

All Saints Episcopal Church

(Part of the Anglican Communion)

“Answering the call to spread Christ’s Ministry”



March 17, 2024

**The Reverend Joyce Matthews, Celebrant
The Reverend Michael A. Stutso, Deacon
11:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist**

Welcome to all, especially those visiting and returning.

We hope today’s service is a blessing to you and that you will come again and again.

Please sign our Guest Book located in the Entrance Hall.

Please join us for Fellowship/Hospitality immediately following service for a personal welcome from our members in the Chapel.

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*According to the Book of Common Prayer, Rite II – BCP (the Red Book)  
Hymns are from Lift Every Voice and Sing II – LEV, and The Hymnal 1982 – H  
and Wonder, Love, and Praise – WLP*

**OPENING HYMN:            Lead on, Oh King Eternal                            H 555**

*The people standing.*

Celebrant: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People:        **His mercy endures forever.**

*The people kneel.*

### **THE DECALOGUE**

*The Deacon says*

Hear the commandments of God to his people:  
I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage.  
You shall have no other gods but me.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not make for yourself any idol.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Honor your father and your mother.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not commit murder.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not commit adultery.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not steal.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not be a false witness.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

**Amen. Lord have mercy.**

*The Celebrant reads the following sentences*

Jesus said, The first commandment is this: "Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these." *Mark 12:29-31*

*The Deacon or Celebrant then says*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence is kept.*

*Minister and People*

**Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

*The Bishop when present, or the Priest, stands and says*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

*Then the people sit and sing.*

**THE SONG OF PRAISE:            Lord, Have Mercy            LEV 236**

### **THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People:        **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People:        **Amen.**

*Please be seated for the reading of the lessons.*

### **THE LESSONS**

#### **THE FIRST LESSON**

**Jeremiah 31:31-34**

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, “Know the LORD,” for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People:        **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 51:1-13 (We will read in unison.)**

- 1 Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; \*  
in your great compassion blot out my offenses.
- 2 Wash me through and through from my wickedness \*  
and cleanse me from my sin.
- 3 For I know my transgressions, \*  
and my sin is ever before me.
- 4 Against you only have I sinned \*  
and done what is evil in your sight.
- 5 And so you are justified when you speak \*  
and upright in your judgment.
- 6 Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth, \*  
a sinner from my mother's womb.
- 7 For behold, you look for truth deep within me, \*  
and will make me understand wisdom secretly.
- 8 Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure; \*  
wash me, and I shall be clean indeed.
- 9 Make me hear of joy and gladness, \*  
that the body you have broken may rejoice.
- 10 Hide your face from my sins \*  
and blot out all my iniquities.
- 11 Create in me a clean heart, O God, \*  
and renew a right spirit within me.
- 12 Cast me not away from your presence \*  
and take not your holy Spirit from me.
- 13 Give me the joy of your saving help again \*  
and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.

## THE SECOND LESSON

Hebrews 5:5-10

Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

“You are my Son,  
today I have begotten you”;

as he says also in another place,

“You are a priest forever,  
according to the order of Melchizedek.”

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

**SEQUENCE HYMN: Beneath the Cross of Jesus**

**H 498**

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

## THE GOSPEL

**John 12:20-33**

Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, “Sir, we wish to see Jesus.” Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. Jesus answered them, “The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honor.

“Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say—‘Father, save me from this hour’? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name.” Then a voice came from heaven, “I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.” The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said, “An angel has spoken to him.” Jesus answered, “This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. Now is the judgment of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.” He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die.

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## SERMON

**The Rev. Joyce Matthews**

*Please stand as you are able.*

## THE NICENE CREED

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We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate:  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. **Amen.**

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The hour has come; now is the time to glorify God's name. Let us intercede for the church and for all God's creation, turning to God and saying: Lord, your kingdom come.

You are our God:

may those who are poor and those who are rich, those near and those far, welcome your covenant of peace. We pray:

**Lord, your kingdom come.**

We are your people:

be with those who will receive your promise in baptism at Easter.

