

All Saints Episcopal Church  
Pasadena



# We Have Come to Our Real Work

Annual Report 2024





## Priest-in-Charge Report:

# *We Have Come to Our Real Work*

*When we no longer know what to do, we have come to our real work.  
The mind that is not baffled is not employed. The impeded stream is the one that sings.  
~ Wendell Berry*

This quote from Wendell Berry, author, poet, and man of deep faith, has given me comfort, hope, and endurance for a number of years now. He beautifully reframes uncertainty into opportunity, and poetically tunes my ear to the song that emerges out of struggle. At All Saints, 2024 began with much uncertainty and struggle. But as the year unfolded, oh how this parish did sing!

Given that I did not begin my ministry with you until August, I will not go into much detail regarding the events leading up to my arrival. But I think it important and honest to acknowledge that the first six months of 2024 were filled with hardships and heartaches. Hurt abounded. Trust was diminished. Suspicions were heightened. Assumptions replaced conversations. Certainty exceeded clarity.

The "stream's" waters, to continue with Berry's metaphor, had grown shallow, exposing a bed of debris and bringing us to "our real work,"—requiring of us commitment, patience, thoughtfulness, forgiveness, and creativity. Yet somehow, by the grace of God I dare say, in the second half of 2024 All Saints found a way to sing.

There was much singing and rejoicing in September as we celebrated the Centennial, a weekend-long celebration, organized by Nancy Naecker, Anina Minotto, Risë Worthy Deamer and Sarah Nolan. That Saturday evening was a reunion of parishioners and staff, past and present, who had contributed to the vibrant life of All Saints. The joy and energy were palpable. The Sunday morning's worship was equally wonderful, complete with a fabulous sermon by Bishop Taylor and the debut of an original compo-

sition by Weicheng Zhao and Bill Cunliffe. The joint choirs inspired us with their voices and we've been singing each Sunday since.

While that weekend was an opportunity for All Saints to reconnect with who we are at our best, the Centennial anniversary also was an invitation for the church to begin examination of a through-line that represents not our best but rather our brokenness. Although I can't speak fully to the many conversations of the *Telling the Whole Story* body (**please see p. 9**), I am grateful that they have helped us understand how the sinful actions and attitudes of many All Saints members one hundred years ago gave rise to the establishment of Pasadena's historically black Episcopal church, St. Barnabas.

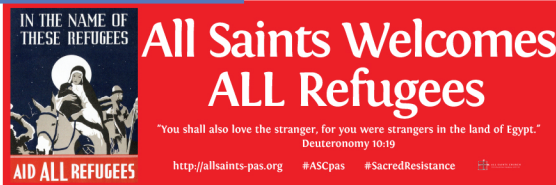
If you attended that June service at St. Barnabas when Chase preached, then you know better than I the sacredness of even one small step in the journey of acknowledging past sins. In addition, led by the witness of the *Racial Justice Ministry committee* (**please see p. 9**), the counsel of the *Racial Justice Advisory Board* (**please see p. 9**), and now the wisdom of the *Advisory Board for Liturgy and Representation* (a new body formed based upon RJAB's counsel), we have begun the work of understanding how both the actions of our white church-ancestors from the past and even some elements of our church practices today reflect the human failings of racism, domination, oppression, and division. I am so grateful to all who are a part of these bodies.

Inspired by their leadership, here is a sample of the work we have done in 2024:

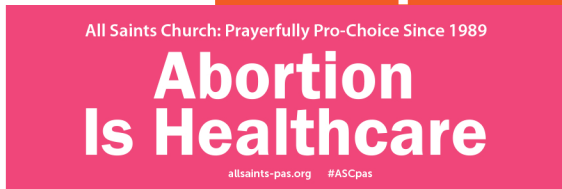
How many of these Gospel-driven issues became threatened anew in 2024?



