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Dear saints,

My wife, Cathy, and I joined the All Saints' Cornerstone Society in 2003. We have always believed that a **planned gift** was the most important kind of gift we could make to All Saints'. All Saints' expands who we are as Christians and we want to know it will continue to thrive for many generations to come. We make our **annual pledge** and know that it covers the operational aspects of salaries, speakers, daily use and care of the property, etc. That is important. **Planned gifts** generally fund the All Saints' endowment which provides both a measure of financial stability for All Saints' when acute needs might arise and the opportunity to support the more visionary work of the Church in the world.

The All Saints' Cornerstone Society today represents over 200 members of the All Saints' community who have made some kind of planned gift to this parish to be given after they are deceased. This endowment fund allows the gifts to grow through careful investments and financial advising through Truist Bank and a percentage of the earnings is spent to support special projects in areas such as mission, service, worship, music and formation.

Cathy and I have included All Saints' in our wills. More than that, we have spoken with our family and had conversation about what we value most in our lives; our children and our Church. They are clear about our intentions. Please join us in doing this. Talk to your loved ones; young and old, and consider what you might be able to offer the institutions, like All Saints', that have made a difference in your life.

Fill out our Legacy Intention Form. It will help you to frame your intent and help you know what information we need from you. Please contact Ellen Hayes, [ehayes@allsaintsatlanta.org](mailto:ehayes@allsaintsatlanta.org) if you have questions about gift planning. Our team will be happy to respond.

We look forward to your reply.

Bert Clark  
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