

All Saints Episcopal Church

(Part of the Anglican Communion)

“Answering the call to spread Christ’s Ministry”



August 2, 2026

The Very Rev. Joseph C. Alsay, Celebrant

The Reverend Michael A. Stutso, Deacon

11:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

*Welcome to all, especially those visiting and returning.
We hope today’s service is a blessing to you and that you will come again and again.
Please sign our Guest Book located in the Entrance Hall.*

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*According to the Book of Common Prayer, Rite II – BCP (the Red Book)  
Hymns are from Lift Every Voice and Sing II – LEVAS, The Hymnal 1982 – H  
and Hymns for the Family of God – HFFG.*

**OPENING HYMN: Love Divine, All Love Excelling H 657**

*The people standing.*

**GREETING AND RESPONSE BCP pg. 355**

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

**COLLECT FOR PURITY BCP pg. 355**

*The Celebrant says*

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS HS 280**

Glory to God in the highest  
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world;  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father;  
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. **Amen.**

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP pg. 232

*The Celebrant says*

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect and govern it always by your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.. **Amen.**

*Please be seated for the reading of the lessons.*

## THE LESSONS

### FIRST LESSON

**Genesis 32:22-31**

The same night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two maids, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. He took them and sent them across the stream, and likewise everything that he had. Jacob was left alone; and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he struck him on the hip socket; and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. Then he said, "Let me go, for the day is breaking." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go, unless you bless me." So he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." Then the man said, "You shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with humans, and have prevailed." Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life is preserved." The sun rose upon him as he passed Peniel, limping because of his hip.

### ***Pause***

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 105:1-11, 45b (We will read in unison)**

- 1 Hear my plea of innocence, O LORD; give heed to my cry; \*  
listen to my prayer, which does not come from lying lips.
- 2 Let my vindication come forth from your presence; \*  
let your eyes be fixed on justice.
- 3 Weigh my heart, summon me by night, \*  
melt me down; you will find no impurity in me.
- 4 I give no offense with my mouth as others do; \*  
I have heeded the words of your lips.
- 5 My footsteps hold fast to the ways of your law; \*  
in your paths my feet shall not stumble.
- 6 I call upon you, O God, for you will answer me; \*  
incline your ear to me and hear my words.
- 7 Show me your marvelous loving-kindness, \*  
O Savior of those who take refuge at your right hand  
from those who rise up against them.
- 16 But at my vindication I shall see your face; \*  
when I awake, I shall be satisfied, beholding  
your likeness.

## SECOND LESSON

**Romans 9:1-5**

I am speaking the truth in Christ-- I am not lying; my conscience confirms it by the Holy Spirit-- I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own people, my kindred according to the flesh. They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises; to them belong the patriarchs, and from them, according to the flesh, comes the Messiah, who is over all, God blessed forever. Amen.

### ***Pause***

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

**SEQUENCE HYMN:      God Will Take Care of You      LEV 183**  
**Verses 1, 4**

*Please be seated.*

*The Celebrant or Deacon says*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

## THE GOSPEL

**Matthew 14:13-21**

Jesus withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late; send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said to them, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." They replied, "We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish." And he said, "Bring them here to me."

Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. And all ate and were filled; and they took up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve baskets full. And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## **THE SERMON**

**The Very Rev. Joseph C. Alsay**

*Please stand as you are able.*

## **THE NICENE CREED**

**BCP pg. 358**

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit

he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate:  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. **Amen.**

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*The Celebrant or Deacon says*

With Solomon and the great sages of our lineage, let us now turn our hearts to God and seek true wisdom, saying: O God, hear our prayer.

