



ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Announcements

November 18, 2018

KIDS connection



November Theme – Jam Session: Build a Better Beat (Cooperation)

No matter what our age is, we all have skills and strengths. And each one of us has a part to play in the body of Christ.

Today during Kids Connection we talk about what part we can play and how we can work together as one body.

Reminder — no Kids Connection next Sunday, November 25. Have a great Thanksgiving weekend!

KIDS CONNECTION DATES

Children meet for Kids Connection on Sunday, December 2. The remaining Sundays in December will not have Kids Connection classes.

Join us for the Children's Christmas program on December 9 and Lessons and Carols on December 16

FOOD ALLERGENS

All Saints Lutheran Church seeks to provide a safe environment for those with life-threatening allergies to ingredients such as nuts. Groups and individuals who bring food into the building for common consumption are asked to refrain from products that contain nuts. This helps us comply with safety standards for our childcare and preschool during the week. To make worship welcoming to all, All Saints also provides communion wafers that are free of all of the most common allergens, including gluten. If you have questions, contact the church office.

FELLOWSHIP HALL ART

View photography from last weekend's Music and Art Showcase on display in Fellowship Hall. The pieces by photographer Chris Roth are from his "Everywhere I Go I See You" collection in which he reflects on everyday encounters with the divine.

Chris is a local art teacher and member of Crossview Lutheran Church in Edina. The eight pieces will be on display at All Saints until Sunday, November 25, and then move to Church of the Cross in Hopkins.

CHRISTMAS GIFT COLLECTION

What a joyful time of year to share your blessings with others. At All Saints we have a tradition of sending gifts to children at Casa Hogar Elim Orphanage in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico.

Stop by the Christmas tree in Fellowship Hall to select an ornament with the name of a child or young adult. On the sheet on the table, record your name and the child's name.

Place donated items and the ornament with the child's name in the barrel or on the table by the tree by Sunday, December 2.

Donations of gift bags, tissue wrap, Walmart gift cards and cash donations for shipping are also appreciated. Questions? Contact Nancy Lovaas (lovaasbn@msn.com) or 952.486.1313. ¡Muchas gracias!

RE-DESIGNED WEB SITE

Check out our newly designed, mobile-friendly website! You can access audio of past sermons through the website and our church app (see how-to download information in the lower-right gray box). We think you'll find this site easier to navigate. Visit AllSaintsMtka.org and let us know what you think!

THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP

Wednesday, November 21, 7 p.m.

Celebrate thankfulness at the Thanksgiving Eve worship service.

After the service, stay for **Pie Fest** and fellowship. Your donation of pies are welcome. Please indicate the type of pie you will bring in the binder at the Welcome Center.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

Order and donate a lovely poinsettia to decorate the sanctuary for Christmas Eve services. Request a dedication for a poinsettia placed in memory or honor of someone with your donation (please note on the form). Find donation forms behind the Welcome Center.

Dedications are listed in the Christmas Eve bulletins.

A \$20 donation per plant is suggested. Forms are due in the church office by **Sunday, November 25.**

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

Visit the Welcome Center for information about All Saints and enjoy coffee and conversation in Fellowship Hall between services.

During services, find children's worship bags by Sanctuary doors.

CONNECTION CARDS

If you're a guest this morning, we encourage you to fill out the blue Connection Card attached to your bulletin and place it in the offering plate. This helps us connect with you and serve you better.

ALL SAINTS MOBILE APP

Download the app for easy access to news, last Sunday's message, events calendar, and more. Search for "All Saints Minnetonka" on Google Play or the Apple App Store.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Friday: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

OWLS CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 9, 5 p.m.

Presbyterian Homes

5330 Beacon Hill Road, Minnetonka

Join the OWLS (Older, Wiser Lutheran Saints) for songs, food, and fellowship at the holiday celebration in the party room (The Terrace) at Presbyterian Homes. Please bring an hors d'oeuvre and \$3 to cover expenses.

Sign up at the Welcome Center so we know you're coming. The party starts at 5 p.m. sharp!



Thursday, November 22

Give back before you give thanks. Join in a fun family-friendly walk at the Mall of America on Thanksgiving morning. Bring the whole family and help raise funds for ICA.

For more information, visit their website (walktoendhunger.org).

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday, December 9

Children's Christmas Program
9 and 10:30 a.m. service

Sunday, December 16

Lessons and Carols
9 and 10:30 a.m. service

Sunday, December 23

One worship service at 10 a.m.

Christmas Eve, December 24

Candlelight Worship Services
3, 4:30 and 10 p.m. – Traditional
8 p.m. – Contemporary

Sunday, December 30

One worship service at 10 a.m.

OTHER EVENTS

Today – Commitment Sunday

9 a.m. Kids Connection

Monday

6 p.m. Congregation Council

Tuesday

6:45 p.m. Carillon Choir

7:30 p.m. Men's AA

Wednesday

7 p.m. Thanksgiving Eve Worship

7:45 p.m. Pie Fest

Thursday

All Day Church Office Closed

Friday

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Saturday

8 a.m. Men's Group

Sunday

9 and 10:30 a.m. Worship

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