 2021



## St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church

*Our Guest Celebrant this morning is Pastor Deena Galantowicz*

**WELCOME**

St. Cyprian's is a welcoming, inclusive, vibrant community of faith, where every person is invited to engage in our worship, mission, and ministry, and ALL are welcomed at our Communion Table. This booklet contains all you will need for this morning's worship. Information about upcoming events, activities, and ministries are found on the last page. If you are a visitor, or new to St. Cyprian's, we would be honored to have your name and contact information to keep you informed of news of our church and ministries; the blue information brochure available from a Greeter has a form that you may use. WELCOME!

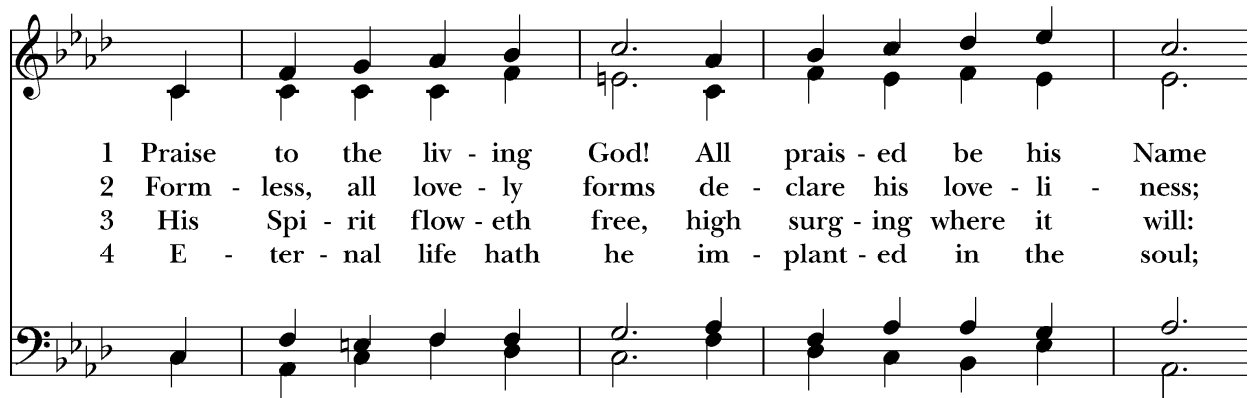
PRELUDE

"Prelude on the hymntune 'Sine Nomine'"

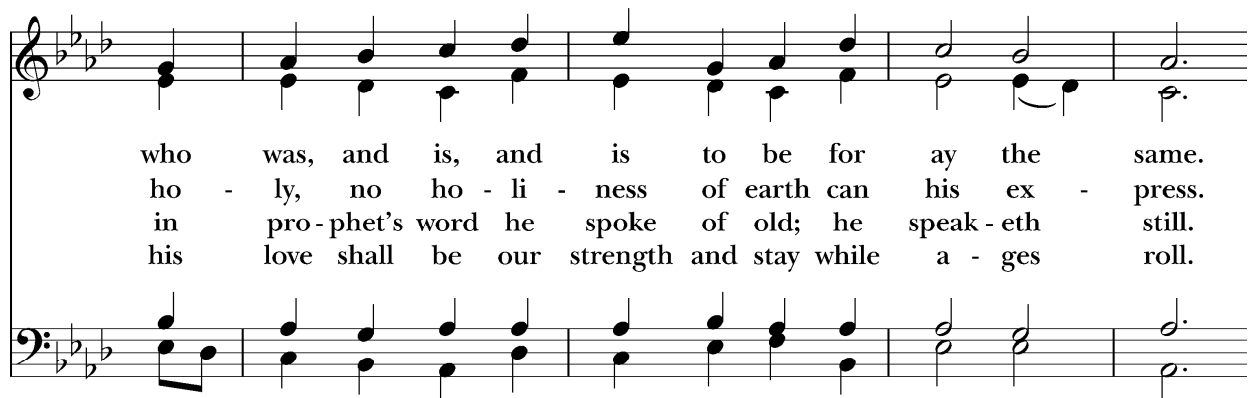
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OPENING HYMN

"Praise to the Living God"