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**All Saints Celebrates Juneteenth**



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- a hundred-plus parishioners attended the *Racial Justice Ministry* forum (September),
- an All Saints delegation attended the national church's summit on Racial Reckoning and Reparations (September),
- fifty-plus gathered for an AAPI-sponsored viewing of *38 at the Garden* (November),
- the vestry adopted a land-acknowledgment statement based upon a *Telling the Whole Story* recommendation (November),
- a standing-room-only crowd packed into the guild room to hear a report from both those who participated in the national summit and those who continue working on *Telling the Whole Story* (December),
- and coming in 2025 we will offer for all parishioners the national church's program, *Sacred Ground: A Film Based Dialogue Series on Race and Faith*,
- also coming in 2025 we have scheduled multiple sessions of the national church's program designed particularly for individuals of African descent focusing on *Internalized Racial Oppression*.

Let me be clear: this work is so very difficult and will extend into the generations to come. But I see in the above-mentioned experiences outward and visible signs that we are committed to the task.

Speaking of those things about which we are committed, I want to highlight several other efforts in 2024 which reflect our concerns and commitments.

Safe Haven, led so tirelessly by Erica Tamblyn, reflects our commitment to the unhoused and all those living on the margins. She never ceases to amaze me with her enthusiasm and dedication. **(please see the Safe Haven report on p. 10)**

Our Peace and Justice ministries, such as the *Middle East Ministry* **(please see p. 9)**, capture our baptismal commitment to strive for justice and peace.

Our commitment to children, youth, and family ministries led us to the calling of a new CYF director. In November we found the answer to our prayers in Amanda Baughman, a long-time parishioner who had been engaged in similar ministry at another

church. She started officially the final weekend of November, and I do not believe we could have found a better and more capable director anywhere in the country (truly!). Already her leadership and creativity have made not just our CYF ministry but all of All Saints better!

In addition to being so grateful that Amanda has joined the staff, I/we all owe a great debt of thanks to Jonathan Berry who filled the CYF vacancy devotedly and lovingly for far longer than anyone imagined. For several months, JB teamed with JS (Jonathan Stoner) and Jenny Tisi to make sure our youth were well cared for, so really, to all of them—thank you from the bottom of my heart!!

In addition to caring for children, youth, and family, we at All Saints remain committed to supporting our LGBTQ+ siblings (many of them children, some of them youth, all of them family), as evidenced not only in the weekly group that meets on campus (my thanks to Billie Rainier and Troy Wise, who convene this group), but also in the November Trans Day of Remembrance service, organized by Thomas Diaz. It was a privilege to sit amongst such faithful individuals. As 2025 unfolds, the importance of our care and support for these siblings only grows.

Likewise we are committed to caring for, supporting, and honoring the Spanish-speaking members of the All Saints and wider Pasadena communities. The Spanish-speaking healing services, led lovingly by Alfredo Feregrino, have proven so meaningful to so many. While I'll say more about Alfredo later, let me also say here I am grateful to Bishop Nadal for his ministry in the time following Alfredo's departure.

One of the things I love about All Saints is the broad spirituality represented amongst parishioners. I am mindful of that diversity as I think about our Wednesday evening Taizé service. I know for some, it is their primary worship experience, which leaves me committed to seeing this service continue. I am grateful to Alfredo for his initial leadership as well as to Jeanie Cobb, who now serves as the lead organizer.

Another thing I love about All Saints is its commitment to being a gathering place for the entire Pasadena area. That sense was on display throughout



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election week, as we met Tuesday through Friday for daily prayer and mediations. Although emotions were varied, the shared opportunity to gather, pray, and reflect demonstrated the importance of All Saints to the greater Pasadena community.

