

# Welcome to All Saints Lutheran Church

*Our mission is...*

*"to bring people the good news of God's love in Jesus Christ."*

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## 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

### August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024

### 9:00am † 11:00am



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The nursery is open for care of children 6 months to 5 years old during the 9am service.  
Busy Bags are available in the sanctuary for children attending service.

*Members, Friends & Guests please sign the burgundy welcome pad and pass it to those sitting next to you. When all have signed please pass it back and welcome guests after worship.*  
**First time guests please fill out a Welcome Card and place in the offering plate.**

*\* (Denotes when congregation is invited to stand.)*

**(BOLD PRINT: ALL will respond.)**

## **GATHERING**

PRELUDE

PATTI GRAETZ, GUEST PIANIST

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISSION MINUTE

SENIOR MINISTRY STEERING COMMITTEE

INTRODUCING DANIEL VOLKMANN

**\* GATHERING SONG: HYMN # 689**

**PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING**

**Praise and thanksgiving, God, we would offer  
for all things living, you have made good:  
harvest of sown fields, fruits of the orchard,  
hay from the mown fields, blossom and wood.**

**God, bless the labor we bring to serve you,  
that with our neighbor we may be fed.**

**Sowing or tilling, we would work with you,  
harvesting, milling for daily bread.**

**Father, providing food for your children,  
by Wisdom's guiding teach us to share  
one with another, so that, rejoicing  
with us, all others may know your care.**

**Then will your blessing reach ev'ry people,  
freely confessing your gracious hand.  
Where you are reigning, no one will hunger;  
your love sustaining showers the land .**

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**\* PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**The Lord be with you.**

**And also with you.**

**Let us pray. Ever-loving God, your Son gives himself as living bread for the life of the world. Fill us with such a knowledge of his presence that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life to serve you continually, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

# THE WORD

LESSON

EPHESIANS 5:15-20

Word of God. Word of Life.

**Thanks be to God!**

\* **GOSPEL VERSE: HYMN # 174**

**CELTIC ALLELUIA**

REFRAIN: ALL, VERSE: PIANO VOCAL

**Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia!**

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\* **HOLY GOSPEL**

The Holy Gospel according to John, the 6<sup>th</sup> chapter.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

*The Gospel is read*

JOHN 6:51-58

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

“IN ENDLESS SONG”

PASTOR DAN HOEGER

\* **HYMN OF THE DAY # 763**

**MY LIFE FLOWS ON IN ENDLESS SONG**

**My life flows on in endless song; above earth's lamentation,  
I catch the sweet, though far-off hymn that hails a new creation.**

*Refrain:* **No storm can shake my inmost calm while to that Rock I'm clinging.  
Since Christ is Lord of heaven and earth, how can I keep from singing?**

**Through all the tumult and the strife, I hear that music ringing.  
It finds an echo in my soul. How can I keep from singing? *Refrain***

**What though my joys and comforts die? The Lord my Savior liveth.  
What though the darkness gather round? Songs in the night he giveth. *Refrain***

**The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a fountain ever springing!  
All things are mine since I am his! How can I keep from singing? *Refrain***

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\* **THE APOSTLES' CREED**

People of God, what do you believe?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**And also with you.**

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Hear us, O God . . . (sing) **Your grace abounds.**

**THE MEAL**

OFFERING

We will now gather an offering to support our mission of bringing people the Good News of God's love in Jesus Christ.

SOLO: MARY LAVALLEY

HE LOVED ME

\* **RESPONSE HYMN # 814**

**TAKE, OH TAKE ME AS I AM**

**Take, O take me as I am, summon out what I shall be,  
Set your seal upon my heart and live in me.**

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\* **OFFERING PRAYER**

Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

\* **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: "Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

Again, after supper, he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

(sing) **Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth  
as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread,  
forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil,  
for the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,  
now and forever.**

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SHARING BREAD AND WINE

LAMB OF GOD

FRONT OF HYMNAL, P. 191

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;  
Grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.**

SOLO: MARY LAVALLEY

JESUS LOVES ME/OH, HOW HE LOVES ME

HYMN # 482

I COME WITH JOY

**I come with joy, a child of God, forgiven, loved, and free,  
The life of Jesus to recall in love laid down for me, in love laid down for me.**

**I come with Christians far and near to find, as all are fed,  
The new community of love in Christ's communion bread.**

**As Christ breaks bread, and bids us share, each proud division ends.  
The love that made us, makes us one, and strangers now are friends.**

**The Spirit of the risen Christ, unseen, but ever near,  
Is in such friendship better known, alive among us here.**

**Together met, together bound by all that God has done,  
We'll go with joy, to give the world the love that makes us one.**

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\* TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.  
**Amen.**

Jesus, Bread of Life, we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with your own life. In your holy name, we pray. **Amen.**

## THE SENDING

### \* BENEDICTION

The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, (✠) be upon you now and forever. **Amen.**

### \* SENDING HYMN: # 850

### WHEN IN OUR MUSIC GOD IS GLORIFIED

**When in our music God is glorified,  
and adoration leaves no room for pride,  
it is as though the whole creation cried:  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

