

April 21, 2024 THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 8:00 A.M. • 5:00 P.M.

Collect of the Day |

Officiant The Lord be with you. People And with thy spirit.

Officiant Let us pray.

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of thy people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calleth us each by name, and follow where he doth lead; who, with thee and the Holy Spirit, liveth and reigneth, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The First Lesson | Acts 4:5–12

The rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is

'the stone that was rejected by you, the builders;

it has become the cornerstone.'

There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

The Second Lesson | 1 John 3:16-24

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

The Gospel | John 10:11-18

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Music for the Day | 5 p.m. Service

Alleluia

pg. 9 Christ is risen from the dead (early American)

Celtic Alleluia

Open Table

The Lord's Prayer

Pg. 20 We Shall Overcome

Musicians

Michael Cebulski, hammered dulcimer

Daniel Solberg, piano

Assisting in Worship

Altar Guild NJ Edge, Kathi Rhodes, Anne Marro, Bill Bedford

Flower Guild Sherry Collins, Lillian Huber, DiAnne Smith

Sunday Callers Michele Rusin, Jeff Strauch

8:00 a.m.

Preacher/Celebrant The Rev. Karen P. Evans

Lector/Intercessor Jiffy Page

Eucharistic Minister Elizabeth Neundorfer

Verger Ellen Porter

5:00 p.m.

Preacher/Celebrant The Rev. Karen P. Evans

Reader Keith Hollingsworth

Host Lynda Smith

Ushers Keith Hollingsworth, Sara Keithly

Musician Michael Cebulski, hammered duclimer; Daniel Solberg, piano

Worship Notes

In Our Prayers

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan.

In our diocese, we pray for the people and clergy of St. Gregory the Great Church in Athens.

In our parish, we ask your blessing on our Earth Stewards. We give thanks for their ministry of calling us to faithful stewardship of your creation and ask your continued blessing on their friendships.

Thanksgivings and Memorials

The altar flowers are given today to the glory of God and in memory of Les and Beverly Pounds, on what would have been their 65th wedding anniversary, by their family: Jennifer, Robert, Tricia, Chris and George. The sanctuary candle is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Shirley Williams, by her daughter Becky Williams.

Birthdays this Week

Sunday | April 21

Mary Brennan
Barbara Howell
John Edward Kosar, IV
Robert Waddell
Harris Woodward
Elizabeth Woolford

Monday | April 22

Tania Allen
Kelly Amrozowicz
Jackie Bellini
Adam Buckley
Virginia Echols
Katherine Harder
Erik Howard
Herbie Lanoux
James Turnage

Tuesday | April 23

Pat Brown
Scheherazade Brown
Peggy Callahan
Elizabeth Carter
Nancy Dodson
Leila Frayser
Christine James
Liz Jeglinski
Mike Pinkerton
Lauren Williams

Wednesday | April 24

Julianna Boedeker Eleanor Floyd George Gandy Nancy Hunter Reese Young

Thursday | April 25

Rory Dewling Jennifer Gordon Robert Springer Cate Stevens

Friday | April 26

Millie Constant Bea Henderson Ross Herman Andrew Kaufman Art Lesesne Abby Rigole

Saturday | April 27

James Bryant Faith Coffman Ed Henderson Arden McClain Meghan Vesel

Prayer List

Those who are ill

Sandy Thim
Chris Blankenship, son of Jeann Blankenship
Natalie DeMars, niece of Laura DeMars
Alan Demascus, friend of All Saints'
All those injured and suffering in Israel, Gaza, Ukraine,

Those to have surgery

Julian May III, nephew of Caroline Echols

and all places riven by conflict

Those recovering from illness or surgery

Bruce Garner

Those who have died

Annie Geer, aunt of Jane Vickers
Cynthia McMorries, mother of Missi McMorries
All those who have died in Israel, Gaza, Ukraine,
and all places riven by conflict

Thanksgivings and prayers answered

Sidney Boozer

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Sunday, April 21, 2024 — The Fourth Sunday of Easter

THIS SUNDAY

Sunday, April 21

- 8:00 a.m. (Traditional Language, No Music)
- 9:00 a.m. (Contemporary Language, Choral Music)
- 11:15 a.m. (Contemporary Language, Choral Music)
- 5:00 p.m. The Welcome Table (Contemporary Language, Contemplative Music)

PARKING: Overflow parking is available at the Bank of America—get a validation ticket upon entry from an usher. Please request an additional validation ticket from an usher in the church narthex upon arrival or exit. Use both validation tickets upon exiting the Bank of America parking deck to park free of charge.

