

# All Saints Catholic Church

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Monday-Friday  
8:00 am - 4:00 pm  
Saturdays 8:00 am - 11:00 am

The mission of All Saints Parish is to expand the Kingdom of God by showing people the way to salvation through the Eucharist, in our faith, our compassion, and our actions.

This is showcased in our four core values, namely:

**Prayer:** Dependence on God and Communicating with God.

**Ministry:** Having knowledge of the faith and putting it into practice.

**Christian Attitude:** Being welcoming, hospitable, compassionate, caring, and loving of everyone.

**Stewardship:** Care for the spiritual and physical assets of the Parish, namely our time, talent, and treasure.

### Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM  
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM  
Weekdays: See schedule in bulletin

### Sacraments

**Baptisms** are celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month after the 10:00 AM Mass. Pre-Baptismal classes are required. Contact the Parish Office for arrangements.

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays 12:30 - 1:00 PM and after the 5:00 PM Mass.

**Marriage:** Contact Parish Office at least 6 months in advance of proposed date.

### Visitation of the Sick or Shut-Ins:

Inform the Parish Office when anyone is ill at home or in the hospital. Upon request, Holy Communion can be brought to the home by the priest and/or a Eucharistic Minister.

### Bulletin Deadline:

All bulletin announcements must be received by Monday noon in written form.

### Preparation for Entering the Church (RCIA):

We welcome those who are interested in becoming Catholics. To enter a program of formation and prayer, contact the Parish Office.

**Parish Membership:** New parishioners are always welcome! Call the Parish Office for a census form.

### Prayer Meeting:

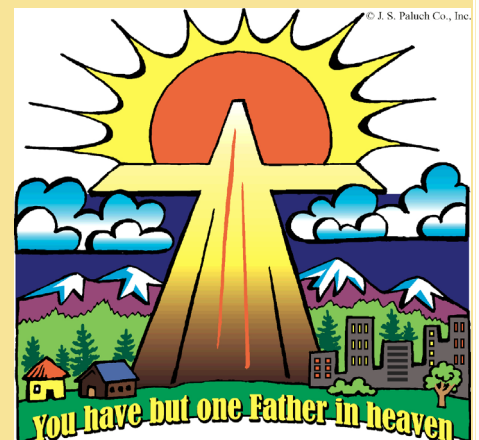
Every Wednesday from 1:30-3:30 PM.  
See bulletin for monthly Mass time.

### All Saints Food Pantry:

2nd Wednesday of the month - 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM.

**THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

**NOVEMBER 5, 2017**



Access to Parish Calendar of Events: <https://sites.google.com/site/allsaintsetna/>

**Weekly Collections**  
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**SUNDAY - OCTOBER 29, 2017 = \$ 3,663.81**

Offertory Envelopes - \$3,294.85	Loose Monies - \$358.71
Adult Envelopes Sent - 504	Envelopes Used - 186
Children's Envelopes - \$10.25	Envelopes Used - 9
Parish Share - \$569.00	Envelopes Used - 10

*Please remember All Saints Church in your will.*

**P** ARISH **S** HARE **P** ROGRAM

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<b>2017 GOAL:</b>	<b>\$ 51,422.00</b>
<b>COLLECTED TO DATE:</b>	<b>\$ 31,925.48</b>
<b>BALANCE:</b>	<b>\$ 19,496.52</b>

**Erasmus Ash Hamilton**, son of Douglas and Kelsie Hamilton, and **Lincoln Matthew Christian**, son of Matthew and Meghan Christian, received the sacrament of Baptism at All Saints Church on Sunday, October 29, 2017. Please welcome Erasmus Ash and Lincoln Matthew to our parish family.



**Baptism Preparation**

Baptisms take place on the second and fourth Sundays of the month immediately following the 10:00 AM Mass. Before a Baptism can be scheduled, registration and attendance at a Baptismal preparation class are required of all parents. We strongly suggest that you attend the class before your child is born. **The next class is scheduled for Thursday, November 9, 2017 at 7:00 PM in the rectory meeting room.** Please call 412-781-0530 to register.

