

# This Week at All Saints

February 18– 24, 2018

## Sunday, February 18

### Featured Ministry: Sustainable World

Sustainable World strives to promote and support a socially responsible local and world economy that values life, Earth's resources and spiritual community through personal choices, education and public action. One of our main issues is affordable housing for Pasadena. For more information please visit our table or contact Ada Ramirez at [aramirez@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:aramirez@allsaints-pas.org).

## A Season of Wisdom & Revelation 2.0

2:30–4:00 p.m. (Forum) Mike Kinman will lead a



community conversation and reflection on the entire six weeks of sermons and forums during Epiphany, listening to each other's answer to the question: "What wisdom

was revealed?" The program will offer opportunities for both group conversation and individual study and reflection. We will continue the conversation Monday, Feb. 26, 7–8:30 p.m. and Tuesday, Mar. 20, 7–8:30 p.m. No RSVPs are necessary. Just show up and take part! On the First Sunday after Easter, Apr. 8, 2:30–4:00 p.m., we will meet again, listening to each other's answer to the question: "What transformation is God calling me and this community into through the wisdom that is being revealed?" Information = 626.796.1172 or email [info@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:info@allsaints-pas.org).

## Sunday, February 18 (cont.)

### Contemplative Evening Eucharist



5:00 p.m. (Church) As we enter the season of Lent enjoy music, silence and the beauty of our church's architecture. Open yourself to the blessings of joy, healing and peace. **Canterbury Choir** offers music of Gjeilo and Bach; **Weicheng Zhao** offers music of Mendelssohn. Child care is available.

## Monday, February 19

### President's Day Holiday

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

## Tuesday, February 20

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

## Wednesday, February 21

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

### Bible Study

10:45 a.m.– 12:00 p.m. (Scott Hall 5)

Information = Christina Ortega, 626.583.2733 or [cortega@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:cortega@allsaints-pas.org).

**Recovery Eucharist** 6:30 p.m. (Scott Hall 5)

## Thursday, February 22

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

## Thursday, February 22 (cont.)

### Talzé Prayers Around the Cross

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

### GOP Tax Scam Teach-In

7:00 p.m. (Church) Join our local Congresswoman **Judy Chu** and special guests in a conversation about how the recently passed tax law will exacerbate inequality and overly burden Californians. Learn the impacts of the bill and what it means for you.



## Friday, February 23

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

### Accompany Me:

#### Chronic Illness Support Group

1:00–2:30 p.m. (Scott Hall 6) We share our stories in a safe space together. Information = Ana Camacho, 626.583.2737 or [acamacho@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:acamacho@allsaints-pas.org).

### Practicing the Habit of Stillness

7:00–9:00 p.m. (Jr. High Room)

Information = Ana Camacho, 626.583.2737 or [acamacho@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:acamacho@allsaints-pas.org).



### Fiction Fun! Reads

#### The House of Mirth

7:30 p.m. (Guild Room) The February selection is *The House of Mirth*, by Edith Wharton (1905), another of the Modern Library's hundred best. Information = Jamie Hebert at 626.583.2765 or [jhebert@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jhebert@allsaints-pas.org).

## Children, Youth & Families

### New Creative Worship Space for Families in the Chapel!

Families are invited to worship together through art and play on our new rug in the chapel during any part of the service. Families should stay with their children as this area is not staffed. All are welcome to sit in the chapel; please be understanding whenever our youngest members make a joyful noise.

## 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.

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## Sunday Morning (cont.)

### K-5th Grade Sunday School

Kindergarten–3rd grade: *Faces of Easter I & II*

4th–5th grade: *Feasting on the Word*

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

10:15 a.m. (Jr. & Sr. High Rooms).

### 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 the OCC Conference Room. Information = Christina Ortega, 626.583.2733 or [cortega@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:cortega@allsaints-pas.org).

## Wednesday, February 21

### Youth Group

Dinner = 6:30 p.m. (Sweetland Hall)

Program = 7:30–8:30 p.m. (Learning Center)

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

## Thursday, February 22

### 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).

# Looking Ahead

## Events & Opportunities

### A Communion Reminder

A number of years ago All Saints discontinued the practice of intinction — dipping the communion wafer into the chalice. We made that decision on the advice of healthcare professionals and in response to data clearly demonstrating that fingers dipping into the cup exponentially increases the risk of contagion — something we are particularly sensitive to during this active flu season. So after receiving the bread, we ask you to help guide the cup to your lips or — if you prefer not to receive the wine — to touch the cup when it is presented to you.

