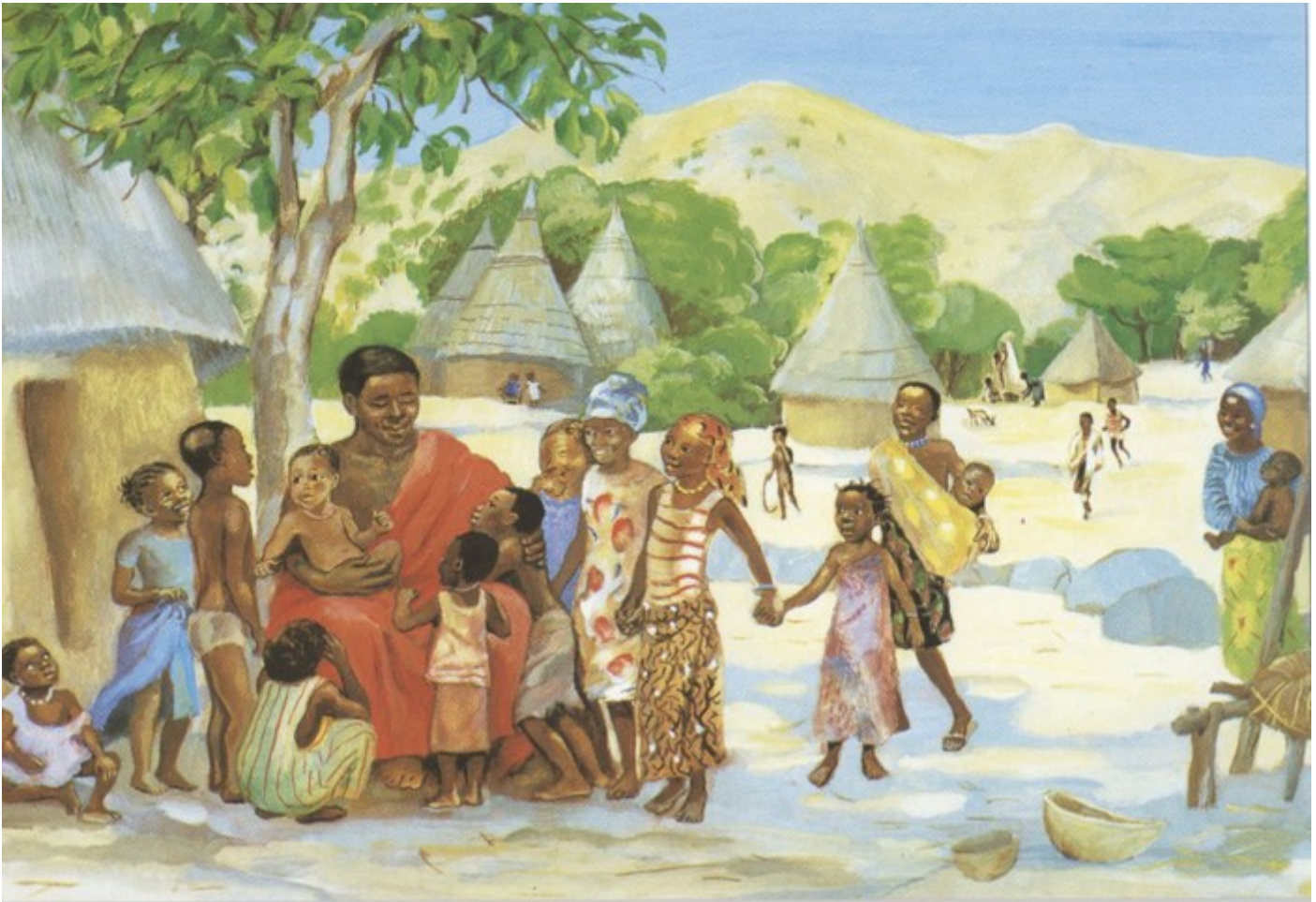




# ANNOUNCEMENTS

JULY 2, 2017

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER  
PENTECOST



## OUR MISSION

To be a church of Disciples Making Disciples for Jesus.

## OUR VISION

To be a church that Loves Like God Loves.

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# WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS'

Thank you for worshiping with us today. If this is your first visit or you are looking for a church home, a Greeter is available in the Welcome Center before and after worship services to provide information and a welcome gift.

