

All Saints Episcopal Church

(Part of the Anglican Communion)

“Answering the call to spread Christ’s Ministry”



**The First Sunday after the Epiphany
The Baptism of Our Lord**

January 11, 2026

**11:30 a.m. – Morning Liturgy -
Communion from the Reserve Sacrament**

Deacon Michael A. Stutso, Officiant

*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: Songs of Thankfulness and Praise H 135**

*All standing, the Officiant says*

Officiant: Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People: **Glory to God for ever and ever.**

*Officiant and people together, all kneeling.*

Officiant: Let us confess our sins to God.

**CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**God of all mercy,  
we confess that we have sinned against you,  
opposing your will in our lives.  
We have denied your goodness in each other,  
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.  
We repent of the evil that enslaves us,  
the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf.  
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us  
through our Savior Jesus Christ,  
that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.**

*The Officiant remains kneeling and says*

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

*Please stand as you are able.*

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Officiant: Let us pray.

*The Officiant reads the Collect of the Day.*

## **THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

**BCP pg. 163**

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

## **THE PSALM**

### **THE PSALM 29:1-11 (We will read in unison)**

- 1 Ascribe to the LORD, you gods, \*  
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his Name; \*  
worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- 3 The voice of the LORD is upon the waters;  
the God of glory thunders; \*  
the LORD is upon the mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice; \*  
the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.
- 5 The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees; \*  
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, \*  
and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the LORD splits the flames of fire;  
the voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; \*  
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

- 8 The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe \*  
and strips the forests bare.
- 9 And in the temple of the LORD \*  
all are crying, "Glory!"
- 10 The LORD sits enthroned above the flood; \*  
the LORD sits enthroned as King for evermore.
- 11 The LORD shall give strength to his people; \*  
the LORD shall give his people the blessing of peace.

Reader & People: | **Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:\* as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

## THE LESSONS

### THE FIRST LESSON

**Isaiah 42:1-9**

Here is my servant, whom I uphold,  
my chosen, in whom my soul delights;  
I have put my spirit upon him;  
he will bring forth justice to the nations.  
He will not cry or lift up his voice,  
or make it heard in the street;  
a bruised reed he will not break,  
and a dimly burning wick he will not quench;  
he will faithfully bring forth justice.  
He will not grow faint or be crushed  
until he has established justice in the earth;  
and the coastlands wait for his teaching.  
Thus says God, the LORD,  
who created the heavens and stretched them out,  
who spread out the earth and what comes from it,  
who gives breath to the people upon it  
and spirit to those who walk in it:

I am the LORD, I have called you in righteousness,  
I have taken you by the hand and kept you;  
I have given you as a covenant to the people,  
a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind,  
to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon,  
from the prison those who sit in darkness.  
I am the LORD, that is my name;  
my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols.  
See, the former things have come to pass,  
and new things I now declare;  
before they spring forth, I tell you of them.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

*Officiant and People*

**CANTICLE: THE THIRD SONG OF ISAIAH**

**BCP pg. 87**

*Isaiah 60:1-3, 11a, 14C, 18-19*

Arise, shine, for your light has come,\*  
and the glory of the Lord has dawned upon you.  
For behold, darkness covers the land;\*  
deep gloom enshrouds the peoples.  
But over you the Lord will rise,\*  
and his glory will appear upon you.  
Nations will stream to your light,\*  
and kings to the brightness of your dawning.  
Your gates will always be open;\*  
by day or night they will never be shut.  
The will call you, The City of the Lord,\*  
The Zion of the Holy One of Israel.  
Violence will no more be heard in our land,\*  
ruin or destruction within your borders.

You will call your walls, Salvation;\*  
and all your portals, Salvation,\*  
and all your portals, Praise.

The Sun will no more be your light by days;\*  
by night you will not need the brightness of the moon.

The Lord will be your everlasting light,\*  
and your God will be your glory.

Officiant & People: | **Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and Holy Spirit:\* as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

*The people sit.*

## **THE SECOND LESSON**

**Acts 10:34-43**

Peter began to speak to them: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ--he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

**SEQUENCE HYMN: Take My Hand, Precious Lord LEV 106**

Officiant: A reading from the Gospel of Matthew.