**Seeking Volunteer Dentists and RNs**

Catholic Charities Free Health Care Center (CCFHCC) provides free medical, dental, and specialty health care to uninsured and underinsured adults without access to healthcare. CCFHCC is currently seeking volunteer dentists and RNs to provide services to clients. Flexible schedules, FTCA liability coverage and free parking/bus passes. Please contact Kathie at 412-456-6977 or [kmorro@ccpgh.org](mailto:kmorro@ccpgh.org).

**2017 Altar Flower Memorials**

These Altar Flower Memorial dates are available for 2017:

- 11/12 Sanctuary (2), St Joseph
- 11/19 Sanctuary (2), St Joseph
- 11/26 Blessed Virgin, St Joseph
- 12/3 Sanctuary (2), Blessed Virgin, St Joseph



Altar flower intention forms are in the church vestibule or you can call the rectory at 412-781-0530. **COST IS \$25.00.**

**Early Bulletin Article Deadline**

Because of the Thanksgiving holiday, bulletin articles **for the November 26th bulletin** are to be in the parish office by noon on **Wednesday, November 15th.**

**From the desk of the Administrator**

It's always interesting what people read and what they comprehend. For instance, last week, I basically wrote fake news in the bulletin. The "truthfulness" of the news started spreading the moment it was posted on the website last Wednesday. So, what lesson does this teach us? Well, maybe I need to not push the envelope in this column. Better still, maybe people should pay attention to the context in which things are spoken. That is THE ONLY THING that will help us successfully navigate *On Mission for the Church Alive!* ALWAYS check the facts. Got it?

Also in last weeks' bulletin was the annual Mass request sheet. That was true!

With the *On Mission for the Church Alive!* Planning Process, there needs to be some changes in how Mass intentions happen. The Bishop has announced that the new groupings will take effect on Monday, 15 October 2018. At that time, a new Mass schedule will be in effect for both weekdays and Sundays.

Take a moment to realize how the new grouping affects Mass intentions. Currently, among our six parishes, there are THIRTY-FIVE (35) weekday Masses and TWENTY-TWO (22) Sunday Masses that were celebrated at first by EIGHT (8) Priests, which has now been reduced to SIX (6) with the transfers of two Parochial Vicars from the grouping. When the end state comes, there are to be TWO (2) Priests officially assigned to the grouping. I believe because of UPMC-Passavant, there will more than likely be a Chaplain assigned to the grouping. THAT IS MY GUESS. A Priest is not to offer more than three Masses on Sunday. Now do the math. Presume the Chaplain is offering Mass at the Hospital maybe daily, and for sure on Sunday. Therefore he is only available maybe for one or two Sunday Masses. With the three Sunday Masses from the two assigned Priests, that's probably no more than EIGHT (8) Masses on Sundays. There will probably be at least ONE (1) weekday Mass. With the number of funerals for the grouping (which was 242 last year) as well as days off and vacations/retreats, the chance of more than one Mass daily is unlikely. So, we will go from FIFTY-SEVEN Masses to probably FOURTEEN! Because of that, we really can't guarantee a specific day for the intention you request and why we ask you to share the day's intention with another. I hope that makes sense.

See you in Church!

*Fr. Jim Dretz*



Robert Istenes, Cecilia Acres, Joseph D'Amico, Joseph Bursick, Judy Weismann, Lynn Delien, Barbara Volpe, Fred Michaels, Norma Hufnagel, Marge Reese, Elena Kime, Bernard Szewcow, Matthew Mika, Patricia White, Dave Marcoly, Thomas V. Rishel, Jason Fleishner, Bart Riley,

Carol Sees, Kathy Rishel, Ryan Woodrow, Ronald Molinero, David Hufnagel, Marie T. Schran, Ida Fowler, Father Garry Patriquin, Mildred Hoffman, Eileen Dougherty, Erin Schmitt, Joseph Wittman, Patricia Curriston, Jason Wolling, Emma Oresic, Mary Jo Sciuillo, Susan Killmeyer, Anthony Sciuillo, Maria Wolownik, Lisa Lindsey, Katherine Rodack, Kathy Cook, Jordan McCue, and all the sick of our parish. **Please note:** We ask the families who have requested prayers to please give us a call when your loved one is better so they can be removed from our list.



