All Saints' Episcopal Church The Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

THE HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

Sunday, August 7, 2022 🔶 10:00 a.m.

Welcome Home!

Welcome to worship at All Saints'. If this is your first time with us, we invite you to complete a visitor's card and place it in the offering plate. Our website provides current information and access to our digital content: allsaintsatlanta.org. This bulletin contains all you need to join us in worship, everyone is welcome to receive communion at God's table, and the clergy are happy to speak with you at any time. We are delighted you're here – welcome home!



The people stand as the bell tolls.

Opening Acclamation

CelebrantBlessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.

~Hebrews 11:1

Processional Hymn | 637

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Blessing of the Backpacks |

<i>Leader</i>	In the morning when I wake to ready myself for learning,
People	God, be the light that guides my day.
Leader	As I make my way to school by car, bus, bike, wheelchair, or feet,
People	God, be the light that shines the way.
Leader	At the greeting of old and new friends in the hallways and on the playground,
People	God, be the light they see in my eyes.
Leader	If I see a new face in the school building this year,
People	God, help me give light and love to each new friend.
Leader	When I feel overwhelmed, or sad, or scared,
People	God, remind me that your light can't ever be dimmed.
Leader	With the dawn of each new day comes the chance to start again, another opportunity to
	be exactly who you made me to be,
People	God, give me confidence to be fully me, that my light reflects your creative majesty.
Leader	When I go to sleep at night, thankful for another day of learning,
People	God, give me rest beneath your stars of night, surrounded by your love, light, and peace.
	Amen.





Collect of the Day

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLet us pray.

Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who cannot exist without you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The people are seated.

The First Lesson | Genesis 15:1-6

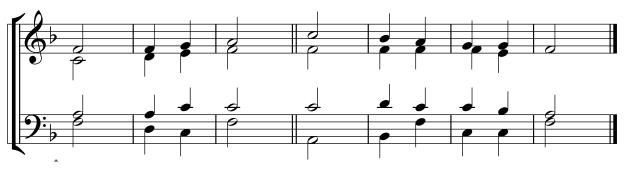
The word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, "Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great." But Abram said, "O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" And Abram said, "You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir." But the word of the Lord came to him, "This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir." He brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them." Then he said to him, "So shall your descendants be." And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness.

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

Psalm | 50:1-8, 23-24 *Deus deorum*

The people remain seated and sing the appointed psalm.

Chant: Richard Farrant (c. 1525-1580)



- 1 The Lord the God of / gods has / spoken; * he has called the earth from the / rising · of the / sun · to its / setting.
- 2 Out of Zion / perfect · in its / beauty, * God re-/ veals him-/ self in / glory.
- 3 Our God will come and / will not · keep / silence; * before him there is a consuming flame, and round a-/ bout him · a / rag-ing / storm.
- 4 He calls the heav'ns and the / earth · from a-/ bove * to witness the / judg-ment / of his/ people.
- 5 "Gather before me my / loy-al / followers, * those who have made a covenant with / me and / sealed it · with / sacrifice."
- 6 Let the heav'ns declare the / rightness · of his / cause; * for / God him-/ self is / judge.
 7 Hear O my people and I will speak:
 - "O Israel I will bear / witness · a-/ gainst you; * for / I am / God your / God.



8 I do not accuse you be-/ cause · of your / sacrifices; * your / offrings · are / always · be-/ fore me.

- 23 Consider this well you who for-/ gët / God, * lest I rend you and / there be / none · to de-/ liver you.
- 24 Whoever offers me the sacrifice of thanks-/ giv-ing / honors me; * but to those who keep in my way will I / show the · sal-/ vation · of / God."

The Second Lesson | Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

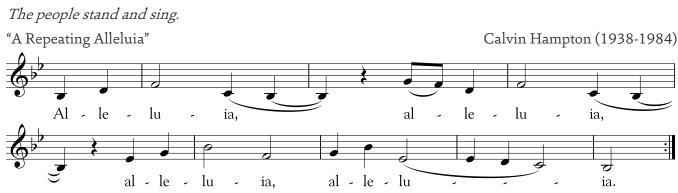
Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. Indeed, by faith our ancestors received approval. By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was made from things that are not visible.