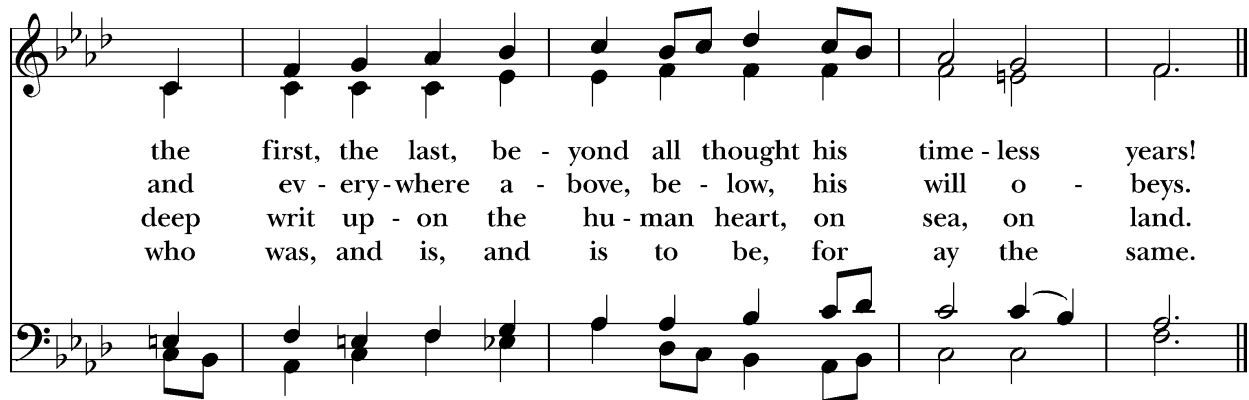
1 Praise to the liv - ing God! All prais - ed be his Name  
 2 Form - less, all love - ly forms de - clare his love - li - ness;  
 3 His Spi - rit flow - eth free, high surg - ing where it will:  
 4 E - ter - nal life hath he im - plant - ed in the soul;



who was, and is, and is to be for ay the same.  
 ho - ly, no ho - li - ness of earth can his ex - press.  
 in pro - phet's word he spoke of old; he speak - eth still.  
 his love shall be our strength and stay while a - ges roll.



The one e - ter - nal God ere aught that now ap - pears:  
 Lo, he is Lord of all. Cre - a - tion speaks his praise,  
 Es - tab - lished is his law, and change - less it shall stand,  
 Praise to the liv - ing God! All prais - ed be his Name



the first, the last, be - yond all thought his time - less years!  
 and ev - ery - where a - bove, be - low, his will o - bey.  
 deep writ up - on the hu - man heart, on sea, on land.  
 who was, and is, and is to be, for ay the same.

# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

## OPENING ACCLAMATION

*Priest:* Blessed are you, holy and living One.

*People:* **Glory to God for ever and ever**

## COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## HYMN OF PRAISE:

**"All with Joyful Exultation"**

*Hasidic melody*

*Refrain* Am (Psalm 30) E



All with joy - ful ex - ul - ta - tion let us sing to God our praise;



to the rock of our sal - va - tion loud ho - san - nas raise.



1 Lord, we sing with joy - ful voic - es; your great  
2 Praise to you, our sure sal - va - tion, you, the



power can lift and save; by your heal - ing  
Ho - ly One a - bove. End the night so



touch, re - vive us; life re - store be - yond the grave.  
dimmed by an - guish, with your light of peace and love.

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Priest:* Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

## THE FIRST READING:

**Isaiah 25:6-9**

<sup>6</sup>On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear. <sup>7</sup>And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; <sup>8</sup>he will swallow up death forever. Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. <sup>9</sup>It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