**THE GOSPEL**

**Matthew 3:13-17**

Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" But Jesus answered him, "Let it be so now; for it is proper for us in this way to fulfill all righteousness." Then he consented. And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased."

Officiant: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*The Congregation may be seated.*

**THE SERMON**

**Deacon Michael Stutso**

*Officiant and People together, all standing.*

*The Officiant says*

Dear People of God: In Holy Baptism we follow the pattern of our Lord Jesus Christ. As he came up from the water he was anointed by the Spirit of God and designated as God's Son. So we also are anointed by that same Spirit; we are reborn and adopted as sons and daughters with whom God is well pleased. Let us now renew our own baptismal covenant.

*The Congregation remains standing.*

## **THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS**

**BCP pgs. 292-294**

Officiant Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

People **I do.**

Officiant Do you believe in God the Father?

People **I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

Officiant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Officiant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People **I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.**

Officiant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship,  
in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Officiant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Officiant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Officiant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Officiant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

*The Officiant concludes the Renewal of Vows as follows:*

May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. **Amen.**

## **THE PRAYERS**

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Officiant: Let us pray.

*The Intercessor says*

For the church, and for this community  
**may we be the salt of the earth and light to the world.**

For all who are oppressed,  
**may we proclaim the justice of God's Kingdom.**

For all who hunger,  
**may we, the Body of Christ, be bread.**

For all who weep, all who are outcast or in any need or trouble:  
**may we offer comfort and joy.**

For all who have died, and for those who grieve  
**may we share your life and peace.**

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

For the work of love and the gift of grace,  
**may your word and sacrament strengthen us to love as you love us.**

As we yearn to be the faithful people of God,  
**may we be people of true and gracious welcome to all.**

For those celebrating birthdays this week, especially *Charles W.* (1/11)  
and *Sianee* (1/16),  
**may we give thanks for all the blessings of life.**

For *Sean*, our Presiding Bishop; *Bonnie* our Bishop; *Moises*, Bishop  
of the Dominican Republic; *Yehiel, Donald, and Julie*, Bishops in the  
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; *Grace Church, Mt. Clemens*”;  
*Blessed Virgin Mary*, Puerto Plata, Dominican Republic; and for all the  
clergy and people,  
**may your church walk in truth and love.**

*The Officiant concludes The Prayers with the following.*

God our Savior: Meet us in this time and place; focus our hearts on  
your love, feed the hungry places of our souls, release us from all that  
resists your grace, and renew our bodies to serve your world. **Amen.**

## **THE PEACE**

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

People: **And also with you.**

***The Officiant and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.***

## GENERAL OFFERING

*The Officiant begins the offering saying*

Let us make our offering to Almighty God.

## THE OFFERTORY

*During the Offertory, a hymn or anthem may be sung.*

*Representatives of the congregation bring the people's offering and place them on the Altar.*

*During the Offertory, the Reserve Eucharist Minister retrieves a corporal from the credence table and spreads it on the Altar and reverently removes the Reserved Sacrament from the tabernacle or aumbry and places it on the corporal.*

*Reserved wine is poured into the chalice and bread is served from the container retrieved from the tabernacle or aumbry. When all is ready, the service continues.*

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



Using your cell phone you can scan the QR code to give. We thank you for your support.

***The people remain seated and sing the hymn while the offerings are received.***

**OFFERTORY HYMN:                      Jesu, Jesu                      H 602**

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

**THE DOXOLOGY:      Tune: Old 100<sup>th</sup> Verse 3                      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 Officiant begins the offering saying,*

We thank you for the celebration of Holy Eucharist at All Saints Episcopal Church, on January 4<sup>th</sup> that provides our spiritual food today, and for the Holy Spirit that unites us across time and place.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray in song,

*People and Celebrant*

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**LEV 264**

**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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.**

**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 Officiant invites people to communion saying*

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

*Communion is distributed as is customary in the congregation.*

**COMMUNION HYMNS: One Bread, One Body LEV 151**

**Shall We Gather at the River LEV 141**

**– Verses 1, 4**

## **POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

*Officiant: Let us pray.*

**God of abundance,  
you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation;  
you have united us with Christ and one another;  
and you have made us one  
with all your people in heaven and on earth.  
Now send us forth in the power of your spirit,  
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and  
continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

