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Monday-Friday
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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.

**THIRTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

OCTOBER 29, 2017



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



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SUNDAY - OCTOBER 22, 2017 = \$ 3,801.20

Offertory Envelopes - \$3,390.75	Loose Monies - \$396.20
Adult Envelopes Sent - 504	Envelopes Used - 173
Children's Envelopes - \$14.25	Envelopes Used - 14
Parish Share - \$390.00	Envelopes Used - 7
World Missions - \$1,243.50	Envelopes Used 93

Please remember All Saints Church in your will.

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2017 GOAL:	\$ 51,422.00
COLLECTED TO DATE:	\$ 31,356.48
BALANCE:	\$ 20,065.52



The Greatest Commandment

In today's Gospel Jesus makes his command of love succinct: Love God with all your heart, mind and soul and love your neighbor as yourself. While succinct, this command is not always simple. Sure, it may not be hard for many to not kill and to keep holy the Sabbath, but how about getting frustrated with God or others, or fulfilling our needs before what God or others expect of us. It can be hard to set aside our desires or what's convenient for us, yet we must be willing to do what honors God and builds up our sisters and brothers, no matter the personal cost involved. As *On Mission for The Church Alive!* unfolds our normal time or place of worshipping God may change and be less convenient, and that will be hard for us. That doesn't mean, however, that we give up on God or neglect our family of faith. *On Mission* seeks to make our worship of God more vibrant and our opportunities to build up the Body of Christ more effective. Prepare now for the changes ahead so that you can be ready to participate in the life of the Church in new and exciting ways. Visit onmissionchurchalive.org to learn more and to stay informed.

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.

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.

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From the Desk of the Administrator

Last Sunday I was part of some excitement in another parish in the Diocese. I was grateful to Fr. Lutz for covering the Sunday Masses while I was off doing a "Worship Gig". Our neighbors to the north, St. Alexis Parish, dedicated a new church building. I have to say, that of everything my office does, the Dedication of a Church and Altar is the most spectacular. I always say it's a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity! Congratulations to our neighbors!

Of course a new building makes me think about the impact of the *On Mission for the Church Alive!* Planning Process. Let me share some thoughts with you.

At the recent Clergy Convocation, Bishop Zubik announced some important dates. I wasn't there due to my medical test. However, it was announced that the final groupings, the clergy assignments, the number of Sunday Masses, and participation in track A, B, or C, will be announced on 25 April 2018. It will all take effect on 15 October 2018. So, we are starting to "land this airplane".

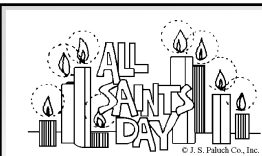
Because the current part of the planning process is all an internal Diocesan review there isn't much being shared at the moment that is newsworthy, other than the dates. Of course, the lack of information doesn't stop the "fake news" of the rumor mill from swinging into full gear.

Oh, the things one hears when there is no official news! ... "St. Nicholas is allowed to make all kinds of improvements to their property as the Bishop has ASSURED them that they WILL survive the process." ... "St. Ursula is definitely closing. That's because Fr. Adams got rid of their music director because he doesn't want music at any of his Masses. He's starting to cut down his staff." ... "St. Mary's has decided to pave over their cemetery so that they can have more parking when they become the area's mega parish." ... Really? I'm sure the Bishop is glad to know all these decisions have been made for him. It will make his job so much easier, won't it? Sigh.

There is one piece of news I will share with you that is true – Jesus Christ is in charge. Let us put our faith and trust in Him. He doesn't spread "fake news." He only proclaims the good news of the Kingdom. He will never, EVER let us down.

See you in Church – that is until we are closed and our Church property becomes a resort casino! At least that's what the Bishop said to me....

Fr. Jim Dretz



This coming Wednesday, November 1st, we celebrate our parish Feast Day—**ALL SAINTS DAY**. Masses will be at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM. Because it is a Holy Day of Obligation, Catholics are obliged to attend Mass. May all the Saints pray for us.



