

ANNOUNCEMENTS APRIL 22ND 2018



OUR MISSION

TO BE A CHURCH OF DISCIPLES MAKING DISCIPLES FOR JESUS. **OUR VISION**

TO BE A CHURCH THAT LOVES LIKE GOD LOVES.

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS'

Thank you for worshiping with us today. If this is your first visit or if 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 & Intercessor: Sue Gelarden

9:00 AM

Chalice Bearers: Fred Weber & Chris Charest

Lector & Intercessor: Nancy Hunter **Paten:** The Reverend Vern Cahoon

Acolytes: Clair Sexton and Amelia Sexton

Greeters: David & Alice Baxter

11:10 AM

Chalice Bearers: Willie Dillon and Elizabeth Solomon

Lector & Intercessor: Michelle Malmquist

Paten: The Reverend Vern Cahoon

Acolytes: Reggie Miller and Devyn Miller

Greeters: Matthew & Amy Shorter

Altar Guild: Jill Trull, Pat Black, Carol Cline, Bill Harris, Kay Nixon,

Betty Wiley and Joan Williamson

Ushers: **Tom Dillard**, Bob Black, John Cline, Ragan Kearns,

Clement Ramdin and Fred Trull



Flowers on the altar are given by Kevin & Suzy Riley to the Glory of God and in memory of Norman & Barbara Riley.

Today at All Saints'					
8:00 AM	Labyrinth Prayer Walk open until 9:00 AM	Parish Hall			
10:00 AM	Labyrinth Prayer Walk open until 1:30 PM	Parish Hall			
10:00 AM	Christian Education				
	Infant through Age 2: "Bible Time" 9 AM & 11:10 AM Services	Nursery			
	Age 3 through Grade 3: Catechesis of the Good Shepherd	Atrium Rooms 106 & 108			
Grades 4 & 5: Re:Form		Room 103			
	Middle School: Making It Real & Relevant	Community Room [Downstairs]			
	High School: NOOMA [Exploring the world from the	Youth Room			
	perspective of Jesus]	[Downstairs]			
	Adult: Raising the Faith [Discussions for all involved in the raising of children]	Room 104			
	Adult: Stewardship Bible Study [Gospel of Luke]	Parlor			
following tl 11:10 Serv	Social Saints (30 to Hinch	Gather in the Welcome Center			
2:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room [Downstairs]			
2:00 PM	Healing Prayer	Parlor			
4:30 PM	EYC: [Episcopal Youth Community]	Youth Room [Downstairs]			
4:30 PM	Labyrinth Prayer Walk open until 6:30 PM	Parish Hall			

Stewardship Bible Study Sundays 10 AM

Sue Gelarden will facilitate a Stewardship Bible Study Christian Education hour through May 6th. The Gospel of Luke will be the text.

"For more information please contact Sue Gelarden at 704-933-5683 or gelardensue@gmail.com.



The Social Saints 4th Sunday Lunch: It's Today!

All are invited to join the Social Saints for their monthly lunch.

Everyone gathers in the Welcome Center

following the 11:10 AM service.

For more information contact:
Michelle Malmquist, su04grad@yahoo.com 540-327-4219

Online Giving

Go to http://www.allsaintsconcord.org/online-giving/ or go to 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
- To give to the Capital Campaign, text SAINTS CAPITALCAMPAIGN to 73256



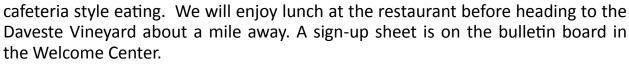
Go Bowling with the "Social Saints" Saturday, April 28th, at 6:45 PM Foxfire Lanes, Kannapolis

The Social Saints are going bowling at Foxfire Lanes on Saturday, April 28th, at 6:45 pm. The address is 225 Security Street, Kannapolis.

If interested in attending, please contact Michelle Malmquist, su04grad@yahoo.com 540-327-4219 or Jennifer Cook, jesmith0712@gmail.com 704-796-0129.

PRIMETIMERS THURSDAY, MAY 10th Daveste Vineyard and Julia's Talley House Restaurant

The Talley House Restaurant is a local favorite in Troutman, NC. The restaurant has been featured in Our State magazine. Known for their fried chicken, family and





The Daveste Vineyard was the first winery in Iredell County. We will take a tour of the vineyard and winery, complete with a wine tasting and souvenir glass if you choose. It will cost \$8. Beer tasting is also available.

