

# *All Saints Episcopal Church*

*(Part of the Anglican Community)*

*“Answering the call to spread Christ’s Ministry”*



**February 8, 2026**

**11:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist**

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

**The Reverend Deacon Michael A. Stutso**

*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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Hymns are from Lift Every Voice and Sing II – LEV, The Hymnal 1982 – H  
and Wonder Love and Praise - WLP*

**OPENING HYMN:      Now Thank We All Our God                      H 396**

**GREETING AND RESPONSE    BCP pg. 355**

*The people standing.*

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

People:      **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

**COLLECT FOR PURITY    BCP pg. 355**

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**SONG OF PRAISE:      Lift Every Voice and Sing              LEV 1**

**THE COLLECT OF THE DAY    BCP pg. 164**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People:      **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

*The Celebrant says*

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

*Please be seated for reading of the lessons.*

## THE LESSONS

### FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 58:1-9a

Shout out, do not hold back!

Lift up your voice like a trumpet!

Announce to my people their rebellion,  
to the house of Jacob their sins.

Yet day after day they seek me  
and delight to know my ways,

as if they were a nation that practiced righteousness  
and did not forsake the ordinance of their God;

they ask of me righteous judgments,  
they delight to draw near to God.

“Why do we fast, but you do not see?

Why humble ourselves, but you do not notice?”

Look, you serve your own interest on your fast day,  
and oppress all your workers.

Look, you fast only to quarrel and to fight  
and to strike with a wicked fist.

Such fasting as you do today  
will not make your voice heard on high.

Is such the fast that I choose,  
a day to humble oneself?

Is it to bow down the head like a bulrush,  
and to lie in sackcloth and ashes?

Will you call this a fast,  
a day acceptable to the LORD?

Is not this the fast that I choose:  
to loose the bonds of injustice,  
to undo the thongs of the yoke,

to let the oppressed go free,  
and to break every yoke?

Is it not to share your bread with the hungry,  
and bring the homeless poor into your house;  
when you see the naked, to cover them,  
and not to hide yourself from your own kin?  
Then your light shall break forth like the dawn,  
and your healing shall spring up quickly;  
your vindicator shall go before you,  
the glory of the LORD shall be your rear guard.  
Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer;  
you shall cry for help, and he will say, Here I am.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

### **PSALM 112:1-9 (We will read in unison)**

- 1 Hallelujah!  
Happy are they who fear the Lord \*  
and have great delight in his commandments!
- 2 Their descendants will be mighty in the land; \*  
the generation of the upright will be blessed.
- 3 Wealth and riches will be in their house, \*  
and their righteousness will last for ever.
- 4 Light shines in the darkness for the upright; \*  
the righteous are merciful and full of compassion.
- 5 It is good for them to be generous in lending \*  
and to manage their affairs with justice.
- 6 For they will never be shaken; \*  
the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance.

- 7 They will not be afraid of any evil rumors; \*  
their heart is right;  
they put their trust in the Lord.
- 8 Their heart is established and will not shrink, \*  
until they see their desire upon their enemies.
- 9 They have given freely to the poor, \*  
and their righteousness stands fast for ever;  
they will hold up their head with honor.

## **THE SECOND LESSON**

## **1 Corinthians 2:1-12,**

When I came to you, brothers and sisters, I did not come proclaiming the mystery of God to you in lofty words or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. And I came to you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling. My speech and my proclamation were not with plausible words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

Yet among the mature we do speak wisdom, though it is not a wisdom of this age or of the rulers of this age, who are doomed to perish. But we speak God's wisdom, secret and hidden, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. None of the rulers of this age understood this; for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. But, as it is written,

“What no eye has seen, nor ear heard,  
nor the human heart conceived,  
what God has prepared for those who love him”—

These things God has revealed to us through the Spirit; for the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God. For what human being knows what is truly human except the human spirit that is within? So also no one comprehends what is truly God's except the Spirit of God. Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit that is from God, so that we may understand the gifts bestowed on us by God.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

**SEQUENCE HYMN: This Little Light of Mine LEV 221**

*The Deacon or Priest says*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

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

**THE GOSPEL**

**Matthew 5:13-20**

Jesus said, "You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled underfoot.