By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to set out for a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; and he set out, not knowing where he was going. By faith he stayed for a time in the land he had been promised, as in a foreign land, living in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. For he looked forward to the city that has foundations, whose architect and builder is God. By faith he received power of procreation, even though he was too old-- and Sarah herself was barren-- because he considered him faithful who had promised. Therefore from one person, and this one as good as dead, descendants were born, "as many as the stars of heaven and as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore."

All of these died in faith without having received the promises, but from a distance they saw and greeted them. They confessed that they were strangers and foreigners on the earth, for people who speak in this way make it clear that they are seeking a homeland. If they had been thinking of the land that they had left behind, they would have had opportunity to return. But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; indeed, he has prepared a city for them.

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation



The Gospel | Luke 12:32-40

GospelerThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to his disciples, "Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. Sell your possessions, and give alms. Make purses for yourselves that do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

"Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for him as soon as he comes and knocks. Blessed are those slaves whom the master finds alert when he comes; truly I tell you, he will fasten his belt and have them sit down to eat, and he will come and serve them. If he comes during the middle of the night, or near dawn, and finds them so, blessed are those slaves.

"But know this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour."

GospelerThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon | The Rev. Dr. Gary Mason

The people are seated at the preacher's invitation. A period of silent prayer follows the sermon.



The Nicene Creed

The people stand.

Celebrant Let us affirm our faith using the words of the Nicene Creed.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People |

The people stand or kneel for the prayers.

<i>Intercessor</i> People	Do not be afraid, children of Abraham; the Lord, your God, is your shield. So, let us approach our God, saying, "Let your loving-kindness, O Lord, be upon us; we put our trust in you."
<i>Intercessor</i> People	Mighty God, you behold all of the people in the world. May all tribes and nations come to understand that our strength is not found in violence or weapons but in the power of your love. In the Anglican communion, we pray for The Reformed Episcopal Church of Spain. In our diocese, we pray for St. Benedict's Church in Smyrna. In our parish, we give thanks for those who make God's love incarnate in the lives of children. This day we ask blessing on those who teach and nurture our Little Saints and those who make their families welcome. Let your loving-kindness, O Lord, be upon us; we put our trust in you.
<i>Intercessor</i> People	Creator God, you are the one who made the stars of heaven and the sand by the seashore. We bless and honor you for the gifts of creation. <i>(Thanksgivings will be read aloud).</i> Let your loving-kindness, O Lord, be upon us; we put our trust in you.
Intercessor People	Defend the orphans, O God; rescue the oppressed; show compassion to those who feel lonely or isolated. And let the heavens declare the rightness of your cause. Let your loving-kindness, O Lord, be upon us; we put our trust in you.
<i>Intercessor</i> People	Comfort and heal the sick and the sorrowful. May they know that you are their help and shield. Deliver them from all fear and help them to trust in your righteousness. We pray especially for: <i>(The names of the sick will be read aloud).</i> Let your loving-kindness, O Lord, be upon us; we put our trust in you.
<i>Intercessor</i> People	Indeed, by faith our ancestors received approval. We praise you, God, that those who have died are welcomed home, where they will dwell with all men and women of faith in the city you have prepared for them. We pray for: <i>(The names of those who have died will be read aloud).</i> Let your loving-kindness, O Lord, be upon us; we put our trust in you.

Concluding Collect |

Celebrant	Lord, hear the prayers of your people; and what we have asked faithfully, grant that we
	may obtain effectually, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
People	Amen.



Confession and Absolution

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

The people stand or kneel for the confession.

Celebrant and People

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 your Son 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.

Celebrant

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

Peace |

Celebrant	The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People	And also with you.

The people exchange a sign of God's peace and are seated.

Announcements |

Your financial support helps us participate in God's work in the world. If you would like to contribute to the Sunday offering, we invite you to place your donation in the offering plate, or scan the code to the right with your phone to give electronically.



The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem |

"Christ's Flock"

Martin Shaw (1875-1958)

In Christ's own flock let love be surely placed, From Christ's own flock let concord hate expel: Of Christ's own flock let love be so embraced, As we in Christ, and Christ in us may dwell.

Christ is the author of all unity, From whence proceedeth all felicity. O sing unto this glitt'ring, glorious King. O praises bring from ev'ry living thing. Let heart and voice like bells of silver ring. Alleluia.

