

# This Week at All Saints

April 26 – May 2, 2020

**This Sunday, April 26 - Join us here: <https://zoom.us/j/817796514>**

**(This link includes all four events below)**

**Please do not log on more than 15 minutes in advance, at 9:45 a.m.**

**10:00-10:45 a.m.**

## **Rector's Forum with Luis J. Rodriguez**

From 2014-2016, Luis served as the official Poet Laureate of Los Angeles. For Luis poetry is soul talk, a prophetic act, a powerful means to enlarge one's presence in the world. Luis is also a novelist/memoirist/short story writer/children's book writer/essayist as well as a community & urban peace activist, mentor, healer, youth & arts advocate, husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather. Luis is dedicated to a clean, balanced, abundant, cooperative, healing world. No more capitalist private property relations, exploitation, war, or inequities. "In essential things, unity; in nonessential things, liberty. In all things compassion."



## **11:00-11:15 a.m. Virtual Children's Chapel led by Kelly Erin O'Phelan**

If you have a candle and matches at home, please have them ready so you can light the candle together.

We will share the video afterward if you want to do this later with your children.

## **11:15 a.m. Virtual Service**

Mike Kinman will preach. Coventry Choir offers *i thank you, God* by Walker and

*He's Got the Whole World in His Hands* with soloist Kyla McCarrel.

## **1:00 p.m. Bilingual Spanish/English Virtual Service**

Alfredo Feregrino will preach at our bilingual service, and we'll again follow Eucharist with breaking bread together at a Virtual Coffee Hour. Dan Cole & Ensemble will offer music.

## **Circle of Life - Sunday, April 26, 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.**

**<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85053306906?pwd=VIBWZkc4SnE0TDhvSEVMaXhZcjkxQT09>**

**Meeting ID: 850 5330 6906 ✦ Password: 137168**

Many of us face the joys and challenges of having aging parents. In this circle of life, roles often change and losses occur, both great and small. Please join Frank Cunningham and guest, Brenda Shorkend from Shorkend Care Management will facilitate an open of how Covid 19 is effecting the participants and their families, and the family dynamics in times of sickness and family distress.

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

## **Children, Youth & Families**

### **K-5th Grade Updates**

#### **Sunday K-5th Grade Children's Chapel**

Digital Children's Chapel is on at 11:00 a.m. from the Facebook feed of Kelly Erin O'Phelan (you can friend request Kelly and it will be set to 'public' on their page, so you can watch it by searching for their name). Anyone one of any age is welcome to attend this digital chapel! If you have a candle and matches at home, please have them ready as we will light the candle together! Children's Chapel will happen ever single week, digital or not.

If you are looking for support during this time please reach out to Kelly Erin O'Phelan at [kophelan@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:kophelan@allsaints-pas.org) to connect.



### **Youth, 6th-12th Grade, Updates**

The youth of All Saints Church have setup an online community so that we can all stay connected during this time.

**We'll gather online during our regular meeting times as well as any other time you'd like.**

To get access to the server, please contact Jeremy at [jlanguill@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:jlanguill@allsaints-pas.org) or Nina at [nscherer@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:nscherer@allsaints-pas.org).

#### **We're also on Facebook:**

<https://www.facebook.com/ascyouthpasadena/>

#### **Instagram: [ascyouthpasadena](#)**

#### **You can visit our website**

<https://ascyouth.squarespace.com/>



# Stay Connected

## Monday, Apr. 27:

### Monday Meditation Group - 6:45–8:45 p.m.

Beginners are welcome. Join us for quiet sitting and group meditation, accessible to all.

Information = **Betty Cole** (leader), 626.356.4749.

### Grief and Loss Support Group - 7:00 p.m.

The Grief and Loss Support Group offers opportunities to develop a better understanding of grief and to learn healthy coping skills and share feelings with others who are experiencing loss

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

### Brothers on a Journey - 7:00–9:00 p.m.

Brothers on a Journey is an affinity group for men to share about their lives in a safe and welcoming environment.

Information = Christine Cox at [ccox@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:ccox@allsaints-pas.org).

### LGBTQ+ Small Group - 7:00–8:30 p.m.

We strive to enhance the journey of faith of the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer community through opportunities to foster spiritual and educational growth, social interaction, political advocacy and pastoral care. Email Christine Cox at [ccox@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:ccox@allsaints-pas.org) for access details.

## Tuesday, Apr. 28 - Centering Prayer service - 6:45–8:00 p.m.

Centering Prayer is a meditation practice that is centered in the contemplative Christian tradition. A sacred word is chosen as your symbol of intention to consent to God's presence and action within. Your word is used to focus your attention so that when thoughts or sensations arise you return gently to the sacred word. The prayer is done in silence for a 20 minute period.

<https://allsaints-pas.org/more/pastoral-care/centering-prayer/>

## Leading a Ministry or Committee - Sunday, May 3, 2:30 - 4:00 p.m. - via Zoom

This class provides specific training to help leaders of a committee find their vision, execute an agenda, recruit others into the work, plan for your successor, and monitor the participation of each member. Whether you are a new ministry leader or have been a leader for many years, this class will offer you new insight and ideas.

