This Week at All Saints

November 12 – 18, 2017

Sunday, November 12

Featured Ministry: **LGBTQ**

The mission of LGBTQ at All Saints is to enhance the journey of faith of members of the LGBTQ community through programs that foster spiritual and educational growth, social interaction, political advocacy and pastoral care. Please visit us at the table on the lawn and introduce yourself. For information = Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or jhebert@allsaints-pas.org.

Contemplative Evening Eucharist



5:00 p.m. (Chancel) Enjoy the meditative rhythm of choral and instrumental music, silence and the beauty of the church architecture. Coventry Choir and Weicheng Zhao offer music. Mike Kinman celebrates. Child care is available.

Interfaith Study Group Presents: Islamic Art - Now and Then

5:00-7:30 p.m. At the Islamic Center of Southern California, 434 S. Vermont Ave., Los Angeles. Led by Linda Komaroff, Curator of Islamic Art at LAC-MA, author/editor of several books and exhibition catalogues. She has written numerous articles and chapters on Islamic Art. Please bring a vegetarian dish to share in our potluck. A carpool from All Saints will leave the North parking lot at 4:15 p.m.

Monday, November 13

Noon Worship 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

Grief and Loss Support Group

7:00 p.m. (Pastoral Care Meeting Room) Led by Chris Folz. Information = Ana Camacho. 626.583.2737 or acamacho@allsaints-pas.org.

Brothers on a Journey

7:00–9:00 p.m. (Jr. High Room) Information = Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or jhebert@allsaints-pas.org.

Monday Meditation Group

7:15-8:45 p.m. (Chapel) Information = Betty Cole (leader), 626.356.4749.

Tuesday, November 14

Noon Worship 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

Vestry Meeting

7:00 p.m. (Sweetland Hall) All are invited to attend and observe. Information = Stasia Dahlstrom, 626.583.2710 or sdahlstrom@allsaints-pas.org.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

7:00-9:00 p.m. (Sally Howard's Office) Gather in community to share prayers, stories, and the work of our hands and hearts. Information = Ana Camacho, 626.583.2737 or acamacho@allsaints-pas.org.

Wednesday, November 15

Noon Worship & Healing 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

Experiencing the Scriptures

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

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

Thursday, November 16

Noon Worship 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

Taizé Prayers Around the Cross

6:00 p.m. (Learning Center 6) Meditative prayers, song, scripture and silence. Information = Debbie Daniels, allsaintstaize@gmail.com.

Thursday, November 16 (cont.)

20/30s Reception with Mike Kinman

6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Rector **Mike Kinman** and host Emily Goulding (with her 3 year old son!) hope you will join them for a fun evening as we share our stories together and engage in dialogue about our ministry and supporting All Saints with a pledge in 2018. RSVP to Jamie Hebert: jhebert@allsaints-pas. org or 626.583.2765. See you there!

All Saints Writers Group Live Reading

7:00 - 9:30 p.m. (Guild Room) Be delighted and inspired by this distinguished group of talented writers! Free and open to the public. Light refreshments will be served. Information = Keith Holeman at kholeman@allsaints-pas.org.

Friday, November 17

Noon Worship 12:10 p.m. (Chapel)

Fiction Fun! Reads The Orphan Master's Son by Adam Johnson

7:30 p.m. (Guild Room) The Pulitzer Prize-winning, New York Times bestselling novel of North Korea: an epic journey into the heart of the world's most mysterious dictatorship. Information = Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or jhebert@allsaints-pas.org.

Saturday, November 18 One Earth, One Sky:

Facing the Climate Crisis

8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (Forum) Join with the Climate Change Task Force, take action and reduce your carbon footprint. Welcome by Mike Kinman and keynote by Rt. Rev. Katharine Jefferts Schori. Pick up a free LED light bulb to start your household on a path to become carbon neutral! Register at http://bit.ly/2yReRXr, at the Sign-Up Center on the lawn or the All Saints web page by clicking "Sign-Up." Families are encouraged to attend; child care is provided. The welcome and keynote speech will be streamed live at https://allsaints-pas.org/livestream/.

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. Sunday School and Worship.

K-5th Grade at 9:00 a.m.

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

Kindergarten-3rd grade: Great Family, Part II 4th-5th grade: Feasting on the Word

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

10:15 a.m. Please join us for discussions on current issues and community building as we juggle parenthood together. Parents of birth - 5th grade in Scott Hall 2: parents of teens in OCC Conference Room. Information = Christina Ortega, 626.583.2733 or cortega@allsaints-pas.org.