And I have to say, never was that importance more apparent than in the second week of this new year. (I hope you'll forgive me for dipping in to 2025 in this 2024 Annual Report.) Of course, I am referring to the horrific fires that displaced so many Altadena and Pasadena residents. I have written repeatedly and at length about our efforts, but it bears repeating, our January response was All Saints at its most vibrant and vital best. Each staff member provided calm, decisive, organized leadership. Parishioners partnered with staff to enable us to serve, first, as a respite shelter and, later, as a distribution center. And because of countless volunteers, we have been able to attend to so much of the material and spiritual needs of our community friends. I have never felt more privileged to be a part of All Saints than in this past month.

That said, I have long-sensed not only my Spirit-led calling but also my great blessing in landing at All Saints. With each passing week of collaboration, I have come to appreciate more fully the capable and faithful staff. I've already mentioned the gifts of our newest staff member, Amanda Baughman, but I want to say a few words about the others with whom I work.

Mark Chase is so passionate and committed. Thomas Diaz is equally thoughtful and compassionate. Melissa Hayes' attention for detail and liturgical instincts beautifully serve us each and every week. Keith Holeman is as kind as he is creative. Sarah Nolan never ceases to amaze me with her dedication and competence. Susan Russell's wisdom and devotion knows no bounds. Jenny Tisi's infectious joy for musical instruction is only exceeded by her love for the youth she instructs. The breadth of Weicheng Zhao's talents are only exceeded by the depth of his heart. The attentiveness Verna Zamora brings to her care for our campus is matched by the care she brings to the entire buildings and grounds crew.

And of course, so much of what these leaders have

been able to do has been supported by the efforts of our additional staff: Ana Camacho, Grace Chung, Debbie Daniels, Nader Eldahaby, Samantha Kramer, Amanda McCormick, Mark Morris, Merry Simkins, Jonathan Stoner, and Maren Tompkins (who miraculously keeps me organized!).

I am grateful to consider them all ministry partners. And All Saints is so fortunate to benefit from their talents.

Let me also give thanks here for two staff members who concluded their ministries at All Saints. In November, Alfredo Feregrino announced that he had accepted a call to return to his home diocese of Olympia. He was much loved during his five-year tenure leaving us both happy for his return home and saddened by his departure.

Later in December that sadness was amplified as I announced that Sally Howard would not be returning as our Senior Associate Rector—the decision to eliminate this staff position driven by our unsustainable budget shortfall. For over ten years All Saints benefited from Sally's pastoral gifts and obvious faith, and she, like Alfredo, will be missed.

So, as I reread my report and find myself having filled over four pages (yikes!), I am struck by two thoughts: first, imagine how many pages this might have taken had I been around for all twelve months? And second, what an eventful and Spirit-filled span of time we have shared.

To return to Wendell Berry's words, we have come together to do "real work." And although I imagine there will be times in 2025 when again we are not quite sure what to do, when our minds even might be baffled, I know I will give thanks for sharing those times with you. Just as I know I will delight in hearing anew how we sing.

Gratefully submitted by:

The Rev. Tim Rich  
Priest-in-Charge

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*Take a look at some of the things we did in 2024:*

## **Pastoral Care & Healing and Health**

### **Pastoral Services**

**5** weddings

**17** funerals/memorials/inurnments

**16** baptisms of babies & youth, **3** adult baptisms

**25** Prayer Shawls given out.

### **Visitations**

**5** Lay Eucharistic Visitors visited **13-15** parishioners at their homes or assisted living facilities every month to share communion and conversation on **140** total visits. **10** people took part in the mid-year Lay Eucharistic Visitors orientation, with old & new lay ministers, to learn the sacraments.

**50** Christmas Poinsettias and **25** Easter Lilies were delivered to our homebound neighbors.

### **Groups & Offerings**

**8** Continuously Ongoing Small Groups

**5** Twelve-Step Support Groups (ACA, SAA, SIA, OA, LA CADA All Recovery Anonymous). LA CADA All-Recovery Anonymous serves **30-50** people weekly.

**12** monthly Labyrinth offerings, as well as during Holy Week and election week. Over **30** 8th graders from Episcopal School of L.A. walked the Labyrinth in May.

