This Week at All Saints

Sunday, September 1, 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; **Summer Choir** offers *My Eyes for Beauty Pine* by Howells.



Popsicle Sunday!

Join us on the lawn after the

10 a m. service

Rock Painting

As part of our Centennial journey, we are celebrating the joy of art, specifically, rock painting. All are invited to unleash your inner artist and join Vestry Member Billie Rainer & Parish Celebrations on Sunday 9/1 on the lawn after church. **Acrylic paints**, **rocks & brushes will be provided**, but feel free to bring your own if you prefer. This is a wonderful opportunity to build community, play a role in the Centennial celebration, and have fun with old and new friends.

Contact Billie Rainer with any questions at billierainer4@gmail.com.



September 1, Is Your Last Chance to Sing with Summer Choir!

All tuneful voices are welcome to participate. You've enjoyed Coventry and Canterbury Choirs leading our Sunday services throughout the year. Well, now, it's your turn to stop singing only in the shower and at the top of your lungs in your car on the way to church! Yep! All you have to do is simply show up at 9:00 a.m. in the Church on the Chancel. You'll rehearse, be vested and lead the 10:00 a.m. service.

It's your turn to Make a Joyful Noise!

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

Next Sunday, September 8 Healing Service in Spanish

Sunday, September 8, 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 Eucharist service conducted entirely in Spanish with Laying on of Hands and Anointing. All are welcome.

Information = Alfredo Feregrino at <u>aferegrino@allsaints-pas.org</u>.

Misa de Sanación

Domingo, 8 de Septiembre, 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 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.**

Children, Youth and Families

Interim Director of Children, Youth and Families: Jonathan Stoner

Jonathan was ordained to the priesthood this past January. He serves as an interfaith hospital chaplain at City of Hope.



Information = jstoner@allsaints-pas.org



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

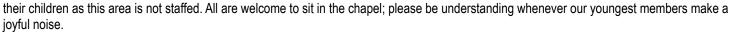
Sunday Morning Childcare for Infants and Toddlers 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

Child Care is available for children birth-Kindergarten in the Seminar Room in Regas House from 9:00 a.m. –12:00 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 songs, lessons, and activities, returning to the sanctuary for communion. Parents are welcome to attend.



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



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. We will resume in the fall, Thursdays 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.





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. We will resume in the fall, Wednesdays, 5:15–6:30 p.m.

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

Youth Group for 6th–12th grade We will resume in the fall. We will meet every Wednesday 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. Beginning in September, 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, 6-9:30 p.m., 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.

Stay Connected

Sunday, September 1

Journey of Faith — Sharing Group – 12:00–1:00 p.m., in the OCC Conference Room. A welcome space where you can drop in as your schedule allows. No commitments or sign-ups required. Explore your faith, share your story, and build meaningful connections in a supportive community. **Information = Amanda McCormick**: **amccormick@allsaints-pas.org**.

Monday, September 2

Labor Day Holiday - Church offices are closed. There will be no meetings or services today.

Tuesday, September 3

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, September 4

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

Prayer in the Taizé Style of Worship – will resume Sept. 18. Information = allsaintstaize@gmail.com.

Saturday, September 7

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. All 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: Sept. 4 & 18 Link to join: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87551078462 Meeting ID: 875 5107 8462

Worship Volunteers

Worship is the center of our life at All Saints Church, and it is from that center that we respond to God's call to put our faith into action. From Sunday morning worship to Evening services, many hands are involved in creating a welcoming and inclusive environment for all and to make God's love known to everyone. All Saints is a place where inclusion is valued and where people of all faiths are welcomed. Whatever your gifts and interests, there is a place for you to join with others and serve All Saints through our many Worship Service Volunteer Opportunities. Please check out their table on the lawn or click on links below!

Altar Guild + Acolytes + Greeters + Choir + Ushers

Looking Ahead

Events & Opportunities



Welcome Coffee — Sunday, September 8, after the 10 a.m. service in the Office Lobby

Join us for an informal opportunity to connect with staff members as we welcome newcomers, guests, or anyone who has questions about All Saints Church. The Office Lobby is located across the lawn from the church.

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



Racial Justice Ministry Lunch

Please join us for conversation at Noon on Sunday, September 8, in the Forum

We will focus on the beginning of reconciliation with the wonderful Juneteenth Celebration and potluck at St. Barnabas and other racial justice issues engaging our church, community, and country.