Earth Day Service

Saturday, April 20, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., the Clara Meer Dock in Piedmont Park

Join the All Saints' community as we celebrate the beauty of Creation, and God's call to steward "This fragile Earth, our island home." It's a beautiful opportunity for us to bring the joy of this Christian community out into our neighborhood.

Refugee Ministries' Annual Spring Picnic

Saturday, April 20, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Leila Mason Park in Stone Mountain

Please join us for our annual Refugee Ministries Spring Picnic in Stone Mountain. This is a great opportunity for teens, families and new volunteers. SIgn up to help with transportation, food, games and more at bit.ly/RefMinspringpicnic

Senior Sunday

Sunday, April 21, 9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m., Church

Join us as we celebrate our high school seniors and hear some of them preach short homilies during the 9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. services. All seniors are invited to attend! For more information, please contact youth minister, Luke Nolfa at lnolfa@allsaintsatlanta.org.

School of the Spirit: Welcoming the Stranger

Sunday, April 21, 10:20 a.m. - 11:05 a.m., Ellis Hall

This is the second part of a two-session course, taught by Louisa Merchant, will explore the question of immigration through a biblical and theological lens. We will examine the history of U.S. immigration law, how Christians engage immigration issues and the significance of Refugee Ministries at All Saints'.

Parenting with God

Sunday, April 21, 10:20 a.m. - 11:05 a.m., Ross Room

Gather with other parents, grandparents, godparents, and parent figures as we learn about how God informs us, walks with us, and models for us how to parent our children.

Share Your Thoughts: Future Of Our Block

Join us on Sunday, May 5 at 10:20 a.m. in Ellis Hall, to learn about the findings of our Parish-Wide survey!



Jesus on the Front Page

Sundays, 10:20 a.m. - 11:05 a.m., Parish Hall 307 Join this ongoing discussion of the news of the day and how we are called as Christians to respond in the public arena, in our private lives, and in our prayers.

The Welcome Table: Sunday Evening Worship Service and Dinner

Sundays at 5:00 p.m., In the Chapel and Ellis Hall Before your busy week begins, the Welcome Table is a place to join with others and find rest and refreshment. Come to the Welcome Table: a service of music (song and solo instrument), prayer (together and in ways that speak to us individually), and communion. A community dinner for all participants follows the service.

GIVING

Remember a loved one, honor a graduate or welcome the baptized

With a gift to our Memorials and Gifts Fund. These funds are used for worship at All Saints'. All Saints' notifies your honoree or family of the deceased of the gift you gave. Their name is also inscribed in the All Saints' Book of Remembrances and in the All Saints Day bulletin in November.

Make checks payable to All Saints' with "Memorials and Gifts" in the memo line or online giving click the "Memorials and Gifts" dropdown choice. The average amount for these gifts is \$25-\$100. This is a beautiful way to offer a lasting legacy.

Questions? Please contact Charlie Boyd, Chair of the Memorials and Gifts Committee at chsboyd@aol.com

allsaintsatlanta.org/give

Please give generously to our All Saints' offering plate, in-person and online.

WORSHIP & MUSIC

Graduate Recital: José Montanez

Friday, April 26, 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Church Georgia State University scholar singer José Montanez will perform a recital at All Saints', as he prepares to receive his Master's Degree. This event is free to attend.

American Guild of Organists (AGO) Distinguished Artist Award Ceremony

Friday, April 26, 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., The Cathedral of St. Philip On this evening, All Saints' emeritus organists & choirmasters Ray & Beth Chenault will receive the National AGO Distinguished Artist Award at a gala event. Tickets are available at the door or at: agohq.org/2024-gala. The cost is \$20.

Sunday Callers' Flower Delivery

Sundays, April 21 - May 5, from 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m., in the Church's Flower Sacristy

Sunday Callers needs vases (approx. 5" to 7" high) and additional volunteers. You can leave vases in the Flower Sacristy. Call / text Pat Robinson, 404-395-5793 to volunteer or learn more.

World Labyrinth Day

Saturday, May 4, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., in the Chapel Come celebrate the global event! Individuals and groups alike are welcome to walk, make chalk labyrinths and engage in other activities.

ADULT FORMATION

School of the Spirit: Making Sense of the Old Testament

Wednesdays in spring, 6:45 p.m. - 8:15 p.m., Parish Hall 305/306 and on Zoom

Join Ryan Bonfiglio for a twelve-week course that not only examines the contents of the Old Testament, but also its significance today. The course is 12 weeks long and those weeks are broken into three blocks: Remaining sessions will be held on April 24 and May 1. Registration is still available! Visit us online at bit.ly/ allsaints-ot

Queer Theology Worship Service

Wednesday, April 24, 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., in the Chapel Join Emory Candler School of Theology graduate Ryan Washington and friends for a three-part A refreshingly new twist on our typical Eucharist! The Rev. Rhett Solomon is bringing the Word with our own The Rev. Dr. Jennifer McBride presiding.

