



ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOVEMBER 19TH 2017

THE TWENTY-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.

525 Lake Concord Rd NE ~ Concord, NC 28025
704-782-2024 ~ www.allsaintsconcord.org

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: Sue Gelarden

9:00 AM

Chalice Bearers: Frank Torrey and Fran Burkett

Lector & Intercessor: Carol Corbin

Paten: Reverend Vern Cahoon

Acolytes: Ryan Malone and Rachel Matula

Greeters: Brittany Childers

11:10 AM

Chalice Bearers: Dorothy Teeter and Jeff Clayton

Lector & Intercessor: Judith Small

Paten: Reverend Vern Cahoon

Acolytes: Ben Helms, Gabe Helms and Olivia Shorter

Greeters: Tom & Fannie Dillard

Altar Guild: Juli Dwiggin, Sheila Jones, Jeanne McCarthy, Pat McDonough, Pam Novasad, Ben Smith and Barbara Stavistky

Ushers: David Friday, Willie Dillon, Kim Everhardt, Andrea Holdren, Warren Hollopeter, Dick Lewis, Matt Shorter, John Teeter and Len Witke



The flowers on the altar are given by Alice & David Baxter to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for their children.

Today at All Saints'		
10:00 AM	Christian Education	
	Infant through Age 2: " <i>Bible Time</i> " 9 AM & 11:10 AM Services	Nursery
	Age 3 through Grade 3 <i>Catechesis of the Good Shepherd</i>	Atrium Rooms 106 & 108
	Grades 4 & 5: <i>Re:Form</i>	Room 103
	Middle School: <i>Making It Real & Relevant</i>	Community Room [Downstairs]
	High School: <i>NOOMA [Exploring the world from the perspective of Jesus]</i>	Youth Room [Downstairs]
	Adult: <i>Raising the Faith [Discussions for all involved in the raising of children]</i>	Room 104
	Adult: " <i>Nourishing Imagination at the Intersection of Science & Faith</i> " with Dr. Ian Binns	Parish Hall
2:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	
		Community Room [Downstairs]
	Healing Prayer	
3:30 PM	<i>"Journey into Healing" [the Order of St. Luke]</i>	Parlor
4:20 PM	<i>"The Prayer Cottage & the Sacred Garden" [Rocky Fleming]</i>	Parlor
4:30 PM	EYC: [Episcopal Youth Community]	
		Youth Room [Downstairs]
7:00 PM	Ecumenical Community Thanksgiving Worship	
		Calvary Lutheran Church

Remember the **Annual Thanksgiving Offering**
for the **Thompson Child and Family Focus**.

Donation envelopes can be found in your bulletin.



THOMPSON
Strengthening Children, Families & Communities

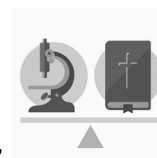
Please insert checks made payable to **Thompson Child and Family Focus** and mail directly to the address on the provided envelope.

Thompson was founded as an Episcopal orphanage in 1866 and currently is the premier provider of clinical and prevention services for children and families across the Carolinas. Annually, Thompson impacts thousands of children and families by providing clinical and behavioral treatment, developmental education and proactive care.

Nourishing Imagination at the Intersection of Science & Faith

with Dr. Ian Binns, at 10 AM, Sundays in the Parish Hall

TODAY is the last class in this series.



Come learn how science and faith answer different, but equally challenging, questions in our every day lives.

MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

DID YOU KNOW?

OVER 10,000 people attended **SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES** last year.

ECUMENICAL COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING WORSHIP

TODAY November 19th, at 7:00 PM
Calvary Lutheran Church, 950 Bradley St, Concord

Eight Area Churches will be participating:

All Saints' Episcopal
Calvary Lutheran
Central United Methodist

Epworth United Methodist
First Presbyterian
Forest Hill United Methodist

Mt. Hermon Lutheran
Saint James Lutheran

There will be a combined choir from the participating churches. You are invited to bring canned food for CCM, and an offering will be received to support this community ministry. A time of fellowship will follow the service in the fellowship hall. A nursery will be provided.



Join your neighbors for this special service of thanksgiving.

Tres Dias



Please keep in your prayers the attendees to the ongoing Tres Dias Men's Weekend November 16th - 19th. All Saints' parishioners on the Servant Team for Christ include David Friday & Dave Millar.