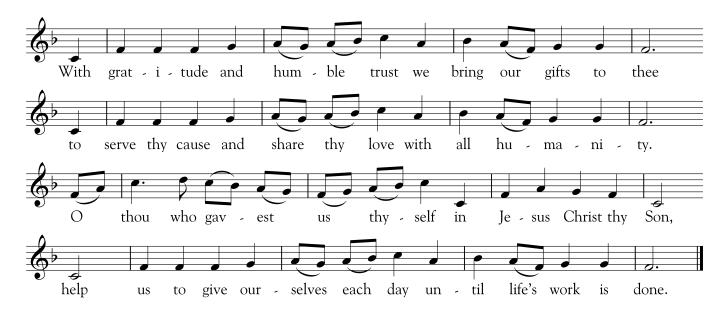
Words adapted from Francis Kinmelwershe (1540?-80?) English composer Martin Shaw wrote the anthem "Christ's Flock" for the Church of St. Francis in Ngong, Kenya. Originally a small edifice of mud and wattle, St. Francis was consecrated in 1952. Built by African and Asian crafsmen, the parish serves a mixed racial congregation, and services are conducted in English and Swahili.

Presentation Hymn | 705

The people stand.

"With gratitude and humble trust"

Forest Green



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Eucharistic Prayer B |

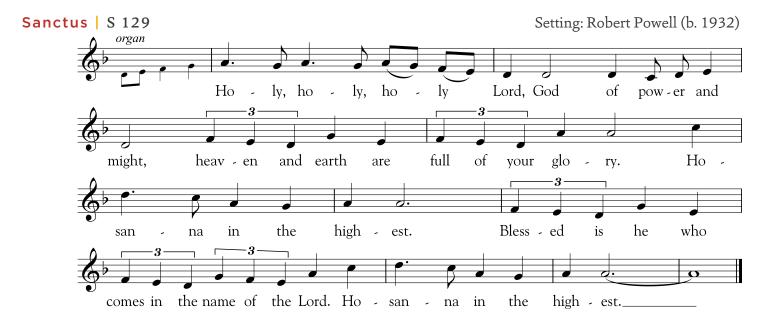
Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Celebrant	Lift up your hearts.
People	We lift them up to the Lord.
Celebrant	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People	It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth.

The Celebrant offers a proper preface for the day.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



The Celebrant continues.

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O God,

Celebrant and People We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

The Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ, and his Blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your children; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and forever. **AMEN**.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

The Lord's Prayer |

Celebrant and People Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Celebrant

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Whoever you are, wherever you are on your journey, you are welcome at this table.

The people are seated.

Healing prayers are offering in the chapel during communion.



Fraction Anthem |

"Lord I am not worthy" *Sung by the choir.*

> Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed.

Jesus is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world. Happy are those who are called to his supper.

> *Words: Matthew 8:8* Caroline LeGrand, *soprano*

Communion Meditation |

Ralph Vaughn Williams (1872-1958)

"The Call" from Five Mystical Songs

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: Such a Way, as gives us breath: Such a Truth, as ends all strife: Such a Life, as killeth death.

Come my Light, my Feast, my Strength: Such a Light, as shows a feast: Such a Feast, as mends in length: Such a Strength, as makes his guest.

Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: Such a Joy, as none can move: Such a Love, as none can part: Such a Heart, as joys in love.

Words: George Herbert (1593–1633) Jacob McDonald, baritone

Setting: Peter Miller (b. 1946)

Communion Hymn |

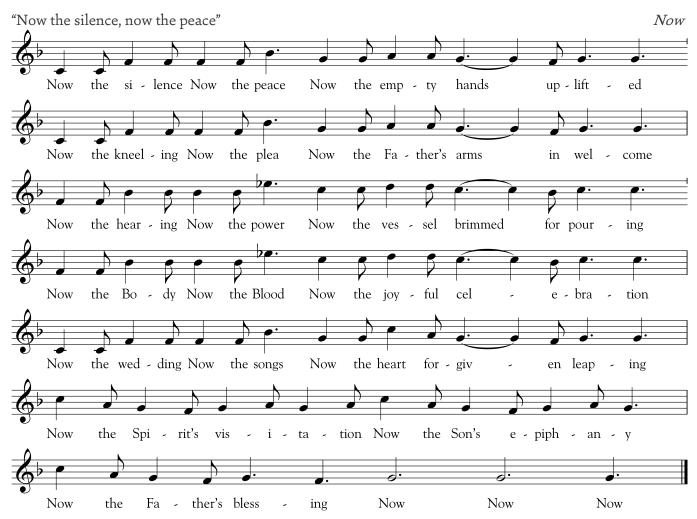
"If you but trust in God to guide you"