A welcome opportunity for those who have

expressed interest in joining the Racial Justice Ministry
and to learn more about this impactful ministry. We are excited to talk with you.

Please RSVP so that lunch may be amply provided: rjm.ascpas@gmail.com

Sacred Collage

Continues through September 8, 12:00-2:00 p.m., in the Learning Center

This 6 week program, led by **Dori Torrey**, introduces participants to the art medium of collage as a focus for meditation and prayer. No art experience or talent is needed. All supplies are provided. Come and experience a new way of letting your inner voice speak through image. No food will be provided, so please bring a snack or bag lunch for yourself.

Attendance at all sessions is recommended, but not necessary.

Register online here: https://bit.ly/46699Og.
Information = Amanda McCormick, amccormick@allsaints-pas.org.



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: September 10

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. Information = Ashley Hengst ahengst@allsaints-pas.org



Fiction Fun! Reads *L.A. Weather* by María Amparo Escandón

Friday, September 27, in the Guild Room

This is the *One Book, One County* selection for Los Angeles County in 2024. It tells the turbulent story of a wealthy Los Angeles family, the Alvarados. As the *Los Angeles Review of Books* noted, "Los Angeles's wildfires, strange orange skies, and ashen air are a constant backdrop." The *New York Times* reviewer said, "It's a capacious book, chock-full of human drama set against the backdrop of a record-breaking California drought, and Escandón writes with a great deal of energy and love for her characters."

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

Getting Connected: An Introduction to All Saints Church

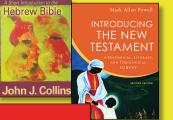


Classes start Sunday, September 29, 12:00 – 1:30 p.m., in the Learning Center

This five-week class is designed for anyone — from brand new to long-time seeker — interested in exploring the essence of All Saints and getting more connected through active participation. Each class consists of a presentation by a staff member followed by a small group experience. Together we consider the core values of All Saints Church and develop a sense of belonging as we building connections to individuals, ministries and groups.

Register here.

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



Sept. 1, Is Your Last Chance to Register for Education for Ministry: A Unique Small Group Experience

Theologian Karl Barth advised "to take your Bible and take your newspaper, and read both." EfM will help you dig deeper into the Christian faith. Learn about church history, theological ideas and reflect on connecting faith with life experiences. We guarantee to stretch your imagination and open a new world of insights as you probe scripture and tradition. It is

held in a small group setting that links faith with everyday life. EfM is for lay persons. It is not a process leading towards ordination, though some do continue on in that ministry. It is more

about discerning where our daily life and the things we do form our ministry to the world around us.

Visit the EfM website for more info and sample lessons: http://efm.sewanee.edu/.

Meetings are both in-person and available via Zoom.

Only a few spots left! Monday evenings 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. Contact Gary Leonard at tofr@pacbell.net





As we enter the final weeks of what has seemed like a never-ending election cycle..

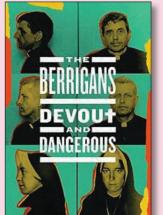
We do so knowing that we need every resource at our disposal to prepare ourselves, our families and our communities for the days and weeks ahead. The following offerings, opportunities and resources are offered as an election tool kit as we work together to build the Beloved Community our faith calls us to become and to become the nation with liberty and justice for all we aspire to be.

From book groups to film screenings; prayer circles to healing services; on-line resources to in-person events we hope whoever you are and wherever you find yourself in this election cycle you will find strength for the journey as we come together as All Saints Community during this historic moment in our nation's history.

In-Person opportunities:

Weekly Noonday Eucharist with Healing Prayers for ourselves and our nation

Wednesdays at 12:10 p.m. in the Chapel



Friday, September 20 | Film Screening

The Berrigans – Devout and Dangerous followed by a panel discussion | The Berrigans spent their entire lives engaged in faith-based, nonviolent resistance to war, racism, nuclear proliferation, and the Catholic Church. Named America's "Most Wanted" fugitives by J. Edgar Hoover's FBI, they were the "influencers" of the day, not only spreading the gospel of nonviolence in pulpits worldwide, but appearing on talk shows, in rock lyrics, and on magazine covers. Told through the perspective of the next-gen Berrigans, the film tells the story of nonviolent direct action which is as relevant today as it was in the past. 7:00 p.m. in the Learning Center

Sundays, October 6, 13, 20, 27 | Prayers for the People Series

Join us as we ground ourselves in four pivotal prayers that anchor us in peace in the face of polarization and anxiety, prepare us to engage in the election cycle and offer us a chance to reflect together about what binds us together across our differences.