We pray: **Lord, your kingdom come.**

You honor those who choose to serve:

help us to be true followers of your servant Son. We pray:

**Lord, your kingdom come.**

We know that we must die so that we may truly live:

strengthen all who suffer in mind or body, especially, **Arnie, Bianca, Calmeater, Carol T., Catherine G., Charles, Crystal, Daryl, David, Deane, Delano, Edward G., Elinda, Emmett, Eric, Funteller, Helenor, James B., Janice, Janie, Joseph, Joyce C., Jomar, Kat, Kenneth B., Lauriant, Lena, Lenore, Leslie, Lucia, Marcia F., Marcus R., Martha, Muriel, Nicole, Oscar, Patrick G., Pauline G., Robert W., Rosalind, Ruby, Sean, Sheila A., Valerie, Vickie, Walter, Wanda, and Willie F.** We pray: **Lord, your kingdom come.**

You draw all people to yourself:

bring us out of our slavery to possessions and away from the desire for wealth. We pray: **Lord, your kingdom come.**

**Please offer your own intercessions at this time.**

For the bishops and all the leaders of the church, including: *Michael*, our Presiding Bishop; *Bonnie* our Bishop; *Moises*, Bishop of the Dominican Republic; *Elizabeth, Donald and Craig*, Bishops in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; *Christ Church*, Pleasant Lake; *Church of the Resurrection*, Ecorse; *Jesus the Pilgrim*, Barahona, Dominican Republic; and for all the clergy and people. We pray: **Lord, your kingdom come.**

For those celebrating birthdays this week, especially, *Lauren* (3/18); *Bertram* (3/20); *Dionne and Carole S.* (3/23). We pray: **Lord, your kingdom come.**

### **CONCLUDING COLLECT BY THE CELEBRANT**

Lord God, show us the way of obedience through patient endurance and the way of glory through the law written in our hearts. Hear our prayers and come to our aid. We pray through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **THE PEACE**

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

*Then the Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

## **THE HOLY COMMUNION**

*The Celebrant begins the Offertory saying*

### **OFFERTORY SENTENCE**

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Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

For those joining us Live stream on Zoom and/or Facebook, you may donate through our website. Go to [allsaintsdetroit.org](http://allsaintsdetroit.org) and click the Giving tab and then select tithes/offerings. We thank you for your support.

OFFERTORY HYMN: Great is Thy Faithfulness

LEV 189

*Please stand as you are able when the offering is presented.*

THE DOXOLOGY:

Tune: Old 100<sup>th</sup>

H 380

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below,  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. **Amen.**

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A

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*The people remain standing.*

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant*

It is truly right, and good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again.

Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your name:

**SANCTUS**

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**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*Please kneel as you are able.*

*Then the Celebrant continues*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of Faith:

*Celebrant and People*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Celebrant continues*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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Our Father, which art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts,  
as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*Silence is kept.*

## FRACTION ANTHEM

Celebrant: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

*The Celebrant then says the following Invitation.*

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you,  
and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

**COMMUNION HYMN: It is Well with my Soul**

**LEV 188**

*Celebrant: Let us pray.*

## POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

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*Celebrant and People:*

**Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage  
to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **Please be seated for the Welcome and Announcements.**

*In Lent, in place of a seasonal blessing, a solemn Prayer over the People is used.*

*The Deacon or, in the absence of a Deacon, the Presider says*

Bow down before the Lord.

*The people kneel and the Deacon or the Presider says the following prayer:*

Look with compassion, O Lord, upon this your people; that, rightly observing this holy season, they may learn to know you more fully, and to serve you with a more perfect will; through Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

**CLOSING HYMN: On Christ the Solid Rock I Stand LEV 99**

### **THE DISMISSAL**

Deacon: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

# **Announcements**

## **OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

At All Saints we are “Answering the call”:

*To be committed stewards of Christ’s ministry  
by strengthening our faith, serving the community,  
and spreading his love by thought, word and deed.*

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We welcome **The Rev. Joyce Matthews** as our celebrant today.

**March is Women’s History Month:** If you know of a female history maker that you would like to share, please see Juanita W. or Roger W.

Roger W. will present today’s female history maker.

**Stations of the Cross** each Friday through March 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at All Saints Church. All are welcome.