Wer nur den lieben Gott

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1. If you but trust in God to guide you	with gen - tle hand through all your ways,
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2. What gain is there in anx - ious weep-ing,	in help-less an - ger and dis-tress?
3. The Lord our rest - less hearts is hold-ing,	in peace and qui - et - ness con-tent.
4. Sing, pray, and keep God's ways un-swerv-ing,	of - fer your ser - vice faith - ful - ly.
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you'll find that God is there be - side you	when cross - es come, in try - ing days.
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If you are in your Sav - ior's keep-ing,	in sor-row will he love you less?
We rest in God's good will un - fold - ing,	
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Trust heav - en's word: though un - de - serv - ing,	you'll find God's pro - mise true to be.
Trust then in God's un - chang - ing love;	build on the rock that will not move.
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For Christ who took for you a cross	will bring you safe through ev - 'ry loss.
God, who has chos - en us by grace,	knows ve - ry well the fears we face.
, .	knows to the nearbound face.
This is our con - fi - dence in - deed:	God nev - er fails in time of need.



Communion Hymn | 333



Post Communion Prayer |

The people stand.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and people

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 |

Celebrant

May the Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, giving you grace to proclaim the wonderful works of God; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be upon you now and forever more. **Amen**.

Closing Hymn | LEVAS 189



Dismissal |

Gospeler	Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People	Thanks be to God.

Voluntary | Processional in E-flat

David N. Johnson (1922-1987)



Assisting in Worship

Worship

The Rev. Dr. Simon J. Mainwaring, Celebrant The Rev. Dr. Gary Mason, Preacher Bill Bedford, Lector The Rev. Sarah C. Stewart, Gospeler Jerry Byrd, Intercessor Justin Averette, Ralph Engleberger, Steve Hines, Morrie Spang, Eucharistic Ministers John Carter and Missi McMorries, Vergers The Rev. Nontombi Naomi Tutu, Deacon of the Table

Musicians

The All Saints' Parish Choir Dr. Kirk M. Rich, organist and director Brendan Conner, organist

Acolytes

Nora Gaynor, Darcy Gaynor, Bailey Sullivan, Hannah Sullivan

Altar Guild

Elizabeth Nadal Larre Holladay

Linda Harris Dori Wofford

Flower Guild Bill Bedford

Sunday Callers Elvira Mannelly

Ushers

David Aldridge David Barber Fain Barton Luke Barton Will Barton David Begley Kris Birkness Doug Bragg Dave Chambless **Justin Connell**

David DeLaney Kevin Hayes Larry Jones Steve Moreland Jason Naunas Lee Robinson Mike Rodgers Caroline Stanford Johnathan Stanford Vance White

Worship Notes

In Our Prayers

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Reformed Episcopal Church of Spain. In our diocese, we pray for St. Benedict's Church in Smyrna.

In our parish, we give thanks for those who make God's love incarnate in the lives of children. This day we ask blessing on those who teach and nurture our Little Saints and those who make their families welcome.

Sanctuary Candle

The sanctuary candle is given to the glory of God and in memory of Tom Sheehan by Bruce Garner.

Prayer List

Those who are ill |

Anne Curtis Olayiwola Adewale, *friend of Denise Funk* Maria Martucci, *sister of Joe Staiano* Janet Mowry, *friend of Virginia Schenck* Charles Puckett, *friend of Sarah and Vic Hansen*

> Those to have surgery | Richard Ballantyne

Those who have died |

Mike Carscaddon Skip Fulton Lorna Gordon, *godmother of Victor Young* Richard Gordon, *brother-in-law of Victor Young* Gloria Moody, *mother of Lee Walter*

Thanksgivings and prayers answered |

Those serving in the Armed Forces

Birthdays this Week

Sun | Aug 7

Michael Bishop Claire DePlonty Nicholas Ewing Lynda Herrig Louise Moreland Herman Watson Andrew Westerkom Bebe Whitaker