Meet at the church at 11:30 am to carpool.

For more information please contact Sue Gelarden at 704-933-5683 or gelardensue@gmail.com

TREE OF SEASONS



The Tree of Seasons is taken from Ecclesiastes 3:1-8. It is a special white tree covered in White Doves and represents seasons in our spiritual life. We are now in a season of giving for reducing our church debt. As the body of Christ, once we are out from under this responsibility and burden we can offer so much more to our community. Part of our meeting this task is asking the Lord how we are to do this. God will show us how, if we ask.

The 3-D doves are a visual representation of personal prayers, praises, needs, desires and concerns that we are giving to Jesus. We have the personal relationship with Christ to do this, and He is waiting to receive them.

This beautiful tree will be displayed in the Welcome Center through May. There are doves and supplies for your use. Enjoy some meditative art time as you create a visual representation of YOUR particular prayer or praise as we all discern God's will in our response to the Capital Campaign.

PRAYER LABYRINTH

"A labyrinth is an ancient symbol that relates to wholeness. It combines the imagery of the circle and the spiral into a meandering but purposeful path. The Labyrinth represents a journey to our own center and back again out into the world. Labyrinths have long been used as meditation and prayer tools."



We have borrowed a prayer labyrinth for our use at All Saints' during the week of April 16th through April 22nd. It will be set up in the Parish Hall for anyone who would like to use it for prayer and meditation during this time. It is hoped that parishioners might consider using the Labyrinth as they contemplate their response to our capital campaign.

The Prayer Labyrinth will be open for parishioners to walk and pray.

Sunday, April 22nd 8 to 9 AM & 10 AM to 1:30 PM

There will be written instructions for use at the Labyrinth. Please wear socks.

SUPPER CLUB GROUP

(Formally Foyer Group)
This is <u>the</u> way to meet people!!!!!

Simply sharing a meal together.

No books to read, no bible study, no work.

Sign up and you will be assigned to a group.

Your group will decide what and when to do something together.

There are NO rules & it is fun!!

And it is a great way to enjoy and get to know new people!! Contact Sue Gelarden at 704-933-5683 or gelardensue@gmail.com





Racial Awareness Training RISE! (Race: An In-depth Spiritual Examination)

May 11-12, 2018; 8:30am to 5:15pm Fee for this 2 day workshop is \$130 All Saints' Episcopal Church, 525 Lake Concord Rd. NE

Intended to equip and empower our faith leaders, faith communities, and faith-based organizations to be at the forefront of challenging and combating systemic racism, the RISE! Workshop is a two-day (16-hour) workshop, which examines racism through a spiritual lens, highlighting both its historical roots and its current manifestations within religious institutions and faith practices. Topics covered include:

- a) Implicit bias and its impact on daily behaviors and decision-making
- b) The history of race in the US and its implications today
- c) Differentiation of individual actions versus systemic racism
- d) The intersection of race and poverty

For more information contact: racialequitycabarrus@gmail.com or to register & pay online please visit: racialequitycabarrus.org. Fee is \$130

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH "GRAPES FOR SAINTS" OUTREACH EVENT BENEFITING LOCAL CHARITIES

Featuring
A full course dinner,
Tutored wine tasting,
Silent auction,
Etched All Saints' wine glass &
Door prizes

Saturday, May 5th

6:30 PM Silent auction preview
7:00 PM Dinner and wine tasting
\$38/person;
\$275/8-top table;
\$25 per designated driver

To purchase tickets, visit All Saints' on Sundays after the 9:00 and 11:10 AM services, or contact Andrea Holdren at 980-521-5276. Cash, checks or credit cards accepted.

A few of our Silent Auction Items:



- A gourmet dinner for eight people
- Beautiful jewelry
- Handyman Maintenance Services
- Airplane Ride

Please consider donating an item(s) to our silent auction. To make a donation, contact Catherine Ackiss at 704-795-3552.

DID YOU KNOW?

All Saints' hosts **Red Cross Blood Drives** every other month.