Presented by the Leadership Support & Development Committee.

Registration link: <https://bit.ly/2XC1VAv> ✦ Information: Amanda McCormick at [amccormick@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:amccormick@allsaints-pas.org)



## Senior Saints Monthly Gathering

### Thursday, May 7, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

All Senior Saints are invited to our monthly online gathering with special guest

**MaryAnn Ahart** talking on, *My Time as Senior Warden*.

An outstanding speaker, MaryAnn will discuss her experience leading the Vestry during the last two years.

There will be plenty of time for questions and answers. Amanda McCormick will send the zoom link to all

Senior Saints. Email questions to: [amccormick@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:amccormick@allsaints-pas.org). "See" you all on May 7!

## Join the Racial Justice Ministry Zoom Program - Sunday May 17, 2:30-4:00 p.m.

Monique Thomas presents a segment of her original one-woman show, *"Hair Journey: An Autoethnographic Performance--Exploring Hair as the Site of Cultural Performance and the Source of Joy, Pain, Struggle, and Redemption."*

Monique Thomas is a long time member of All Saints Church, currently serving on the Vestry and as Junior Warden. She studied communications and performance at CSU San Bernardino and CSULA, and participated in a summer performance program at Northwestern University. As an African-American woman, hair has been a major part of her identity.

Monique's performance will be followed by a discussion you can participate in regarding your own "hair journeys." For the Zoom link or more information, contact [rjm.ascpas@gmail.com](mailto:rjm.ascpas@gmail.com)



# Looking Ahead

## Events & Opportunities

### We Are Grateful for You!

The generous support of the extended All Saints family helps make possible the many ways in which our love of God and of each other manifests through engagement with one another and with our wider community. We are grateful! Our celebration of Easter this year holds exceptional meaning – reminding us all of the hope and possibilities that are alive in our world. We invite you to mark this moment by making a special gift during Eastertide, helping to ensure that All Saints Church continues to be a church of healing and transformation, and a community where we can imagine new and wondrous things together.

Please make your gift here: —<https://allsaints-pas.org/donate/donate-now/>

If you have any questions, contact our Director of Giving, Terry Knowles at [tknowles@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:tknowles@allsaints-pas.org) or 626.583.2736.



### Feast & Friendship Goes Online This Month!

You are cordially invited to attend one of five Feast & Friendship online gatherings scheduled this month to create connection and sustain our All Saints Community. Each gathering will use either the Zoom or WebEx platforms. You will need to download the specified app (free of charge) for your gathering before your chosen date. Help is available if you find yourself technology-challenged – no worries!

Note that each gathering is BYOB – bring your own beverage, bring your own bite! We have a place for you!

**Friday, April 24, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

Hosted by Carolyn Ash (Zoom) <https://tinyurl.com/FFApril24>

**Saturday, April 25, 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.**

Hosted by Terry Moore & Harry Prince (Zoom) <https://tinyurl.com/FFApril25>

**Tuesday, April 28, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

Hosted by Jane Brust & Chris Glaeser (Webex) <https://tinyurl.com/FFApril28>

**Wednesday, April 29, 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.**

Hosted by Liza Billington & Cory Brendel (Webex) <https://tinyurl.com/FFApril29>

**Thursday, April 30, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.**

Hosted by Jane Brust & Chris Glaeser (Zoom) <https://tinyurl.com/FFApril30>

Information = Christine Cox at [ccox@allsaints-pas.org](mailto:ccox@allsaints-pas.org)

### Congregational Response Team (CRT)

The CRT, chaired by Christine Hartman is hard at work contacting members of our community, starting with those most vulnerable and with minimal internet access. You can help! Please think of people who are vulnerable, anxious and in need ... and then do two things:

**First** — reach out to them yourself. Phone. Text. Email. Drop them a card. Ask if there is anything they need.

Spend some time just talking and listening.

**Second** — let us know. Email CRT convener Christine Hartman at [christine@icehatcreative.com](mailto:christine@icehatcreative.com) with any information about people in need or if you are interested in volunteering.

**Our staff is working remotely. You can find a full contact list on our website at**

[www.allsaints-pas.org/more/contact-us/](http://www.allsaints-pas.org/more/contact-us/)

**For an Updated List of Virtual Meetings, Visit Our Website: [www.allsaints-pas.org](http://www.allsaints-pas.org)**

**Next Sunday: May 3, 2020**

### Virtual Church - Find link at

<https://allsaints-pas.org/live-stream/>

**11:15 a.m. service (English)** The Right Reverend John Harvey Taylor, Bishop Diocesan of the Episcopal Diocese of Los Angeles preaches. Coventry Choir offers *i thank you, God* by Walker and *He's Got the Whole World in His Hands* with soloist Kyla McCarrel.

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