

This Week at All Saints

Sunday, April 14, 2024

In-Person Worship or join us on Live-Stream <https://allsaints-pas.org/live-stream/>



Eucharist at 7:30 a.m. in the Chapel

Mark Chase preaches.

Eucharist at 10:00 a.m. in the Church

Mark Chase preaches; Coventry Choir offers *Easter from Five Mystical Songs* by Vaughan Williams, with soloist Elliot Z. Levine.



9:00 a.m. in the Forum:

October 7 and Beyond with Rabbi Ken Chasen

Our friend **Rabbi Ken Chasen** of Leo Baeck Temple joins us for a conversation with the rector about the impact of the massacres of October 7 on the American Jewish community and the struggle of progressive Jewish communities to deal with the ensuing tragedy in Gaza.

Featured Ministry on April 14 – The Artist Guild

Art dwells in you! The Artists Guild welcomes artists of all ages and all mediums, even if all you can do is draw stick figures. Art lovers are also welcome. We have monthly art activities, as well as regular art shows and excursions.

Come visit our table on the lawn.

Episcopal Church 101

The four-week hybrid (in-person and online) course will be held on Sunday afternoons in the Guild Room, April 14, 21, 28, and May 5, 12:00–1:30 p.m. with lunch.

Episcopal Church 101 is a series of presentations, discussions, and anyone wanting to go deeper into the history, theology, and doctrine of the Episcopal Church. The program concludes with the opportunity to receive the sacramental rite of Confirmation at the diocesan wide Confirmation service with **Bishop John Taylor** on

Saturday, May 11, 10:00 a.m., at St. John's Cathedral. Here's what one parish leader wrote about his experience with both the class and Confirmation: *From the moment I stepped onto the lawn one Sunday morning, everything fell into place. Within weeks, I was entrenched in the All Saints Community, joining small groups and becoming an usher. When the Confirmation Class began a few months later, it seemed like a "no-brainer" because it isn't just about confirming my commitment to my community; it's about committing to my faith, roots, and growth as a spiritual being.* All are welcome!

Information = Ana Camacho at acamacho@allsaints-pas.org

To register <https://tinyurl.com/2ybz8pae> or use QR code:



We All Live in Gaza – A Film Pre-Screening, Art Exhibit and Conversation

Sunday, April 14, 12:30 – 3:00 p.m. in the Church.

We All Live in Gaza tells the story of what has happened historically and what is happening today inside Gaza through the eyes of artists and musicians. The project seeks answers why the siege is continuing unabated, and most critically explores the issues of how a just resolution can be found. The story also features farmer Mohammed Obied and his family. They are caught in the middle of a geopolitical conflict over which they have little to no control. And their story is tragically real. In addition to portions of the film, there will be a presentation of a large reproduced work "No Words" by Gazan artist Malak Mattar shared for the first time in The United States, which was just unveiled in London last month. Prints by other Gazan artists will be available for sale. There will also be a chance for open conversation with filmmaker Maurice Jacobson, who has worked in Gaza with the artists this past decade.



<https://www.we-gaza.com/>

Children, Youth and Families



Interested in Joining Children or Youth Choirs?

Contact Jenny Tisi for more information at jtisi@allsaints-pas.org.



Programs for Children (Birth – 5th grade) at All Saints:

Sunday Morning Childcare for Infants and Toddlers 9:00 a.m. –12:00 p.m. We are happy to announce that we are able to offer child care again! Child Care is available for children birth-Kindergarten in the Seminar Room in Regas House from 9:00 a.m. –1:00 p.m. Parents must sign their kids in and out. Space is limited.

Children's Chapel During Sunday service, children in kindergarten through 5th grade are invited after the gospel reading to attend Children's Chapel. Children connect and celebrate with age-appropriate lessons and activities, then return to the sanctuary for communion. We radically welcome, pray, explore themes of the people of God, and discuss what's happening in the world. Parents are welcome to attend.

Creative Worship Space for Families Available in the Chapel Families are invited to worship together through art and play on our rug in the chapel during any part of the Sunday morning, 10:00 a.m. 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.

Unidad Children's Choir All children in 1st–5th grade are welcome to join our wonderful children's choir. The program is free of charge and no auditions are necessary to join. Thursdays 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.