Last year nearly **100 pints** of blood was donated to the critically ill patients in the Charlotte area.



Sharing the news of our community!

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

We offer our **condolences and prayers** to the family & friends of **Dolores Rebecca (McKinley) Strock**, grandmother of **Michelle Malmquist**, who entered into the Resurrection on April 3rd.

We join in **thanksgiving & celebration** of the **20th Wedding Anniversary** of **Richard and Kristin Hornung**, April 4th.

We **thank Len Witke** for his years of service heading the **Building & Grounds** Ministry. We **welcome** and **thank John Erickson** and **Ben Smith** for volunteering to replace him.

To my All Saints' Family: Your prayers, love and support have sustained me for over 30 years and most especially during the past four years as I discerned a call to the diaconate. All of you are invited to attend my **ordination on Saturday, May 5th** in Greensboro. If you cannot attend please encircle the time and place in prayer.

In Christ, *Jackie Whitfield*



By the Grace of God and with the consent of the people The Right Reverend Samuel S. Rodman Bishop of North Carolina will ordain

Jean Monroe Porter Riggin

Jacqueline Rutledge Jones Whitfield

To the Sacred Order of Deacons in Christ's One Holy Catholic & Apostolic Church, Saturday, the 5th of May 2018 at 11:00 AM

The Right Reverend Anne E. Hodges-Copple Bishop Suffragan, will celebrate.

Phillips Chapel at Canterbury 5400 Old Lake Jeanette Road Greensboro, North Carolina

Your prayers and presence are requested.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS



CVAN's Annual Men for Change Campaign has begun.

Men & Men's Groups who contribute \$100 or more are listed in newspaper ads on Father's Day, June 17th. Anyone can give in honor or memory of a man. Please make checks payable to All Saints' and write "Men for Change" in the memo line. Please make your contribution before by Sunday, May 27th.

For more information or to donate online please visit www.cvan.org/MenForChange.aspx or contact Joe Hunter at jchunter40@aol.com

I Love My City

Friday, April 27th - Sunday, April 29th, 2018



This county-wide initiative focuses on projects in Concord, Harrisburg, Kannapolis, Midland and Mount Pleasant. Churches, businesses, community groups, families, individuals and local government will rally together to make a positive impact on our neighbors through local service projects and by serving each other.

For information about All Saints' participation in this event, please contact Don Foskey at donald.foskey@gmail.com.

Current Food Pantry Requests for CCM

Soup (Any Kind) Instant Potatoes Low Sodium Items
Canned Fruit Spaghetti (1 lb. box) Paper Towels

Toilet Paper Sugar Free Items Canned tomatoes/tomato sauce



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.



Save the Date! CCM's 2018 CelebrateHOPE Dinner and CCM/SHOE SHOW Golf Classic

2018 CelebrateHOPE Dinner, **Monday, October 1st** at the Great Wolf Lodge CCM/SHOE SHOW Golf Classic, **Tuesday, October 2nd** at The Club at Irish Creek for a day of golf.

For more information or to register, visit cooperativeministry.com/get-involved/celebrate-hope.

VESTRY & STAFF

VESTRY

Chris Charest Senior Warden/Finance
Charles McKinley Junior Warden/Parish Life
Fran Burkett Children/Youth Christian
Formation

Willie B. Dillon Outreach
Don Foskey Outreach
Sue Gelarden Pastoral Care/Seniors
Nancy Hunter Parish Life
Drew John Newcomers (Invite, Welcome, Connect)

Tommy Jones Building & Grounds
Mike McDonough Communications
Karen Rupp-Urbanski Stewardship
Dick Whitfield Adult Christian Formation

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 ncox@allsaintsconcord.org
The Reverend Vern Cahoon Deacon vcahoon@allsaintsconcord.org

STAFF

Brian Sapp-Moore, MM Director of Music/ Organist, Coordinator of Communications bsapp@allsaintsconcord.org

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Tina Luckey Interim Administrative Assistant adminassist@allsaintsconcord.org

VESTRY PERSON OF THE MONTH FOR APRIL 2018 CHARLES MCKINLEY



My name is Charles McKinley, and I am your Junior Warden this year. I grew up in the Presbyterian children's home in rural Barium Springs, NC, where I received a solid background in the Bible and reformed theology (as well as in picking peaches and apples and tending beehives in our orchard). I sang in the children's choir and later, as a teenager, in the chancel choir. Unlike many college students, I never took a very long break from my faith or from church attendance. While at Davidson College, in addition to attending the college Presbyterian church, I visited St. Alban's Episcopal Church in Davidson — my first experience with a liturgical service.