*The Intercessor says*

For the leaders of religious communities and parishes throughout the earth, as they journey towards truth and clarity, we pray for God's wisdom: **O God, hear our prayer.**

For governmental officials, caught in the arms race, locked in an age of deceit and suspicion, we pray for God's wisdom:  
**O God, hear our prayer.**

For the youth of our age in their search for the pearl of identity, we ask for God's wisdom: **O God, hear our prayer.**

For all mothers and fathers who awake today without food for their children, we ask for God's wisdom: **O God, hear our prayer.**

For those who seek and never find, for those who travel without purpose, and for those blind to the needs of others, we ask for God's wisdom: **O God, hear our prayer.**

For the sick, for the dying victims of incurable disease, for those chained by depressions, fear, and addiction, and for those who minister to them, we pray for God's wisdom, **O God, hear our prayer.**

***Please offer your own intercessions and thanksgiving at this time.***

*The Intercessor gives ample time for the Congregation to give its petitions.  
Then continues*

For the bishops and all the leaders of the church, including: *Sean*, our Presiding Bishop; *Bonnie* our Bishop; *Moises*, Bishop of the Dominican Republic; *Yehiel, Donald, and Julie*, Bishops in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; *St. John's*, Detroit; *St. Paul's*, Romeo, and for all the clergy and people, we ask for God's wisdom: **O God, hear our prayer.**

For those celebrating birthdays this week especially *Stefanie W.* (8/2); *Francine P.* (8/4); *Lawana* (8/6); *Robert W.* (8/7); *Allison P.* and *Lyndon W.* (8/8), we ask for God's wisdom: **O God, hear our prayer.**

*The Celebrant says*

Astonish us once again, O God, and bring forth from the storeroom of your heart the abundance of wisdom. May all who ask for our prayers know your love, and may we give testimony to your grace in our lives of compassion. In the name of Christ we pray. **Amen.**

## CONFESSION OF SIN

BCP pg. 360

*The Deacon or Celebrant says*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence may be kept.*

*The Celebrant and people say*

**Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

*The Celebrant stands and says*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit Keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## THE PEACE

*Please stand as you are able.*

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

***Then the Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.***

*Please be seated.*

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Please follow the directions of the ushers, who will guide you forward by rows to the altar rail.*

- *To receive communion by intinction, please cross your arms over your chest until the celebrant comes to you. Celebrant will dip the bread into the wine and place in your extended hand.*
- *To receive the bread and wine separately, please extend your hands.*
- *If you have accessibility challenges, communion will be brought to you.*

### OFFERTORY SENTENCE

**BCP pg. 376**

*The Celebrant begins the Offertory saying*

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

Welcome to those joining us Live stream on zoom and/or Facebook, you may support our ministries through our website. Go to [allsaintsdetroit.org](http://allsaintsdetroit.org) and click the Giving tab and then select tithes/offerings.



Using your cell phone you can scan the code on the right above to give. We thank you for your support.

*The people remain seated and sing the hymn while the offerings are received.*

**OFFERTORY HYMN: We've Come this Far by Faith      LEV 208  
Verse 1**

***Please stand as you are able when the offering is presented.***

**DOXOLOGY:                      Tune: Old 100<sup>th</sup> Verse 3                      H 380**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below,  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

### THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A

BCP pgs. 361-366

*The people remain standing.*

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant*

It is truly right, and good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your name:

*Celebrant and People*

## SANCTUS

HS 125

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are filled with your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

*Please stand or kneel as you are able.*

*The Celebrant continues*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Celebrant continues*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through you Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray in song,

*People and Celebrant*

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**LEV 264**

Our Father, which art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts,  
as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

## **THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

**BCP pg. 364**

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*Silence is kept.*

## **FRACTION ANTHEM**

## **LAMB OF GOD**

**LEV 270**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: **Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

*The Celebrant then says the following invitation*

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

**COMMUNION HYMNS: Shepherd of Soul, Refresh and Bless H 343**  
**Verses 1-3**

**Let Us Break Bread Together LEV 152**

*Celebrant: Let us pray*

**POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER**

**BCP pg. 365**

*Celebrant and People:*

**Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage  
to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Please be seated for the Welcome and Announcements.**

**THE BLESSING**

May the Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, giving you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and to proclaim the wonderful works of God; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

**CLOSING HYMN: We'll Understand It Better By and By LEV 207**

**THE DISMISSAL**

Deacon: Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

## LAY LEADERSHIP

|                                            |                                    |
|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>LECTORS</b>                             | Lawrence P./George A.              |
| <b>EUCHARIST MINISTER</b>                  | Louis C.                           |
| <b>VERGER</b>                              | Roger W.                           |
| <b>ACOLYTE</b>                             | Viridian S.                        |
| <b>INTERCESSOR - PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE</b> | Juanita W.                         |
| <b>ALTAR GUILD</b>                         | Members                            |
| <b>COUNTERS</b>                            | Katherine B./Jacqueline P.         |
| <b>USHERS</b>                              | Sheila L./Patrick L.               |
| <b>TECH MINISTRY</b>                       | Dennis B., Jr./Alan P./Francine P. |
| <b>WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>               | Roger W.                           |