*Reader:* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

*People:* **Amen. Amen.**

## PSALM 24

- <sup>1</sup>The earth is the LORD's and all that is in it, \*  
**the world and all who dwell therein.**
- <sup>2</sup>For it is he who founded it upon the seas \*  
**and made it firm upon the rivers of the deep.**
- <sup>3</sup>"Who can ascend the hill of the LORD? \*  
**and who can stand in his holy place?"**
- <sup>4</sup>"Those who have clean hands and a pure heart, \*  
**who have not pledged themselves to falsehood,  
nor sworn by what is a fraud.**
- <sup>5</sup>They shall receive a blessing from the LORD \*  
**and a just reward from the God of their salvation."**
- <sup>6</sup>Such is the generation of those who seek him, \*  
**of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob.**
- <sup>7</sup>Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; \*  
**and the King of glory shall come in.**
- <sup>8</sup>"Who is this King of glory?" \*  
**"The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle."**
- <sup>9</sup>Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; \*  
**and the King of glory shall come in.**
- <sup>10</sup>"Who is he, this King of glory?" \*  
**"The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory."**

## THE SECOND READING:

**Revelation 21:1-6a**

<sup>1</sup>I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. <sup>2</sup>And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. <sup>3</sup>And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; <sup>4</sup>he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." <sup>5</sup>And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things

new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." <sup>6a</sup>Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

*Reader:* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

*People:* **Amen. Amen.**

## GRADUAL

### "Help Us Accept Each Other"



1 Help us ac - cept each oth - er as Christ ac - cept - ed us;  
2 Teach us, O Lord, your les - sons, as in our dai - ly life  
3 Let your ac - cep - tance change us, so that we may be moved  
4 Lord, for to - day's en - coun - ters with all who are in need,



teach us as sis - ter, broth - er, each per - son to em - brace.  
we strug - gle to be hu - man and search for hope and faith.  
in liv - ing sit - u - a - tions to do the truth in love;  
who hun - ger for ac - cep - tance, for jus - tice and for bread,



Be pres - ent, Lord, a - mong us and bring us to be - lieve  
Teach us to care for peo - ple, for all, not just for some,  
to prac - tice your ac - cep - tance un - til we know by heart  
we need new eyes for see - ing, new hands for hold - ing on:



we are our - selves ac - cept - ed, and meant to love and live.  
to love them as we find them, or as they may be - come.  
the ta - ble of for - give - ness, and laugh - ter's heal - ing art.  
re - new us with your Spir - it; Lord, free us; make us one!

## THE GOSPEL:

**John 11:32-44**

*Priest:* The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John.

*People:* **Glory to you Lord Christ.**

<sup>32</sup>When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." <sup>33</sup>When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. <sup>34</sup>He said, "Where have you laid him?" They

said to him, "Lord, come and see." <sup>35</sup>Jesus began to weep. <sup>36</sup>So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" <sup>37</sup>But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?" <sup>38</sup>Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. <sup>39</sup>Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." <sup>40</sup>Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" <sup>41</sup>So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. <sup>42</sup>I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." <sup>43</sup>When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" <sup>44</sup>The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

*Priest:* The Gospel of our Lord.

*People:* Amen. Amen.

## THE SERMON

**Pastor Deena Galantowicz**

### A DECLARATION OF FAITH

I believe in the one true God, the Creator of humanity,  
who creates and sustains the universe  
in wisdom and power,  
who calls us into being and into relationship  
with God by grace,  
whose nature is love.

I believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God,  
who lived that we might see God,  
who died that we might be reconciled to God,  
who rose again that we might experience the life of God,  
who freely accepts and welcomes all who come to him,  
not on the basis of merit,  
but on the basis of unconditional love.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
who is God present with us now,  
who shows us our need for God,  
who assures us of God's love in all circumstances,  
who lives the life and love of Jesus Christ through us.

Amen.

### THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Leader:* Blessed are you eternal God.

*People:* **To be praised and glorified for ever.**

*Leader:* Source of all love, hear us as we pray for the unity of the Church.

*People :* **May we all be one that the world may believe.**

*Leader:* Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you.

*People :* **That the life of Christ may be revealed in us.**

*Leader:* Strengthen all who minister in the name of Christ.

*People :* **Give us courage to proclaim your gospel.**

*Leader:* Inspire and lead those who hold authority in the nations of the world.

*People :* **Guide us and all people in the way of justice and peace.**

*Leader:* Make us alive to the needs of our community.

*People:* **Help us to share one another's joys and burdens.**

*Leader:* Look with kindness on our homes and families.

*People :* **Grant that your love may grow in our hearts.**

*Leader:* Have compassion on those who suffer from sickness, grief or trouble.