**Lay Counseling Ministry** was sunsetted in Fall 2024. Many thanks to supervisors Dr. Charles Foster & Kim Sainen.

### **Healing**

**2** Healing Sundays were held, in January and December.

**10** 5pm Healing Services in Spanish were held monthly, except July and August

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**14** healers helped in healing services.

**60** attended Holiday Blues in December.

The Taize Style of Worship Services met **34** times in the chapel and the church throughout the year, averaging over 20 attendees. The highest attendance was the Wednesday after the election, when **50** came to church and **39** streamed it live.

### **All Saints Sunday**

**333** names were in the necrology.

**136** letters and email invitations to the All Saints Sunday service were sent to those who lost loved ones in the past year.

**5** healers healed at the rail on Sunday services at 10 a.m. throughout the year.

### **Prayer Ministry**

**250** cards were sent to acknowledge prayer requests.

**1,900** Prayer requests were received.

## **Children, Youth & Families**

We are deeply grateful to **Jonathan Berry** for assuming such a significant level of responsibility in the absence of a CYF Director. A huge thank you also goes out to **Jonathan Stoner, Merry Simkins, Anamaria Koemans, childcare staff**, and our incredible **CYF committee** – all of whom really stepped up to keep everything running. We could not have achieved any of this without their collective efforts, and we truly appreciate all their hard work, support, and dedication!

**85** Children and Youth registered on CYF Registration Sunday.

**Godly Play** launched on December 1st with **15** adult volunteer storytellers, all of whom come from outside the CYF program, an amazing reflection of the larger community's commitment to supporting the children and youth of All Saints!



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**203** children attended Children's Chapel (K-5th grade) over **25** weeks.

**30** Youth Acolytes with **5** teams and **7** team leaders/coordinators.

An average of **17** youth attended **35** Wednesday Night Youth Group meetings - run by dozens of volunteers, many from the 40s-50's ministry.

An average of **12** youth attended **11** Not-So-Bored Game Nights.

A modified Angel Tree raised **\$2,425**.

**\$1,212.50** was donated to FosterAll and HillSides, both non-profits serving foster youth and families in LA County.

## Justice & Community Organizing (formerly Peace & Justice)

### On the Lawn & Beyond

Action Table/Rapid Response Team, **51** Actions,

**6,340** signed letters to President Biden, the US Congress, Governor Newsom, Attorney General Merrick Garland, the California Legislature and other government officials.

Foster Care Project celebrated **20 years** as an All Saints Church Ministry.

**50** attended the FCP's second Speakers Series event hosting a panel of three foster youth who would transition from the Department of Children & Family Services (DCFS) program and its service at age 22.

**90** foster youth received exercises in financial literacy at FCP's "Bite of Reality"

**1,882**: Estimated number of foster youth and children served.

## Racism/Multiculturalism

The **Racial Justice Advisory Board** recommendation regarding liturgy and worship was passed and adopted by vestry, and led to creation of the **Advi-**

**sory Board for Liturgy and Representation**. Advisory Board members: Bonnie Rice, Barbara Andrade DuBransky, Bill Gould, Norweeta Milburn, Bert Voorhees.

The **Telling the Whole Story: St. Barnabas Committee's** Relationship Sub-committee's efforts, with assistance from the **Racial Justice Ministry**, materialized into potluck dinners, marching together in Pasadena's annual Black History Parade, movie outings, and most notably, the first-ever joint worship service between St. Barnabas and All Saints on Juneteenth Sunday, June 16. Nearly **300** people attended.

In September the **Racial Justice Ministry** hosted a session in the forum to follow up with All Saints people who attended the St. Barnabas Juneteenth event. **65** attended, and together, generated a list of next steps.

**89** travelled with the **Transformational Journeys Ministry** on 8 local and international trips, including Project Angel Food, BAPS Mandir Hindu Temple, Wat Thai Buddhist Temple, Judson Studios and our second TJ to Japan!