**Thank you to Tres Dias
for hosting coffee time today!**
**To learn more about this ministry,
please contact Dave Millar.**

MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Saints' Night Shelter Church Announcement



An opportunity for the members of All Saints' to volunteer and serve at the Night Shelter is coming up! Our week to serve those in need is Sunday, November 25th through Saturday, December 2nd. It is a wonderful opportunity to help those less fortunate than ourselves, especially as we enter the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons. There are opportunities to help by providing a meal, by serving and also by assisting with guest intake.

The sign-up sheet, with information on volunteer duties, is posted on the bulletin board in the Welcome Center. Please call Jim Williams at 704-534-5362 if you are interested in helping this very worthy cause. He can provide more information and answer any questions.

If you're interested in just "shadowing" to see if this is something you might want to do in the future, then let Jim know, and he will gladly help set that up for you.

Thank you in advance for your support!

Online Giving

Go to <http://www.allsaintsconcord.org/online-giving/>
or go the Church Life app to make your donation

Text Giving

- To give to the General Fund, text SAINTS to 73256
- To give to the Assistance Fund, text SAINTS ASSISTANCE to 73256
- To give to the Memorial Fund, text SAINTS MEMORIAL to 73256

Greeters Needed



Greeters are needed for the 9 AM & 11:10 AM services, as well as substitutes. Join us in welcoming parishioners and newcomers one Sunday a month. This ministry is open to all.

For more information please contact Ericka Southworth at evsouthworth@live.com.

The Church Office will close for Thanksgiving following the Wednesday Noonday Service, November 22nd and will reopen at 9 AM on Monday, November 27th.

MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bishop Anne Hodges-Copple

6:30 PM Wednesday, November 29th
Christ Church Charlotte, All Saints' Hall

Putting on the "Armor of Light" in a Season of Darkness

As days shorten and nights lengthen, it may seem that a different kind of darkness casts its shadows upon our hopes and dreams. Holiday plans anticipate celebrations with loved ones, but daily headlines elicit anxiety and fear about the future well-being of the people and creation entrusted to our mutual care.

In the Christian calendar, the liturgical season of Advent gives us a welcome opportunity to examine the relationship between our confidence in the transcendent power of God's reconciling love and the uncertainties and hostilities causing division and dissension among neighbors near and far.

On Wednesday, November 29, our Bishop Suffragan, The Right Reverend Anne E. Hodges-Copple, invites you to join her for a presentation and conversation about what it might look like to be peacemakers, healers and agents of reconciliation in our own homes and local communities in ways that might change lives and even change the world.

Christ Church, Charlotte, will host this event; all are welcome to attend. The evening will begin at 6:30 PM with a brief Evening Prayer and then dinner. Afterward, Bishop Hodges-Copple will share a "state of the church" address summarizing our journey thus far, from Galilee to the Jesus Movement to Becoming the Beloved Community. This will be followed by table discussions for reflection. The evening will conclude by 8:00 PM.

Register for dinner (\$9/adult, \$8/senior, \$6/child ages 4-12) at www.christchurchcharlotte.org/article/bishops-to-visit-in-november/ or contact: Sarah Hollar at sarah.hollar@stmarksnc.org for more information.



Sunday December 3rd **10 AM in the Parish Hall**

Please bring greens and clippers if you have any.
All other materials will be provided.

Come **ONE and ALL** to the Parish-wide
Advent Wreath Making EVENT!

All Christian Formation will take place in the Parish Hall.



The Grapevine

Sharing the news of our community!

Have a grape for the vine? Contact church office at 704-782-2024 or email announcements@allsaintsconcord.org.

Please congratulate **Lucas Ross John**, son of **Drew and Jana John**, upon his baptism. **Welcome** to the family of **God**, Lucas!

Congratulations to Tiffany Fulton, an English teacher at A.L. Brown High School, who was named Hilbish Ford **Teacher of the Month**. We are proud of her!

Many thanks to all who worked to make the **RAIN benefit dinner** a great success. Not only was **OneVoice** an amazing and entertaining chorus, and **Susan Yelton** cooked another delicious meal, but, best of all, we will be able to send **\$2,608.59** to RAIN as part of All Saints' outreach!