### ALL SAINTS CHURCH VESTRY MEMBERS

|                                                                                                         |                                                                   |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Linval W., Senior Warden<br>Juanita W., Junior Warden<br>Loraine G., Vestry Clerk<br>Alan P., Treasurer | Dennis B., Jr.<br>Marcia E.<br>Joanna G.<br>Dennis R.<br>Roger W. |
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**When contributing by check to our ministries:**  
 [Clergy Discretionary Fund, Clergy Fund, Crossroads,  
 Forgotten Harvest, Episcopal Relief & Development,  
 or undesignated Outreach Ministry Fund.]  
*Make checks payable to: **All Saints Episcopal Church***  
 (Note in memo the name of the fund.)

### The Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost August 9, 2026

#### Lessons

**First Lesson: Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28**

**The Psalm: 105:1-6, 16-22, 45b**

**The Second Lesson: Romans: 10:5-15**

**The Gospel: Matthew: 14:22-33**

**Morning Liturgy with the Distribution of Communion**



**Closing Hymn:** I Love to Tell the Story Insert  
<https://youtu.be/OxSjlMVqF8o?si=gFucLoIC4z04-B7b>

# *All Saints Episcopal Church* **Announcements**

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## **OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

At All Saints we are “Answering the call”:

***To be committed stewards of Christ’s ministry  
by strengthening our faith, serving the community,  
and spreading his love by thought, word and deed.***

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## **Visitor’s Contact**

If you are worshipping with us today, welcome and we invite you to complete our **Visitor’s Contact Form** located on the last page of the bulletin. Thank you.

We welcome The Reverend Joseph C. Alsay, Dean of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul. We are so happy to have you as our celebrant today. We hope you can join us for hospitality and fellowship where our members can give you an All Saints welcome. Thank you again for worshipping with us today!

## **Answering the Call to Serve the Community**

At the request of the Mayor of the City of Detroit, All Saints Church parking lot was rented by Move Detroit – Woodward Original to host an event on the evening of Tuesday, July 28<sup>th</sup>. The event was well attended. **We received a donation of \$500.**

## **Caribbean Community Meal**

Come and gather with us as we pray, fellowship, and enjoy a hearty Caribbean-inspired meal with the friends and neighbors of our community this **Thursday, August 6th at 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.** Plant-based options will be available. Flyers to invite your friends and community neighbors as well as discerning how you would like to offer your gifts if you feel called, are available on the table outside the Sanctuary. See Dennis B. Jr. for additional details or questions. *A portion of this event is supported by funds from the Social Service Grant we received from our diocese.*

### **“Build for Good” Church Hackathon**

On **Saturday, August 29<sup>th</sup>** from **9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

We are opening our doors to bring together students, professionals, creatives, and curious minds to work on projects that will serve others. You don't have to be a “programmer” to participate. If you are interested in technology, design, problem-solving, or you want to encourage someone who is, invite them to join us. Flyers to register will be available on the table outside the Sanctuary. See Dennis B. Jr. for any details or questions.

### **“Packed with Hope” Back-to-School Drive and Survival Kits**

We are filling backpacks with hope for local students for the 2026-27 school year. We are focused on supporting students not only in the classroom, but also in their daily life. Our categories include Learning, Hygiene, Nutrition, Comfort, and Safety.

These “backpacks of hope” will be blessed on Sunday August 30<sup>th</sup> and delivered to one of the local schools in our community in September. Additional information and a flyer to invite your friends and community neighbors' participation as well as your own will be available online and on the table outside the Chapel.

**This week we are focused on items for HYGIENE, toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant, soap, shampoo/conditioner, lotion, lip balm, pocket tissues, washcloths, hand sanitizer, hair care products (combs, picks, etc.).**

See Dennis B. Jr. for any details or questions. *A portion of this event is supported by funds from the Social Service Grant we received from our diocese.*

We thank everyone for attending our parish meeting last Sunday. Please see any vestry member if you have any questions.

