

# This Week at All Saints

November 19 – 25, 2017

## Sunday, November 19

### Featured Ministry:

#### Racial Justice Ministry

The Racial Justice Ministry strives to dismantle racism from within our own selves and church, and ultimately in the world at large. We are proud of our partnerships with countless other ministries in addressing one of the most deeply entrenched and far reaching injustices we face as God's beloved community; through activism, advocacy, community engagement, cultural celebration, and education.

Please stop by our table, or contact us online at [rjm.ascpas@gmail.com](mailto:rjm.ascpas@gmail.com).

### A Celebration of 25 Years of Promoting Racial Justice!

12:30–2:30 p.m. (Sweetland Hall) Join the Racial Justice Ministry 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.

### Jazz Vespers in November:

#### LA Jazz Quartet

5:00 p.m. (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. **Christina Honchell** offers a meditation.



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.

## Monday, November 20

### 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](mailto: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](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org).

#### Monday Meditation Group

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

## Tuesday, November 21

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

## Wednesday, November 22

### 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 [jlanguill@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jlanguill@allsaints-pas.org).

**Recovery Eucharist** 6:30 p.m. (Learning Center)

### Thanksgiving Eve Service



7:30 p.m. (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](mailto:ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org).

## Thursday, November 23

### Thanksgiving Holiday

The church offices are closed. There will be no meetings or services today.

## Friday, November 24

### Thanksgiving Holiday

The church offices are closed. There will be no meetings or services today.

### 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*. He presents 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. For information: <http://www.vromansbookstore.com/event/evening-reza-aslan>. A limited number of free tickets are available by contacting [ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org) (no book included).

**Greg Boyle – Monday, Dec. 11, 7:00 p.m. in the Forum.** Fr. Greg Boyle, speaking about and signing 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 <http://qrs.ly/x55yq88>.

## 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: *Ten Best Ways*  
4th–5th grade: *Feasting on the Word*

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

10:15 a.m. (Jr. & Sr. High Rooms). 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](mailto:cortega@allsaints-pas.org).

## Wednesday, November 22

### Youth Group

will resume Nov. 29.

## Thursday, November 23

### God, My Parents & Me

will resume Nov. 30.

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

# Looking Ahead

## Events & Opportunities

### 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@all-saints-pas.org](mailto:aramirez@all-saints-pas.org) or 626.583.2734 or pick up your form at the TJ table on the lawn. Registration deadline is Friday, Nov. 17. Join us for an exciting day!

### 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 [inbox@fostercareproject.org](mailto:inbox@fostercareproject.org).



### Angel Tree Arrives November 26!

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](mailto:cortega@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 Phel-



an offers a meditation. Immediately following the service, Parish Celebrations, the LGBTQ Ministry, and Children Youth and Families (CYF) invite you to join them in their Advent potluck supper and Advent wreath making in Sweetland Hall. If you are able, 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. Wreath making material is \$10 suggested donation. Information = Christina Ortega, 626.583.2733 or [cortega@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:cortega@allsaints-pas.org).

### 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, 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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org).

### Women's Community Annual Christmas Not a Party

Thursday, Dec 7, 6:30–8:30 p.m., at the home of Teri Valentine, 4819 Oakwood Avenue, La Canada Flintridge, CA 91011. All women are invited to the Women's Community Annual Christmas Not a Party. This is a potluck, so please bring an appetizer, dessert or a bottle of wine or sparkling water to share. A suggested donation of \$20 will be donated to the Lancer Food Pantry at Pasadena Community College. Info or to RSVP, contact Jane Wallace, [jane@Qwallace.com](mailto:jane@Qwallace.com) or 206.605.0228, or sign up at the Women's Community table on Sundays.



# Looking Ahead

## Events & Opportunities

### Setting the Welcome Table: Lessons on Radical Hospitality

Led by The Reverend Canon John W. Kilgore, M.D., Saturday, Dec 9, 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. with lunch reception following. With Jesus as the supreme model for hospitality, this session will review the scriptural basis, the tenets of corporate American hospitality, and attempt to integrate them into practical lessons for making our church more hospitable. Information = Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or at [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org). Or register at the Sign-Up Center or online at <http://bit.ly/2ypU89a>.

### Alternative Christmas Market

Sunday, Dec. 10, 8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. in Sweetland Hall. Give the gift of abundance: donate and receive a unique greeting card or buy items from 20+ local, national and international nonprofit and fair trade organizations to give as gifts. Information or to volunteer [acm@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:acm@allsaints-pas.org).

### Advent Festival of Lessons and Carols



Sunday, Dec. 10, 5:00 p.m. in the Church. In the warm ambience of the candlelit church, **Coventry Choir** offers motets, carols and canticles of intense, mystical beauty. A meditation by **Mike Kinman** focuses on the meaning of the coming of the Christ in a contemporary context. The choir, directed by **Weicheng Zhao**, will perform music of Jackson, Ireland, Bruckner, Victoria, Busto, and Stanford. Child care provided. Information = Debbie Daniels, 626.583.2750 or [ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org).

### 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.

### Become a Greeter!



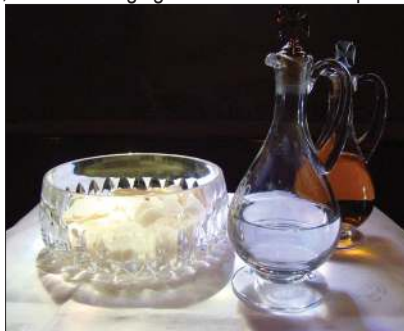
Teams are forming now and commitment is as little as one Sunday a month. For more information contact Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org).

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.



### 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](mailto:bgfranco@usc.edu).

### We Are All Touched by Gun Violence 5th Annual Community Vigil

Sunday, Dec. 10, 7:00–8:00 p.m., in the Chapel. Sponsored by the All Saints Gun Violence Task Force. Please join us in remembering all those killed by gun violence since the December 2012 Sandy Hook school massacre, especially those who died in recent tragedies. Information = Ada Ramirez, 626.583.2734 or [aramirez@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:aramirez@allsaints-pas.org).

### Homeless Memorial



Each year, thousands of homeless men and women die on the streets of our nation due to illness, exposure or violence — many from Pasadena — without the dignity and respect they deserve. Please join us Tuesday, Dec. 12, 6:00 p.m. in the Church, as we honor and acknowledge their lives and membership in the

human family. **Mike Kinman** preaches. For more information and/or to provide the name of someone you know who has lost their life on the streets so they can be acknowledged in the service, contact Juliana Serrano at 626.583.2731 or [jserrano@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jserrano@allsaints-pas.org).

### Fiction Fun! Christmas Party

Friday, Dec. 15, 6:00 p.m. Please join us for a festive pot luck dinner. Our Christmas cracker tradition and group reading continues! We will meet in a private home. Please contact Cecilia Flynn at [ceciliaflynn2016@gmail.com](mailto:ceciliaflynn2016@gmail.com) for additional information.

### 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.

## Next Sunday: November 26, 2017

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

At 1:00 p.m. **Antonio Gallardo** will preach at the Spanish Language service.

At 9 & 11:15 a.m.

**Canterbury Choir** offers *God, Be in My Head* by Rutter and *Psalm 23* by McFerrin.

**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**