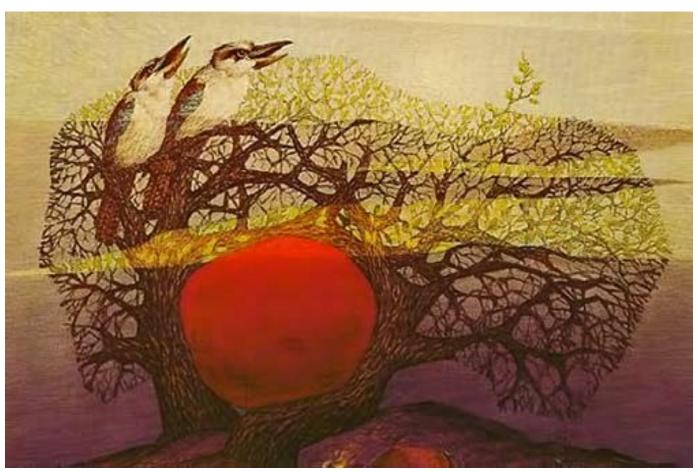


ANNOUNCEMENTS APRIL 29TH 2018 FIFTH SUNDAY IN EASTER



"Rainmakers At Dawn" by Ainslie Roberts

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: Fred Weber

9:00 AM

Chalice Bearers: Ruth Bratton and De Torrey

Lector & Intercessor: Tammy Matula

Paten: Frank Torey

Acolytes: Lauren Spunich, Ryan Malone and Clair Sexton

Greeters: Joe & Debbie Stegman

11:10 AM

Chalice Bearers: Roxanne Friday and Debby Smith

Lector & Intercessor: Mark Helms **Paten:** The Reverend Vern Cahoon

Acolytes: Tommy Jones, Julia Holdren, Ben Helms and Reggie Miller

Greeters: Mary & Katie Hendry

Altar Guild: Juli Dwiggins, Sheila Jones, Jeanne McCarthy, Pat McDonough,

Pam Novasad, Ben Smith and Barbara Stavistky

Ushers: Chuck Collier, Mickey Hayes, Mark Helms, Mark Novasad, Charles Sim-

mons, Dick Whitfield and Jim Williams



Flowers on the altar are given by Cheryl Sexton to the Glory of God and in celebration of Daniel and Venise Sexton's birthdays.

Today at All Saints'		
10:00 AM Christian Education		
Infant through Age 2: "Bible Time"	Numerous	
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]	Parish Hall	
2:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room [Downstairs]	
2:00 PM Healing Prayer	Parlor	
4:30 PM EYC: [Episcopal Youth Community]	Youth Room [Downstairs]	

Stewardship Bible Study - Sundays at 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.

FIRST FRIDAY & SATURDAY WORK DAYS

Friday, May 4th

9 AM gather in the Welcome Center

Contact: Shelley Williams at 60shelleywilliams@gmail.com

Saturday, May 5th

9 AM gather in the Welcome Center

Contact: Mark Robinson at mrobinson0982@gmail.com or 704-791-1313





LAST FELLOWSHIP DINNER OF THE SEASON THE DINNERS WILL RESUME IN THE FALL.

Thursday, May 3rd at 6 PM, Grace Lutheran

All are Welcome!

All Saints' parishioners are invited to bring a side dish or salad.

Please sign up in the Welcome Center.

Contact Pam Collier for more details: 704-782-5003

DID YOU KNOW?

All Saints' ministry teams provided dinners to over **490 people** at the **homeless shelter** last year.

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

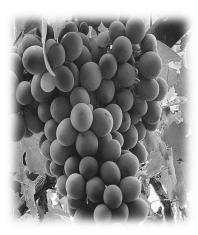
Featuring
A full course dinner,
Tutored wine tasting,
Silent auction,
Etched All Saints' wine glass &
Door prizes

Saturday, May 5th

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

To purchase tickets, visit All Saints' on Sundays after the 9 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:



- Kitchen Faucet and installation
- Seagrove Pottery
- Reverse Osmosis Machine and installation
- Foursome Golf Outing
- Wilmington Bed and Breakfast One Night Stay
- Massages

TREE OF SEASONS



The tree of seasons is a special white tree covered in white doves that 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.

SET FREE TO SERVE PRAYER

Gracious God, giver of all we have and hold as stewards, we thank you for all the you have given us, our families and our communities at All Saints'. Grant to the people of this church a deep and abiding awareness that all things come from you, our heath, our jobs, our incomes, our talents as well as our impulse of generosity. When we are tempted to think of money as a private matter, remind us that you have asked for a part of what we have been given to be returned to you as a symbol of our awareness and gratitude that you give us all that we have. Help us to help each other in this grace of giving. Open our eyes to the opportunities and possibilities to save you even more as we eliminate or reduce the debt we carry. This we pray in the name of Christ our Lord and the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Submitted by Brenda Trott

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



THIS IS THE WAY TO MEET PEOPLE

by simply sharing a meal together!