Mon | Aug 8

Sydney Cleland Keagan Cutler Susanna Frayser Jesse Furr Meg Halloran Rad Jablonski Joy Maxey Virginia Persons Ed Wasson Tue | Aug 9 John Allen Dave Chambless Mark Diedrich Melanie Hardin Jennifer Morgan Amanda Wellen Rad Jablonski Joy Maxey Virginia Persons Ed Wasson Comer Yates

Wed | Aug 10

Amber Cutler George Ezell Hank Harris David Partlett Karen Riddell Zachary Stoller

Thu | Aug 11

Steve Crotty Stephane Ndengeyi-Ngoma Christman Ndengeyi-Ngoma Sam Osakue

Fri | Aug 12

James Edgar Chuck Gillmore Dave Little Jennifer Moyers Frank Sasser Jay Schroeder Sally Singletary Marc Turner Amelia Tuttle

Sat | Aug 13

Mary Bethea Kristin Clyde Allyson Delius Karin Green Hayes Hornberger Kim Kennedy Helen Nelson Barbara Pinson Anna Salvadori Christan Smith Glover Ulsh



Today

Guest Preacher-Teacher: Gary Mason Sunday, August 7

The Rev. Dr. Gary Mason is with All Saints' again as our guest preacher-teacher. Gary will be a guest presenter at Jesus on the Front Page at 9:00 a.m. on the 3rd floor of the Parish House. Gary will then preach at the 10:00 a.m. service. Gary leads peacebuilding work in the Middle East, South Africa, Northern Ireland, and is a visiting professor at Emory University.

Blessing of the Backpacks (or Briefcases, Computer Bags, Diaper Bags, etc.)

Sunday, August 7, during the 10:00 a.m. service

Join us to celebrate and bless the beginning of a new school year! Anyone from babes to 100+ years old is invited to bring their backpacks, briefcases, school bags, diaper bags, computer bags, etc. to church for a special blessing after the opening hymn. Don't forget to grab your backpack tag after church!

Club 45 Pool Party

Sunday, August 7, 12:30-2:30 p.m. at The Gragnani's House

All 4th and 5th grade kids and their families are invited to our Kickoff Club 45 Pool Party! Join us after church for some swimming fun. Bring a towel, sunscreen, and your full water bottle, and catch up with old friends or meet new friends. For the address, and to RSVP, email Kathy Roberts, Director of Children's Ministry, at kroberts@allsaintsatlanta.org

Jesus on the Front Page

Sundays, 9:00 – 9:50 a.m., P305/306

Join this ongoing discussion of the news of the day and how we are called as Christians to respond in the public arena, in our private lives, and in our prayers. This week, The Rev. Dr. Gary Mason joins us as a guest presenter.

Bank of America Parking will be Unavailable until Sunday, August 21

The overflow parking that is usually available on Sunday mornings at the Bank of America building will be unavailable until we resume our normal Sunday worship schedule on August 21. If both parking decks and the surface lot are full, additional parking is available on North Avenue and in the gravel lot next to Covenant Community.

Summer Worship Schedule Continues, Sundays through August 14

During the summer months, Noonday Prayer takes a break and our Sunday worship schedule shifts to the

following times:

- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I
- 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II
- 5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

Our regular Sunday worship schedule will resume on Sunday, August 21 and Noonday Prayer will resume on Monday, August 22.

Coming Up

Farewell for The Rev. Sarah Stewart

This month we will say a fond farewell to Sarah Stewart as she leaves All Saints' to take up a role as Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Burlingame, CA. Sarah's final Sunday with us will be on August 21 and we will celebrate her with a gathering in Ellis Hall following the 9:00 a.m. service.

Worship & Music

A Service of Recovery and Healing

Sunday, August 14, 4:30 p.m. on Zoom

Led by The Rev. Bob Book, our Service of Recovery and Healing meets on the second Sunday of each month at 4:30 p.m. ET. We focus on one of the 12 Steps in the context of an Evening Prayer service. Anyone interested in recovery is welcome; confidentiality is required. Visit our website for more information and to register.