*People:* **In your presence may they find strength.**

*Leader:* We remember those who have died.

*People:* **Father, into your hands we commend them.**

*Leader:* Remembering blessed Cyprian we praise you for all your saints who have entered your eternal glory.

*People:* **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

*Leader:* Lord you have called us to serve you.

*People:* **Grant that we may walk in your presence:**

**Your love in our hearts,**

**Your truth in our minds,**

**Your strength in our wills,**

**Until, at the end of our journey,**

**We may know the joy of our homecoming**

**And the welcome of your embrace,**

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## CONFESSION OF SIN

*Priest:* Let us confess our sins to God.

**Most merciful God,**

**we confess that we have sinned against you**

**in thought, word, and deed,**

**by what we have done,**

**and by what we have left undone.**

**We have not loved you with our whole heart;**

**we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

**We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.**

**For the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ,**

**have mercy on us and forgive us;**

**that we may delight in your will,**

**and walk in your ways,**

**to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

*Priest:* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

**Amen.**

## THE PEACE

*Priest:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

# WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## OFFERTORY HYMN "I Sing a Song of the Saints of God"



1 I sing a song of the saints of God, pa - tient and  
2 They loved their Lord so dear, so dear, and God's love  
3 They lived not on - ly in a - ges past; there are hun - dreds of



brave and true, who toiled and fought and lived and  
made them strong; and they fol - lowed the right, for Je - sus'  
thou - sands still; the world is bright with the joy - ous



died for the Lord they loved and knew. And one was a  
sake, the whole of their good lives long. And one was a  
saints who love to do Je - sus' will. You can meet them in



doc - tor, and one was a queen, and one was a shep - herd - ess  
sol - dier, and one was a priest, and one was slain by a  
school, or in lanes, or at sea, in church, or in trains, or in



on the green: they were all of them saints of  
fierce wild beast: and there's not an - y rea - son,  
shops, or at tea; for the saints of God are just



God, and I mean, God help - ing, to be one too.  
no, not the least, why I should - n't be one too.  
folk like me, and I mean to be one too.



# THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Priest:* Lift up your hearts.

*People:* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Priest:* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People:* **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All thanks and praise are yours at all times and in all places, our true and loving God; through Jesus Christ, your eternal Word, the Wisdom from on high by whom you created all things. You laid the foundations of the world and enclosed the sea when it burst out from the womb; You brought forth all creatures of the earth and gave breath to humankind. Wondrous are you, Holy One of Blessing, all you create is a sign of hope for our journey; And so as the morning stars sing your praises we join the heavenly beings and all creation as we shout with joy:

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of the  
2 Bless - ed is he who comes in the

(A) (D/F#) (F#m) (G) (A) (Bm)  
C F/A Am B<sup>b</sup> C Dm

pow - er and might, heav - en and earth are  
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

(G) (D) (A) (Bm) (Em7) (A) (Dsus) (D)  
B<sup>b</sup> F C Dm Gm7 C Fsus F

full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all, your Word has never been silent; you called a people to yourself, as a light to the nations, you delivered them from bondage and led them to a land of promise. Of your grace, you gave Jesus to be human, to share our life, to proclaim the coming of your holy reign and give himself for us, a fragrant offering. Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer, you have freed us from sin, brought us into your life, reconciled us to you, and restored us to the glory you intend for us.

We thank you that on the night before he died for us Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, gave it to his friends and said: "Take, eat, this is my Body, broken for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends and said: "Drink this, all of you: this cup is the new Covenant, poured out for you and for all. Do this for the remembrance of me."

And so, remembering all that was done for us: the cross, the tomb, the resurrection and ascension, longing for Christ's coming in glory, and presenting to you these gifts your earth has formed and human hands have made, we acclaim you, O Christ:

*Priest and People*

**Dying, you destroyed our death.  
Rising, you restored our life.  
Christ Jesus, come in glory!**

Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts of bread and wine that they may be to us the Body and Blood of your Christ. Grant that we, burning with your Spirit's power, may be a people of hope, justice and love. Giver of Life, draw us together in the Body of Christ, and in the fullness of time gather us with blessed Saint Cyprian and all your people into the joy of our true eternal home. Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, we worship you our God and Creator in voices of unending praise.