**How oft, in making music, we have found  
a new dimension in the world of sound,  
as worship moved us to a more profound  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

**So has the church, in liturgy and song,  
in faith and love, through centuries of wrong,  
borne witness to the truth in ev'ry tongue:  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

**And did not Jesus sing a psalm that night  
when utmost evil strove against the light?  
Then let us sing, for whom he won the fight:  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

**Let ev'ry instrument be tuned for praise;  
let all rejoice who have a voice to raise;  
and may God give us faith to sing always:  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

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### \* DISMISSAL

Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.  
**Thanks be to God!**

### POSTLUDE

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO TALK OR PRAY WITH A STEPHEN MINISTER AFTER WORSHIP,  
LOOK FOR THEM ON CAMPUS. (THEY WEAR A BLUE NAME BADGE)**

**ETERNAL LIGHT: MARIETTA ROSSO  
IN LOVING MEMORY OF ROGER BLAINE BRANDELL**

# I-HELP

## We need your help!

All Saints will host I-HELP on Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup>.

Sign up by using the QR Code provided here or contact the church office.



Thank you for your assistance with this important outreach to our neighbors who need our support!

### Worship Attendance

August 11, 2024

9:00am 168 | YouTube 76

11:00am 47 | Facebook 60

Total: 351

## Sign-Up to be a Worship Volunteer Dates through **November** now available!

Trained volunteers can now visit

[allsaintsphoenix.org/volunteer](https://allsaintsphoenix.org/volunteer)

to sign-up as a worship volunteer.

Please contact the office with

any questions or to schedule training.



## Register for Faith Formation:

### Sunday School Begins:

Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00am

This first Sunday will be All Ages Sunday School.

### Confirmation and High School and Beyond Hangout Begin:

Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>

@ 10:15am.



Contact Donald Wade (Director of Faith Formation) at [dwade@allsaintsphoenix.org](mailto:dwade@allsaintsphoenix.org) for questions or info.

## All Saints Budget

Through July 31, 2024

	Budgeted	Actual
Income	\$ 666,132	\$ 622,511
Expenses	\$ 694,210	\$ 656,767
<b>Deficit</b>	<b>\$ 28,078</b>	<b>\$ 34,256</b>

## Teachers & Shepherds Needed

We are always looking for caring adults to volunteer as Sunday School Teachers, Confirmation Shepherds, or High School Bible Study Teachers and Shepherds. Youth (6<sup>th</sup> Grade & up) are also welcome to serve as Shepherds.

For additional information contact Donald Wade at [dwade@allsaintsphoenix.org](mailto:dwade@allsaintsphoenix.org).

## Senior Ministries Presents:

### Lunch & Nicole Pesce Concert

Friday September 13<sup>th</sup>

Lunch starts at 12pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Entertainment starts at 1pm in the Sanctuary.

All are welcome to join in the entertainment.

Please RSVP by signing up at the Senior Ministry table in the Narthex or by calling the church office.



## Meet Daniel Volkmann

At the recommendation of the Call Committee the Council has decided to move forward the process to call Daniel Volkmann as All Saints' new associate pastor.

**Meet and Greet** with Daniel after both services **TODAY**.

He will be in the Fellowship Hall following the 9am service and will remain in the Sanctuary following the 11am service.

**Special Congregational Meeting on Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup>** 10:05am in the Sanctuary. The members of All Saints will be asked to vote to extend a call to Daniel Volkmann as our new associate pastor.

## 2024 ASLC Fantasy Football



It's time to unleash your inner football genius! Join our Fantasy Football League and show off your skills! Whether you're a seasoned pro or a newbie to the game, our league is open to all! Draft your dream team, make strategic trades, and join in the competition.

**Our 2024 Draft will be on August 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm.**

Please contact Jonathan Levine through the office by August 25<sup>th</sup> if you would like to join or for more information.

## THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS

SUNDAY, August 18

9:00/11:00am

10:10am

12:00pm

13<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

Holy Communion Worship

Meet & Greet w/ Daniel Volkmann

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MONDAY, August 19

TUESDAY, August 20

8:00am

8:30am

10:00am

6:00pm

Tai Chi - Level 2 in the Narthex

Tai Chi in the Narthex

Senior Ministry Team Meeting

Council Meeting

WEDNESDAY, August 21

10:00am

NA Support Group

THURSDAY, August 22

FRIDAY, August 23

Office Closed

SATURDAY, August 24

10:00am

Rudy Perkovich Memorial

SUNDAY, August 25

9:00/11:00am

10:05am

12:15pm

4:30pm

14<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

Holy Communion Worship

Special Congregational Meeting

Social Ministry Meeting

LSS I-HELP

## MomCo NOW SEEKING LOVING VOLUNTEERS

Our Mom Community (formerly MOPS) needs loving volunteers to help care for their little ones (babies-5-year-olds) in the nursery classrooms on Thursday mornings while the moms meet on campus. Your time commitment could be anywhere from 1-4 Thursdays per month or on an as needed basis. Can you help and support these families?

To volunteer or for more information, please contact Diane Lensch or the church office.



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