Stump the Organist

Every Sunday of the Summer, through August 7

Come to church a little early and play Stump the Organist! At 9:50 we will open up the floor to your hymn requests, singing as many as we can until the start of the service. Come prepared to call out the number of your favorite hymn and see if you can "stump the organist."

Join us for the 2022-2023 Adult Choir Season Begins Wednesday, September 7, 6:30 p.m. in the Egleston Hall Music Suite

The All Saints' Parish Choir welcomes new members of all voice types. The adult choirs rehearse every Wednesday 6:30-8:30 p.m. If you can read music and are looking for a warm community of fellowship, schedule a vocal interview with Dr. Kirk Rich, Director of Music, at krich@allsaintsatlanta.org or (404) 267-4261.

Giving

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow.

Please make a gift or pledge payment to All Saints' today. Thank you!

For questions, contact Ellen Hayes, Director of Development, at ehayes@allsaintsatlanta.org

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- Online at allsaintsatlanta.org/give
- Mail a check to All Saints' Church, 634 W. Peachtree St., Atlanta, GA 30308
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Children & Youth

Acolyte Training

Saturday, August 13, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. in the Church

If you are a current acolyte or would like to be an acolyte, please mark your calendars for our Acolyte Training! We will learn all the acolyte roles and responsibilities, which will prepare us for a wonderful 2022-2023 year of ministry! Rising 6th through 12th grade are invited to join. We will begin at 10:00 a.m. and plan to end by 12:00 p.m. If you plan to be an acolyte, but can't make the training, please let Hope know so that you can still be added to a team. For more information, contact Hope Westervelt, Director of Youth Ministries, at hwestervelt@allsaintsatlanta.org

Youth Pilgrimage Presentation

Sunday, August 21, 10:20 a.m. in Ellis Hall

Join our high school pilgrims as they re-live their pilgrimage following the footsteps of St. Paul through Greece! Hear from a few of our pilgrims about their experience, see photos, and learn about the life-changing impact of youth pilgrimage.

Save the Date for Youth and Children's Choir Kickoffs Beginning August 21 for Youth and August 24 for Children

Join us as we begin another year of singing, learning, and building community. We offer choirs for 4–18-year-olds and all choirs rehearse in the Children's Chapel on the 2nd floor of the Pritchett Center. The Youth Choir (7th-12th grades) kick-off rehearsal begins at 5:00 p.m. with a cookout for families at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, August 21. Regular youth rehearsal times are 4:15-5:00 p.m. for handbells and 5:00-6:00 p.m. for choir. The first rehearsals for children's choirs (age 4 through 6th grade) will be on Wednesday, August 24 at 4:00 p.m. for Cherub (Pre-K), 4:35 p.m. for Primary (1st-2nd grade), 5:15 p.m. for Junior (3rd-6th grade), and 6:00 p.m. for Junior Handbells (4th-6th grade). For more information visit our website or contact Karol Kimmell, Director of Youth and Children's Music, at karolkimmell@allsaintsatlanta.org

Parish Life

Popcorn Theology: Inside Out

Friday, August 12, 7:00-9:30 p.m. in the Ross Room

Join us to watch "Inside Out," a delightful, animated movie that tackles the challenge of finding a way forward when we seem to be running out of joy. Run time is 95 minutes. Rated: PG. Michael and Katie Asmussen will lead the discussion following the film. Feel free to bring your own food and beverages. Popcorn will be provided.

Annual Back to the Block Celebration

Sunday, August 14, after the 10:00 a.m. service

Everyone is welcome as we reunite after the summer break! Following the 10:00 a.m. service, join us in Kennedy Courtyard for a barbeque cookoff, dessert contest, water slide, bounce house, Gaga ball, pickleball, bingo, and more. See our website for more information, to let us know you're coming, and to sign up for the cooking competitions! For questions, contact Jill Gossett, Parish Life Director, at jgossett@allsaintsatlanta.org

Wednesday Night Supper Returns

Wed, August 17, 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. in Ellis Hall

Mark your calendar for the first Wednesday Night Supper of the program year! Don't miss out on Wing Night (with other tasty food provided). Louisa Merchant, Director of Refugee Ministries, will lead us in a fun filled trivia experience. All ages are welcome to join. More information to come, including registration. If you have questions, contact Jill Gossett, Parish Life Director, at jgossett@allsaintsatlanta.org

Join the Welcome Team

Calling all Greeters! We are in need of parishioners who enjoy welcoming people onto the block. The Welcome Team is a wonderful ministry with a small commitment. You have seen these special folks with big smiles on their faces as you enter the church! Greeters direct and answer easy questions, and serve during special

occasions. We would love your help. Please contact Jill Gossett, Parish Life Director, at jgossett@allsaintsatlanta.org or Dan Pennywell at danielpennywell@yahoo.com

Register for Kanuga!