October 6 - Make us Instruments of Your Peace: Prayer of St. Francis

October 13 – Open Unto Me: Prayers by Howard Thurman

October 20 – The Serenity Prayer

October 27 – Prayers for our Country: From our Book of Common Prayer

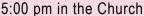
9:00am in Venue TBD

Friday, October 25 | "Shake it Off" Dance Party

Join with members and friends of the All Saints community for a "shake it off" dance party to celebrate community and shake off the tensions, concerns and anxieties of one of the longest election cycles in the history of voting. Put on your dancing shoes, bring a snack to share for the potluck table, and dance together.

6:00-9:00pm in the Learning Center.

Sunday, October 27 | Service of Contemplation & Reflection As we near the end of the election cycle, gather together in the beauty of our sacred space for a service of music, healing and prayer – a time of collective reflection and contemplation.





Online Resources as the Election Approaches

All Saints Church

Church & Politics: Living at the Crossroads – A Forum with the Reverend Dr. Gary Hall available here.

The Diocese of Los Angeles

Christian Nationalism: Tackling the Truths of a Toxic Movement
A three-session opportunity to explore the what, why and how of Christian Nationalism using
Pamela Cooper-White's brilliant book "The Psychology of Christian Nationalism:
Why People Are Drawn In and How to Talk Across the Divide."

Link to curriculum here

The Diocese of El Camino Real

Tuesdays, September 3 & 17 at 5:30 p.m.

Our colleagues in the Diocese of El Camino Real invite us to join them for an online seminar: The Psychology of Christian Nationalism — Have you wondered how people get drawn to Christian Nationalism or how to engage with someone who supports that view? The ECR Social Justice Committee offers answers in an exciting online webinar with the Rev. Pamela Cooper-White. There is no charge to participate, but please register in advance.

Registration and information <u>here</u>.

The Episcopal Church

"Vote Faithfully" Election Engagement Toolkit

"It is a Christian obligation to vote, and more than that, it is the church's responsibility to help get souls to the polls."

—Presiding Bishop Michael Curry

Link to resources here



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 provide flowers for the altars, please contact Gary Leonard at tofr@pacbell.net.

Prices & Style Guide: https://bit.ly/3nOMsMC





Support All Saints Church Make Your Gift 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.

Make a pledge or recurring online donation today using link 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!

Theatre Ministry Fall Season



Cyrano de Bergerac

Friday, September 13, 8:00 p.m. at Pasadena Playhouse Tickets are \$40 and available here.

One of the greatest plays ever written is radically reborn in this critically acclaimed adaptation. Modern poetry and sizzling rhythm collide in a scorching love triangle when Cyrano discovers the love of his life has eyes for another man. Immerse yourself in the romantic adventure of this timeless and heartrending love story. **Tickets must be purchased by Sunday, Sept. 6.**

The Skin of Our Teeth

Friday, September 27, 7:30 p.m. at A Noise Within

Tickets are \$51 and available here.

This Pulitzer Prize-winning comedic masterpiece is a time-bending romp that catapults audiences into the lives of George and Maggie Antrobus. Various cataclysmic events serve as a backdrop for a hilarious and thought-provoking exploration of human resilience. After 5,000 years of marriage, the couple and their children have faced ice ages, floods, and wars, but the family perseveres with humor, ingenuity... and a pet dinosaur. This iconic play is a riveting testa-



ment to the indomitable spirit of humanity. Tickets must be purchased by Sunday, Sept. 22.



The Piano Lesson

Friday, October 18, 7:30 p.m. at A Noise Within Tickets are \$41 and available here.

A captivating story about legacy, identity, and cultural heritage unfolds in 1930s Pittsburgh, where a brother and sister are locked in a bitter dispute. At the center of their debate is a precious family heirloom—a piano with the faces of their ancestors carved into it. While one sees an

important history worth preserving, the other sees the key to unlocking a brighter future. In Wilson's enthralling prose, this Pulitzer Prize-winning

play weaves together elements of history and spirituality, creating a haunting story about reckoning with a complicated past. **Tickets must be purchased by Sunday, Oct. 13.**

La Cage aux Folles

Friday, November 22, 8:00 p.m. at Pasadena Playhouse Tickets are \$47 and available here.