The **Interfaith Study Group** held **8** events with **320** attendees. Rotating amongst members All Saints Church, the Pasadena Jewish Temple and Center, and the Islamic Center of Southern California, presentations included Bearing Witness Through Compassionate Listening, Iconography for a New Era, Loss and Grief, The History and Song of the Passover Seder, Peace and Justice in Turbulent Times, and Making Housing Happen.

The **Middle East Ministry** (MEM) held **14** events that included the Help Save the Children of Gaza Fundraiser, which **raised nearly \$50,000** for non-profit KINDER USA, whose Board Chair is Dr. Laila Al-Marayati; Rev. Dr. Munther Isaac, Dean of Bethlehem Bible College, spoke at All Saints on "Silence is Complicity" to an audience of **500**; MEM had many participants in weekly Monday Night Vigils outside Rep. Judy Chu's Office with Pasadena 4 Palestine, numbering between **30-150** participants each week. **7** from the MEM Leadership Team took part in the Alternative Christmas Market, raising **\$4,967** for the Palestinian Heirloom Seed Library and for Palestinian artists and farmers.

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**Activism with the City of Pasadena:** MEM members, along with Pasadena4Palestine, packed the Pasadena City Council meeting on March 11 to request a ceasefire resolution be put on the Council's Agenda. The Council called a special meeting for March 18. **500-700** people filled the hall at the Pasadena Convention Center. **200** people spoke to the issue, about **170** in favor of a ceasefire resolution. The Council adapted a previous resolution, adding a call for ceasefire in Gaza and return of all hostages.

## **Economic Justice**

### **Safe Haven/Unhoused/Hunger Ministry**

As of the end of the year, **Safe Haven Bridge to Housing** had housed an amazing total of **45** of our previously unhoused neighbors!

### **Safe Haven/Monday Morning Hunger Ministry:**

**3134** meals, **1576** showers, **385** haircuts, **176** Doctor appts., **103** Mental Health appts., **39** Dept. of Mental Health visits and diocesan conversations, **70** HIV tests, **35** MediCal sign ups, **30+** flu/covid vaccinations, **364** Winter Coats given out, **75** beanies knitted by parishioners, **50** sweaters, **40** scarves knitted by parishioners, **29** ear warmers knitted by parishioners, **30** gloves, and countless items of clothing.

Erica Tamblyn led a team of **4** homeless outreach professionals in the **Pasadena Homeless Count** on 1/23-24/24.

**175** guests attended the 15th Annual **Memorial Service for our Unhoused Neighbors**, honored the lives of those lost, without home or shelter, on the streets of our communities during 2024. At the reception afterward, more than **200** meals (and an additional **50** meals provided in to-go boxes) were prepared and served by **32** volunteers, with main entrees provided by Nickel Diner.

The **Alternative Christmas Market**, offering socially-conscious gift giving opportunities for the season, raised over **\$17,782** in donations for **17** different non-profit organizations. We welcomed Aid Tanzania and Octavia's Bookshelf for the first time to the market.

### **Environmental Defense of the Earth Now (EDEN)**

organized the annual Earth Day Celebration, featuring

**9** organizations promoting climate justice, alternative transportation, wildlands conservation, native plants, energy conservation, waste reduction, recycled materials, and sustainable gardening. Bunny World Foundation brought rescued rabbits as part of a program for church youth.

## **Congregational Development**

### **Formation & Education**

**37** 9:00 a.m. **Adult Ed Offerings** had **4291** attendees in-person and online.

**25** attended **Confirmation Class**, with **8** confirmed adults, and **3** received.

**24** attended Education for Ministry (EfM) classes.

**53** people completed **Getting Connected Class: An Introduction to All Saints**. Facilitators were Gloria Antall, Patrick Briggs, Maddie Gavel-Briggs, Isabel Ramirez, Billie Rainer.

