

Recalling, Reclaiming, Renewing

NEW ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

4408 Liberty Heights Avenue Baltimore, MD 21207

TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

MISSION STATEMENT

New All Saints' Congregation is a body of stewards of God's goodness who are called to witness our belief, hope, and love of God through prayer and worship (LITURGY) by actively loving our neighbors (SERVICE), by sharing the Good News thus making disciples (EVANGELIZATION) by identifying with the Body of Christ (FELLOWSHIP), and by establishing and forming one another to become more like Christ (EDUCATION).

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Mia Johnson, Secretary

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

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CORPORATORS

Mrs. Edie House-Foster Mr. Alexander Wright

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MUSIC MINISTRY

Mr. David Bunn (410) 542-0445 x115

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mrs. Lisa Scott, Administrator CCD (410) 542-0445 x105

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - 4:00 p.m. Sunday - 9:45 a.m. Tuesday-Friday - 8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:15-3:50 p.m. Or by appointment

Special Thank You

In Christ, Fr. Kenny

I am very thankful for the love and support I have received from all the members of the three Parishes (New All Saints, St. Edward, and St. Gregory the Great) and in a special way the members of the Jubilee Committee for the wonderful time they volunteered to make the celebration a wonderful and memorable event. I pray that God will continue to reward you for your love and care towards me and your support towards my dream healthcare projects at the AIHWA Hope Center in Nigeria.

NAS Church Bulletin Boards have been refreshed, you are encouraged to place announcements, ministry pictures, upcoming events/activities, fundraising, or anything you would like to share about your ministry on the boards. Push pins are available.

Remember: The NAS Food Pantry needs: Spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, tuna, cold cereal, hot cereal, canned fruit, mixed vegetables and green beans. Thank you for your continued generosity and support in our efforts to feed the hungry.

UPDATE YOUR NAS CHURCH SOCIAL MEDIA/CONTACT INFORMATION: Information is conveyed via phone, email, text messaging, and Flocknote. Send updates to naschurchcc@gmail.com and include your ministry affiliations. Thank you.

NEW ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Website: <u>www.naschurch.org</u> Phone: (410-542-0445)

NEW ALL SAINTS CHURCH BULLETIN 23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- ◆ PLANNING TO MARRY? Arrangements should be made with the Parish Office at least six months in advance.
- ♦ INFANT BAPTISM? Baptism Preparation Conferences are required of parents and godparents. To make arrangements, contact the Parish Office at 410-542-0445, or email office@naschurch.org
- → ILL, HOME-BOUND, HOSPITALIZED, UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS? Please notify the Church office so that contact can be made for visits and reception of the sacraments.
- ♦ MEDICAL EMERGENCIES: Entering the hospital for a medical procedure? "Anointing of the Sick" may be administered prior to medical procedures and at the medical center. Contact the Parish office or see clergy.

TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS

Isaiah 35:4-7a Psalms146: 7-10 James 2:1-5 Mark 7:31-37

RESPONSORIAL: "Praise the Lord, My

soul."

N.A.S. SUNDAY LITURGY OF THE WORD

Available at – MyParishApp.com, Homilies Mass Intentions: Saturday, September 7, 2024 @ 4:00 pm – For the good of the parish. Sunday September 8, 2024- Divine Intervention for Family Health- Anonymous

Weekend/Weekday Mass Intentions - submit to the NAS Church Office or to the Sacristans

(envelopes in rear hallway of Church).

Church Bulletins available: www.naschurch.org

CHURCH OFFERINGS/TITHES - Ways to make your Offertory Contributions to NAS:

- 1) Drop off: church, rectory or U.S. Mail to the New All Saints Church, 4408 Liberty Heights Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21207
- 2) Online Giving www.archbalt.org/giving using bank or credit card click on "Donate," select "NAS 1208", complete the "my parish offering information. Include your envelope number for proper credit, submit. Please know that NAS receives your online offerings from the Archdiocese. We thank you for your continued support.

"SHUT-IN" PARISHIONERS: Vivian Bailey,

William Baker, Lorna Brice, Joyce Davis, Marlene Downs, William Garrett, Harriett Garrett, Eula Gray, Bernadette Leeds, Anita Parker, Frances Sims, Milton Shipley, Frances Smith.

PARISHIONERS IN NURSING HOMES and

HOSPITALS: Vashti Bristol (Autumn Lake at Arlington West Rehabilitation and Healthcare), Rhona Lewis (Autumn Lakes Nursing Home-Bellona Avenue)

AILING PARISHIONERS: Rhaiyanna Allen, Vickie Barry, Sylvia Buchanan, Madeline Campbell, Charles Coates, Christine Coates, Elvard Cooper, Belinda Cornish, Jean Dennis, Sandra Fowlkes, Carolyn Gray, Eleanor Hairston, Jeanette Hall, Lora Hargrove, Barbara Harris, Martha Henley, Donna Hunter, Catherine Johnson, Shirley Johnson, Toba King, Aubrey Knox, Gwendolyn Lindsay, Billy Lynch, Genevieve Massey, Doris Matthews, Denise Matthews, Karen McGlothern

Please join us TODAY, Sunday, September 8, 2024, immediately after mass in the church hall for a mini fellowship event, where Jackie Craig, Karen Webb, and Fr. Kenny will share their experience from their trip to Nigeria, Light refreshments will be served.

AILING PARISHIONERS (continued):

Alvin Moore, Emily Moore, Frances Moore, Betty Morton, Patrycia Pickett, Eva Pope, Loristine Sheppard, Donald Smith, Donald H. Stokes, Sr., Carla Thompson, Rita Turner, Margaret Wallace.