Beautiful. Bawdy. Bizarre. Welcome to La Cage aux Folles, the hottest drag club in St. Tropez and one of theater's all-time biggest hits. Experience the groundbreaking musical comedy with a heartfelt score by Jerry Herman (Hello, Dolly!, Mame) and a hilarious script by Harvey Fierstein (Torch Song Trilogy). The Tony Award-winning musical comes to life in this all-new Playhouse extravaganza. The cast features Cheyenne Jackson and Kevin Cahoon. Tickets must be purchased by Sunday, Nov. 17.



Homecoming 2024: A Centennial Celebration Sunday, September 15



Don't miss the Centennial Anniversary of our church building as we commemorate 100 years of mission, ministry and milestones in this sacred place. All are welcome as we mark this special day and embark into a vibrant



new century together. One service only at 10:00 a.m. with **Bishop John Taylor**, followed by food, fellowship and fun for everyone.

Suggested donation of \$8 for lunch: no donation too small or too large. All are welcome!

Please RSVP here: https://bit.ly/4dzBS0a



Celebration of Ministries Sunday, September 22

Looking to make a difference... to meet new people... to deepen your faith journey... to discuss a great book... to have a good time... to serve others? Step out onto the quad lawn for the Celebration of Ministries! Everything you ever wanted to know about All Saints ministries can be found at the tables on the lawn. You can also chat with our mentors at the signup kiosk about ministries that might be a good fit for you. Find ways to get connected and to serve the community and God through our work in the world.



St. Francis Day, Blessing of the Animals Sunday, September 29

Please bring your pets, photos of your pets, or even a stuffed animal. All pets are invited to process in the Church and then adjourn to the outdoor worship service on the quad lawn including a blessing of animals.



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 makingAll 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. July issue featuring Sarah Tatum available here.

"From the Archives" Podcast Is Here!

Our Centennial Celebration year commitment to "engaging our past and imagining our future" continues with the debut of "From the Archives" — a new podcast series spotlighting some benchmark moments from our ASC history. The ten-part series will include sermons and Forum presentations from our audio archives and has launched with sermons preached by L.A. civil rights leader the Reverend Cecil (Chip) Murray from the All Saints pulpit in 2006, and All Saints rector emeritus George Regas, on the eve of the presidential election in 2004. To listen, visit our <u>Centennial Webpage here</u>, or our <u>ASC podcast page here</u>, or wherever you get your podcasts, so you don't miss a thing!

For more information contact Keith Holeman at kholeman@allsaints-pas.org. Subscribe here: https://bit.ly/3WyPC6v

Margaret Elizabeth Jackson

Saturday, August 31, 10:00 a.m., in the Chapel

Upcoming Memorials:

Linda Banks
Saturday, September 14

11:00 a.m., at Metropolitan Baptist Church
2283 N. Fair Oaks Ave., Altadena, CA 91001

Gary Nixon

Thursday, November 14, 2:00 p.m., in the Church

Next Sunday: September 8, 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

Tim Rich preaches.

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

Tim Rich preaches; the Elliot Z. Levine offers music.







Children Youth & Family Registration & Blessing of the Backpacks Sunday, September 8

All children and youth are invited to bring your backpack to church!

Learn more about Youth Group, Seekers, Acolytes, Child care, educational opportunities, and Children's & Youth Choirs and register your children for the program year. We will also present options for adults to engage in the work of nurturing and mentoring our children and youth.





COME & JOIN US FOR OUR

REGISTRATIC FALLS ON THE LAWN

FOLLOWING 10AM SERVICE



Bring your best homemade pie and/or chili. Register children & youth for fall programs. Connect with other families!

Sign Up Here

https://forms.gle/5NXsmPRywwr6Z8eN8



LAST CHANCE TO CONTRIBUTE TO HOMECOMING 2024

A CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

As we commemorate 100 years of mission ministry and milestones in this sacred place, All Saints Church will decorate the altars and chancel with celebration and memorial flowers. Contributions can be made in celebration or memory of loved ones and will be listed in the commemorative Liturgy booklet printed on Homecoming, September 15.



There are three ways to contribute:

Call 626.796.1172

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All Saints Church Attn: Marilyn Coffman 132 North Euclid Ave Pasadena, CA 91101

Please make checks payable to All Saints Church with "Flower Fund" in the memo field.

Contributions and attributions must be received by Wednesday, September 4, to guarantee listing in the commemorative liturgy booklet!