**Easter Flowers** – The Altar Guild is accepting donations for the Easter Flowers. Please complete the form on Page 28 with your donation and return to Theresa N., Altar Guild member, no later than **Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>**. Thank You.

## **Holy Week Services**

**Palm Sunday Services** – March 24, 2024 - 11:30 a.m. at All Saints Church.

**Maundy Thursday** – March 28, 2024 – 7:00 p.m. – at St. Matthew’s & St. Joseph’s Church - Joint Services with All Saints Church.

**Good Friday** – March 29, 2024 – Noon – at All Saints Church – Joint Services with St. Matthew’s & St. Joseph’s Church.

**Easter Sunday with Holy Baptism** – March 31, 2024 - 11:30 a.m. at All Saints Church.

# **Chrism Mass & Clergy Renewal of Vows**

## **All are invited to Attend**

**Chrism Mass & Clergy Renewal of Vows**  
**Tuesday, March 26, 11:00 a.m.**  
**Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Livonia**

**Chrism Mass & Clergy Renewal of Vows**  
**Tuesday, March 26, 6:30 p.m.**  
**The Cathedral Church of St. Paul, Detroit**

The Rt. Rev. Dr. Bonnie A. Perry, and  
The Rev. Dr. Donald Kreiss, Bishop of the  
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America  
(ELCA) Southeast Michigan Synod, invite you to two joint Chrism Mass  
services on **Tuesday, March 26.**



**We invite all clergy and lay to attend either service during Holy Week.**

Bottles will be available, and you are welcome to bring your own small clean container for chrism.

Bishop Bonnie Perry, preaching; Bishop Donald Kreiss, officiating.

*Clergy do not need to vest.*

To RSVP for the luncheon after the service at Holy Trinity, Livonia, please email Susan Mason at [smason@edomi.org](mailto:smason@edomi.org)

**Election Day:** Thank you to everyone who gave of their time on Tuesday, February 27<sup>th</sup>. We will need volunteers again on **Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>** during the hours of **8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.** If you have any questions, please see Mr. P. or contact the church office.

**Pledge Boxes:** If you have not received your pledge box, please contact the church office and leave a message.

## **Mid-Week Eucharists**

All Saints Church is named to recognize the Bible's great matriarchs and patriarchs of faith. They are commemorated on our calendar, and those days provide opportunities for gathering and communion. Please consider joining Rev. Estes for the Eucharist on the following Thursdays at noon.

**Note:** The Eucharist is not every Thursday. The Eucharist will be during the week these special commemorations occur. If you have any questions, please get in touch with Rev. Estes.

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| <b>March 21st</b> | <b>St. Joseph</b>                                                    |
| <b>April 11th</b> | The Annunciation of Our Lord Jesus Christ to the Blessed Virgin Mary |
| <b>April 25th</b> | St. Mark                                                             |

## **Bible Study with Rev. Estes**

Bible Study will be paused during Lent.

**Rev. Estes contact information:** Cell phone: 313 – 505 - 9113.

Office Hours: Thursdays: 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Email address: [aestes@allsaintsdetroit.org](mailto:aestes@allsaintsdetroit.org)

## **Outreach Ministry - Crossroads**

Please bring non-perishable food items during the Lenten Season through Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup> in support of Crossroads.

See Page 21 for the list of food items. Thank you.

## **Congregational Mutual Ministry Review – Sunday, April 21, 2024**

A Mutual Ministry Review provides space for the congregation and Rector to reflect on their work together. All Members are encouraged to join Rev. Estes and the Rev. Canon Ellen Ekevag on **Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup>**, for a congregational Mutual Ministry Review (MMR) after the worship service that day.

For more information, please get in touch with Rev. Estes.

### **Open Custodian Position**

We are seeking a part-time custodian. A copy of the job description is available on the table in the Narthex and on our website [allsaintsdetroit.org](http://allsaintsdetroit.org). You can also find it on the diocese website [edomi.org](http://edomi.org). All applicants should submit their resume to the church office email: [allsaintsdetroit@sbcglobal.net](mailto:allsaintsdetroit@sbcglobal.net)

**Church Updates: FYI...** Please check your emails on **Thursday evenings** for any updates from the church. We appreciate your assistance so that we can keep you informed.