Adult Inquirer's Class

Wednesdays, April 24 through May 15, 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., on Zoom and In-Person (Final Class Only)

Adult Inquirer's Class is a four-part introduction to the life of faith at All Saints'. Meetings are on Wednesday nights, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. The first three meetings are on Zoom with the final session in person over dinner at the church. Participants are asked to commit to all four sessions. Additional adult inquirers classes will be held later in the spring. For more details contact Simon Mainwaring at (smainwaring@allsaintsatlanta.org) or Tracey Sage (tsage@allsaintsatlanta.org).

Contemplative Prayer

Wednesdays in winter and spring, 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Parish Hall 202 $\,$

Join fellow parishioners for contemplative prayer after Wednesday Night Supper. Participants read aloud from and discuss contemplative writers in the first half hour, then practice silent centering prayer in the second half hour.

PARISH LIFE

Wednesday Night Supper

Wednesdays in spring, 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., Ellis Hall Enjoy an evening meal in community followed by a casual worship service and communion. The cost is \$11 for adults and \$5 for children and youth and college students. You may register at bit. ly/ASEC-WNS and pay online or pay at the door.

2024 Annual Parish Meeting

Sunday, May 12 from 10:20 a.m. - 11:00 a.m., Ellis Hall Join us for our Annual Parish Meeting, when we reflect on the past year and elect new members of the Vestry.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Weekly Children & Youth Formation

Nursery/Little Saints

Birth-Pre-K, 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., 1st floor of the Pritchett Center

Children's Church

K-5th grade, 8:40 a.m. - 9:30 a.m., 2nd floor of the Pritchett Center

Children Formation

K-5th grade, 10:20 a.m. - 11:05 a.m., 2nd floor of the Pritchett Center

Youth Formation

6th-12th grade, 10:20 a.m. - 11:05 a.m., The Attic (3rd floor of the Pritchett Center)

Sunday Night Live (SNL)

Sundays, 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., The Attic

All youth in grades 6th-12th are invited to join us for dinner, fellowship, and fun as we gather for Sunday Night Live, our traditional youth program! We gather at 6:00 p.m. for dinner and end at 7:30 p.m.

Moving Up Celebration

Sunday, May 12, 9:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m., Church Join us during the worship service to mark the moving up of our 3rd graders into our tween program, Club 45, and the 5th graders into our Youth program, Y'all Saints. These milestone moments give us a chance to pray for and celebrate the life and spiritual learning of our children.

SAVE THE DATE: Vacation Bible School (VBS) has been scheduled for June 3 - 7 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon, with after-care available. Watch this space for additional information about VBS!

YOUNG ADULTS

Brunch & Bible Study

Sunday, May 5, 12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m., The Ross Room Come enjoy a delicious meal and lively conversation with the Young Adults of All Saints'. All are invited — whether you're looking to connect for the first time, reconnect after a long while, or keep connections going! Childcare is available upon request. Please e-mail Tasia Blair (youngadults@allsaintsatlanta.org), our Young Adult Coordinator, for more information.

Young Adult Fellowship Online!

Are you in your 20s or 30s and interested in fellowship, discipleship, and service? Reach out to Tasia Blair, our Young Adult Coordinator, at youngadults@allsaintsatlanta.org to receive our monthly newsletter, get added to the WhatsApp group chat and find out what events we have coming up!

SERVICE

Midtown Assistance Center (MAC) 5K RACE

Saturday, May 11, 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., in Piedmont Park The Midtown Assistance Center (MAC) is once again preparing for its 10th Annual Midtown Race for MAC 5K at Piedmont Park on May 11, 2024. The START/FINISH is near Park Tavern and Midtown High School at 500 10th St NE, Atlanta, GA 30309. Registration is \$35 per person.

Threads Welcomes Families for Shopping

Threads welcomes families for in-store shopping Thursdays and Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

We are currently in need of:

- Boys' clothing sizes 6, 8, 10 and 12
- BOOKS, BOOKS, BOOKS

Also, feel free to check out our Amazon wish list here: bit.ly/ASECThreadsApr2024

Interested in volunteering? Contact Marcia Mayfield at threads@allsaintsatlanta.org





We're excited to get to know you, and to welcome you to this amazing community. You can use this QR code to help us stay in touch, or if you'd prefer pen and paper, you can fill out one of the visitor cards in the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate or hand it to a staff member.