**10** attended **Leadership Support & Development Training** for Small Group Facilitators in Winter 2024. **90** Ministry Leaders and Small Group Facilitators were sent a thank you note and Jones Gifts card for a cup of coffee as a thank you for their ministry leadership.

**120** volunteers enjoyed grilled burgers at the **Spring Volunteer Appreciation BBQ** on the Quad Lawn organized by Thomas Diaz, Amanda McCormick, Ana Camacho and Alfredo Feregrino.

## **Small Group Ministry**

**546** people participated in **30** active **Small Groups**, run by **34** small group facilitators. **382** participated in ongoing Small Groups. **16** participated in Advent Groups. **100** in Lenten Groups. Neighborhood Small Groups met occasionally.

## **Parish Life**

**10** 20/30's **Monthly Socials** averaged **10** participants.

**8-20** 40s, 50s and **Friends** gathered monthly for

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hikes, museum visits and two retreats.

**Senior Saints** held **12** monthly lunch gatherings with a variety of guest speakers. **80** attended their Christmas party, with a special guest appearance by Santa Claus. The Senior Saints Book Group met monthly.

**11**: number of major events, receptions, screenings, and parties **Women's Community** hosted or co-hosted, serving nearly **1600** guests, and raising over **\$50,000** for local charities and social justice non-profits.

## LGBTQ+ Ministry

**2** LGBTQ+ Social Hours on Sundays averaged **15** attendees.

**50+** attended **Annual Pride Month** social events. Including Drag Queen Bingo and Interfaith Prayer Service.

**37** people in-person and **22** streamers attended the **Interfaith LGBTQ+ Prayer Service**.

**42** people in-person and **9** streamers attended the **Contemplative LGBTQ+ Service**.

**78** people in-person and **20** streamers attended the **Transgender Day of Remembrance and Resilience**.

**5-10** people regularly attended the weekly **LGBTQ+ Tuesday Evening Sharing Group**.

The **Latino/Hispanic Ministry** offered **Escuela para Ministerios, Latin Hour** and the 5:00 p.m. **Healing Service in Spanish** throughout the year.

The **Asian American & Pacific Islander Ministry** (AAPI) celebrated Lunar New Year and AAPI Heritage Month with the parish,

## Welcome Ministry

**216** Welcome Cards were received.

**216** Welcome emails were sent.

**36 Greeters** led by Ben Martin and Cindy Bishop offered a warm welcome every Sunday.

## Front Desk Volunteers

**9** front desk volunteers provided a warm welcome at the office, as the staff came back to work in-person full time following the COVID era: Marilyn Coffman, Tina Crosby, Susan Houser, Sara McGah, Nancy Naecker, Cheryl O'Colmain, Mary Pillot, Ken Roehrs and Diane Wilson.

## Giving

Every year, All Saints parishioners share in generosity to support the work and witness of All Saints Church. For our **Walk In Love Pledge Campaign** for 2025, **477** households pledged a total **\$2,530,286**. This year we relaunched a peer to peer calling/email effort, inviting parishioners to make their pledge. Over **600** connections were made by **60** parishioners.

You can find updated numbers about our 2024 giving in the financial report. To make a 2025 pledge visit: [allsaints-pas.org/pledge](https://allsaints-pas.org/pledge).

## Homecoming 2024: A Centennial Celebration

All Saints celebrated the **100th birthday** of our church building on **Homecoming Sunday**, September 15, with Bishop John Taylor. The year-long Centennial celebration was co-chaired by **Risë Worthy-Deamer, Anina Minotto & Nancy Naecker**.

**900** people attended the Homecoming service followed by a festive lunch on the lawn led by **Leah Nelson and Parish Celebrations**.

The **Welcome Home!** anthem, composed by **Sean Ivory**, was commissioned for **children & youth choirs** Unidad and Trouveres, to celebrate the Centennial, with the timeless words of George Regas and Anne Peterson.