## ALL SAINTS' CORE VALUES

- Being an active, inclusive community of faith;
- Worshiping God in the Episcopal tradition;
- Nurturing individuals to grow in Christ;
- Seeking and serving Jesus in unexpected places.

**INVITE**

**NURTURE**

**SERVE**

**GROW**

## PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S LITURGY

### 8:00 AM

**Chalice Bearer, Lector and Intercessor:** Roxanne Friday

### 9:00 AM

**Chalice Bearers:** Trevor Eppehimer and Chris Charest

**Lector & Intercessor:** Ericka Southworth

**Paten:** The Reverend Vern Cahoon

**Acolytes:** Lauren Spunich, Samantha Hornung, Jessica Dance & Treinity Haynes

**Greeters:** Jami Fischer and Betty Wiley

### 11:10 AM

**Chalice Bearers:** Jeff Clayton and Trevor Eppehimer

**Lector & Intercessor:** Mark Helms

**Paten:** The Reverend Vern Cahoon

**Acolytes:** Tommy Jones, Rebecca Jones and Jack Jones

**Greeters:** Donna Wilson, Remona Leon, and Willie Dillon

**Altar Guild:** Team 2 Juli Dwiggin

**Ushers:** Team 1



Flowers on the altar this Sunday are given by Henry & Betty Wiley to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving for the freedom we have in America and in honor of all the men and women that keep our country safe.

# PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Today at All Saints!

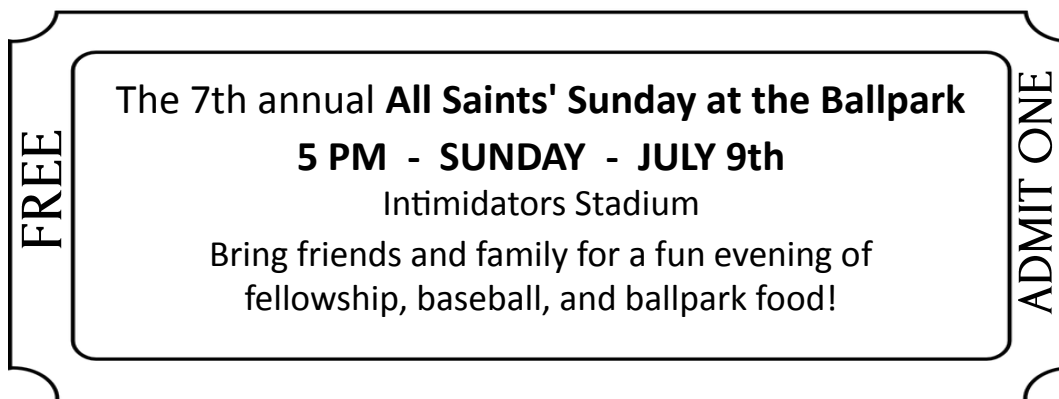
**Intergenerational Summer Sunday School (Abundant Life Garden Project ):** 10:00 AM  
(Gather in the Welcome Center)

**The Serenity Group:** 2:00 PM (Community Room)

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## The All Saints' Baseball Night

. . . has been rescheduled for July 9th due to the rain-out of our June game. We will meet at the Intimidators' Stadium Sunday, July 9th at 5 PM. If you have your tickets from June, **HOLD ON TO THEM!** They will be honored for our new date. If you did not keep them, or maybe didn't sign up for June but are now available, contact Mark Novasad or Debby Smith for tickets. **Don't miss it!**



## 10 AM Summer Sunday School - Abundant Life Garden Project

**Abundant Life Garden Project** is an interactive, Scripture-based children's program offered to all who seek to share the ministry and work of ERD with elementary school-aged students and their families. Each week the children will collect coins to support the work of ERD. The program is open to all interested parties aged 4 and up. If you would like to know about this project, please visit:



<http://www.episcopalrelief.org/church-in-action/christian-formation/>

**Episcopal Relief & Development (ERD)** is the compassionate response of The Episcopal Church to human suffering in the world. Hearing God's call to seek and serve Christ in all persons and to respect the dignity of every human being, ERD serves to bring together the generosity of Episcopalians and others with the needs of the world.

# MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Grits, Fellowship, and Nooma: Men's Breakfast

The Saturday men's group invites all the men of the parish to breakfast **Saturday, July 8th at 8 AM** in the Parish Hall. Please come and share eggs, sausage, grits, and fellowship with us.