Top 5 Reasons for Why I Sit in the THIRD ROW in Church According to Jane Lyle

5. I can hear so much better.
4. I can see what is going on at the altar.
3. I'm not distracted by the noise in the back.
2. I am right at the communion table.
1. Jerrod is in the front, where he is an inspiration to me.



The Annual All Saints' Gift Exchange

The annual All Saints' Tacky Gift Exchange will be held on Friday, December 8th, at 7 PM in the Welcome Center. This event is open to all adults of the parish. Please join us for this very hilarious event! Just bring your favorite hors d'oeuvres and one wrapped TACKY gift per person. You leave with an empty dish, a smile on your face, and another TACKY gift.



Please make your reservation by putting a check for \$3 per person (made out to Michelle Malmquist) in the wrapped Christmas box that can be found on the coffee bar.

For additional information, please contact Michelle or Brian Malmquist at 540-327-4219 or su04grad@yahoo.com.

Have you been receiving the *All Saints' Weekly Word* via email? If you have not but would like to, please email admin@allsaintsconcord.org.

If "Google Mail" is placing the Weekly Word in "Promotions," please email Brian at bsapp@allsaintsconcord.org for directions to resolve this issue.

MORE PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cabarrus Partnership for Children is hosting an event:

Parkas & Pints

Friday, December 8th from 5 to 9 PM

Cabarrus Brewing Company - 329 McGill Ave NW, Concord, NC

Join us for Parkas & Pints, an annual event benefiting the Cabarrus Partnership for Children's Cuddle Up Coat Drive! Each year, this coat drive provides warm coats, gloves and other winter clothing items to over 500 children in Cabarrus County. Parkas & Pints will include a children's coat drive, raffle prizes, door prizes and more.

11th Annual Cuddle Up Coat Drive

Please bring in new or very gently loved children's coats [sizes 12 months up to size 10]. Preschool-sized gloves and hats, new packages of preschool-sized socks and underwear, Kohl's Cash, gift cards and monetary donations are also accepted. There is a collection bin in the Welcome Center.



Wednesday, November 29th

5:30 PM in the Parish Hall

Dinner includes Marinara or Meat Sauce, Garlic Bread, Salad, Dessert & Beverages

Gluten Free & TAKE OUT Available

Mission Trip - Donations Gratefully Accepted



The next **OWLs Lunch** with the clergy will be on **Thursday, December 7th**, at Noon in the Parish Hall.

In lieu of a meeting in November, please do make plans to attend the Youth Spaghetti Dinner on Wednesday, November 29th, starting at 5:30 PM.



Mark Your Calendar for the New Stephen Ministry Class !!

All Saints Stephen Ministry has been an active resource in our congregation, as well as in the community, helping those who are in need of healing of hurts, pains and life's issues. Mark your calendar for the **new training class** for Stephen Ministers which will begin **Sunday, January 7, 2018.**

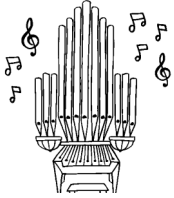


COMMUNITY & PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

“Organ at Davidson”

Monday, December 11th at 7:30 PM

Davidson College Presbyterian Church, 100 N. Main St. in Davidson.



All programs are on Monday nights and are free (with donations encouraged), followed by a Friends of the Organ meet-the-artist reception immediately after the performance.

December 11th’s program features Michael Lehtinen of Charlotte performing a Christmas organ program.

Contact: Jane Cain, Director of Music, Davidson College Presbyterian Church at 704-892-5641 or jcain@dcpc.org or visit www.dcpc.org/organ.

Current Food Pantry Requests for November

Soup - Any Kind

Spaghetti (1 pound)

Low Sodium Items

Canned Fruit

Sweet Peas

Corn

Sugar Free Items

Canned Beans-Any Kind

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

Women’s Advent Quiet Morning

Come join us as we prepare our hearts for the coming of the Messiah.

“Listen, do not fear!”

Facilitator: Elizabeth Richardson

Saturday, December 2nd at Calvary Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall

Coffee/registration at 8:30 AM Program: 9:00 AM-12:30 PM

Contact Lynda Waller to register at lwaller7982@gmail.com



St. Nicholas Day Celebration

Saturday, December 2nd

5 PM, in the Parish Hall

Join us for a fun-filled family evening, including dinner, games, crafts and songs.