*Please be seated for the Welcome and Announcements.*

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

**CLOSING HYMN:        The Church's One Foundation        H 525**

*The Officiant concludes the Service saying*

## **THE DISMISSAL**

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

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

## LAY LEADERSHIP

|                                            |                                     |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>LECTORS</b>                             | Marcia F./Rosa B.                   |
| <b>LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER</b>            | Lawrence P.                         |
| <b>VERGER</b>                              | Roger W.                            |
| <b>ACOLYTE</b>                             | Viridian S.                         |
| <b>INTERCESSOR - PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE</b> | Linval W.                           |
| <b>ALTAR GUILD</b>                         | Members                             |
| <b>COUNTERS</b>                            | Joanna G./Sylvia N.                 |
| <b>USHERS</b>                              | Sheila L./Patrick L.                |
| <b>TECH MINISTRY</b>                       | Dennis B., Jr. /Alan P./Francine P. |
| <b>WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>               | Dennis B., Jr.                      |

### ALL SAINTS CHURCH VESTRY MEMBERS

|                                                                                                          |                                                         |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| Linval W., Senior Warden<br>Sylvia Neal, Junior Warden<br>Loraine G., Vestry Clerk<br>Alan P., Treasurer | Dennis B., Jr.<br>Joanna G.<br>Allison P<br>Lawrence P. |
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**When contributing by check to our ministries:**  
 [Clergy Discretionary Fund, Clergy Fund, Crossroads,  
 Forgotten Harvest, Episcopal Relief & Development, or  
 Undesignated Outreach Ministry Fund.]

*Make checks payable to: **All Saints Episcopal Church***  
 (Note in the memo section the designated fund.)

***January 18, 2026***

***The Second Sunday after the Epiphany***

***Lessons for MLK Remembrance Day***

***The First Lesson: Exodus 3: 7-12***

***The Psalm 77:11-20***

***The Second Lesson: Ephesians 6: 11-20***

***The Gospel: Luke 6:27-36***

***The Reverend Anthony C. Estes, Celebrant***



**THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**  
**JANUARY 18 2026**

**Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration.**

**The hymns will be some of Dr. King's favorites.  
Titles and links will be provided soon.**

# Announcements

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## 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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### Finance Committee

The Finance Committee will meet **today at 1:30 p.m.** in the Levering Room.

### Hospitality and Fellowship

Thank you to Bernie P., our Office Assistant for the delicious homemade Apple Pie and homemade Cheesecake last Sunday. We thank Doria W. for the cookies; Dustin and Mariah B. for their contribution of hot chocolate. You are all appreciated for giving of your treasure.

### Outreach Ministry

Thank you to Dennis B. for delivering the nonperishable foods to Crossroads donated by members and the family and friends of Mrs. Mary Jane H.

**2026 Episcopal Church Calendars** are available for purchase at \$8.00 each. Please see Juanita W. or contact the church office.

### **2025 Ministry Annual Reports – Due on January 16, 2026**

If you are the chair of any church ministry/committee, your 2025 annual report is due to the church office via email on **Friday, January 16, 2026. If you have any questions, please contact the church office.**

## **The Life & Ministry of The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.**

Next **Sunday, January 18<sup>th</sup>**, we will celebrate the life and ministry of The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. If you have a question, please see Roger W.

## **Episcopal Church Women (ECW)**

The ECW will meet on **Sunday, January 18<sup>th</sup>** following service in The Breezeway.

## **Men's Club**

The Men's Club will meet on **Sunday, January 18<sup>th</sup>** following service in The Chapel.

## **2026 Stewardship Pledge Boxes**

The 2026 pledge boxes are on order and should arrive in the next two weeks.

Thank you! Juanita W.



## **2026 Stewardship Ministry- Pledge Commitment Letter**

If you have not completed your commitment letter, please complete as soon as possible as we work to finalize our 2026 annual budget.