**BOX**

For some people, humility just comes naturally. They just want to do what needs to be done quickly and quietly and not be noticed. For others, it is not so easy. They just naturally want to be the center of attention. They want others to take notice of everything that they do. I'm sure that we all know people who fit into one or the other camp. The scripture message for us today is to be humble, and take refuge in the peace of the Lord. The fact of the matter is that we all have important work to do as part of the kingdom of God! No one job is more important than another in the body of Christ, as they are all necessary for the body to function as it ought. It is through humility that these tasks get done most effectively. If you are one of those who are generally humble, this will be easy to accomplish. If not, then it should be taken as a challenge to become more humble! Part of the refrain of our choir selection for this Sunday, "Many and One" by Steve Angrisano, puts well the need for us to work together in humility: "Together we are all his hands and his feet, bringing mercy and peace to this world. We are many and one."

Yours in ministry,  
Tom Rishel



**Practice What You Preach**

The Pharisees and the scribes are called to task in the Gospel today because of the void in their hearts.

They expect others to do as they say, often placing great burdens on them, while they themselves fail to live by the same expectations. As Christians, we seek to guard against falling into this same trap of hypocrisy. Our words should be consistent with our actions. If we say we love God above all it doesn't mean only when we're at church or when he's doing good things for us. If we say we love others it doesn't mean except for when they anger us or do us wrong. God's love is without condition and we strive to love unconditionally. *On Mission for The Church Alive!* seeks to expand our hearts to love all, whether it's convenient or not. Maybe we will be called upon to welcome others to a new spiritual home or maybe we will be the one seeking welcome. Let our actions not betray our words as we strive to be vibrant witnesses of the love of Jesus. Visit [onmissionchurchalive.org](http://onmissionchurchalive.org) to learn more and to stay informed.

**North Hills Community Outreach News**

**Employment help is available:** NHCO offers multiple programs aimed at helping people attain self-sufficiency, including employment help. Those seeking help with career counseling, updating a resume, job search techniques and more can contact Jackie Boggs at [jmboggs@nhco.org](mailto:jmboggs@nhco.org) or 412-408-3830 x3217.

**Donate your car to Community Auto:** Your unwanted running vehicle can help a low-income, working individual. Vehicles donated to Community Auto are repaired and sold at below-market value to local, working families who need them to get to work. Contact Community Auto at 724-443-8300 or [www.communityauto.org](http://www.communityauto.org). **FREE pickup and notary.**

**ALL SAINTS PARISH**  
**SHARING TREE**



All Saints Parish Sharing Tree is a tradition adopted as an Advent Program 31 years ago. The Sharing Tree holds many little "Angel" cards, each representing a person (adult or child) who may need to be reminded of the love and support of our parish family.

Please submit names by November of those who you know would accept an expression of Christ's Love through a Christmas gift from our Parish Family. May Christ, our Hope, continue to bless you.