"You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

“Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments, and teaches others to do the same, will be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.”

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

*The congregation may be seated.*

## **THE SERMON**

**The Rev. Anthony C. Estes**

*Please stand as you are able.*

## **THE NICENE CREED**

**BCP pg. 358**

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 Deacon or Celebrant says*

Let us pray for all people, for all nations, and for the church, offering silent prayer as we are bidden.

*The Intercessor says*

I ask your prayers for God's church (All Saints, Saint Matthews and St. Joseph, The Cathedral Church of St. Paul, Grace Church) and all who serve it; for this assembly, and for all God's people everywhere. Pray for the church. **(Silent prayer.)**

I ask your prayers for the good earth, that all people may respect its resources, preserve its future, and enjoy its fruits in their season. Pray for the soil and the sea. **(Silent prayer.)**

I ask your prayers for the leaders of the nations, that they may act deliberately and dispassionately, and for the good of all. Pray for those who govern. **(Silent prayer.)**

I ask your prayers for peace, that the peoples of the world may live in safety and without fear. Pray for peace. **(Silent prayer.)**

I ask your prayers for the wealthy, the free, and the healthy, that they may use their possessions to aid those in need. Pray for compassion among people. **(Silent prayer.)**

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

I ask your prayers for the sick, the sorrowing, and those who are alone. Pray for those in any need or trouble. **(Silent prayer.)**

I ask your prayers for the faithful departed, especially, Mrs. Mary Jane Humphries, that God give them eternal rest. Pray for those who have died. **(Silent prayer.)**

I ask your prayers for those celebrating birthdays; especially, *Brianna W. (2/1); Reginald J. (2/2); Leon S. (2/3); Victor H. (2/4); Pauline G. and Kevin L. (2/5); Kaleb W. (2/8); Linda M. (2/9); Alycia M. (2/12) Regina R. (2/13) and Stephon D. (2/14).* Pray and give thanks for all the blessings of life. **(Silent prayer.)**

I ask your prayers 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; *St. Andrew's*, Livonia; *St. Mark's*, Haina, Santiago, Dominican Republic; and for all the clergy and people. Pray your church walk in truth and love. **(Silent prayer.)**

*The Celebrant says*

God of all the living, hear the prayers of your faithful people, and grant our requests. Strengthen us for the tasks you give us, and bring us at last to praise you forever with your saints, through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **CONFESSION OF SIN**

**BCP pg. 360**

*The Deacon or Celebrant says*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence may be kept.*

*The Celebrant and people say.*

**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 Celebrant 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.**

## **THE PEACE**

**BCP pg. 360**

*Please stand as you are able.*

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

People: **And also with you.**

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

## **THE HOLY COMMUNION**

*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Please follow the directions of the ushers, who will guide you forward by rows to the altar rail.*

- *To receive communion by intinction (dipping the bread into the wine), please cross your arms over your chest.*
- *To receive the bread and wine separately, please extend your hands.*
- *If you have accessibility challenges, communion will be brought to you.*

## **OFFERTORY SENTENCE**

*The Celebrant begins the Offertory saying*

As the magi brought gifts to pay homage to the one born king, so let us bring our gifts to proclaim the praise of our God.

For those joining us Live stream on Zoom and/or Facebook, welcome and you may support our ministries through our 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:            Blessed Absalom            LEV 44**

***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 GREAT THANKSGIVING

### EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER B

BCP pgs. 367-369

*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 right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

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:

*Celebrant and People*

### SANCTUS

HS 125

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

**Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest**

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

**Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest**

*The Celebrant continues*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, you Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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*

**We remember his death,  
We proclaim his resurrection,  
We await his coming in glory;**

*The Celebrant continues*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice that, we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country, where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the church, and the author of our salvation.

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 forever. **Amen.**

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 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

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*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*Silence is kept.*

### **FRACTION ANTHEM: Jesus Lamb of God HS 164**

Jesus, Lamb of God; have mercy on us.  
Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.  
Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world;  
Give us your peace, give us your peace.

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

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

*The Celebrant says*

How can we thank God enough for all the gifts we have received?  
This is our table of thanksgiving. This meal is our offering of gratitude  
for the grace of Jesus Christ. This is the feast of redemption where we  
see Christ face to face. Come and share this holy meal.

