

# This Week at All Saints

August 20 – 26, 2017

## Sunday, August 20

### Forum To Discuss Parish Policy on Alcohol

The All Saints Vestry has begun the process of updating our parish policy on alcohol use as part of a wider church commitment to conversations about alcohol, substance misuse, or addiction that are not simply about treatment but about renewal, justice, wholeness, and healing. Part of that process is a parish-wide conversation with **Mike Kinman** scheduled for Sunday, Aug. 20, at 10:15 a.m. in the Forum. Please join us! We want your input.

## Monday, August 21

**Eucharist** 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

### Grief and Loss Support Group

7:00 p.m. (Sally Howard's Office) Led by **Chris Folz**. Information = Ana Camacho, 626.583.2737 or [acamacho@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:acamacho@allsaints-pas.org).

### Brothers on a Journey

7:00–9:00 p.m. (Learning Center)  
Information = Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org).

### Monday Meditation Group

7:15–8:45 p.m. (Guild Room)  
Information = **Betty Cole** (leader), 626.356.4749.

## Tuesday, August 22

**Eucharist** 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

**Recovery Eucharist** 6:30 p.m. (Chapel)

## Wednesday, August 23

**Healing Eucharist** 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

### Experiencing the Scriptures

10:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m. (Scott Hall 2) Information = **Jeremy Langill** at [jiangill@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jiangill@allsaints-pas.org).

## Thursday, August 24

**Eucharist** 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

## Friday, August 25

**Eucharist** 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

### Fiction Fun! in August Reads Poetry

7:00 p.m. (Guild Room)

Our August meeting is all about poetry. Please arrive with a poem or selection of poems to share with the group. If possible, please provide copies of your selection. All are welcome — reading a poem is not mandatory. Information = **Jamie Hebert**, 626.583.2765 or [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org).

### Practicing the Habit of Stillness

7:00 p.m. (Learning Center) Information = **Robert Cornell** (leader) at [robertbcornellspirit@gmail.com](mailto:robertbcornellspirit@gmail.com).

### Children, Youth and Family Ministries Program and Choir Registration Day



Sunday, Sept. 10, 8:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m. Learn more about Sunday School, Youth Group, Seekers, Acolytes, Parent Culture, and Children's & Youth Choirs, and register your children for the program year. We will also present options for adults to engage in the work of nurturing and mentoring our children and youth. Bring your calendars, checkbooks and medical insurance info so you are ready to fill out forms. Information = **Christina Ortega**, 626.583.2733 or [cortega@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:cortega@allsaints-pas.org).

Visit Our New Website!  
[www.allsaints-pas.org](http://www.allsaints-pas.org)



The goal was an updated website — and our wish list included easy navigation on a variety of devices with both static data and breaking news content combined on one image-driven platform.

We wanted a site that would highlight timely information, automatically publish all posts to Facebook and Twitter and one that was optimized for desktop, smart phone and tablet. We wanted content that was both easy to read and easy to update — and sermon posts that included both video and text. And we wanted it all to fit in a non-profit budget. Four years on the drawing board, the result is a redesigned site merging our ASCIdeas blog content with the data from the old website into one comprehensive web portal for the work and witness of All Saints Church. Content and features will continue to be added but today is a big step forward and we are so grateful!

Visit [www.allsaints-pas.org](http://www.allsaints-pas.org).

## Children, Youth & Families

### Sunday Morning

#### Parents with Infants

Parents with infants are always welcome in worship. If needed, parents may feed and change babies while listening to the service in the Small Lounge.

#### Infants & Toddlers (Scott Hall)

9:00–12:30 p.m. Preschool (ages 2–4/pre-K)  
9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Child care and storytelling.  
10:15 a.m. Summer Sunday School & Worship.

#### K-5th Grade

Children K–5th grade join their families at the beginning of the 9:00 a.m. & 11:15 a.m. services, then follow the banner out for Children's Chapel before the sermon. Parents are welcome to join the children if they wish.

### Sunday Morning (cont.)

#### K-5th Grade Sunday School

10:15 a.m. Summer Sunday School & Worship

#### The Journey for Jr. & Sr. High

10:15 a.m. (Jr. & Sr. High Rooms) We get together, share a doughnut or two, and explore what it means to be a Christian. We focus on faith and doubt, the Bible, the Episcopal Church, current events, and the peace and justice issues facing our community.

#### Parent Culture

Parent Culture 10:15 a.m. (Scott Hall 2). A group for parents of children, birth to 5th grade. Please join us for discussions on current issues and community building as we juggle parenthood together. Information = **Christina Ortega**, 626.583.2733 or [cortega@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:cortega@allsaints-pas.org).

## Wednesday, August 23

### Youth Group

will resume in September. Info = 626.583.2733 or [youth@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:youth@allsaints-pas.org).

## Thursday, August 24

### God, My Parents & Me

10:00 a.m. – Noon (Guild Room) A group for families with young children, supporting the challenging work of parenting by offering spiritual fellowship and emotional nurturing to all parents. Information = **Christina Ortega**, 626.583.2733 or [cortega@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:cortega@allsaints-pas.org).