SICK FAMILY & FRIENDS: Francine Allen,

Mark Amoyal, Carol Boone, Carolyn Campbell, Hughie Cox, Judith Daniel, Marvin Dawkins, Angele Drewniak, Jeanette Garrett, Dwight Gross, Joseph N. Hall II, Vera Hall, Myles Harris, Dennis Hamlin, Traci, Holmes, Michelle Humphrey, Kaneez Fantima Isfahani, Donald Jackson, Benjamin Jones, Constantia Jones, Shelley Jones, Tom King, Robin Martin, Josephine McCoy, Zahara Moor, Karen Moore, Robert Quarles, Dr. Adrian Sanchez, Adia Y. Stokes, Jacobi K. Stokes, Sue Tiggle, Harriet Tribble, Barbara Wade, Isabella Walker, Stephanie Walker, Retha and Cassandra (Friends of Ruth Jones)

New All Saints Parishioners:

Words cannot convey how much your expressions of love and caring meant to the family of Ivy Anderson Lawal (Jan. 10, 1962 to Aug. 12, 2024). Your kindness and support continue to be a great source of comfort to our family, and we thank you.

Rernadette Anderson

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

9/8	Helen Cabral; Berdella Gladden; Mary James;
	Jeanette Lloyd; Ingrid McLaughlin; Charise
	Walker

Cathy Dixon-Kheir; Christopher Murphy

9/11 Linda Brown; Michael Gambrill;
Mona Magruder

9/12 Martina Efeyini; Terray Steele

9/10

9/13 Lauren Carter; Joseph Dorsey; Brian Hawkins; Martha Jones; Fenton Mallory; Rodney Simon

9/14 Catherine Dorsey; Raashid Williams

Rew All Saints Commissioning for Religious
Education will take place on Sunday, September
15th during the 9:45AM Mass. The following Ministries
will be commissioned: Baptism Preparation, Bible
Study-Adult, Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCDSunday School), Marriage Preparation, Confirmation,
and Youth Ministry-Advisors. Commissioning Sunday is a
wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each
person plays in handing on the faith and being a witness
to the gospel. Let us all re-dedicate ourselves to this
mission as a community of faith. Thank you and we look
forward to seeing you all then!

<u>Adult Sacramental Classes</u> will start on Saturday September 28th. Classes will be held in the Rectory Conference Room. Call the office for more information.

The September Men's Club meeting on Tuesday, September 10 at 7pm will be held in the temporary choir room which is the classroom nearest the men's room in the 1st floor rear hallway. Male church members who are interested in being a member are invited to attend the meeting.

The Oblate Sisters of Providence will be holding their Annual fundraiser, Jazz with the Oblate Sisters, on Saturday, October 19, 2024, from 1:00 PM until; 4:00 PM, featuring the Spice Band. Light refreshments will be available The event will be held at the Oblate Sisters of Providence Sacred Heart Hall, 701 Gun Rd., Baltimore, MD. Tickets are \$35.00. Please contact Janice Greene (443) 253-1804, for information and Tickets.

Did You Know?

International Buy a Priest a Beer Day occurs annually on September 9th. It isn't officially commemorated by any Christian denomination. However, it is still a day when Catholics build relationships with their priests by taking them out for a beer, showing appreciation, and sharing how their ministry has been important to them. If you can't take your priests out, then offer a prayer for them or give them a thank you note.

St. Vicent DePaul During the month of September SVDP will collect new blankets and throws for people in need. A box for your donation is located in the rear hallway of the church. Thanks for your support

SAVE THE DATE

October 1-11, 2025 – Trip to Greece, 11days/9 nights. An initial deposit of \$400 for registrations is currently being accepted. Cost \$5,095pp double occupancy, includes air, 7 nights lodging, 2 nights cruise, meals, tips, and tours. Contact Gloria Herndon for additional information at (410) 542-0445.

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

All of us at one time or the other come to moments when we say, "Gosh! How I wish my brother/sister could see this or hear that! Gosh! how I wish my Dad or Mom would be alive to see what I have become, etc. All these gosh outbursts speak about some things delightful we have come to experience and wish that others close to us would have the same experience. On a deeper thought, these gosh moments begin with a dream followed by some action to get to the dreams. Today's Scripture readings began with the dream of the Prophet Isaiah about what God will do for those whose hearts are frightened—like people who are giving up their dreams due to the circumstances they found themselves in. He prophesied to them that God will come with His divine vindication and recompense. He then encouraged them on a lifestyle to be able to realize that dream. These days of politicking we will hear so much about dreams, and often, without articulate works needed to realize them. However, the best of dreams are those that help us to see better than before, know better than before, and to be able to speak now more than before with our heads held high. Our second reading tells us that the path to our spiritual dreams of divine approval is paved by good works to other people and accepting of all as we are as children of God. Lastly, the friends of the deaf and dumb man who brought him to Jesus expressed the "gosh" moment if their friend could hear Jesus and speak in praise of God. And let's be honest: is there no one you know who you can say: Gosh I wish she/he could hear the word of God and praise God than hear only anti-religious groups and speak only in hateful language about God and Religion. If there is, will you bring that person to Church next week? Buy that person a good spiritual book or a spirit-filled song/DVD? You can do it; and that may be the gosh moment those people are waiting for. As the schools blossom again life has returned in most institutions of the American life. Let's use this time to lead others to their gosh moments. And may God bless you as you do this, Amen.



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