*Priest and People*

**Blessed are you now and for ever. AMEN.**

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.**

## **THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

*Priest:* Alleluia. We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

*People:* **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

*Priest:* *The gifts of God for the People of God.*

## **POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

Let us pray.

**Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage  
to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **BLESSING**

May God's blessing be with you,  
Christ's peace be with you,  
and the Spirit's outpouring be with you, now and always.  
**Amen.**

## CLOSING HYMN

### "For All the Saints"



1 For all the saints who from their la - bors rest, who  
2 Thou wast their rock, their for - tress, and their might;  
3 O blest com - mu - nion, fel - low - ship di - vine!  
4 And when the strife is fierce, the war - fare long,  
5 From earth's wide bounds, from o - cean's far - thest coast, through



thee by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, thy  
thou, Lord, their cap - tain in the well - fought fight;  
We fee - bly strug - gle; they in glo - ry shine; yet  
steals on the ear the dis - tant tri - umph song, and  
gates of pearl streams in the count - less host,



name, O Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.  
thou, in the dark - ness drear, their one true light.  
all are one in thee, for all are thine.  
hearts are brave a - gain, and arms are strong.  
sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost,



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

## DISMISSAL

*Priest:* Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of God's Spirit.

*People:* Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

## POSTLUDE

### "For All the Saints"

*Callahan*

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**The Flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God  
in gratitude for Pastor Deena, her years of dedication and leadership,  
and Dick for his ever-present behind the scenes support.  
A very happy retirement to you both!**

## **Prayer List**

We pray for those known to the people of St. Cyprian's who are ill or who have asked for our prayers: Sue Paul, Linda Larrimore, Dick & Jean Parker, Henning Toensmann, Barb Lofquist, Jane Schwab, Carol Ann Romaine, Joe Finnegan, Bobbi Miller, Bill Wall, Elise Osako, Pat Laurencelle, Jon Wiles, Jim Colee, and Beth.

We pray also for Raymond & Leslie Stricklen, Joan Athey, Elise Loney, Debby Self, Holly and Mark Arnim, Mary Caldwell, Gracia McCabe, Eric & Denise Glaude, Karen Mullis, Jaime Turner, Lori & Jagger, Penny, Jay Holdman, Brian, Angela & Ariel, Terress Lang, Bobby Morrow, Steve Larew, Rick & Margie Oney, Barbara Presha, Bob Merrell, Donna Miami, Bruce Cudworth, Hal Dockins, Marty Turner, Peter Morin, Norma Sherry, Daria, Bob Mermell, Linda Parker, Marnie, Jeff, Dennis O'Neill, George Libonate, Patti Morrissey, Bonnie Wahiba, Foster Swann, Peter Ripley, Garrison Williams, Debbie Gagnon, Irma Brooks, Kelli Ann Dishmon, Jim Bullock, Allison Paisley, Carrie C., Susie, Catherine Martin, Liza Aston.

**About the Prayer List** – If you would like to add someone to our Prayer List please use the form you'll find on the table near the door. And, please let us know when to take someone's name off our Prayer List.

## **Dining With Dignity**

The next date for St. Cyprian's is this Tuesday, November 2nd. To participate, call or text Linda Kish at (904) 377-7666, to see what we need this month or what you can offer.

## **Habitat for Humanity**

St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church has been invited to become a Sponsoring Congregation of Habitat for Humanity of St. Johns County. The cost of congregational sponsorship is \$5000 and includes recognition when new homes are dedicated, shared signage at the building site, church name in the dedication flyer, and group photo on social media. The Mission Board has accepted the invitation. One donation of \$2500 has already been made, and it will serve as a matching grant for congregational members to contribute the remaining \$2500. We are excited to be participating in this important housing project. Please earmark your checks for HABITAT in the memo.

## **Zoom Meetings**

**Racial Justice Discussion Group – Mondays 11am**

**Aging Angels – Tuesdays at 10am**

**Virtual Coffee Hour – Wednesdays at 10am**

**Centering Prayer – Wednesdays at 4:30pm**

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