Composer-in-Residence **Bill Cunliffe** was commissioned to write the **In the Heart of Our Town** anthem as a celebration of 100 years of mission, ministry and milestones in this sacred place.

**200** current and former staff and vestry attended a **Staff & Vestry Alumni Reunion** on September 14.

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**100** parishioners danced the night away at our beautifully DJ'd Centennial Dance Party.

**9** Centennial Conversations were published in 2024, telling the story of All Saints "one story at a time." These included the stories of Alma Stokes, Shizuko Akasaki, Jim White, Diana Sedenquist, Jean Bruce Poole, Terry Gock, Gloria Pitzer, Sarah Tatum, and Bob Suksunusasna.

## Communications

**24,963** total streamers for all 2024 services.

**54 countries** and **50 states + Washington, D.C.** tuned in during 2024.

Live-streaming was **47.8%** of total attendance. Total in-person & live-streaming attendance on Sundays was **48,695**, for an average combined **936** per Sunday.

**97%** of viewers are from the U.S.; **81.6%** from California—offering significant outreach to online parishioners beyond the Pasadena community. **457** on average streamed services each Sunday.

**763** streamers over **4** services from **10** countries and **26** states on Christmas Eve. **758** on Easter.

ASC's website reaped **361,278** views from **103,275** visitors.

**469,254** parish-wide emails were sent, with an excellent average **53%** Open Rate.

All Saints' YouTube channel enjoyed **296,881** total views, **52,300** live views; we surpassed **4,996,564** views, and added **1,704** subscribers.

ASC's public Facebook page reached **5,720** followers, our FB Public group page reached **3,324**, and Instagram had **1,862** followers at year's end.

## Music & The Arts

### Choirs

**6** Choirs, totaling **167** singers, from 12

pre-Kindergarten through adults, lead us in the liturgical festivals every Sunday with music that challenges and inspires us.

The **Adult Choirs**, under Director of Music/Organist/Choirmaster Weicheng Zhao, continued to expand their repertoire from around the world to include music from diverse faith traditions, historical periods, and cultures, while introducing new compositions by living composers, underrepresented voices, LGBTQ composers, and promoting works by women composers.

**102** choristers make up **Canterbury and Coventry Adult Choirs**.

Over the course of the 2024 program year, for nine months of the year, adult choir members dedicated anywhere from **95 to 128 hours** of their time to practicing together, not including their own practice time at home.

**4** children's and youth choirs: **41** Trouveres (6th -12th), **24** Unidad (1st - 5th), **19** Chamber Choir (4th - 12th treble voices), and **7** in Vox Cambiata (6th - 12th changed voices).

Children & Youth learned **26** anthems for **19** services and **12** songs for the spring concert.

**Children & Youth Spring Concert** - True Colors celebrated colors of the rainbow and LGBTQ+ pride.

Planning began for the **first Trouveres tour in 7 years** - to the June 2025 Sing a Mile High Choral Festival, Denver.

**Trouveres Christmas Coffee House** with John and Maya Proulx, Jonathan Berry, and Trouveres. **100** people attended the fundraiser on the lawn. It was absolutely amazing.

**Unidad** sang "And They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love" for a documentary, *True Believer*, in 2022. The documentary and their recording was released in October 2024.

### Jazz Vespers

**John & Maya Proulx**, January 28

**Russ Ferrante**, February 25

**Bill Cunliffe**, April 28

**Lia Booth, Sam Hirsh, Lyman Mederios & Chris Wabich**, May 12



# Centennial Conversations



MEET  
*Alma Stokes*



MEET  
*Shieuko Akasaki*



MEET  
*Jim White*



MEET  
*Diana Sedarquist*



MEET  
*Jean Bruce Poole*



MEET  
*Terry Gock*



MEET  
*Gloria Piteen*



MEET  
*Sarah Tatum*



MEET  
*Bob Sakharasana*