Programs for Youth (6th – 12th grade) at All Saints:



Acolyte Program Youth are welcome to join one of our fabulous acolyte teams. Being an Acolyte gives everyone a unique opportunity to serve: service to All Saints, service to the community, and service to God. Youth will learn more about our Anglican tradition, serve others, learn to work as part of team and to lead a team, wear fancy robes, eat donuts, meet new friends and have fun doing all of it.

Trouvères Youth Choir Want to join the family feel of a fabulous youth choir? The program is free of charge and no auditions are necessary. Wednesdays, 5:15–6:30 p.m.

Youth Dinners Join us for free dinners and great community every Wednesday from 6:30–7 p.m.

Youth Group for 6th–12th grade Every Wednesday we meet to be in community together. We learn together, support each other and of course have fun together. Youth Group is a safe place to express who you really are. Check it out! Wednesdays, 7–8:30 p.m.

Discord Server The youth at All Saints are posting and chatting 24/7 on our ASC Youth discord server. It's an easy way to stay connected and with channels like music, art, memes, book club, and so many more, there is a topic for everyone. Content will be monitored by vetted volunteers and staff. For youth only. Contact Merry for the link to join.

Not-So-Bored-Game Night Every second Friday of the month, 6-9:30pm, we gather at All Saints church to play board games, eat snacks and hang out. It's tradition to end the evening with a murder mystery game. Who will win this time, the murderer or the town's people? Come and find out.

For general questions about our Children, Youth & Families program, please contact Merry Simkins at msimkins@allsaints-pas.org or 626.583.2733.

Stay Connected

Monday, April 15

Monday Meditation Group – 6:45–8:45 p.m. in the Chapel. Beginners are welcome. Join us for quiet sitting and group meditation, accessible to all. Information = encam@att.net.

Grief and Loss Support Group – 7:00–8:30 p.m. (Zoom and the Guild Room) The Grief and Loss Group is open to anyone who has experienced a loss. Our members share from their hearts and in so doing find that being deeply listened to by a room of people who understand, their pain and sense of aloneness is eased. Facilitated by **Chris Folz** and **Richard Redman**. For Zoom information please email **Ashley Hengst** at ahengst@allsaints-pas.org.

Brothers on a Journey (Zoom and the Sr. High Room) – 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 = Thomas Diaz at tdiaz@allsaints-pas.org.

Tuesday, April 16

Recovery & Grace, a Meeting of All Recovery Anonymous (in the Guild Room) 5:15–6:15 p.m. Our open and radically accepting fellowship welcomes you, and your experience, strength and hope. This one hour meeting includes meditation and a speaker and is sponsored by L.A. CADA – A Path to Recovery and Healthy Living. Information = tdiaz@allsaints-pas.org.

LGBTQ+ Sharing Small Group (Zoom and the Guild Room) – 6:30–8:00 p.m. We host weekly meetings for the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer community to check-in about the highs and lows in both our lives and the wider world. Email Thomas Diaz at tdiaz@allsaints-pas.org for access details.

Wednesday, April 17

Noon Eucharist & Healing Service – 12:10 p.m. in the Chapel.

Prayer in the Taizé Style of Worship – 6:00 p.m. in the Plaza or Chapel.

Taizé worship is quiet, reflective, peaceful and joyful. It is simple songs and chants in different languages, readings, silences and meditative prayers. Information = allsaintstaize@gmail.com.

Saturday, April 20

Overeaters Anonymous 8:30 – 10:00 a.m., in the OCC Conference Room

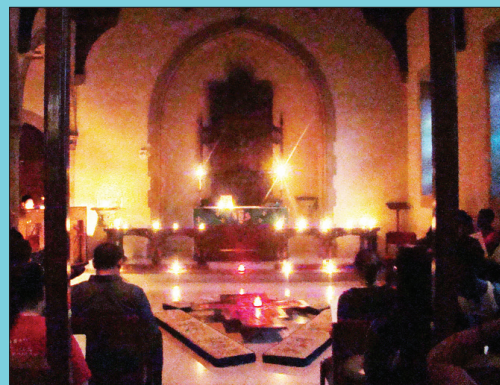
Overeaters Anonymous (OA) is a community of people who through experience, strength,



and hope are recovering from unhealthy relationships with food and body image. OAll are welcome. Information = **Ashley Hengst** at ahengst@allsaints-pas.org.