The Rector and The Wardens

### **Hospitality/Coffee Hour**

Please sign up to serve our hospitality/coffee hour. The sign-up book is located on the table in the Narthex. Coffee, tea, water, and condiments will be provided. You can bring your favorite treat to serve. For questions, please contact the church office.

### **Building and Grounds Committee Update**

We will begin with roof repairs and tuck pointing. Followed by interior plastering and painting repairs throughout the building. If you have a question, please see William P., Roger W., or Juanita W.

### **Usher Ministry**

If you are interested in using your time and talent as an usher, you can serve one week, two weeks or for a month at a time. If you would like to serve, please contact the church office.

Thank you, Sheila L., Chairperson

### **Prayers of the People**

If you would like to add/delete names to the prayers list, please complete a form located on the table in the Narthex or contact the church office.

**“All Saints Church Website”** [allsaintsdetroit.org](http://allsaintsdetroit.org)

**We encourage you to check out our website and provide comments/ feedback to us.** Please share the link with family and friends to learn about our church ministries, our diocese and the National Episcopal Church.

**“The Good News” Newsletter”**

A copy of our newsletter is available on the table in the Narthex. If you would like a copy mailed to someone, please leave the person’s name and address along with your name in the Communications Mailbox in the church office.

Thank you, The Communications Committee

**Church Events Forms**

All church events planned and scheduled for the months of March through June should be submitted to the church office today for review/approval by the vestry. Thank you – The Wardens.

**Recycle Ministry**

Please discard your worship bulletin in the blue bins in the Narthex near each door. Thank you for helping us care for our environment.

**No Trash Please!**

**YouTube Channel:**

Please subscribe to All Saints YouTube Channel. To meet our goal of 50+ subscribers hit the bell at:

<https://youtube.com/channel/UC93INKgIUxOImd16nvHpYHA>



Saturday, May 4, 2024 - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

***St. Paul's Episcopal Church - Jackson, MI***

**To register go to:**

[www.edomi.org/ministryfair](http://www.edomi.org/ministryfair)

# List of Non-Perishable for Food Banks - Non-perishable Items You Can Donate

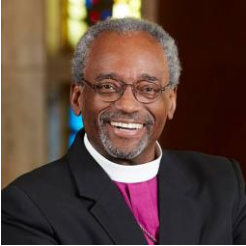


- Canned fish
- Meat-based canned soups/stews
- Nut butters
- Bags or cans of dried beans and peas
- Whole-grain cereals
- Bags of plain rice and pasta
- Barley and quinoa
- Canned fruits
- Canned vegetables

When looking for food donations for food banks, non-perishable ones are an excellent choice. This type of food is highly recommended by food banks because they are convenient, has a long shelf life, and easy to consume. Moreover, they don't require refrigeration but must be kept cool and dry.

Non-perishable items are also essential in emergency situations, which is why they are favored by many charitable organizations.

It is important to note that food banks can purchase fresh meats, eggs, butter, bread, fruits, and vegetables to include in their food bags. They will also mix these **foods with non-perishable items** to help families get by for a week or even more.



## Presiding Bishop Michael Curry is home, recovering following heart procedure.

Presiding Bishop Michael Curry underwent **a procedure on March 1** to implant a pacemaker as part of his ongoing treatment for atrial fibrillation. The surgery was successful, and he was discharged from the hospital on Saturday, March 2. He will continue recuperating at home.

Bishop Curry will continue tending to light-duty work tasks until released to travel and increase his duties. Updates will be provided, as necessary.

Please continue praying for Bishop Curry, his family, and his medical team.

**USPS Special Stamp Dedication**  
**Honoring Detroit's Historic William Lambert**

William Lambert, a Detroit businessman, helped to organize St. Matthew's Church, a mission congregation of the Episcopal Church. St. Matthew's was one of three pre-Civil War black communities actively aiding freedom-seekers.

In recognition of his exemplary leadership in the Underground Railroad, he along with nine other men and women of color will be commemorated on a Forever Stamp.

You are welcome to join the people of Detroit and St. Matthew's and St. Joseph's Episcopal Church for the unveiling ceremony on Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1:00 p.m.