You know what grits and fellowship are, but what the heck is Nooma. (No, it is not at all like livermush.) Nooma is a play on the Greek word for spirit, wind, or breath. Nooma films are a series of short, concise stories from everyday life with a uniquely Christian perspective. They are from the creative mind of pastor and author Rob Bell. He is an extraordinary communicator and gifted storyteller. The Nooma films are relatable, thought-provoking, and entertaining.



After breakfast we will view and discuss "Rain" from the Nooma series. Each Saturday meeting this summer will feature a different film from this series. Each Saturday's topic will be unique and "stand alone," so that you can attend as you are able. Summer bonus: there is no reading or book to buy.

Regardless of Nooma or no Nooma, please join us for breakfast on July 8th. Sign up in the Welcome Center or online or email Don Foskey at [donald.foskey@gmail.com](mailto:donald.foskey@gmail.com).  
*Thanks, Don*

**The Church Office will be Closed, Tuesday July 4th  
In Celebration of Independence Day!**



## Fundamentals of Prayer—A Summer Study Series

### Adult Christian Formation (Parish Hall)



Sunday	10 AM	16th July
Sunday	10 AM	23rd July
Thursday	1 PM	27th July
Sunday	10 AM	6th August
Sunday	10 AM	20th August
Thursday	1 PM	24th August

Coordinator: Chuck Collier ([cwcollierjr@gmail.com](mailto:cwcollierjr@gmail.com))

# MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

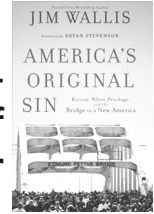
## *America's Original Sin:*

Racism, White Privilege, and the Bridge to a New America

**IT'S TIME FOR A NEW CONVERSATION & ACTION ON RACISM**

**7 pm Thursdays - through July 6th**

**America's problem with race has deep roots, with the country's foundation tied to the near extermination of one race of people and the enslavement of another. Racism is truly our nation's original sin.**



Contact: Chuck Collier at [cwcollierjr@gmail.com](mailto:cwcollierjr@gmail.com), for more information.

## **Ordination of The Reverend Samuel Rodman as XII Bishop Diocesan**



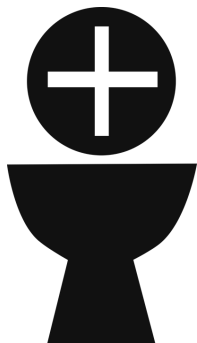
The Reverend Samuel Rodman, Bishop-Elect will be ordained and consecrated as the XII Bishop Diocesan of the Diocese of North Carolina at Duke Chapel in Durham, on Saturday, July 15, at 10:30 AM.

## **Vacation Bible School**



A hearty thank you the **volunteers** who made this year's Vacation Bible School a success. We had 25 children attending.

**Volunteers:** Fran Burkett & Amy Hine (Co-coordinators), Jazzmine Cox, Ericka Southworth, Pat Wydra, Garen Livingston, Brittany Childers, Kim Everhardt, Elizabeth Dial, Janet Hollipeter, Jerrod Smith, Nancy Foskey, Nancy James, Katie Adams, Lindsey Hine, Abby Matula, Julia Holdren, Josh Holdren, Tommy Jones, Rebecca Jones, Jack Jones, Lauren Spunich, Scarlet McConville, Sarah Cahoon, Mary Dial, Samantha Hornung, William Dillon, Gigi Guthrie, and Claire Sexton.

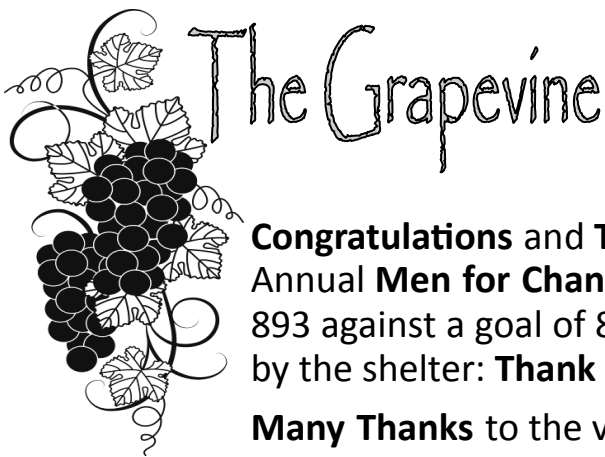


## **Assisted Living Center Services with Eucharist for July:**

**Brookdale South** 1:30 PM (2nd Sunday of the Month) 9th July

**Morningside** 2:00 PM (2nd Thursday of the Month) 13th July

Contact Deacon Vern ([vcagoon@allsaintsconcord.org](mailto:vcagoon@allsaintsconcord.org)) if you are interested in participating.