### **COMMUNION HYMNS: Lord I Have Seen Thy Salvation LEV 153**

**Let It Breathe On Me LEV 116**

*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.***

**BLACK HISTORY MONTH**

Rev. Absalom Jones – Presented by Juanita W.

**THE BLESSING**

**CLOSING HYMN:                      Blessed Quietness                      LEV 185**

**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>	Lawrence P./George A.
<b>LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER</b>	Lawrence P.
<b>VERGER</b>	Roger W.
<b>ACOLYTE</b>	Viridian S.
<b>INTERCESSOR - PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE</b>	Sheila L.
<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>	Alan P.

### ALL SAINTS CHURCH VESTRY MEMBERS

Linval W., Sr. Warden Sylvia N., Jr. Warden Loraine G., Vestry Clerk Alan P., Treasurer	Dennis Boyd, Jr. Joanna G. Allison P. 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.)

**The Last Sunday after the Epiphany**  
**February 15, 2026**

**Lessons**

**The First Lesson: Exodus 24:12-18**

**The Psalm 2:1-13 or Psalm 99:1-9**

**The Second Lesson: 2 Peter 1:16-21**

**The Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9**

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



**MUSIC FOR FEBRUARY 15, 2026**  
**THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

**Opening Hymn:** Guide Me O Thou Jehovah - H 365  
<https://youtu.be/fP5Yqmf3gPc?si=HygvB1Xm5pisFHBQ>

**Song of Praise:** Lift Every Voice and Sing – Levas 1

**Gospel Hymn:** Jesu, Joy of our Desiring – Levas 75  
<https://youtu.be/BnY60SuyA6o?si=uBVeDemTyXQUzaH>

**Offertory Hymn:** Lead Me, Guide Me – Levas 194  
[https://youtu.be/n22HdEvugDI?si=Y-hWj9Y\\_CQos\\_jB0](https://youtu.be/n22HdEvugDI?si=Y-hWj9Y_CQos_jB0)

**Communion Hymns:**

Baptized in water – H 294  
<https://youtu.be/72le9jole3Y?si=8X2XOoN9XnrOzBhf>

I am the Bread of Life – H335  
<https://youtu.be/bcwTo5NjGyA?si=G1uAVi2qKiJ25Qh6>

**Closing Hymn:** Every Time I Feel the Spirit – Levas 114  
[https://youtu.be/f5aJexiaK7k?si=bSSzCh\\_nWjsdvBna](https://youtu.be/f5aJexiaK7k?si=bSSzCh_nWjsdvBna)

# 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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We extend our sympathy to our office assistant, Bernie P. on the loss of her brother, Cleveland Graham. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 14<sup>th</sup> in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Please keep Bernie and her family in your prayers.

May Cleveland’s soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace, and rise in everlasting glory.

## All Saints Church 2026 Annual Parish Meeting

Our annual meeting is today. All members are urged to attend.

A light lunch will be served. We will be electing three new members for the Vestry.

We would like to thank everyone for attending our time with Bishop Bonnie last Sunday. We thank our members: Joanna G., Loraine G., Herbert H., and Jason H., owner of the “See You Tomorrow Restaurant” for their food donations for our hospitality time. We appreciate you for stepping up to help and give of your resources.

## **2026 Black History Month - Program Schedule**

February 1 <sup>st</sup>	Black Nurses – Attorney Denise A.
February 8 <sup>th</sup>	Rev, Absalom Jones- Juanita W.
February 15 <sup>th</sup>	Presentation – Guest Speaker
February 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Congregational participation

**New Bible Study** - began today at 10:00 a.m. on Sunday mornings at All Saints!

**Have You Registered?** Vestry Day is a virtual gathering for Wardens, Vestry, Bishop Committee Members, and Clergy. If you are new to your vestry/bishop's committee or if you are a long time member, we invite you to this "Vestry Day" Virtual Gathering. Register at [www.edomi.org/vestryday](http://www.edomi.org/vestryday)



## **Lenten Season**

Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> - Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper – 5 - 7 p.m.

Feb. 18<sup>th</sup> - Ash Wednesday – All Saints Church – Noon  
St. Matthew & St. Joseph's - 6:00 p.m.

Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> April 3<sup>rd</sup> - Men's Club Fish Fry: 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> thru March 27<sup>th</sup> – Stations of the Cross – 6:00 p.m.



*Save the Date*

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

**A Diocesan Celebration of the Feast of The Rev. Absalom Jones  
Sunday, February 15<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m.**

The Cathedral Church of St. Paul, Detroit - See Page 31 for details.



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

If you have not returned your pledge commitment letter, please return as soon as possible. **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

# Stewardship

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*"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*

## **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.

## **Christian Formation and Education**

Beginning February 8th at 10 a.m., a new Bible study will meet on Sunday mornings at All Saints! The new bible study will be a weekly discussion of the four readings for each Sunday and how they all work together to point towards Christ. This is an opportunity to dive deeper into the Old Testament and see how the entire Bible forms one whole. For more information, please see Viridian S.

## **Lay Eucharistic Ministers Training**

Assisting the clergy during the Eucharist—ensuring that all God's people are fed—is a vital expression of our baptismal ministry serving as a Eucharistic Minister is a licensed ministry in the Episcopal Church, and training is offered on a rolling basis.

Training is currently underway. If you would like to learn more about serving as a Eucharistic Minister, including training and licensure, please speak with Deacon Mike Stutso.

## **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**

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## **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 information about the books and/or articles of interest.

**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.

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



Please remember to pray for:

**Arin, Arnie, Bernadette R., Bianca N., Brian J., Carl K., Carl P., Charles M., Charles W., Crystal, Daryl D., David G., Deane, Edna S., Elinda, Elizabeth, Eric, Frank B., Frankie G., Funteller, Gaston, George A., Gregory P., Helenor, Jacqueline J., 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



## 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 is in process 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 assist with the following projects:

- Restoration of our Stain Glass Windows
- Repayment of our Diocesan Loan
- Major Repairs to Boiler #2
- Additional concrete repairs to exterior (Steps at the main entrance)
- Establish funding for ongoing maintenance

We request a separate check be written to: **“All Saints Church”** with a memo notation: **Capital Campaign**. If you have any questions, please see Juanita W. 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).

All non-perishable foods can be placed in the basket in the Narthex/Lobby. See Page 29 for the list of non-perishable food items. Cash/Check can be made with a notation in the memo: **Crossroads**. If you have a question, please see Juanita W. or contact the Church office.



**“The Good News”**

Please pick up the latest copy of our newsletter, “The Good News” newsletter (December – March 2026) 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.

## **Note**

The Communication Committee has 25 extra copies of the August - November 2025 newsletter. If you would like to have a copy mailed to someone, please let us know. Call or email the church and leave your name, the person's name and complete address. Thank you,

The Communications Committee

## **Building and Grounds Ministry**

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

Replace Steel Door to furnace room

Install railings to alley back porch – 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2026

Parking Lot Repairs – 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2026

Repairs to Boiler B – End of 2026

Stain Glass Windows Restoration – Request 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.*



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 are invited to vest in alb and white stole**

**\*Congregations that bring banners  
will be invited to process**

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



# *Black History Month*

## **All Saints Church Calender 2026**

Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
1 11:30 a.m. Worship Service The Rt. Rev. Dr. Bonnie A. Perry, Bishop	2 OFFICE CLOSED	3 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	4 OFFICE CLOSED	5 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  Bible Study 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Via Zoom.	6 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	7
8 11:30 a.m. Worship Service  Annual Parish Meeting	9 OFFICE CLOSED	10 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	11 OFFICE CLOSED	12 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  Bible Study 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Via Zoom	13 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	14
15 11:30 a.m. Worship Service  ECW Meeting -The Breezeway  Men's Club Meeting – The Chapel	16 OFFICE CLOSED	17 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - 6:00 p.m.	18 OFFICE CLOSED  Ash Wednesday Noon Service	19 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  Bible Study 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Via Zoom	20 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  Men's Club Fish Fry – 6:00 p.m.	21
22 11:30 a.m. Worship Service	23 OFFICE CLOSED	24 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	25 OFFICE CLOSED	26 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  Bible Study 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Via Zoom	27 Office Hours 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  Stations of the Cross – 6:00 p.m.	28