The Wardens and Vestry Members



### **Crossroads - Children Summer Lunch Program**

Thank you to Deacon Mike and All Saints members who volunteered at Crossroads for their Summer Lunch Program on Tuesday, July 28, 2026. Thanks to Reni W. for the students from Renaissance High School who assisted with the lunch program. Everyone is appreciated for giving of their time and talent.

We extend our sympathy and prayers to our church family members on the loss of their loved ones:

Please remember Devin D. and Matthew D. in your prayers as they mourn the passing of their grandfather, Brian L. Dixon, who transitioned this month. "May his soul rest in peace."

We extend our sympathy and prayers to Mr. Carl H. on the passing of his mother-in-law. Please keep Carl, his wife and family in your prayers.

"May angels surround her and saints welcome her in peace".

My family and I wish to express our gratitude to my All Saints Church family for their overflowing expressions of love, support, and kindness on the loss of my son, Brian Clinton Jones.

Our thanks to all who attended the viewing and Kemetic ceremony on Thursday, July 23, 2026, at Kemp Funeral Home. Tributes and more information available at Kemps' website to those interested.

God bless each of you. We're so grateful. Thank You.....

Mrs. Elva G.

## **Worship Services**

August 9, 2026 - Deacon Michael Stutso  
August 16, 2026 - Open  
August 23, 2026 - Rev. Christine Humphrey  
August 30, 2026 - Rev. Christine Humphrey

## **Hospitality and Fellowship – Paused in July and August**

We will provide bottled water for you. You are welcome to bring refreshments during these months; however, you will be responsible for cleaning up. Please sign up for the months of September through December.



## **Sunday Bible Study**

Today was the last Sunday for our 10:00 a.m. at All Saints! Thanks to Viridian Shrum for committing to lead bible study each Sunday as members strengthen their faith with the weekly discussion of the four readings for each Sunday.

**Thursday Bible Study** will resume in September. More details forthcoming soon.

## **Pastoral Care Ministry**

For any pastoral care needs, please contact Deacon Michael Stutso at: (734) 476-4812 or the Wardens.

Deacon Mike will continue to serve at the Cathedral on the Fourth Sunday of each month.



## **Renew\* Restore\* Preserve\***

We need you! Our capital campaign began in 2025 and we need your support to complete the needed repairs to our beautiful mini-cathedral church building interior and exterior. Please see Page 25 for our Capital Campaign Project Repairs list. Thank you! Questions, please see Juanita W.



### **City of Detroit Residents:**

#### **Senior Citizen Solid Waste (Garbage Fee) Discount & Disabilities Summer Tax**

Attention Detroit senior citizens and persons with disabilities be sure to apply for the Senior Citizen Solid Waste (Garbage Fee). Discount where qualified seniors can get 50 percent off the garbage fee. Those with disabilities can apply for a Summer Tax to defer summer tax payments without interest or penalty until February.

**Application deadline for both is September 15, 2026.**

For more information, visit [detroitmi.gov/dtsc](https://detroitmi.gov/dtsc)

#### **Note: Forms available on table in the Narthex (Lobby)**

If you have changes to your personal information, announcements for the weekly bulletin, additions or deletions for the sick list, repairs needed, etc. please complete the form and give it to the ushers and/or leave in the church office. We appreciate your assistance.





Please remember to pray for:

**Arin, Bianca N., Carl K., Carl P., Charles M., Charles W., Crystal, Daryl D., David G., Deacon Mike Stutso, Deane, Edna S., Elinda, Elizabeth, Eric, Frank B., Frankie G., Funteller, Gaston, George A., Gregory P., Helenor, Jameel H., James S., Janice A., Jomar, Joan B., Jonathan B., Kat, Katherine B., Kendel T., Kenneth B., Lauriant, Lena, Lenore, Leon S., Lucia, Marcia F., Marcus R., Marquis B., Martha, Milo R., Monique S., Nicol S., Patrick G., Rosa B., Rosalind P., Salaahuddin, Telia, Valerie D., William H., William S., Willie F., and Winfred B.**

### **Request Form to Schedule Church Events**

All Church Event Forms for all proposed and scheduled events through the month of **September 2026** is required to be submitted to the church office for review/approval by the Vestry Board.