### Jazz Vespers: Carol Robbins

Sunday, Feb. 25, 5:00 p.m. on the Chancel. Born in Chicago, **Carol Robbins** grew up in Los Angeles, where piano lessons at an early age inspired her to experiment with jazz improvisation. By age eight she was studying harp and eventually became one of the handful of students ever accepted by the late



pioneering harpist Dorothy Ashby. One of the world's few jazz harpists, Ms. Robbins has recorded and performed with an eclectic variety of artists including Billy Childs, Manhattan Transfer, Brian Wilson, Linda Ronstadt, Nina

Simone, Ella Fitzgerald and Frank Sinatra. She has performed at the Hollywood Bowl with many artists, including Stevie Wonder and Aretha Franklin. She will be joined by **Larry Koonse** on guitar and **Darek Oles** on bass. **Susan Russell** offers a meditation. Childcare provided. If you would like to use the chancel elevator for accessibility, please arrive five minutes early. There is no charge. No reservations required. Validated parking is available at Plaza las Fuentes. Information = Melissa Hayes, 626.583.2725 or [mhayes@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:mhayes@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 such 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.

### Walk the Labyrinth in Lent

"Journey to Jerusalem"...while walking the Labyrinth as a metaphor for your journey throughout Lent: available 8:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m., Monday – Friday through



Lent, in the nave's south transept. Come anytime, walk at your own pace, reflect deeply, and

listen for God's still, small voice to embrace you through this Lenten season. Information = Ana Camacho [acamacho@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:acamacho@allsaints-pas.org).

### Theatre Ministry - Last Chance to Purchase Tickets for *The Hothouse*

*The Hothouse*, Friday, February 23, 8:00 p.m.

at Antaeus Theatre in Glendale. All tickets must be purchased by Sunday, Feb. 18 at 1:00 p.m. Tickets are \$30 and available at <http://qrs.ly/em64rk6>. Harold Pinter's *The Hothouse* tells a blisteringly funny story of a government-run institution in which the wardens may be more mad than the patients. Filled with Pinter's biting political commentary on the perils of unchecked power, the battle for control results in absurdly comedic mayhem.

*A Raisin in the Sun*, Friday, March 2, 8:00 p.m.

at A Noise Within. Tickets are \$37 and available at <http://qrs.ly/yc64m2>. An unexpected windfall offers a life-changing option for the Youngers, an African-American family living in a cramped South Side Chicago apartment. Competing visions and high stakes threaten to tear apart a family already facing pre-civil rights America. Lorraine Hansberry's seminal work ("A play that changed American theatre forever"—New York Times) remains a resonant story of hope, inspiration, and the need to retain dignity in a harsh and changing world.

*A Streetcar Named Desire*, Friday, March 23,

8:00 p.m. at Theatre @ Boston Court. Tickets are \$25 and available at <http://qrs.ly/z664ro2>. This daring new production strips away decades of Southern gothic gauze to reveal striking themes of class, race, and gender—reinvigorating the classic that shocked audiences in its debut 70 years go. By placing the iconic 1940s-era Blanche within an entirely contemporary and multicultural environment, this 21st century production highlights the timeless relevance of this play for our divided America.

Information = Debbie Daniels, 626.583.2750 or [ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org).

### Weicheng Zhao's Final Doctoral Degree Organ Recital in Celebration of the

### Chinese New Year and Lantern Festival

Saturday, Mar. 3, 4:00 p.m., in the Church.



World Premiere *Bist du bei mir* by Bill Cunliffe.

Guest Artists: **Cherry Rhodes** and **James Walker**. A reception follows in Sweetland Hall.

### Children's Book Donations

The Children's Ministry is seeking donations of picture books! Do you have new, nearly new or gently used children's books that your kids have outgrown? Do you love to shop the bargain book table at your local bookstore? We need all those books for the Children's Activity Bags at All Saints Church!

Here are the guidelines:

- Books need to be smaller than 8"x11" so they will fit in the activity bag.
- Please - no merchandise-related books (Disney, Transformers, etc).
- We would especially appreciate book topics that appeal to all genders, since the books are handed out randomly.
- We really hope to get good multi-cultural books.
- We have lots of baby books, but need books for children ages 3-8.

Please leave your book donations with the front desk in the church main office. Information = Kelly Phelan 626.583.2764 or at [kphelan@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:kphelan@allsaints-pas.org).



# Looking Ahead

## Events & Opportunities

### Lenten Group Offerings

Pick the book, meditation or educational group during Lent that is perfect for you.