Drum Circle 10:00 a.m. on the Lawn.

Join us for our outdoor community drum circle, led by **Brother Gerald Rivers** (<https://www.geraldcrivers.com/>), a Master Drummer and Djembe player. Drumming is an ancient communal spiritual practice, which roots us in the rhythms of God in creation and binds us to one another. Information = **Debbie Daniels** at ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org.



Offerings Online

Centering Prayer Tuesdays, 6:45–8:00 p.m., via Zoom

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.

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

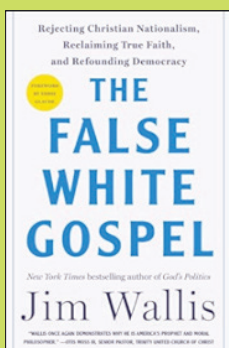
Recovery Eucharist Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 6 p.m.

The Recovery Eucharist is designed for those recovering from any addiction and for those who support them in their recovery. Elements of the service are drawn from the Book of Common Prayer and the 12 Step readings.

Upcoming dates: Apr. 17, May 1 & 15 Link to join: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87551078462> Meeting ID: 875 5107 8462

Looking Ahead

Events & Opportunities



The False White Gospel: Rejecting Christian Nationalism, Reclaiming True Faith, and Refounding Democracy

Saturday, April 13, at 2:00 p.m.

Our dear friend **Jim Wallis** will be with us discussing and selling his latest book, *The False White Gospel: Rejecting Christian Nationalism, Reclaiming True Faith, and Refounding Democracy*. Don't miss this exciting event on this important topic.



Interfaith
Study Group

The History and Song of the Passover Seder with Cantor Ruth Berman-Harris and Rabbi Josh Garroway

Sunday, April 14, 5:00–7:30 p.m., at Pasadena Jewish Temple and Center, 1434 North Altadena Drive, Pasadena 91107, (Between Washington Blvd. and New York Drive)

Learn about the history and practice of the seder ritual and some of the traditional prayers and music of the Passover Celebration and its connection to Early Christianity. Please bring an open heart, a mind willing to listen and learn, and a vegetarian dish to share in our potluck.

Information = Debbie Daniels 626.583.2750 or ddaniels@allsaints-pas.org.



40s/50s & Friends Ministry Hike & Snack at Griffith Park

Saturday, April 20, at 8:00 a.m.

All are welcome to join the 40s, 50s, & Friends Ministry for a hike and/or snack in Griffith Park! The "Ferdell to the West Observatory Loop Trail" is a moderate 2.6-mile hike, round trip. It is recommended that you wear layers, hiking shoes or shoes with good tread, and bring water, a hat, sunblock, snacks for yourself, and a contemplative spirit. Please bring money if you would like to gather afterward and enjoy coffee or pastries at The Trails Cafe (2333 Fern Dell Dr. Los Angeles, CA) or just come to the Cafe around 9:30 am.

RSVP here: <https://bit.ly/AprilHikeASC45F>.



Healing Service in Spanish

Sunday, April 21, 5:00 p.m. on the Chancel

Anyone seeking hope and healing in body, mind or spirit for themselves or someone they love is invited to attend our first Eucharist service conducted entirely in Spanish with Laying on of Hands and Anointing. All are welcome.

Information = Alfredo Feregrino at aferegrino@allsaints-pas.org.

Misa de Sanación

Domingo, 21 de abril, 5:00 p.m. en la Iglesia de Todos los Santos

Cualquiera que busque esperanza y sanación de su cuerpo, mente o espíritu para sí mismo o para alguien a quien ama está invitado a asistir a nuestro primer servicio eucarístico realizado completamente en español con imposición de manos y unción.

Todos son bienvenidos. Para más información, contacte a Alfredo Feregrino en aferegrino@allsaints-pas.org.



Theatre Ministry

Sunday, April 14, Is Your Last Chance to Purchase Tickets for *King Hedley II*

Join Theatre Ministry, Friday, April 19, 8:00 p.m. at A Noise Within. Tickets are \$51 and available [here](#).