**Note:** All proposed/scheduled events must be approved in advance of any announcements. If you have any questions, please contact the church office.



### **Lay Eucharistic Ministers Training**

If you would like to learn more about serving as a Eucharistic Minister, including training and licensure, please speak with Deacon Mike Stutso or contact the church office.

### **Joining All Saints Episcopal Church**

If you or someone you know wants to know more about All Saints, The Episcopal Church, our practices around Holy Communion, Baptism, or formally join this community of faith. Please contact the church office.

### **Pledge Letter**

If you would like to support our ministries financially, copies of our pledge commitment letters are available on the table in the Narthex (Lobby). You can also find a list of our ministries on the table where you can give of your time and talent. If you have a question, please contact a member of our Stewardship Ministry Team: Rebecca M., Roger W. and/or Juanita W. Thank you!



### **“The Good News”**

Please pick up the latest copy of our newsletter, “The Good News” newsletter (April 2026 thru July 2026) from the table in the Narthex (Lobby). If you would like a copy mailed to someone, please leave the person’s name and address along with your name in the Communications Mailbox in the Church’s Office.

Thank you to Jacqueline P. for giving of her time and talent.



## Five Years – 2025-2030

### Renew\* Restore\* Preserve\*

We need your financial support for this important project to make needed repairs to our church.

We are asking **each member to contribute \$500 or more** each year for the next four years. Your financial support will support the following major projects:

- Restoration of our Stain Glass Windows
- Repayment of our Diocesan Loan
- Major Repairs to Boiler #2
- Concrete repairs to exterior (Steps at the main entrance)
- Establish funding for ongoing maintenance

Please write a separate check to: **“All Saints Church”** with a memo notation: **Capital Campaign**. If you have any questions, please contact the church office. Thank You.



### Building and Grounds Ministry Projects:

Replace Steel Door to furnace room

Install railings to alley back porch – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2026

Parking Lot Repairs – 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter 2026

Repairs to Boiler B – Estimate for repairs - 2026

Stain Glass Windows Restoration – Requesting estimates – 2026

Questions please see William P., Roger W. or Juanita W.



### **Hospitality and Fellowship – Sign Up Now!**

We are encouraging members to support our hospitality and fellowship time by signing up to serve. The sign up book is located on the table in the Narthex (Lobby).

If you have any questions, please see Juanita W. or contact the church office. Thank you.

"Coffee hour is one of the great and noble traditions of our Episcopal church. It can also produce a lot of waste, coffee hour volunteers can help by seeing if there are any ways to cut down on the amount of disposable packaging that is needed on any given Sunday."

*~ Environmental Justice Action Committee*

## *Usher Ministry*

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We need members to serve as ushers. You can serve for one Sunday, two Sundays or what will work for you. Please talk to Sheila L. Training is available for you.

Thank you, Sheila L., Chairperson

We appreciate Sheila L. and Patrick L. for serving as our lead ushers.



### **Reading Ministry**



If you are reading a book, a magazine, or an article of interest. We encourage everyone to share information about the books and/or articles of interest by completing the form on the table in the Narthex (Lobby).

### **Rewards Programs**

**Kroger and GFS Community Rewards Programs** support our outreach ministry program. All Saints receives a quarterly reward check from Kroger based on your purchases. You can sign up online, in the drop-down list or at the Customer Service Counter.

**The Organization Number** for enrollment in the **Community Rewards Programs**.

**KROGER** - Organization #91036

**GFS** - Organization #2523579

We receive a discount on purchases from Gordon Foods (GFS). Questions about these programs, please contact the church office.



### **Recycle Ministry – Our Blue Bins – No Trash Please!**

Please discard your bulletin into the blue bins in the corner entrance of each door into the Narthex. Thank you for helping us care for our environment. *The Earth is the LORD'S and all that is in it – Psalm 24:1*



All non-perishable foods can be placed in the basket in the Narthex (Lobby). See Page 29 for list of non-perishable items. Cash/Check can be made with a notation in the memo: Crossroads.

[www.crossroads.org](http://www.crossroads.org) If you have a question, please see Juanita W. or contact the Church office.

