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The Rev. Raymond H. Phyles — Mrs. Margaret Knowlton
Pastor (phone 531-2264) — Organist
All Saints' Sunday — November 1, 2009
Service of Holy Communion I — 9:30 a.m.

Preparation

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*The Postlude		Depart joyfully to serve	

Congregation Standing

Lay Assistant: Fred Faust
Lector: Tom Knowlton
Ushers: Ralph & Becky Comeau
Nursery: Chip & Shannon

Please disable all cellphones and other devices upon entering the sanctuary. Thank you.

The flowers on the Altar this morning have been presented by Paul and Susan Dancewicz to the glory of God, in honor of their twenty-third wedding anniversary, and in memory of loved ones.

We rejoice to gather with all the saints at our Lord's Table as we celebrate the Eucharist today. St. John practices Eucharistic hospitality. All baptized Christians who have been admitted to the sacrament in other traditions are invited to share the bread and wine of the feast. If you prefer to receive the elements in your place, please let an usher know. If you prefer non-alcoholic wine, please let Pastor know quietly at the communion rail. Young people are also invited to approach the altar to receive a pastoral blessing.

We extend a cordial welcome to all who may be worshipping with us this morning. St. John is a congregation of God's people worshipping and serving in the Reformation tradition. We invite you to worship with us again and to join with us in our ministry here on the North Shore. Please sign our Guest Book before you leave, and please join us downstairs following the service for coffee and light refreshments.

Our Sunday church school classes begin at 11:00 a.m. Please help us conclude the coffee hour promptly.

The WELCA Annual Fall Fair will take place this coming Saturday, November 7 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., here at the church. Please bring any white elephants, jewelry, books, donations for the fruit baskets, and baked goods here to the church this week. Electronic donations will be returned to the donor if they do not sell. Your help in setting the tables at the end of the week will be greatly appreciated. Please see Becky Comeau or Linda Berg for details. Your help and your generosity are greatly appreciated.

Names and ages of Penobscot Indian children are posted downstairs. We encourage you to select a name and then to buy age-and gender-appropriate clothing and toys for the name you select. Rev. Pat Bade will deliver our gifts to the reservation prior to the holidays. Thank you for your generous support.

Our annual Coat Drive begins today. Please bring any clean and wearable winter coats, hats, scarves, and mittens - especially for women and children - here to the church over the next month. A large container is ready for your donations in the undercroft. All clothing received will be distributed to those who need warm outerwear as winter approaches. Thank you for your support.

Please continue to use the blue offering envelopes to help pay for care and maintenance of the church building. As always we are all grateful for your generosity.

If you forgot to set your clocks back yesterday, you arrived early to church!

We ask your prayers and concern for those members and friends of St. John today and throughout the coming week.

Ellen Hepburn — David Fredricksen — Carol White
Corey Reed — Anna Snow

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We join with those who mourn in remembering before God and one another these members and friends who have departed in the sign of the faith.

Alli Sanelma Kaarina Lee - 11/3/04
Elsa Johanna Kilpinen - 11/6/90

Love truth,
but pardon error.

- Voltaire -