First United Methodist Church Covington

All Saints Sunday
Sunday, October 30, 2016

Dr. L.C. Bierman
Bruce Bishop
Elizabeth Bryant
Don Chastain
Monte Connell, Sr.

Rev. Norman Crittenden

Claudine Elder

Mike Fleming

Henry Glass, Sr.

James Gray

Bob Hensley

Wayne Locke

Dave Marshall

Edith McBride

Rev. Grace Phelps

Dave Seagrave

Devon Spearman

Buddy Travis

Laurene Turner

Edward Twohig

All Saints Day Litany

We remember the great ancestors of our faith, from Abraham and Sarah, to Paul and Phoebe: **Ancestors of the faith, we remember you.**

We remember the prophets and priests, the ministers and teachers who have taught us the way of God: **Teachers of the faith, we remember you.**

We remember our grandparents and parents, aunts and uncles, those who have gone before us in our lifetime: Family of our faith, we remember you.

We lift up the memories of children and grandchildren, brothers and sisters, husbands and wives and parents whose lives ended too soon:

Those close in our heart, we remember you.

We lift up to You, O God, the names of those we have lost in this past year from our lives, knowing that they are with Your heart forever. As we read these names, we will pause after every name to remember, pray, and give thanks for their life.

(Names of those who have died in the past year will be read.)

We celebrate the lives of those we have named, O God, and lift up many more names in our hearts.

Family of God, we remember you, and we honor you. We know you are with us in the spirit of worship, and you will not be forgotten.

We give thanks, O God, for all who have gone on to join with You beyond this life. We trust in the hope of resurrection and the promise of new life in Christ, and know that in our grief and celebration, O God, You are with us through it all, and we are not left alone. In the name of Christ, in whom love lives forever, we pray. Amen.



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