I feel blessed to be a part of the world-wide Episcopal communion, now, here at All Saints'. It is a great privilege to serve on the vestry during this exciting time in our parish.

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 "Get Involved," then "Prayer," and look for "Prayer Chain" 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 Rector, Nancy; our Deacon, Vern; our staff and Vestry; and for the people of All Saints' and their families.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Nippon Sei Ko Kai (The Anglican Communion in Japan)

Diocesan Cycle: St. Mark's, Halifax and All Saints', Hamlet

Cycle of Prayer: Elizabeth Solomon, Ericka Southworth, Jane Spangler, Betty Speer, Winborne Springs, Amy & Mike Spunich, Barbara Stivitsky, Barbara Home-Stead and their families.

Prayers have been requested for: Clement, Eternity, Gilbert, Grace, Mickey and Steve

In nursing homes or homebound: Jane Armitage, Uldrick Branford, Ben Burton, Hilda Marshall 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, Keith Lee, Jacob Rodgers, Nathan Rodgers, Matt Shorter, Becca Simpson, Bo Simpson, Jack Simpson, Justin Smith and Jim Trollan

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

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, Lidan Noreen, Nathan Shorter, Ryan Waters, Jameson Williams and Sydney Wydra

Discernment process: For Jackie Whitfield, as she prepares for ordination to Holy Orders of the Diaconate in Christ's One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church on Saturday May 5: Almighty and eternal God, draw her 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.

The Capital Campaign: Holy God, we thank you for our church home and family. Bless those who offer sacrifices of time, prayer and financial giving in support of our Capital Campaign. Guide our consideration of how we may contribute. Help us to place all our trust in you. By our generosity today, may future generations find Christ and a warm welcome here. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

ALL SAINTS' CALENDAR

APRIL 23RD - APRIL 29TH

Monday	5:00 PM	Communications Team	Parlor
April 23	6:00 PM	Education for Ministry	Community Room
Tuesday	5:30 AM	F3 [Men's Fitness-Fellowship-Faith]	Outdoors
April 24	11:30 AM	Cabarrus Partnership Board Meeting	Community Room
	1:00 PM	Staff Meeting	Office Workroom
	1:30 PM	Families First Event	Parish Hall
	3:00 PM	Worship Team	Parlor
	5:30 PM	St. Nicholas Choir [Grades 1-3]	Room 102
	6:00 PM	St. Nicholas Choir [Grades 4-6]	Room 102
Wednesday	8:45 AM	Bilingual Preschool ESL Class	Community Room
April 25	12:00 PM	Holy Eucharist	Nave
	1:00 PM	CCM Meeting	Parlor
	2:30 PM	Blood Drive	Welcome Center
	6:00 PM	Bells of All Saints'	Choir Loft
	7:00 PM	Choir of All Saints'	Room 102
	8:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room
Thursday	5:30 AM	F3 [Men's Fitness-Fellowship-Faith]	Outdoors
April 26	12:00 PM	OWLs Luncheon	Parish Hall
	1:00 PM	OWLs Bible Study	Parlor
	7:00 PM	Daughters of the King	Parlor
Friday	8:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room
April 27	7.20 414	E2 [Man's Eithass Fallowship Faith]	Outdoors
Saturday		F3 [Men's Fitness-Fellowship-Faith]	Welcome Center
April 28	8, 9 &	Men's Group	wercome Center
Sunday	ŕ	Warship Carvisos	
April 29		Worship Services Christian Education	
			Community Poom
		Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room Parlor
		Healing Prayer EVC [Eniscopal Youth Community]	
	4:30 PM	EYC [Episcopal Youth Community]	Youth Room

UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL 28TH MAY 5TH "SOCIAL SAINTS" GO BOWLING (PG. 4) GRAPES FOR SAINTS FUNDRAISER (PG. 7)