All are Welcome!

Please RSVP in the welcome center or at allsaintsconcord.org/st-nicholas.

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

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 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

CLERGY

The Reverend Nancy L.J. Cox, Rector
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VESTRY PERSON OF THE MONTH FOR OCTOBER DON FOSKEY



"My name is Don Foskey. After retiring, my wife Nancy and I moved to Concord three years ago to be near our family. Our relocation, after 40 years in Atlanta, was difficult at first. But soon All Saints' welcomed us into an inclusive, loving community of Christ. Since joining All Saints' I have become a Stephen Minister. I am trying to strengthen my faith through Education for Ministry and Men's Group. Having been welcomed into this community, I want to welcome others.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

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

Announcements received after that time may appear the following week. Please address email to **announcements@allsaintsconcord.org.**

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 our Presiding Bishop, Michael; our Bishop, Samuel; our Suffragan Bishop Anne; our Assisting Bishop, Peter; our Rector, Nancy; our Deacon, Vern; our staff and Vestry; and for the people of All Saints' and their families.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Uyo - (Niger Delta, Nigeria)

Diocesan Cycle: Episcopal Campus Ministry - Raleigh and Greensboro Colleges and Universities / St. Mary's House

Cycle of Prayer: John & Carol Cline, Chuck & Pam Collier, Chris & Jennifer Cook, Charlie & Heidi Copeland, Ken & Donna Copeland, Carol Corbin, and their families

Prayers have been requested for: Anne, Bill, Cameron, Clement, Conchita, Elena, Erica, Eternity, Frank, Ginger, Jeff, Kevin, Mary Margarite, Mickey, Michelle, Rebecca, Salve, Stephanie, Tammy, Tori and Tom.

In nursing homes or homebound: Jane Armitage, Uldrick Branford, Ben Burton, Sarah MacRae, Hilda Marshall, Bill Speer, James E. Swann, Jr. and Alene Williams

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, Keith Lee, Jacob Rodgers, Nathan Rodgers, Matt Shorter, 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 Hollopeter, Celeste McFarlane, Sophia McFarlane, Will Moyes, Zach Moyes, Zara Noreen, LiDan Noreen, Nathan Shorter, Ryan Waters, Jameson Williams and Sydney Wydra

Discernment process: For Jackie Whitfield, candidate for Holy Orders, and Trevor Epehimer, our intern: Almighty and eternal God, draw their hearts to you; guide their minds, fill their imagination and control their will so that they may be wholly yours, utterly dedicated to you, and then use them, we pray, as you will, always to your glory and the welfare of your people; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ALL SAINTS' CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 20TH - NOVEMBER 26TH

Monday November 20	6:00 PM	EfM [Education for Ministry]	Community Room
Tuesday November 21	5:30 AM	F3 [Men's Fitness-Fellowship-Faith]	Outdoors
	1:00 PM	Staff Meeting	Workroom
	5:30 PM	St. Nicholas Choir [Grades 1-3]	Room 102
	6:00 PM	Junior Choir of All Saints [Grades 4-6]	Room 102
Wednesday November 22	12:00 PM	Holy Eucharist	Nave
	1:00 PM	Office closes for Thanksgiving.	
	8:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room
Thursday November 23	THANKSGIVING DAY		
	Office is closed for Thanksgiving.		
Friday November 24	Office is closed for Thanksgiving.		
	8:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room
Saturday November 25	7:00 AM	F3 [Men's Fitness-Fellowship-Faith]	Outdoors
	8:00 AM	Men's Group	Welcome Center
Sunday November 26	8, 9, & 11:10 AM	Worship Services	
	10:00 AM	Christian Education	
	following the 11:10 AM Service	The Social Saints Go to Lunch	Gather in the Welcome Center
	2:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room
	3:30 PM	Healing Prayer: "Journey into Healing" by the Order of St. Luke	Parlor
	4:20 PM	Healing Prayer: "The Prayer Cottage and the Sacred Garden"	Parlor
	4:30 PM	EYC [Episcopal Youth Community]	Youth Room
	6:30 PM	Night Shelter [Center for Hope]	Concord

UPCOMING EVENTS

November 29TH
December 2ND
December 3RD

Youth-Sponsored Spaghetti Dinner
St. Nicholas Day Celebration
Advent Wreath Making