For Information on  
Upcoming Youth Events visit  
<http://ascyouth.squarespace.com/>

# Looking Ahead

## Events & Opportunities

### LGBTQ Potluck for August 27

All are welcome to our End-of-Summer Potluck hosted by the LGBTQ Parish Life group on Sunday, Aug. 27, from 1:00–3:00 p.m. in Sweetland Hall. Please bring something to share: Last name initials A–L main dish; M–Z side dish, salad, dessert or beverage. Please drop off your item at the LGBTQ Table on the lawn before or after a service, and we will put it in the refrigerator. Information = Jamie Hebert, 626.583.2765 or [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org).

### Blessing of the Backpacks



Sunday, Aug. 27, at both the 9:00 and 11:15 a.m. services. All children and youth are invited to bring your backpack to church! We will have a special prayer during the services to bless children as they return to school. At the same time we will bless all the school supplies collected for Families in Transition. Information = Kelly Phelan, 626.583.2764 or [kphelan@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:kphelan@allsaints-pas.org).

### 20/30's September Social Hour

7:00–9:00 p.m., Thursday, Sept 7, at Zona Rosa Caffè (15 S El Molino Ave, Pasadena)! Join 20/30's for food, drink and fellowship. Newcomers are especially welcome. Email us at [2030@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:2030@allsaints-pas.org) if you have any questions! RSVP on Facebook.

### Greeter and Usher Training and Reception

Saturday, Sept. 9, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. in the Church. Calling all ushers and greeters — whether a seasoned volunteer or wanting to join our team. Please join us for a very important training in procedures, emergency preparedness, and most importantly, radical welcome! There will be various presentations, training sessions, friends, and food. Anyone interested is welcome! Information = Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org).

### Celebrate a Special Event or Loved One with Flowers for the Altar

Altar flowers are a beautiful way to remember a



loved one, celebrate a special event, or to give thanks for someone who has touched your life.

To donate flowers for the altars, please call 626.796.1172.

### Back to School Supply Drive for PUSD Students



Continues through Sept. 10. Please bring your donations to the Action Table on Sundays or the Main Office and Regas House Lobby (Mon.–Fri. from 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.). Items needed: school supplies (backpacks, binders, calculators, etc.) and toiletries in small or travel sizes. Supporting children and youth served through Families in Transition. Questions? Ada Ramirez at [aramirez@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:aramirez@allsaints-pas.org) or 626.583.2734.

### Interfaith Study Group Presents *Bringing Our Values to Bear on Today's World: Healing the Earth and Healing Ourselves*

Nancy Steele, Ph.D. (Doctor of Environmental Science & Engineering) UCLA, is a professional Conservationist and Environmentalist who has helped preserve many wilderness areas. She will speak on her life as a practical scientist, her perspective on current environmental issues and her faith, and what it means to have "respect for the interdependent web of existence of which we are all a part." Sunday, Sept. 10, 5:00–7:30 p.m. at Pasadena Jewish Temple and Center at 1434 N. Altadena Drive, Pasadena (Between Washington Blvd. and New York Drive). Please bring a vegetarian dish to share in our potluck. Information = Ada Ramirez 626.583.2734, [aramirez@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:aramirez@allsaints-pas.org).

### 20/30's Pool Party!

New to ASC or wanting to get involved with other young adults? Join us at the beautiful home of friends of All Saints 20/30's for a potluck pool party. Bring your friends! RSVP on Facebook. Sunday, Sept. 10, 1:30–4:00 p.m. at 1906 Escarpa Dr, Los Angeles, CA 90041.

### Lay Counseling Ministry

The ministers are volunteer lay counselors, trained to assist persons undergoing situational and emotional difficulties. If you are experiencing situational difficulties, you may leave a confidential message on the dedicated line at 626.583.2706 and a coordinator will call you to schedule a meeting.

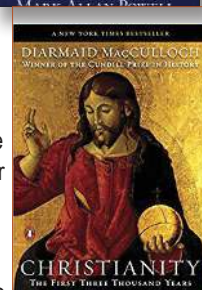
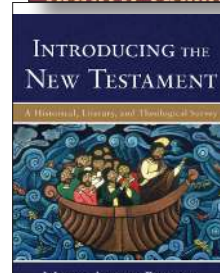
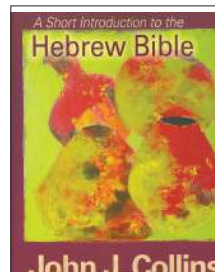
### The Prayer Ministry Needs You!

This Ministry helps provide comfort and healing. Taking the time to write a condolence note, a get well note for the sick, or any kind of pastoral care note for those in need can bring great comfort and provide a gift of healing for someone with a prayer need. Information = Ana Camacho at [acamacho@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:acamacho@allsaints-pas.org) or 626.583.2737.