## Sharing the news of our community!

Have a grape for the vine? Contact church office at 704-782-2024  
or email [announcements@allsaintsconcord.org](mailto:announcements@allsaintsconcord.org)

**Congratulations and Thank You** to All Saints' for participating in CVAN's Annual **Men for Change Campaign**. The final number of contributors is 893 against a goal of 828. On behalf of the women and children served by the shelter: **Thank You!**

*Joe Hunter*

**Many Thanks** to the volunteers for the **Young Athletes** event held May 12th by the Head Start program, which includes the Lockhart Center:

Garen Livingston, Russ & Becky Hoyser, Len Witke, Joanne Vance, Janet Hollopeter, Scott Padgett, Kim Everhardt, Donna Wilson, Valerie & Jim Devine, Martin & Margaret Ericson, Pam Novasad, Michelle Malmquist, and Pat Wydra.

**Thank you all so much!**

*Debbie Lewallen*

We **Gratefully Welcome Home** our staff & youth from their week at Camp Nazareth. And **Thanks** to all for keeping them in your prayers. When asked for their favorite activity of the week, the students unanimously declared worship. Be sure to ask them what made it their favorite.

**Thanks** to **Andrea Klauss** who has donated her time and talents in taking the new **Vestry Pictures**. We look forward to seeing them throughout the year. **Many Thanks!**

*Vestry & Communications Team*

**Condolences and prayers** are extended to the family of **Christopher Collins**, father of **Edith Collins**, who entered into the resurrection on June 20th in London.

**Many thanks** to everyone who saved lives by donating blood during our most recent **Red Cross Blood Drive**. Because of your love and concern for people in need, as well as the gift of your time, we were able to offer 40 pints of blood to them, saving up to 120 lives. **Special thanks** to John Erickson, Henry Riley, and Sandra Biggerstaff for their help in coordinating the drive. **Thanks** very much to the Communications Team for your help promoting the drive.

*Bill Biggerstaff*

**Thank you** for the love, support, prayers and assistance that I have received from the family of All Saints' after my accident and especially, Kay Boland, Fran Burkett, and Amy Hine who jumped in and replaced me for Vacation Bible School and the Summer Sunday School. I am still recovering but hope to return very soon. **Thank you!**

*Tammy Matula*

**Condolences and prayers** are extended to the family and friends of **Esther Kroeker**, **Esther Hauber's** grandmother, who has recently entered into the resurrection.

## PRAYERS OF THE PARISH

*Prayer is the foundation of the ministry of this parish. Prayer requests & praise reports can be added or removed by going to the All Saints' website and clicking on Prayer Requests, or by calling the church office at 704-782-2024. You may choose to have your request sent to the Prayer Chain (a small group of faithful intercessors who pray daily for the requests) and/or to be included in the announcement bulletin. Please note that names will remain on the list for three weeks; unless otherwise requested.*

**We pray** for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Anne, our Bishop Pro Tem; Peter, our Assisting Bishop; and Samuel, our Bishop-Elect; our Rector, Nancy; our Deacon, Vern; our staff and Vestry, and for the people of All Saints' and their families.

**Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** Ogori-Magongo - (Lokoja, Nigeria) and Ohaji / Egbema - (Owerri, Nigeria)

**Diocesan Cycle:** Church of the Nativity, Raleigh; St. Ambrose, Raleigh; and St. Augustine's University Chapel, Raleigh

**Cycle of Prayer:** Stephen & Tammy Matula, Jeanne McCarthy, Betty McCrary, Mike & Pat McDonough, Barrington McFarlan & Lorraine Warren, Charles McKinley and their families.

**Prayers have been requested for:** Ben, Darryl, Rebecca, Sharon and Tammy

**In nursing homes or homebound:** Ben Burton, Uldrick Branford, Sarah MacRae, Hilda Marshall, Guy Neal, and James E. Swann, Jr.

**Living with ongoing special needs:** Annabelle, Bill, Bob and Brenda, Dalton, Dayna and Jason, Devyn, Ericka, Fred, George, Jean, Kendall, Lydia, Marjorie, Mary G., Michael, Mike, Paul, Rhonda, Stephanie, Yasmin and Maddox.