King Hedley II continues A Noise Within's commitment to August Wilson's American Century Cycle, engaging with characters that exist throughout these epic plays. After seven years in prison, an ambitious and proud King re-enters society eager to rebuild his life, but quickly confronts the inescapable challenges facing Black men in Reagan-era Pittsburgh. King's aspirations come in conflict with the stories he's been telling himself, and he insists on planting seeds where nothing can grow.

The Body's Midnight

Friday, May 3, 8:00 p.m. at Boston Court. Tickets are \$50 and available [here](#).

What does it mean to get lost in America? Anne and David are set to find out as they embark on the perfect American road trip. They have a map, an impressive list of sights to see, and an itinerary that should put them in St. Paul just in time for the birth of their first grandchild. But soon their perfect plan is derailed by a troubling diagnosis and the beautiful impermanence of the world around them. As Anne and David veer off of their intended path, they are forced to grapple with the unavoidably messy and breathtaking journey of their lives.



Misalliance by George Bernard Shaw



Friday, May 24, 8:00 p.m. at Pasadena Playhouse. Tickets are \$62 and available [here](#).

One summer day, an early 20th century English undergarment mogul and his family entertain friends and unexpected visitors at their country estate. Through their lively debate and subsequent antics – including eight marriage proposals and one plane crash – the audience is treated to a satiric comedy of manners that exposes chaotic clashes of class, gender, and generations.

Jelly's Last Jam

Friday, June 7, 8:00 p.m. at Pasadena Playhouse. Tickets are \$50 and available [here](#).

When legendary musician Jelly Roll Morton's soul is forced to face the music, the self-proclaimed "inventor of jazz" is left at the ultimate crossroads. Follow Jelly from the back alleys of New Orleans to the sparkling stages of New York, as his remarkable journey unfolds in a stunning display of song, dance, and music. With soulful melodies, electrifying tap dancing, and fiery tunes that will leave you breath-



less, get your groove on with this dazzling musical masterpiece.

Information = Melissa Hayes at mhayes@allsaints-pas.org.

Pasadena Area CROP Hunger Walk

Sunday, April 21, Starting at 1:00 p.m. (Check-in begins at 12:30 p.m.)
at St. Elizabeth School, 1840 Lake Avenue, Altadena CA.

25% of funds raised provide resources for local food banks, including Friends In Deed, Foothill Unity Center, ACTS Food Pantry, Holy Family Food Pantry, and St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry (at St. Elizabeth Church). 75% of funds raised provide resources for the global outreach done by CWS (Church World Service) in fighting food insecurity and promoting sustainability. (Non-perishable food items may also be donated on the day of The Walk to be distributed to the local food pantries listed above.)

Information = Carmella Alexander at calexander@allsaints-pas.org.

20/30's Social Hour

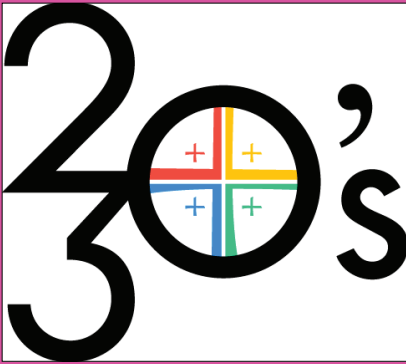
Sunday, April 21, 12:00 p.m., at the Congregation Ale House

All 20/30s are warmly invited to our Social Hour on Sunday, April 21, 2024 from 12:00 – 2:00 pm We are meeting at the patio following the service at the Congregation Ale House or meet us on the lawn after the 10:00 service .

For more information, contact Ana Camacho at acamacho@allsaints-pas.org

Please RSVP(or email if you have questions) to 2030allsaints@gmail.com.

Note: Appetizers will be provided—no-host libations.

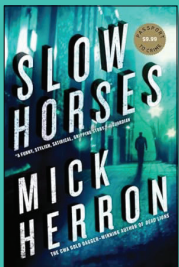


Journey of Faith – Sharing Group

This group will meet weekly on Sundays, beginning April 21, 12:00 – 1:00 p.m., in the OCC conference room

Join us every Sunday for an opportunity to connect through genuine conversations about journeys of faith. No commitments or sign-ups required. A welcome space where you can drop in as your schedule allows. Explore your faith, share your story, and build meaningful connections in a supportive community.