There are no books to read, no Bible study, and no work.

Sign up in the Welcome Center to 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; 8:30 AM to 5:15 PM Fee for this two-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! This is a two-day (16-hour) workshop that examines racism through a spiritual lens, high-lighting its historical roots. It will also explore current manifestations within religious institutions and faith practices. Topics covered include:

- Implicit bias and its impact on daily behaviors and decision-making
- · The history of race in the US and its implications today
- Differentiation of individual actions versus systemic racism
- · 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



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.

Thank you very much to our **Episcopal Youth Community**, who celebrated Earth Day by collecting 51 pounds of trash from the church grounds.

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.

THE PIEDMONT CHORAL SOCIETY FREE ANNUAL SPRING CONCERTS

Friday, May 4th at 7 PM Sunday, May 6th at 3 PM Forest Hill UMC, Concord



The Piedmont Choral Society consists of 50 auditioned, volunteer singers from all around our area. PCS is directed by Joseph Judge, Professor of Music at Pfeiffer University, and accompanied by Dr. Don Simmons, who serves as organist at Kimball Lutheran. This concert will celebrate American composers and American poets through music. A wonderful collection of American pieces will be performed, including *Shenandoah*, *America*, the *Beautiful*, several spirituals and many others.

Concerts are free and no ticket is required.

A free will offering will be accepted to help offset costs.

For more info, contact Kay at 704.699.6053 or kayy2000@gmail.com.

JANET PASCHAL CONCERT

Sunday, May 13th at 3 PM First Presbyterian Church, Kannapolis

When Janet was a little girl she had a dream to become a professional Christian Music artist. Her family's musical background helped spark her love of singing, and she did indeed begin singing professionally after high school.

Be sure to attend this very special event, and bring a friend. All are welcome. No charge and no tickets required.

Visit www.janetpaschal.com for more information.

PRIMETIMERS

THURSDAY, MAY 10TH GATHER AT 11:30 AM Daveste Vineyard and Julia's Talley House Restaurant

The Talley House Restaurant is a local favorite in Troutman, NC. We will enjoy lunch at the restaurant before heading to the Daveste Vineyard about a mile away. 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.



A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Welcome Center.

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.

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



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

Monday, October 1st: 2018 CelebrateHOPE Dinner at the Great Wolf Lodge

Tuesday, October 2nd: CCM/SHOE SHOW Golf Classic, at The Club at Irish Creek

for a day of golf.

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

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Announcements are due by Monday at Noon.

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

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

Hannah Crone Church Administrator admin@allsaintsconcord.org

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 Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East

Diocesan Cycle: St. Andrew's, Haw River; Church of the Holy Innocents, Henderson and St. John's, Henderson

Cycle of Prayer: Joe & Debbie Stegman, Jan Sutton, Elizabeth Swann, James Swann, Sr., James Swann, Jr., John & Dorothy Teeter, Jon & Maryanna Ter Pooten and their families.

Prayers have been requested for: Clement, Eternity, Gilbert, Grace, Ian, 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 April 30	6:00 PM	Education for Ministry	Community Room
Tuesday	5:30 AM	F3 [Men's Fitness-Fellowship-Faith]	Outdoors
May 01	10:00 AM	Golden Needles	Parsh Hall
	1:00 PM	Staff Meeting	Office Workroom
	5:30 PM	St. Nicholas Choir [Grades 1-3]	Room 102
	6:00 PM	Junior Choir [Grades 4-6]	Room 102
	6:30 PM	Newcomers' Team	Parlor
Wednesday	8:45 AM	Bilingual Preschool ESL Class	Community Room
May 02	12:00 PM	Holy Eucharist	Nave
	5:30 PM	Tech Team	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
May 03	10:30 AM	Canterbury Way	Parlor
	11:00 AM	Eucharist at Avante	515 Lake Concord
	6:00 PM	Fellowship Dinner	Grace Lutheran
Friday	9:00 AM	Parish Workday	Welcome Center
May 04	8:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room
Saturday	7:30 AM	F3 [Men's Fitness-Fellowship-Faith]	Outdoors
May 05	8:00 AM	Men's Group	Welcome Center
	9:00 AM	Parish Workday	Welcome Center
	11:00 AM	Jackie Whitfield Ordination to	Phillips Chapel,
		Sacred Order of Deacons	Greensboro
	5:30 PM	Grapes for Saints'	Welcome Center
Sunday	8, 9 &		
May 06	11:10 AM	Worship Services	
	10:00 AM	Christian Education	
	2:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Community Room
		Healing Prayer	Parlor
	4:30 PM	EYC [Episcopal Youth Community]	Youth Room

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 20TH FIRST FRUIT SUNDAY AT ALL MORNING SERVICES PENTECOST CELEBRATION PICNIC AT 5 PM