Eucharistic Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will begin after the 8:00 AM Mass on Friday, November 3rd. All day adoration with Benediction at 6:30 PM. Please try to attend and spend some time in prayer before our Lord.



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.

Please remember in your prayers the souls of :



**ALEXANDRA COOK
ROSE GOLDEN
EDWARD ALLEN**

May they rest in Christ's Peace.

St Vincent De Paul Collection

Your envelope packet contains a St Vincent De Paul envelope which can be used next weekend, November 4 & 5, at the second collection. Thank you for your continued support for the St Vincent De Paul Society of All Saints Parish.

2018 Mass Intentions

Today, there is a form in the bulletin for **Mass Intentions for 2018**. On Thursday, November 2nd, the Parish Office will begin accepting your intentions. Please take note: If you would like to schedule a 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary intention during 2018, you can call the Parish Office [this week](#).

BLOOD DRIVE, NOVEMBER 5, 8:00 AM - 100 PM, hosted by All Saints Ladies of Charity, in the Activities Building. All participating donors will be entered into a random drawing. One winner will receive a \$25 Max & Erma's Gift Card and the other winner will receive a \$25 Eat'n Park gift card. Call Terry Ward at 412-354-8846 or Karen Tomaszewski at 412-781-6417 to schedule an appointment. Walk-ins are welcome.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

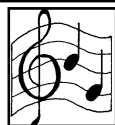
SUNDAY	10/29/17	
Anointing Mass	Church	12 Noon
MONDAY	10/30/17	
The Promise Rehearsal	Act Bldg	4:30-8:30 PM
Men's Bible Study-Fr Jim	School	6:30-8:00 PM
Folk Group Practice	School	7:30 PM
TUESDAY	10/31/17	
Novena	Church	After 8:00 AM Mass
Church Cleaning	Church	9:00 AM-10:00 AM
WEDNESDAY	11/1/17	
All Saints Day	Church	Mass 8:00 AM & 7:00 PM
Prayer Group	Church	1:30-3:30 PM
THURSDAY	11/2/17	
FRIDAY	11/3/17	
Exposition	Church	After 8:00 AM Mass
Evening Prayer	Church	6:30 PM
CM&G Mtg	Act Bldg	After Evening Prayer
The Promise Rehearsal	School	4:30-8:30 PM
SATURDAY	11/4/17	



**Turn Clocks
Back**

Christian Mothers & Guild Meeting

Christian Mothers & Guild monthly meeting will be on Friday, November 3rd beginning with Evening Prayer at 6:30 PM. Meeting will follow in the Activities Building. Hostesses for the meeting are Mary Agnes Smith and Ginny Hlawati.



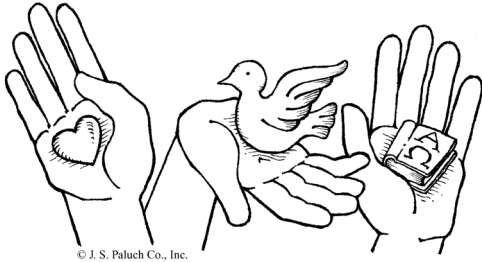
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This week, we begin the month of November, a month set aside by the Church to remember all the faithful departed. It begins with two back to back feasts. On

November 1st is our patron feast day, the Solemnity of All Saints, where we venerate those who have achieved their heavenly reward and we pray for their assistance to live our lives as they did, that we too may join them in heaven. Then, on November 2nd, we have the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed – commonly referred to as All Souls Day. On All Souls Day, we pray on behalf of all those who have died, especially the souls in purgatory, that they might quickly enter the kingdom of heaven. It is on this day that many parishes, including ours, celebrate a “Bereavement Mass” in which we remember all those of the parish who have passed in the last year. The Mass for All Souls Day has many of the same features, including readings and hymns, of the funeral Mass. Throughout the month of November, the Church prays with one voice: “Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and may perpetual light shine upon them.”

If you happen to be reading this prior to Sunday, members of our choir were privileged to once again sing at the WPXI-TV Mass for Shut-Ins that airs at 6AM on the 29th on PCNC and METv. We are honored to be able to again help with this valuable ministry to those in our diocese who cannot attend Mass.

