Gathering #1128/Livestream #348
Nov. 8, 2026 Series: ALL SAINTS
Sermon: Both

The Problem with Saints…

Who is a Saint?

- 1st c. _____
- 2nd-3rd c. _____
- 4th c. _____
- 11th-12th c. _____

Ephesians 1:1-10 and 4:1-3 (p. 946-948)

Today: Fr. Maximilian Kolbe, 1894-1941

_____ of love are preceded by _____of love.

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Paul calls all who belong to Christ "hagioi," traditionally translated: "saints"; or in some translations: "God's holy people." See: Romans 1:7, 1 Corinthians 1:2, Ephesians 1:1, Colossians 1:2, 1 Timothy 5:10

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coming events: **sign ups:**

NEXT:
11.29: Full Family Sunday (Loft and Cottage classes join main gathering)
12.8: Lament Gathering: 7-9, Theater
12.13: Kids Christmas Sunday
12.20: Christmas Choir Sunday
12.24: Three Christmas Eve Gatherings: 2:30, 4:00, 5:30, in the Theater

HOME GROUP DISCUSSION:

- Who is someone you admire for their extraordinary love or generosity? What have you observed in their everyday life that might help explain their character?
- In Eph. 1, Paul describes Christians as God's holy people - as saints -before he gives them any instructions about how to live. What shifts when we understand holiness as an identity we receive rather than an achievement?
- Kolbe lived much of his life in obscurity, without knowing how his story would end or whether anyone would remember him. How does living for an audience of One - God alone - affect the way we think about success or significance?
- Which of Kolbe's "small acts" of love resonates most with you? Why?
- What's and example of a small act of love that is easy for you to overlook?
- What parts of following Jesus are you eager to embrace? Which parts are you reluctant to embrace?
- Pray for grace to accept both.

TODAY IN THE INFO CENTER:

- Foxe's Book of Martyrs - free
- Emmaus ball caps - $20