**If you need a copy of the letter, please see the ushers.** Any questions, please see Juanita W. Thank you.

Rebecca M., Roger W., and Juanita W. – Stewardship Ministry Team

## **Worship Committee**

The Worship Committee will meet next **Saturday, January 17<sup>th</sup>** at Noon in the Breezeway. We will be planning hymns for March and April at this meeting. If you would like to help or have any questions, you are welcome to join us in planning the hymns for the upcoming seasons. Questions, please contact Aly S. or contact the church office.

## **All Saints Church Directory**

Please contact the church office if you did not receive your copy of the revised church directory.

## **All Saints Church 2026 Annual Parish Meeting**

Our annual meeting will be held on **Sunday, January 25<sup>th</sup>**.

## **2026 Vestry – Election of New Members**

We will be electing three new members for the Vestry.

We are seeking members of the congregation to serve on the Vestry in 2026 for a three-year term. (See criteria to serve below).

The election will occur on **Sunday, January 25, 2026**.

If you have discerned and wish to serve, please see Sylvia N., Allison P., and Lawrence P. our nominating committee members.

## **Criteria to serve as Vestry Board Members**

To serve you must be a member in good standing, attend church services regularly, commitment of time, talent and treasure be over 16 years of age and a member for a year.

The Vestry is vital ministry of leadership in Episcopal congregations. Members of the Vestry work together as a whole in sharing leadership responsibilities with the Rector. Vestries help the Rector manage the financial, property, and human resources of each congregation. A vestry seeking to be transformed by Jesus Christ will have a passionate work ethic and the ability to work collaboratively with others.

As part of the Episcopal Church Canons we elect officers: the Wardens (Senior and Junior), Secretary (Vestry Clerk). The Treasurer is appointed by the Vestry Board. Together with the Rector, the vision for All Saints is charted and plans implemented so that we may be faithful stewards of Christ's ministry.

## **Criteria to serve as Vestry Board Members cont'd.**

General responsibilities include:

- Regular monthly meetings and committee work.
- Attending vestry retreats; Participating in weekly worship.
- Attending congregational events; Attend diocesan meetings as necessary.; Annual Meeting.
- Praying for other vestry leaders, clergy, and members of the congregation.
- Sharing one's talents and learning from and with others.

If you have gifts in the areas of administration, and can work well with others, please consider running for the Vestry. If you love Jesus and want to help lead and model how our congregation can grow in faith, hope, and love, please consider running for the vestry.



## **Hospitality and Fellowship – Sign Up Now!**

We are encouraging members to support our hospitality and fellowship time by signing up to serve. The sign-up book is located on the table in the Narthex (Lobby). If you have any questions, please see Juanita W. or contact the church office. Thank you.



### **Visitation to All Saints Church by our Bishop**

Please mark your calendar for The Rt. Rev. Dr. Bonnie A. Perry visitation to our church on **Sunday, February 1, 2026**. Stay tuned for details from Rev. Estes.

Diocese Vestry Day - **Saturday, February 14, 2026**

### **Christian Formation and Education**

#### **Joining All Saints Episcopal Church**

If you or someone you know wants to know more about the Episcopal Church, our practices around Holy Communion or Baptism, or formally join this community of faith, Rev. Estes would love to chat! Please contact him after the service or contact the church office to get connected!

#### **Worship Committee - Hymns**

We're sharing the hymns for the upcoming Sunday each week, so everyone can get a feel for them. If you're reading the bulletin online via email, just click on those blue links in the PDF to jump straight to the song. Or, if you'd rather, you can type in the song title and search for it on YouTube.

## **Weekly Bible Study**

Rev. Anthony Estes is inviting you to attend bible study via Zoom every week on **Thursday at 5:30 p.m.**

## **Join Zoom Meeting**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83851875821>

**Meeting ID: 838 5187 5821**

One tap mobile

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+13092053325,,83851875821# US

## **“The Table” - Children and Youth Ministries**

Please check out the information regarding programs to assist with children and young people on Page 28– “The Table”.



## **Reading Ministry**



If you are reading a book, a magazine, or an article of interest. Please complete the form on the table in the Narthex (Lobby) and place it in the basket. We encourage everyone to share books, articles of interest that you have read.