Wednesday, November 15 **Youth Group**

Dinner = 6:30 p.m. (Sweetland Hall) Program = 7:00–8:30 p.m. (Learning Center) Info = 626.583.2733 or youth@allsaints-pas.org.

Thursday, November 16 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.

For Information on **Upcoming Youth Events visit**

http://ascyouth.squarespace.com/

Looking Ahead

Events & Opportunities

FCP Seeks Thanksgiving Food Donations for Local Families and Students

The Foster Care Project (FCP) will be collecting non-perishable Thanksgiving food for local foster care families. The following items are especially welcome: Non-perishable hams (not the refrigerated kind), canned chicken, canned fruits and vegetables, instant mashed potatoes, soups, juices, and baby food. You may also provide a \$10 grocery store gift card and let one of our volunteers do the shopping for you. Please check expiration dates before donating and remember that only non-perishables can be accepted. Food items and gift cards may be dropped off at the FCP lawn table at All Saints Church on Sunday, Nov. 12. Information = inbox@fostercareproject.org.

A Celebration of 25 Years of Promoting Racial Justice!

Join the Racial Justice Ministry on Sunday, Nov. 19, 12:30–2:30 p.m. in Sweetland Hall for a luncheon and celebration of 25 years of service at All Saints. We will feast on Indian food from Project Share A Meal, celebrate the vibrant history of our ministry, and communally commit to the work ahead as defined by our Racial Justice Resolution. Most importantly, we will celebrate! All are welcome. Donations accepted but not required. Childcare provided. Information = Ada Ramirez at 626.583.2734 or aramirez@allsaints-pas.org.

Thanksgiving Eve Service



Wednesday, Nov. 22, 7:30 p.m. in the Church. Begin your holiday weekend with a centering Eucharist on Thanksgiving Eve. Members of Canterbury and Coventry Choirs offer music. **Susan Russell** preaches. Child care provided. All are welcome to attend this beautiful, reflective service. Information = Debbie Daniels, 626.583.2750 or *ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org*.

Transformational Journey to CSUN Powwow

Interested in learning more about Native American culture? Come with Transformational Journeys to the CSUN POWWOW on Saturday, Nov. 25! We will enjoy dance, music, art, vendors, food and more! Carpools will depart All Saints at 11:00 a.m. sharp and return by 4:00 (or you may drive there on your own, parking \$8.) Free entry to the powwow. Registration required; contact Ada at aramirez@allsaints-pas.org or 626.583.2734 or pick up your form on Nov. 12 at the TJ table on the lawn. Registration deadline is Friday, Nov. 17. Join us for an exciting day!

Each year All Saints Church provides Christmas gifts to over 700 children in foster care. You can make a difference in the life of a child this Christmas by choosing a green tag from the tree in Regas House. Please bring unwrapped gifts with the tag from the tree attached to Children, Youth & Family Office in Regas House before Dec. 17. Many children in foster care will only receive one gift during the holidays, so please make this part of your Christmas tradition and choose a tag that matches your giving ability. Information = Christina Ortega, 626.583.2733 or cortega@allsaints-pas.org.

Want to Mark a Special Day?



For your birthday, anniversary, or in memory of a loved one, consider bringing the bread and wine up the aisle for communion at the 9:00 or 11:15 a.m. Sunday

service. After offering these "oblations" to the priest at the altar, you stand in the circle with the other ministers for the Eucharistic prayer, receive communion, and then return to your seat. You may do this with a partner or be paired with someone else. To sign up or for more information, please contact Beverly Franco at 626.280.9048 or bgfranco@usc.edu.

Foster/Adopt Information Reception / Brunch, December 2nd

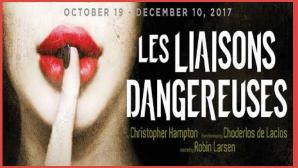
Please join All Saints Foster Care Project and our partnering agency, RaiseAChild, on Saturday, Dec. 2, at 11.00 am. in Sweetland Hall to learn more about the benefits of building your family by becoming a foster, adoptive, or weekend host parent. We'll answer questions about the foster and adoption process, requirements, and rewards of foster parenting. You will also have an opportunity to meet foster and adoptive parents and speak with staff from agencies that want to help you build your family. Open to all who are interested in learning more about fostering and adopting. Brunch will be served. Please respond to <code>inbox@fostercareproject.org</code>.

Lay Visitation Ministry (Lay Eucharistic Visitors and Lay Pastoral Visitors)

ASC's Pastoral Care Health and Healing Ministry includes this lay ministry of trained volunteers who assist clergy by bringing Christ's presence to parishioners who are unable to attend church due to recovery from surgery, hospitalization, or chronic conditions or simply lack of transportation. These dedicated individuals can bring the Eucharist and a sense of our community to those who are confined to home, the hospital, or skilled nursing facility. If you would like to receive communion or simply a visit from a pastoral care volunteer while unable to attend church, or know of someone who would benefit (whether a member of ASC or not), please contact Ana Camacho, 626.583.2737, acamacho@allsaints-pas.org.