Information = Amanda McCormick: ammccormick@allsaints-pas.org



Fiction Fun! Reads *Slow Horses* by Mick Herron

Friday, April 26, 6:00–9:00 p.m.in the Guild Room

Jill Lepore of the New Yorker asked, “Is Mick Herron the Best Spy Novelist of His Generation?” She thinks maybe so, saying that among spy novelists, he’s “the best in a generation, by some estimations, and irrefutably the funniest.” *Slow Horses* is the first in a series of eight spy novels, lately adapted on Apple TV+.

If you have questions please email Ana Camacho acamacho@allsaints-pas.org.

April Jazz Vespers: Bill Cunliffe

Sunday, April 28, 5:00 p.m., on the Chancel

Jazz pianist, composer and Grammy Award-winning arranger, and our composer-in-residence **Bill Cunliffe** is known for his innovative and swinging recordings and compositions. Bill began his career as pianist and arranger with the Buddy Rich Big Band and worked with Frank Sinatra, Joe Henderson, Freddie Hubbard, Benny Golson and James Moody. He has since established himself as a solo artist and bandleader, with more than a dozen albums under his name. Bill will be joined by **Clay Jenkins** on trumpet, **Bob Sheppard** and **Rob Lockart** on saxophones, **Lemar Guillary** on trombone, **Kevin Kanner** on drums and **Darek Oles** on bass.

Validated parking is available at Plaza las Fuentes. There is no charge. No reservations required. Info = jazz@allsaints-pas.org, or www.allsaints-pas.org





Centennial Dance Party: 100 Years of Dance Tunes

Friday, May 17, 6:30 p.m., in the Learning Center



Brief Audio History



1870s-1880s: Early sound recording and playback technologies are developed.



1900-1910s: Discs begin to supplant cylinders and become an increasingly popular format for years to come.



1940s-1950s: Steel wire recordings are a popular format. Magnetic tape is introduced in the US and becomes popular because of its flexibility.



1980s-1990s: The Compact Disc (CD) is introduced. Digital Audio Tapes (DAT) enjoy a brief popularity through the mid-2000s. Analog audio cassettes still popular.



1890s-1890s: Cylinder recordings become commercially available.



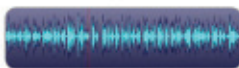
1920s-1930s: Magnetic recording technology is developed in Germany. Discs continue to be a popular commercial format.



1960s-1970s: Cassettes are introduced as an alternative to open-reel tape. Originally designed for voice dictation, cassettes become one of the more widely used formats for pre-recorded music.



2000s present: Digital audio files prevail as a means of listening to and recording audio.



Save the Date!

As part of our Centennial journey, we are celebrating the joy of music, dancing and connection.

Join us for an evening of fun as we dance across the decades.

Make sure to mark the date on your calendar and keep an eye out for more details.

Christian Nationalism

TACKLING THE TRUTHS
OF A TOXIC MOVEMENT

Resources to Tackle the Toxic Movement of Christian Nationalism

The rise of White Christian Nationalism as a force of division and polarization in our nation compels us to increase our understanding of this toxic movement in order to increase our capacity to resist it. This list of resources is offered as a place to start "digging deeper" as we equip ourselves and each other to stand up and speak out against this hijacking of the Gospel of love, justice and compassion as a tool of hatred, judgement and discrimination. [Click here for list of resources](#)

Seeking Healthy Faith

The group meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. on Zoom. Next meeting is May 8. Trust, love, and hope are at the center of faith, yet many of us have had harmful and injurious religious experiences. This monthly small group provides a safe space to explore toxic religious experience and develop new and healthier ways of understanding ourselves and God/Spirit. Contact leader Charles Foster at drcharlesfoster@icloud.com for Zoom access.

Free Legal Clinic The Second Saturday of Each Month

Join us 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., Sat., May 11

at the Jackie Robinson Community Center, 1020 N. Fair Oaks Ave., Pasadena, CA 91103

Open to all individuals and community members who need legal assistance, but lack the resources to hire an attorney.

Please bring with you any and all papers related to your case.