**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

## **Pastoral Care Ministry**

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

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

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Please remember to pray for:

**Arin, Arnie, Benjamin S., Bernadette R., Bianca N., Brian J., Carl K., Carl P., Charles M., Charles W., Cleveland, Crystal, Daryl D., David G., Deane, Edna S., Elinda, Elizabeth, Eric, Frank B., Frankie G., Funteller, Gaston, George A., Gregory P., Helenor, James S., Janice A., Jomar, Jonathan B., Kat, Katherine B., Kendel T., Kenneth B., Lauriant, Lena, Lenore, Lucia, Marcia F., Marcus R., Marquis B., Martha, Nicol S., Patrick G., Pearl S., Rosa, Rosalind P., Salaahuddin, Telia, Valerie D., William H., William S., and Willie F.**

## Stewardship

is heart work



"Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."  
Matthew 6:19-21

## Usher Ministry

We need members to serve as ushers. You can serve for one Sunday, two Sundays or what will work for you. Please talk to Sheila L. Training is available for you.

Thank you, Sheila L. Chairperson

We appreciate Sheila L. and Patrick L. for serving as our lead ushers.

## **Capital Campaign – Renew \* Restore\* Preserve**

Our five-year Capital Campaign began in 2025 and will end in 2030. We are asking **each member to contribute \$500 or more each year for the next four years. Your support will allow us to make the following major repairs to our church building:**

- Restoration of Stain Glass Windows  
    [Sanctuary/Breezeway and hall entrance]
- Diocesan Loan Payments
- Major Repairs to Boiler #2
- Exterior concrete repairs to main entrance steps.
- Current and Future Maintenance Repairs.

An information package is available on the table in the Narthex (Lobby). If you have any questions, please see Juanita W. All checks should be written to **“All Saints Church”** with a memo notation: **Capital Campaign. Thank You.**

## **Rewards Programs**

**Kroger and GFS Community Rewards Programs** support our outreach ministry program. All Saints receives a quarterly reward check from Kroger based on your purchases. You can sign up online, in the drop-down list or at the Customer Service Counter.

**The Organization Number** for enrollment in the **Community Rewards Programs.**

**KROGER** - Organization #91036

**GFS** - Organization #2523579

We receive a discount on purchases from Gordon Foods (GFS). Questions about these programs, please contact the church office.



[www.crossroads.org](http://www.crossroads.org).

Food donations for Crossroads. All non-perishable foods can be placed in the basket in the Narthex/Lobby. See Page 27 for the list of non-perishable food items. Cash/Check can be made with a notation in the memo: Crossroads.

Questions, please see Juanita W. or contact the Church office.



### **“The Good News”**

The “Good News” newsletter (August - November 2025) is available. Copies are available to pick up from the table in the Narthex (Lobby).

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’s Office. Thank you to Jacqueline P. for giving of her time and talent.

The Communications Committee

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

Do you want to learn more about our ministries, our diocese or the National Episcopal Church, go to our website: [allsaintsdetroit.org](http://allsaintsdetroit.org) it is updated weekly! Share the link with friends and family.

We welcome your feedback. Thanks to Jacqueline P. for her commitment to this important ministry.

### **Church Events Request Form**

All church event request forms for all planned and/or scheduled events through the month of **April 2026** should be submitted to the church office for review/approval by the vestry board.

Thank you – The Wardens

## **Building and Grounds Ministry**

### **Renew, Restore, Preserve Projects**

Replace Steel Door to furnace room

Install railings to alley back porch – 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2026

Parking Lot Repairs – 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2026

Boiler B Repairs – 2026 - 2027

Stain Glass Windows Restoration – Estimates in 2026

Questions, please see William P., Roger W., or Juanita W.



### **Recycle Ministry – Our Blue Bins – No Trash Please!**

Please discard your bulletin into the blue bins in the corner entrance of each door into the Narthex. Thank you for helping us care for our environment. *The Earth is the LORD'S and all that is in it – Psalm 24:1.*



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Community event flyers with details are available on the table in the Narthex (Lobby).