Theatre Ministry

Join us to see Les Liaisons Dangereuses - Friday, Dec. 1, 8:00 p.m. at Antaeus Theatre. Set among the



decadent ruling class of pre-revolutionary France, this Olivier Award-winning play is a seductive and unsettling tale of sex and revenge in an all-too-recognizable world, where love is a blood sport played for glory and malice, and men have all – almost all – the power. We will have a post show reception. Tickets are \$30 and available at http://qrs.ly/7j5qybe. Information = Debbie Daniels, 626.583.2750 or ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org.

Tickets are available for purchase using the links above or at the Sign-Up Center on the lawn, Nov. 12, 19 & 26. Information = Debbie Daniels, 626.583.2750 or *ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org*.

Looking Ahead

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Upcoming Vroman's Events

Reza Aslan – Monday, Nov. 27, 7:00 p.m. in the Church. Reza will speak about and sign his new book, *God: A Human History*. From the

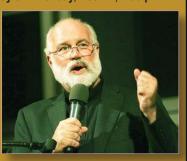


bestselling author of Zealot and host of the CNN series Believer comes a fascinating account of humanity's struggle to make sense of the divine, and how the idea of God, from its

prehistoric origins to its emergence as a single divine personality, continues to offer new ways of connecting people of different faiths today. This is a ticketed Vroman's event; the ticket price is the price of the book. Call 626.449.5320 for information. A limited number of free tickets are available by contacting ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org (no book included).

Greg Boyle - Monday, Dec. 11, 7:00 p.m.

in the
Forum.
Fr. Greg
Boyle
speaks
about (and
signs) his
new book,
Barking
to the
Choir: The



Power of Radical Kinship. This is a ticketed Vroman's event – the ticket price is the price of the book. Contact Vroman's at 626.449.5320.

Become a Greeter!



Are you looking for a fun opportunity to be more involved on Sundays? Be the face of radical welcome to all who come to All Saints by joining a Greeters team.

Teams are forming now and commitment is as little as one Sunday a month. For more information contact Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or 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.

Alternative Christmas Market

Sunday, December 10th, 8 a.m. -1:30 p.m. in Sweetland Hall. Share in the joy of generosity in this All Saints tradition! Give the gift of abundance: donate and receive a unique card or buy items from 20+local, national and international nonprofit and fair trade organizations to give as gifts. For information or to volunteer contact acm@allsaints-pas.org.

Advent Evening Service, Potluck and Wreath Making



Sunday, Dec. 3, 5:00 p.m. in the Church.

Minisingers, Mastersingers and Troubadours
offer music, directed by Jenny Tisi.



Kelly Phelan offers a meditation. A potluck supper and Advent Wreath Making follow in Sweetland Hall. Please bring a dish that will serve 12 people. If your last name starts with A – L bring a main dish; M – Z bring a salad or vegetables. Parish Celebrations will provide drinks and dessert. Cost for wreath making is \$10. Information = Christina Ortega, 626.583.2733 or cortega@allsaints-pas.org.

Next Sunday: November 19, 2017

At 7:30, 9:00 & 11:15 a.m. The Rt. Rev. John Taylor, preaches.



The 11:15 a.m. service will be a bilingual Spanish/English service. The 1 p.m. service will resume Nov. 26.

At 9 & 11:15 a.m.

Coventry Choir offers *Take My Hand, Precious Lord* arr. by Lojesky and *Lead Me, Lord* by Wesley. **Youth Chamber Choir** offers *All Good Gifts* arr. by Leavitt.

Adult Education Offerings at 10:15 a.m.

Parent Culture in Scott Hall 2 (parents of children birth-5th grade); OCC Conference Room (parents of teens).

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

At 5:00 p.m.

Jazz Vespers in November: LA Jazz Quartet



5:00 p.m. on the Chancel. We welcome back **Chuck Manning** and his group, the LA Jazz Quartet. He will be joined by **Larry Koonse**, guitar; **Jason Harnell**, drums; and

Darek Oles, bass. Manning's cocktail of musical influences including John Coltrane, Ornette Coleman, Joe Henderson, Bobby Bradford, and Sonny Rollins. Childcare provided. If you would like to use the chancel elevator

for accessibility, please arrive five minutes early. No reservations required. Validated parking is available at Plaza las Fuentes. Info = jazz@allsaints-pas.org.