Renters' or Homeowners' Rights ✦ Access to cash, food, or health benefits ✦ Unemployment benefits

Immigrants' rights ✦ Questions about a will or trust ✦ Divorce or child custody issues

If you can't attend the clinic and are in need of support, please call Public Counsel at 213.385.2977



If You Crochet or Knit, Consider Joining the Prayer Shawl Ministry

We meet the 2nd Tuesday of every month, 7:00–8:30 p.m., in the lounge in Regas House. Next meeting: May 14

We gather in community to share our prayers, our stories, the work of our hands and hearts while knitting and crocheting shawls to be given as mantles of healing to those in need of comfort. Prayer shawl participants have long known that working with hands is a meditative spiritual practice that quiets minds to hear God's clear voice. Please join us with yarn, needles, and prayer.

For further information, contact Ashley Hengst
ahengst@allsaints-pas.org

Children's and Youth Choirs Spring Concert *True Colors*

Sunday, May 19, 5:00 p.m. in the church

Join us on May 19th, 5pm, for our Children's and Youth Spring Concert, "True Colors" featuring well-known favorites like *True Colors*, *What a Wonderful World*, *Somewhere Over the Rainbow*, *Des Colores*, *Born this Way*, *Rainbow Connection*, *Heart of Gold*, *Blackbird*, and the list goes on!!

You will definitely want to sing along!

For more information, contact jtisi@allsaints-pas.org or msimkins@allsaints-pas.org



Save the Date!

Canterbury and Coventry Choirs' first Concert
to celebrate African-American Gospel Music and Spirituals!

Songs of Freedom: A Joyous Celebration of Spirituals and Gospel Music

Sunday, June 2, 5:00 p.m. in the Church

This promises to be an unforgettable experience: our first-ever concert to focus on this cherished and uniquely American musical tradition! Get ready to be captivated by an extraordinary celebration as our choirs deliver a soul-stirring performance filled with uplifting melodies and infectious rhythms. With the addition of a dynamic rhythm section, the energy and excitement of the evening will soar to new heights.

Mark your calendar and invite your friends and family for a thrilling experience.

Let's come together in unity and community as we embark on this musical journey that transcends boundaries and celebrates the power of music to inspire, uplift, and unite.

Information = Merry Simkins at msimkins@allsaints-pas.org or 626.583.2733.

Sing at All Saints

The mission of our music ministry is to lead the All Saints community in liturgies that glorify God, move the heart and challenge the mind—all with great variety, color and reverence. We know there are many of you who sing in the pew rather than the chancel.



Your musical gifts and experience are needed to lead this great congregation in exuberant song. If you've attended a Sunday service, it's likely that you've noticed our two adult choirs: Canterbury and Coventry. They rehearse weekly to prepare and offer the finest music in a variety of styles and expressions, ranging from gospel, jazz, and world music, to traditional Anglican repertoire and full-scale orchestral/choral works.

To audition, please contact
Weicheng Zhao, Director of Music
at wzhao@allsaints-pas.org.



Join with Us! Make Your Donation Today!

Your ongoing financial support to All Saints Church will help sustain the vibrant programs and ministries that energize this community and have so much impact on the world around us. Thank you to the 545 families

and individuals who, as of April 9, have made a pledge! These commitments total \$2,617,847. We are still need an additional \$382,000 in pledges to reach our goal of \$3M. Help us reach our goal!

You can fill out a pledge card that are in the pew racks or pledge online [here](#).

Marty Coleman Peace and Justice Fund!

Established by Marty's family, the Marty Coleman Peace and Justice Memorial Fund is dedicated to continuing Marty's legacy and unwavering commitment to the work of peace and justice. Anyone wishing to make a contribution in Marty's memory can do so by check (memo: Marty Coleman Peace and Justice), online [here](#).

Please contact Sarah Nolan in the Giving Office with any questions, snolan@allsaints-pas.org or 626.583.2736

Thank you for your generosity!



Centennial Conversations: All Saints Church, Pasadena: One Story at a Time

As our Centennial Celebration continues, so do our Centennial Conversations. Inspired by the groundbreaking narrative project "Humans of New York," Centennial Conversations is an opportunity to tell the story of All Saints Church "one story at a time" with conversations with the saints of All Saints – those who have been part of making All Saints Church what it is and who are calling it to continue to become all that it could be. Each issue will include: a profile of our featured "saint," a photo from the archives, and updates on upcoming Centennial events.

Watch for this monthly feature in your email inbox or on our social media platforms. April issue available [here](#).

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