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Underground Railroad Forever Stamps

Special Stamp Dedication

Honoring Detroit's own William Lambert

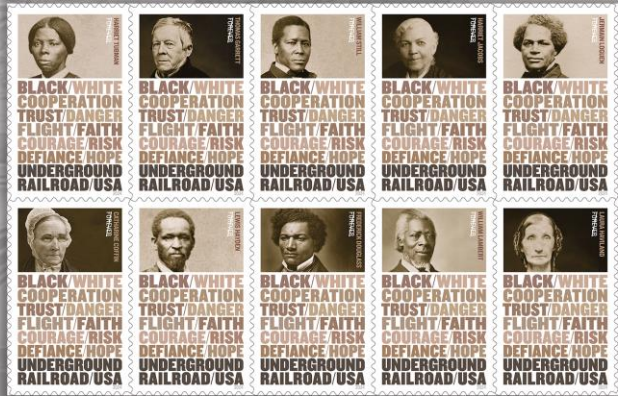
Saturday March 23, 2024

1:00 P.M.

St. Matthew's and  
St. Joseph's Episcopal  
Church

8850 Woodward Ave.

Detroit, Michigan 48202



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THE DETROIT RIVER PROJECT  
STATION  
MARCH 23, 2024 **48202**



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 [Clergy Discretionary Fund, Clergy Fund, Crossroads,  
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*Make checks payable to: **All Saints Episcopal Church***  
 (Note in memo the name of the fund.)



## *Sunday of the Passion*

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*March 24, 2024*

*The Liturgy of the Palms*

*Mark 11:1-11 or John 12:12-16*

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*The Liturgy of the Word*

*First Lesson: Isaiah 50:4-9a*

*The Psalm: 31:9-16*

*Second Lesson: Philippians 2:5-11*

*Gospel: Mark 14:1-15:47 or*

*Mark 15:1-39, [40-47]*

*The Rev. Anthony C. Estes, Celebrant*



# 2024

| Sun.                                                                                      | Mon.                   | Tues                                                                          | Wed.                   | Thur                                                                                                                                             | Fri.                                                                                           | Sat.                                                               |
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|                                                                                           |                        |                                                                               |                        |                                                                                                                                                  | 1<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br>Stations of the<br>Cross –<br>6:00 p.m.      | 2                                                                  |
| 3<br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service<br><br>Vestry Board<br>Meeting –<br>3:00 p.m. via Zoom | 4<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED  | 5<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.                                | 6<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED  | 7<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 p.m.                                                                   | 8<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Stations of the<br>Cross –<br>6:00 p.m.  | 9                                                                  |
| 10<br>Daylight Savings<br>Time Begins<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Morning Prayer                 | 11<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 12<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.                               | 13<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 14<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 p.m.<br>Paused                                                        | 15<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Stations of the<br>Cross –<br>6:00 p.m. | 16<br>Post-<br>Pilgrimage<br>Meeting –<br>Sister Vee-<br>2:00 p.m. |
| 17<br>St. Patrick's Day<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service                              | 18<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 19<br>First Day of<br>Spring<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m. | 20<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 21<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Mid-Week<br>Eucharist –<br>St. Joseph -<br>Noon<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 p.m.<br>Paused | 22<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Stations of the<br>Cross –<br>6:00 p.m. | 23                                                                 |
| 24<br>Palm Sunday<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service                                    | 25<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 26<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.                               | 27<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 28<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 p.m.<br>Paused                                                        | 29<br>Good Friday<br>Services - Noon<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.          | 30                                                                 |
| 31<br>Easter Sunday<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service                                  |                        |                                                                               |                        |                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                |                                                                    |

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**Flowers for Easter**



**Dear Church Family:**

**The Altar Guild thanks you for your flower contributions throughout the years. Please help us to continue the tradition of decorating our All Saints sanctuary for Easter this year. For your dedications to be included in the Easter Sunday Bulletin, contributions must be received no later than Sunday, *March 24, 2024.***

***Let's make All Saints Church beautiful for Easter Sunday.***

**Please return your request to the Church Office by  
PALM SUNDAY, March 24, 2024 or via the website:  
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**Make checks payable to: *All Saints Altar Guild***

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