All run for five weeks, beginning February 18, except where noted. Sign up on the website, or for information contact Christina Ortega at 626.583.2733 or [cortega@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:cortega@allsaints-pas.org).

#### Sunday:

##### **Los Cuatro Acuerdos**

Sundays, 12:00 ~ 12:45 p.m. Guild Room.

Led by Vivian Varela.

##### **The Very Good Gospel: How Everything Wrong Can Be Made Right**

Sundays, 1:00 ~ 2:30 p.m., OCC Conference Room.

Led by Renatta Cooper.

#### Monday:

##### **Nonviolent Communication: A Language of Life**

Mondays, 7:00 ~ 8:30 p.m., Learning Center 2.

Led by Terry Moore and Gloria Antall.

##### **Drawdown: The Most Comprehensive Plan Ever Proposed to Reverse Global Warming**

Mondays, 7:00 ~ 8:30 p.m., Learning Center 1.

Led by Bob Whitson.

#### Tuesday:

##### **The Book of Joy: Lasting Happiness in a Changing World**

Tuesdays, 7:00 ~ 9:00 p.m., Scott Hall 4.

Led by Betty Cole.

#### Wednesday:

##### **Seven Last Words: An Invitation to a Deeper Friendship with Jesus**

Wednesdays, 10:00 ~ 11:30 a.m. Scott Hall 3.

Led by Susan Adkins

#### Thursday:

##### **Ferguson and Faith: Sparking Leadership and Awakening Community**

Thursdays, 7:00 ~ 8:30 p.m., Scott Hall 5.

Led by Mary Bucci Bush & Edna Trigg.

##### **Seven Last Words: An Invitation to a Deeper Friendship with Jesus**

Thursdays, 7:00 ~ 8:30 p.m., Junior High Room.

Led by Susan Adkins.

##### **Lenten Educational Group:**

##### **Divine Encounters in Nature**

Thursdays, 7:00 ~ 8:30 p.m., Guild Room.

Led by Bud Williams.

#### Saturday:

##### **Lenten Educational Group:**

##### **Sacred Collage**

Saturdays, 9:00 ~ 11:00 a.m., Learning Center.

Led by Dorothy Torrey.

Sign-up online at <https://allsaints-pas.org/sign-up-center/> or visit our Sign-Up Center on the lawn on Sunday mornings.

### Prison Ministry Conference: **Reimagining Justice in the Age of Mass Incarceration**

Monday, Mar. 5 – Wednesday, Mar. 7. A conference sponsored by the Episcopal Diocese of Los Angeles and Prism Restorative Justice. Featured presenters are the Rev. Gregory J. Boyle, and Sister Helen Prejean. Mass incarceration ranks high among the injustices of our day, splitting families and communities, perpetuating racism, and failing to deliver the very thing it promises: justice. What does true justice look like in our current



context? This conference will study that question



from a multifaceted perspective, looking at diverse approaches to justice. Prioritizing the voices of formerly incarcerated people, those working on the front lines, and those whose ideas challenge

our preconceptions of what criminal justice looks like, this conference will bring new perspectives for those who have long been working against mass incarceration and for those new to the struggle. Information = [Prism@ladiocese.org](mailto:Prism@ladiocese.org) or visit our website at [www.prismjustice.org](http://www.prismjustice.org).

### Senior Saints: Finding Strength for the Spiritual Journey

Join us Thursday, Mar 1, 12:30 p.m., in Sweetland Hall for a program entitled *Finding Strength for the Spiritual Journey*. We will hear 3 members share an early childhood experience of spirituality. Come prepared to share a memory of something sacred in our childhood. Bring a friend! Suggested donation of \$10.00 for light lunch. For more info contact Jamie Hebert [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.

## Next Sunday: February 25, 2018

At 7:30, 9:00 & 11:15 a.m. Susan Russell preaches.

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

At 9:00 & 11:15 a.m.

Canterbury Choir offers *Take What You Need* by Esmail and *Lord, For Thy Tender Mercy's Sake* by Farrant.

Youth Chamber Choir offers *Loving Shepherd* by Chilcott.

At 1:00 p.m. Dan Cole & the 1 p.m. Ensemble offer music.

At 10:15 a.m. Rector's Forum  
with Kenneth Turan



Los Angeles Times film critic and author Kenneth Turan will give his annual pre-Academy Awards look at what's hot and what's not in recent film festivals and in the Oscar race.

Adult Education Offerings at 10:15 a.m.

*The Sacraments* with Sally Howard in the Guild Room.

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