Yours in ministry,
Tom Rishel



WEEKLY LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAY - October 29th Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 5:00pm - (Sat.) John & Cecelia Bursick (Family)
- 8:00am - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased
- 10:00am - Albert Munio (Glasso Family)
- 12:00pm - Anointing Mass

MONDAY - October 30th Weekday

- 8:00am - Brandon Smith (Robert J Smith)

TUESDAY - October 31st Weekday

- 8:00am - George & Vera Harris (Family)
- Novena after Mass*

WEDNESDAY - November 1st All Saints

- 8:00am - Tom Dougherty - Birth (Mary Ellen & Family)
- 7:00pm - For All Parishioners - Living & Deceased

THURSDAY - November 2nd All Soul's Day

- 8:00am - John Cavlovic (Ramage Family)
- 7:00pm - For All the Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY - November 3rd Weekday

- 8:00am - Barbara Jones (Family)
- All day Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
with Evening Prayer/Benediction at 6:30 PM*

SATURDAY - November 4th St Charles Borromeo

- 8:00am - James Jones - Anniv (Family)

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



10/29/17 - "Rose For Life"

was donated *In Thanksgiving*
for birthday of son, Philip by Fay Cristina.

ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE WEEK OF 10/29/17

Sanctuary vase was donated in memory of
Robert Kwas by his family.

Sanctuary vase was donated in memory of
Virginia Kwas (Anniv) by her family.

Blessed Virgin vase was donated in memory of
Charles Robinson (Birth) by Kathy and Mary Jane.

Saint Joseph vase was donated in memory of
Romualda Moe (Birth) by her family.

DECEASED OF ALL SAINTS PARISH

NOVEMBER 1, 2016 – OCTOBER 31, 2017

ANNETTE SCHEID	11/07/16
MARY NOVOSEL	10/12/16
ANNETTE BODNAR	12/01/16
ELIZABETH SCHULTZ	12/11/16
WINIFRED BAILEY	12/09/16
FRANCES GONCAR	12/14/16
PATRICIA DEDIG	12/14/16
KATHRYN GOGGINS	12/18/16
JOSEPH LUCAS	01/04/17
ELMER BERGER	01/09/17
JOHN YANZEK	01/09/17
MARIE STROMOSKI	01/10/17
MARIETTA HUBER	01/12/17
STEPHEN VUJEVICH	01/30/17
DOROTHY THEISS	02/05/17
SYLVIA FARMERIE	02/06/17
HOWARD SCHRAN	02/17/17
LOUISE WYZOMIRSKI	03/05/17
RICHARD WYZOMIRSKI	05/20/11
HELEN DOUGHERTY	03/19/17
ANNA KOHONOSKI	03/27/17
STEPHEN PUPICH	04/04/17
WILLIAM PIEKARSKI	03/29/17
FRANCIS HABERMAN	04/13/17
LAWRENCE SWICK	03/30/17
GARY SPRINGER	04/18/17
SAMUEL IRELAND, JR	04/18/17
PATRICIA MALLEY	04/22/17
WINIFRED PARKHILL	05/13/17
PATRICIA CRAIG	06/02/17
ALBINA "FRAN" STILZ	06/07/17
FRANK SAMBOLD	06/09/17
THERESA WERNER	06/15/17
VINCENT JONES	06/16/17
JAMES RODGERS	06/24/17
JEANETTE DERSTINE	06/28/17
ALICE SMOLKOVICH	07/10/17
JOSEPH RIHN	07/17/17
KAREN SHAFFER	08/11/17
GERTRUDE HUSING	08/17/17
ANTOINETTE PAYNE	09/01/17
OLGA ELTER	09/06/17
MAUREN HORSTMAN	10/05/17
SHIRLEY KASZUBA	10/08/17
EDWARD ORESIC	10/10/17
GEORGE PILSZAK, SR	10/14/17
ALEXANDRA COOK	10/17/17
ROSE GOLDEN	10/22/17
EDWARD ALLEN	10/24/17

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

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