Additional community event and resource information flyers with details are available on the table in the Narthex (Lobby).

### **City of Detroit**

Property Tax Solid Waste Discount Application Form is available for seniors on the table in the Narthex (Lobby) – 50% discount for seniors at least 65 years old and principal resident.

### **Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Location:**

The First Floor wall in the Hallway outside the church office.





## Non Perishable Food Items You Can Donate



- Canned fish
- Meat-based canned soups/stews
- Nutbutters
- Bags or cans of dried beans and peas
- Whole-grain cereals
- Bags of plain rice and pasta
- Barley and quinoa
- Canned fruits
- Canned vegetables

### **Non-perishable foods are:**

- Convenient; long shelf life and are easy to consume.
- Do not require refrigeration but must be kept cool and dry.
- Essential in emergency situations.





## All Saints Episcopal Church – 2026 Calendar

| Sun.                                                                             | Mon.                       | Tues.                                             | Wed.                       | Thur.                                                                                                                                  | Fri.                                              | Sat.                                                                       |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                                                  |                            |                                                   |                            |                                                                                                                                        |                                                   | 1                                                                          |
| 2<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service                                           | 3<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED  | 4<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m.  | 5<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED  | 6<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Caribbean<br>Community Meal –<br>5:00 – 7:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>PAUSED | 7<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m.  | 8                                                                          |
| 9<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Morning Liturgy<br>With the Distribution<br>of Communion  | 10<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 11<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m. | 12<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 13<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>PAUSED                                                         | 14<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m. | 15                                                                         |
| 16<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service<br><br>Vestry Meeting<br>1:30 p.m.       | 17<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 18<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m. | 19<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 20<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>PAUSED                                                         | 21<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m. | 22                                                                         |
| 23<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Worship Service                                          | 24<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 25<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m. | 26<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED | 27<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m.<br><br>Bible Study<br>PAUSED                                                         | 28<br><br>Office Hours<br>11:00 a.m.<br>3:00 p.m. | 29<br>9:00 a.m. –<br>6:00 p.m. –<br>“Build for Good” –<br>Church Hackathon |
| 30<br><br>11:30 a.m.<br>Morning Liturgy<br>With the Distribution<br>of Communion | 31<br><br>OFFICE<br>CLOSED |                                                   |                            |                                                                                                                                        |                                                   |                                                                            |



# ALL SAINTS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH - DETROIT, MI

**Thank you for worshipping with us today.**

Whether you were invited by a family member, a friend, co-worker,  
or just found us on your own, bless you for joining us!

**We hope the service was comforting and inspiring.**

On behalf of the wardens, the vestry, and the congregation,  
we would like to extend an invitation to worship with us again.

**Please complete the form below  
and place it in the offertory plate or return it to the ushers.**



# ALL SAINTS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH - DETROIT, MI

**Please Print**

**Today's Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about our church and our worship service? Circle all that apply.

Were you invited by:    Family member    Co-worker    Neighbor  
                                 Our Website    Church Member    Friend  
                                 Facebook page    Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you worshipped with us before?    No    Yes

If yes:    Visited 1-4 times    Visited 5-10 times    Visited 11 or more times

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Would you like to be contacted?**    Yes    No

**Would you like to receive our church newsletter?**    Yes    No    Mail    Email

**\*\*Ushers and Counters, please place this form in the Stewardship Committee's mailbox.\*\***



All Are Welcome.  
All Belong. Everyone Eats. 

# CARIBBEAN

## Community Meal

GOOD FOOD. GOOD COMPANY. ONE COMMUNITY.

Join us for a Caribbean-inspired meal  
filled with flavor, fellowship,  
and a warm welcome for all. 



**THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 2026**  
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.



**ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
3837 W. 7 MILE RD  
DETROIT, MI 48221

Plant-Based  
**OPTIONS**  
AVAILABLE!

A free meal for our neighbors.  
A time to connect, celebrate,  
—and share God's love.

*Bring a friend!*



**COMMUNITY**  
We gather  
together.



**COMPASSION**  
We care for  
one another.



**HOSPITALITY**  
All are  
welcome.



**GRATITUDE**  
We give thanks  
together.



**ALL SAINTS**  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH - DETROIT, MI

*Answering The Call*

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