### **School is in Session – Palmer Park Preparatory Academy**

For volunteer opportunities and how to support Palmer Park Preparatory Academy, see the flyers on the table in the Narthex (Lobby).

## Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Location

First Floor wall in the hallway outside the church office.



## Non Perishable Food Items You Can Donate



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

### Non-perishable foods are:

- Convenient; long shelf life and are easy to consume.
- Do not require refrigeration but must be kept cool and dry.
- Essential in emergency situations.





## ***Ministry with Young People - Newsletter***

### **Diocesan Children and Youth Resource Hub @ EDOMI.org.**

*There are great resources for Stewardship Season if you utilize the Diocesan Children & Youth Resource Hub. You will find administrative resources, games, activities, books and prayers for holidays and feast days! If you have something to add, please send it to Carmen Piggins at [cpiggins@edomi.org](mailto:cpiggins@edomi.org)*

### **The Table: Children & Youth Ministers Collaborative Dinner**

In collaboration with the ELCA Southeast Synod these dinners will be an opportunity to fellowship and learn from one another:

**February 26:** Trinity & Huron Deaneries

**April 16:** Capital & Lyster Deaneries

**All dinners begin at 6:30 p.m.**

*To register for the dinners! Go to [edomi.org](http://edomi.org)*

*You can also register via the Weekly Connection Ministry with Young Newsletter.*



## **Episcopal Diocese of Michigan Event**

**A Diocesan Celebration of**

**The Feast of The Rev. Absalom Jones**

**First Episcopal Priest of African Descent**

***Sunday, February 15 at 4:00 p.m.***

**The Cathedral Church of St. Paul,  
Detroit**



**The Rt. Rev. Dr. Bonnie A. Perry, 11th Bishop of Michigan, cordially invites you to attend a service commemorating the Life and Ministry of The Rev. Absalom Jones, Prophet, Priest, and Pastor**



The Rt. Rev. Jennifer Baskerville-Burrows, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Indianapolis, will be our preacher.

**All Are Welcome**

**The Cathedral Church of St. Paul  
4800 Woodward Ave. - Detroit, MI 48201**

***Clergy to vest in Alb and white stole***



## All Saints Church Calender 2026

| Sun.                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Mon.                                                                | Tues.                                              | Wed.                   | Thur.                                                                                              | Fri.                                               | Sat.                                                             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                     |                                                    | NEW YEAR'S<br>EVE      | 1<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 – 7:00 p.m.<br>PAUSED    | 2<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.  | 3                                                                |
| 4<br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service<br><br>Vestry Meeting-<br>1:30 p.m. – 2 <sup>nd</sup><br>Floor<br>Levering Room                                                                                         | 5<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED                                               | 6<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.  | 7<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED  | 8<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 – 7:00 p.m.<br>Via Zoom  | 9<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.  | 10<br>Clean up<br>Saturday<br>1:00 – 4:00<br>p.m.                |
| 11<br>11:30 a.m.<br>Morning Prayer<br>With the<br>distribution of<br>Communion<br>from the<br>Reserve                                                                                                      | 12<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED                                              | 13<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m. | 14<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 15<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 – 7:00 p.m.<br>Via Zoom | 16<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m. | 17<br>Worship<br>Committee<br>Meeting –<br>Noon The<br>Breezeway |
| 18<br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service<br><br>Dr. Martin<br>Luther King, Jr.<br>Celebration<br><br>Men's Club<br>Meeting<br>Following<br>Service –<br>The Chapel<br><br>ECW Meeting –<br>Following<br>Service | 19<br>Dr. Martin<br>Luther King,<br>Jr. Day<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 20<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m. | 21<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 22<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 – 7:00 p.m.<br>Via Zoom | 23<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m. | 24                                                               |
| 25<br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service<br><br>Annual Parish<br>Meeting –<br>Following<br>Service                                                                                                              | 26<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED                                              | 27<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m. | 28<br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 29<br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>5:30 – 7:00 p.m.<br>Via Zoom | 30<br>Office<br>Hours<br>11:00 a.m. –<br>3:00 p.m. | 31                                                               |

## NOTES

*Monday, January 19, 2026*

*Happy*  
**Martin Luther King  
Jr. Day**