**Serving in the military:** Dean Fedrizzi, Jacob Rodgers, Nathan Rodgers, Becca Simpson, Bo Simpson, Jack Simpson, Justin Smith, and Jim Trollan.

**Our Stephen Ministers:** Don & Nancy Foskey, Mickey Hayes, Debbie Lewallen, Barbara Lewis, Garen Livingston, Charles Simmons, and Dorothy Teeter.

**Our College Students:** Emily Badgett, Chris Berg, Anna Catherine Carroll, Jazzmine Cox, Margaret Ericson, Eli Helms, Josh Holdren, Gabrielle Holloper, Sophia McFarlane, Will Moyes, Zach Moyes, Zara Noreen, LiDan Noreen, Nathan Shorter, Ryan Waters and Jameson Williams

**Discernment process:** For Jackie Whitfield as a postulant for Holy Orders: Almighty and eternal God, draw Jackie's heart to you; guide her mind, fill her imagination and control her will so that she may be wholly yours, utterly dedicated to you, and then use her, we pray, as you will, always to your glory and the welfare of your people; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Have you been receiving the *All Saints' Weekly Word* via email? If you have not but would like to, please email [admin@allsaintsconcord.org](mailto:admin@allsaintsconcord.org).  
If "Google Mail" is placing the Weekly Word in "Promotions," please email Brian at [bsapp@allsaintsconcord.org](mailto:bsapp@allsaintsconcord.org) for directions to resolve this issue.

# MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

## June Food Pantry Needs for the Cooperative Christian Ministry



Corn	Breakfast Items	Low Sodium Items
Sweet Peas	Other Canned Beans	Soup - Any Kind
Canned Fruit	Sugar Free Items	Paper Towels
Toilet Paper	Plastic Grocery Bags	

We appreciate and need any donation of food, cleaning or paper products, and health and beauty supplies. For your convenience a box is kept in the Welcome Center for donations.

## Hospice & Palliative Care of Cabarrus County:

Hospice is in need of the following items for their patients and families. Please place these items in the smaller of the two boxes in the Welcome Center:

Lysol Spray Cans	Unscented Baby Wipes
Bird Seed	Mesh Laundry bags - regular size (not lingerie size)

If you have any questions, please contact Becky Bahn at 704-906-8958.

## The Season after Pentecost, explained:

This season is centered on sanctification, the work of the Holy Spirit in the day to day life of the Christian. This is reflected in the liturgical color for this season: green, the color of life and growth. Through the gift of faith that comes only from the Holy Spirit working through the means of grace, Christians trust in Christ as Savior and proclaim Him in their daily lives by service to their neighbors.

The season after Pentecost is the longest season of the church year - it lasts from Trinity Sunday until the first Sunday of Advent. This is the non-festival portion of the liturgical calendar during which the church stresses vocation, evangelism, missions, stewardship, almsgiving, and other works of mercy and charity as ways in which Christ empowers us by His grace to share the Gospel with others.



# MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Welcome to Trevor Eppehimer

Please welcome our Intern, Dr. Trevor Eppehimer. He is in the process of discernment for ordination and will be here until January 2018.

Dr. Eppehimer currently teaches and serves as the Academic Dean at Hood Theological Seminary. Dr. Eppehimer lives in Salisbury where he attends St. Luke's Episcopal Church with his wife, Victoria Curran, and their two children, Grace and Nicholas.



## Prime Timers are visiting the Childress Winery in Lexington, NC on Friday, July 21st

Gather at the Church at 10:30 AM

There is a free tour that gives a history of the vineyards while walking around their facilities and learning about how the wines are made.

Lunch will be available at the Bistro Restaurant

Wine Tastings are available

For more information: contact Sue Gelarden at [suegelarden@gmail.com](mailto:suegelarden@gmail.com) or visit the website, <http://www.childressvineyards.com/>

## VESTRY PERSON OF THE MONTH FOR JULY: Chris Charest



I have been attending All Saints with my wife Carrie and two boys Will and Cooper since January of 2015. We have just recently welcomed our daughter Emma Grace.

I work at Culp Lumber Company as a procurement Forester and in my spare time I enjoy hunting and woodworking.

Since joining All Saints, I have been involved with the Building and Grounds and with the men's group. The men's group has provided great comradery while helping me grow in my faith and I encourage all men to join us.

## MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



### **News from the Vestry about the Lockhart Early Learning Center**



We are excited to announce a new partnership for the Lockhart Early Learning Center! At the meeting on June 20th, the Vestry of All Saints decided to partner with The Bilingual Preschool run by Spencer and Aurora Swain. The change was prompted by Cabarrus County Schools' Head Start program's loss of funding and inability to partner with us for the 2017-18 school year.

Church leaders committed to serving the vulnerable children in our community quickly looked at several options, selecting a partnership with Spencer and Aurora as the one most consistent with our vision.

When we were discerning how to move forward with preschool education here at All Saints'; the fruit of that work ultimately became Lockhart. Spencer and Aurora were on a similar path of discernment, seeking how to best serve children on the margins. In 2015 they opened the Bilingual Preschool. They also provide support services to the families of the children through their organization "Families First." Under "Families First," Spencer and Aurora provide a wide variety of support services to families, including literacy and English as a Second Language (ESL), parenting instruction through their "Parents as Teacher" program as well as nutrition and food preparation instruction. To learn more about their program please follow the link to their website: [www.familiesfirstcc.org/](http://www.familiesfirstcc.org/).



The vestry is very excited about the possibilities ahead of us with this new relationship. We hope that you are inspired as well. Please pray about how you could join this partnership as a tutor, parent mentor, volunteer, ESL instructor. As Frederick Buechner has observed "Ministry occurs at the point where the worlds deepest needs meet your deepest passion." What is yours and how will you serve? Hilary Smith, Senior Warden, wants to hear from you! Email her at [hilarysmith2017@gmail.com](mailto:hilarysmith2017@gmail.com).

## SUBMISSION DEADLINE

**Sunday Announcements** are due by **Monday Noon.**

Announcements received after that time may appear the following week.

Please address email to: **announcements@allsaintsconcord.org**

## VESTRY & STAFF

### VESTRY

**Hilary Smith** - Senior Warden, Finance

**Chris Charest** - Junior Warden,  
Stewardship

**Kay Boland** - Connect

**Fran Burkett** - Youth & Adult Christian  
Formation

**Willie B. Dillon** - Stewardship

**Don Foskey** - Outreach, Racial  
Reconciliation

**Sue Gelarden** - Pastoral Care, Connect

**Tommy Jones** - Physical Plant

**Tina Luckey** - Communications

**Charles McKinley** - Connect

**Bob Simpson** - Connect

**Amy Spunich** - IWC, Newcomers

### REPORTING TO THE VESTRY

**Gil Small**, Treasurer

**Kim Gordick**, Vestry Clerk

### OFFICE HOURS

M-F 9:00am - 5:00pm

### CLERGY

**The Reverend Nancy L.J. Cox**, Rector  
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**The Reverend Vern Cahoon**, Deacon  
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## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

**Keep the coffee coming!**

**Please fill an empty spot on the  
Sunday Coffee Hour Chart**

# ALL SAINTS' CALENDAR

JULY 2<sup>ND</sup> - JULY 9<sup>TH</sup>

Monday July 03	9:00 AM	Office is Open
Tuesday July 04		Office Closed for Celebration of Independence Day
	5:30 AM	F3 [Fitness, Fellowship, and Faith] - Outdoors
Wednesday July 05	12:00 PM	Holy Eucharist - Nave
	8:00 PM	Serenity Group - Community Room
Thursday July 06	5:30 AM	F3 [Fitness, Fellowship, and Faith] - Outdoors
	10:30 AM	Canterbury Way - Parlor
	5:30 PM	ASECF Meeting - Community Room
	7:00 PM	<i>America's Original Sin Book Study - Parish Hall (p 5)</i>
Friday July 07	8:00 PM	Serenity Group - Community Room
Saturday July 08	7:00 AM	F3 [Fitness, Fellowship, and Faith] - Outdoors
	8:00 AM	Men's Group Breakfast & Meeting - Parish Hall
Sunday July 09	8, 9, 11:10 AM	Worship Services
	10:00 AM	Inter-generational Summer Sunday School
		Abundant Life Garden Project - Welcome Center
	1:30 PM	Eucharist at Brookdale S - 1501 Zion Church Rd E
	2:00 PM	Serenity Group - Community Room
	5:00 PM	All Saints' Baseball Night - Intimidator's Stadium

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**August 26<sup>th</sup>**

**August 27<sup>th</sup>**

**September 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Tour de Saints  
Blessing of the  
Backpacks  
Rally Day**