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name                      Age                      Sex                      Gift Suggestion

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**Please make us aware of any special needs or items not usable due to health or living situations. Gift suggestions welcome.**



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## WEEKLY LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

### SUNDAY - November 5th Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) Anthony G Checchio, Jr  
(Sherry & Frank Rectenwald)  
8:00am - Thaddeus & Mary Bober (Family)  
10:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased

### MONDAY - November 6th Weekday

- 8:00am - Anne Johnston (Daughter)

### TUESDAY - November 7th Weekday

- 8:00am - Theresa Werner (Christian Mothers & Guild)  
*Novena after Mass*

### WEDNESDAY - November 8th Weekday

- 8:00am - Dr Leo Wirth (Paul Wirth & Family)

### THURSDAY - November 9th Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

- 8:00am - Michael Olejarz (All Saints Class of 1952)

### FRIDAY - November 10th St Leo the Great

- 8:00am - Rachel Kosko (Joe & Emma Jean Kraus)

### SATURDAY - November 11th St Martin of Tours

- 8:00am - Veterans - Living & Deceased (A Parishioner)

### SUNDAY - November 12th Thirty-second Sunday Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased  
8:00am - Leo Dembowski - Birth (Terry & Mike)  
10:00am - David Mikszan - Birth (Carol & Family)



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### 11/5/17 - "Rose For Life"

was donated in memory of  
Barbara Jones by her family.

### ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE WEEK OF 11/5/17

Saint Joseph vase was donated in memory of  
Alice O'Brien by her family.

### ***Right And Wrong***

*What is morally wrong can never be politically right.*

—Anthony Ashley Cooper


### ***Love Needed Here***

*No one needs love more than someone who doesn't deserve it.*

—Anonymous

## THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>11/5/17</b>	
Blood Drive	Act Bldg	8:00 AM-1:00 PM
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>11/6/17</b>	
The Promise Rehearsal	Act Bldg	4:30-8:30 PM
Men's Bible Study-Fr Jim	School	6:30-8:00 PM
Men's Club Mtg	Act Bldg	8:00 PM
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>11/7/17</b>	
Election Day Voting	Act Bldg.	7:00 AM-8:00 PM
Novena	Church	After 8:00 AM Mass
Church Cleaning	Church	9:00-10:00 AM
Youth Choir	School	4:45-5:45 PM
First Reconciliation Mtg	School	7:00-8:00 PM
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>11/8/17</b>	
Food Bank	School	11:00 AM-2:00 PM
Prayer Group	Church	1:30-3:30 PM
Fr Jim Bible Study	School Rm 6	6:30-8:00 PM
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>11/9/17</b>	
Baptism Class	Rec Mtg Rm	7:00 PM
Choir Practice	School	7:30-9:00 PM
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>11/10/17</b>	
The Promise Rehearsal	Act Bldg	4:30-8:30 PM
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>11/11/17</b>	



The month of November is a time for us to remember and pray for the dead. There is a **Memorial Book** for you to place the names of your departed family and friends. We are to remember them in our prayers and Masses during this month.

### **2018 Drama of the Cross**

The next organizational meeting for the 2018 Drama will take place on Sunday, November 12, 2017 at 3:00 PM at Emmanuel Lutheran Church. People are needed for all aspects of the production. All are welcome to come to the meeting.

### **New Fall Line-up for EWTN**

This fall, EWTN Global Catholic Network will premiere several new series, such as *The Masterpiece Donut Shop* and brand-new episodes of popular shows like *Catholics Come Home* and *Living Right with Dr Ray*. You will find your faith enriched and your enthusiasm for the Gospel message rekindled. For information go to [ewtn.com](http://ewtn.com).

### **Christmas Discernment Retreat**

How can you be equipped to boldly go where the Lord is calling you? College and post-college men, don't miss the **Christmas Discernment Retreat, December 15-17** at St Paul of the Cross Retreat Center. Come to deepen your relationship with Christ, seek to know your vocation, and learn more about discerning a vocation to the Priesthood. The weekend will include Mass, Adoration, conferences, opportunity for Confession and solid brotherhood. No Cost. Must be 18 or older. Visit [PGHPriest.com](http://PGHPriest.com) by December 8 to register.



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PLEASE CHECK ONE:

- New Registration       Change of Address       Moving out of Parish       Want Envelopes

Please drop Membership Form into the offertory basket or mail to the Rectory.