Friday, September 30 – Sunday, October 2, Kanuga Conference Center, Hendersonville, NC

We are excited to celebrate the 40th anniversary of our annual parish retreat this year! Register now on Realm for a memorable parish gathering at Kanuga. The registration



deadline is September 2. For more information, contact Jill Gossett at <u>jgossett@allsaintsatlanta.org</u>.

Service

Refugee Ministries: Zoom Tutoring Program August 8 through October 28

We are seeking tutors for the first session of our Zoom tutoring program, which runs from the second week of August through the last week of October, to offer 12 onehour sessions once a week at the same day and time on Zoom. Our program is for refugee and asylee students grades 2-12 who need support in English as a Second Language or in Reading and Math. Orientation, materials and support are provided. No experience necessary. Volunteers 6th grade and up are welcome and we are able to provide service hours. For more information email Louisa Merchant at <u>louisam@allsaintsatlanta.org</u>.

Refugee Ministries: Swimming Buddies

Saturday, August 20, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 10, all day, Lake Jackson Cool off with Refugee Ministries this summer and enjoy some swimming fun in the sun with our refugee friends. This is a great opportunity for families with children, and we can provide service hours for teens. We also need volunteers to transport our refugee friends; drivers must be at least 25 years old. For locations and more information, contact Louisa Merchant at <u>louisam@allsaintsatlanta.org</u>.

Covenant Community Annual Golf Fundraiser Monday, September 26

Friends of Covenant past, present, and future – save the date for our annual golf fundraiser! Join us at Stone Mountain for the 6th Annual Covenant Community Golf Classic Fundraiser, in Memory of Bryan Scott Mink. We are looking for golfers, donors, sponsors, and volunteers. For details and registration visit <u>www.ccgc.myevent.com</u>. Interested in volunteering on the day of the event? Please send your contact information to Kristina Armstrong at <u>karmstrong@covenantatlanta.org</u>.

Volunteer with Midtown Assistance Center

Back on the All Saints' block, Midtown Assistance Center (MAC) is looking for volunteers to assist clients and to help in the food pantry. If interested, please go to the MAC website at <u>www.midtownassistancecenter.org</u> or

email Chris Ferguson at chris@midtownassistancecenter.org. MAC also always appreciates donations of canned foods, which can be dropped off at the MAC office (corner of North Avenue and Spring Street) or in the MAC bin in the first-floor stairwell between Ellis Hall and Egleston Hall.

Threads Clothing Needs

- We invite donations of new or gently used children's clothing and new shoes for summer. Donation boxes are located on the first floor of the Pritchett Center and in the first-floor stairwell between Ellis Hall and Egleston Hall.
- We are still taking donations of school uniforms in preparation for the new school year! We are requesting white, light blue, or navy collared shirts and khaki or navy pants and shorts. All sizes, boys and girls styles are needed.
- Threads also need new sneakers, boys sizes 5-10.

Questions? Contact Lori Guarisco at <u>threads@allsaintsatlanta.org</u>

Share a Meal with the Men of Covenant Community

Covenant Community is a great ministry that provides residential drug treatment for homeless men struggling with addiction. From the time it was founded at All Saints' over 30 years ago, our parishioners have provided dinner to share with the residents of Covenant Community. Please consider breaking bread with them on a Monday night. You could bring dinner yourself, with friends, or even co-workers. Children are also welcome to join! Meals for around 15 people can either be shared with the men inside the residence or they can be dropped off during the day. Available dates are August 8 and 15. To volunteer or for more information, contact Barbara Blender at bblender@bellsouth.net.

Stay Up-To-Date

For the most current announcements on upcoming events, service opportunities, and worship services, please visit allsaintsatlanta.org/news-and-publications

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Our Sunday Worship Schedule

IN THE CHURCH

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II 5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

ONLINE

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

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