

## SERMON OUTLINE

### Why Make an Offering?: Celebration

Deuteronomy 14:22-29; Mark 14:22-25

November 3, 2024

I. Introduction

II. Series: Why Make an Offering?

III. Reframe the offering (Deut. 14:22-29)

A. A tithe (14:22)

B. Have a party (14:23, 26)

C. Share (14:29)

D. How? (14:26)

E. Why?

1. Fear God (14:23)

2. Blessing (14:29)

IV. Our celebration (Mark 14:12-25)

A. Pledge

B. Celebrate communion

1. Passover celebration (14:14)

2. A foretaste (14:25)

V. Conclusion: The reframe

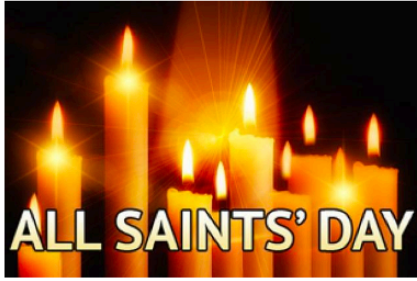
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**SERMON NOTES:**

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Today we honor and remember:

Judy Klein  
Suz Morse

George Ross  
Scott Thompson



**Congregational Meeting  
November 17**

Immediately following worship we will hold a congregational meeting for the purposes of electing officers, revision of Pastor's package, and Endowment committee considerations.



**Betty's Buddies**  
November 14  
11:30 am  
Beach Diner  
501 Atlantic Blvd.

Pastor Jon will be out of town November 4-11. JoAnne will be covering pastoral care needs. She is available at (512) 636-3952.




Pastor Jon recently made a pilgrimage to Turkey. He invites you immediately following the service today in the sanctuary, to come share his experience through pictures.



**Blood Drive**  
November 17  
9:00 am—1:00 pm

OneBlood will be in the church parking lot collecting blood. If you would like to make a donation, contact Tim Keeley at [timfromjax@hotmail.com](mailto:timfromjax@hotmail.com)



# The Power of Song

Stories & experiences from  
performing live music in  
health care settings.

All proceeds go to the benefit of:

 **NAMI** | Jacksonville Florida  
National Alliance on Mental Illness

When:  
Sunday, Nov. 17, 2:00 p.m.  
Where: HBPC Sanctuary  
Presented by:  
Joel Kovacs



**Parents Group**  
**November 9**  
**4:00 –6:00 pm**

Last week we announced the formation of a new group for parents of elementary age children and below. We have the folks lined up to be with the children. Now we need you all who are in this group to let us know you are coming.

The first gathering of this group is Saturday, November 9 from 4 to 6 at the church...you drop your kiddos off in the Fellowship Hall and then head down to the Sonrise Room with a covered dish to share. Down in the Sonrise Room you all will gather round the tables, break bread and talk about how you want this group to gather and function. While y'all are down there we will be doing something in the Fellowship Hall with the kiddos and we are planning chicken nuggets and mac & cheese.

Please RSVP to Ms. JoAnne at [jsharp@hbpcusa.org](mailto:jsharp@hbpcusa.org) by November 6, so we can plan care and food for your kiddos.



**Church Family Thanksgiving Dinner**  
**November 28**  
**12 noon**

The Fellowship team wants to celebrate Thanksgiving dinner this year by offering it at our church for any of our church family who may not be able to be with loved ones. We plan to gather at noon in the Fellowship Hall. A family has offered to provide fried turkey, and we are asking that each household bring a dish to share.

Suggested items are: dressing, mashed potatoes, sweet potato casseroles, vegetables, salads, rolls, cornbread, deviled eggs, pies, cakes, other desserts, other traditional Thanksgiving foods that you enjoy.

Please contact Cathy Steve at [ccsteve@comcast.net](mailto:ccsteve@comcast.net) or (904) 312-1539 if you are interested in participating and advising what you plan to bring so there will be a good variety of foods.