### Education for Ministry — A Unique Small Group Experience



Theologian Karl Barth advised "to take your Bible and take your newspaper, and read both." EfM will help you dig deeper into the Christian faith. You will learn about church history, theological ideas and reflect on connecting faith with life experiences. We guarantee to stretch your imagination and open a new world of insights as you probe scripture and tradition. EfM has been a unique part of All Saints for several decades. It is held in a small group setting that links faith with everyday life. It is for lay persons. It is not a process leading towards ordination, though some do continue on in that ministry. It is more about discerning where our daily life and the things we do form our ministry to the world around us. Classes begin in September. Registration is limited. Visit the EfM website for more info and sample lessons: <http://efm.sewanee.edu/>. Information = Gary Leonard at [togr@pacbell.net](mailto:togr@pacbell.net).



### Baptisms

Baptisms for children are celebrated at Sunday services five times a year. Families should be members of All Saints. Instruction is required for parents and godparents. Information on infant and child baptisms = Kelly Phelan, 626.583.2764 or [kphelan@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:kphelan@allsaints-pas.org).



# Looking Ahead

## Events & Opportunities

### Two Opportunities for a Transformational Journey

#### Homeboy Industries/Learning Works Charter School in Boyle Heights

Need some back-to-school inspiration? Join us Friday, Sept. 22, 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

We will tour both campuses, hearing amazing stories from program participants and staffers. Our transport will be the Metro Gold Line and breakfast will be at Home Girl Café (participants are responsible for transportation fee and breakfast) Obtain a registration form from Ada Ramirez at [aramirez@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:aramirez@allsaints-pas.org) or 626.583.2734 or pick one up at the Transformational Journeys table on the lawn. Registration deadline is Sept. 17 or until the limited spaces fill—so register now!

Join us for a wonderful day of learning, inspiration and transformation.

#### See Baja in a Whole New Light — Through the Eyes of Children

Travel with Transformational Journeys to Baja California, Mexico. Learn about the challenges facing children and youth in Playa La Misión, northern Baja California, and meeting with local youth, parents and school administrators. We will work on a service project benefitting a local school, working with La Misión Children's Fund. From Friday, October 20, 9:30 a.m. to Monday, October 23, at 5 p.m. Lodging and most meals covered, \$240 for shared room, \$300 for private room. Transportation costs TBD based on registrations. A valid passport is required, as is additional insurance. For info and registration forms contact Ada Ramirez at 626.583.2734 or [aramirez@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:aramirez@allsaints-pas.org). Limited spaces available; registration, trip fee and all required documents due Friday, Sept. 22.

### Mark Your Calendars!

#### Homecoming — Sunday, September 17

Join the All Saints community in celebrating the start of a new program year. Enjoy an outdoor festival of food, games for kids and adults, and music, amid vibrant decorations and broad canopies. It's also a great opportunity to volunteer just for an hour or two on one day. Information = Jamie Hebert at [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org) or 626.583.2765.



#### Celebration of Ministries Sunday, September 24

Looking to make a difference...to meet new people...to deepen your faith journey...to discuss a great book...to have a good time...to serve others? Step out onto the quad lawn for the Celebration of Ministries! Everything you ever wanted to know about All Saints ministries can be found at the tables on the lawn. Find ways to get connected and to serve the community and God through our work in the world. Information = Jamie Hebert at [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org) or 626.583.2765.



#### Bring Your Pets to Church for a Blessing Sunday, October 1

9:00 a.m., Sunday, Oct. 1. Bring your pets, photos of your pets, or even a stuffed animal. All pets are invited to process in the Church and then adjourn to the outdoor worship service on the quad lawn including a

blessing of animals. Please arrive no later than 8:45 a.m. if you would like to participate in the procession. Information = Melissa Hayes, 626.583.2725 or [mhayes@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:mhayes@allsaints-pas.org).



## Next Sunday: August 27, 2017

At 7:30, 9:00 & 11:15 a.m.  
Mike Kinman preaches.



At 1:00 p.m.  
Antonio Gallardo preaches at the Spanish Language service.



The Quartet (at 9:00 a.m.) & Summer Choir (at 11:15 a.m.) offer *Jesu, Lead My Footsteps Ever*.

#### Adult Education Offerings at 10:15 a.m.

*The Book of Acts: A Handbook of Resistance and Inclusion* with Brian Robinson in Sweetland Hall.  
*Parent Culture* in Scott Hall 2.

#### Adult Education Offerings at 10:15 a.m. (cont.)

*Death and Immortality: Embracing Our Common Beliefs and Differences* with Sally Howard, Claudia Shields & Jeremy Langill in the Guild Room.

#### At 10:15 a.m. Rector's Forum

##### Back to School – Education in Pasadena

We welcome PUSD Superintendent Dr. Brian McDonald and All Saints own Kathy Onoye, former Executive Director of Elementary Education for PUSD, and incoming President of Pasadena Education Foundation, to discuss the progress being made in PUSD, the state of education in our community in general and what we as a church can do to help.

#### Summer Choir Continues — Two More Chances to Sing!

All tuneful voices are welcome to sing any or all of the Sundays through Sept. 3. Simply come to the Choir Room (downstairs in Regas House) promptly at 10:00 a.m.

to prepare with Weicheng Zhao for the 11:15 a.m. service. Information = Debbie

Daniels at 626.583.2750 or [ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org).

