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**NEW ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH  
(Merging With St. Cecelia & Immaculate Conception)**

**4408 Liberty Heights Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21207**

**SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
FEBRUARY 23, 2025**

**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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**OFFICE HOURS**

Monday, Wednesday, Friday:

9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

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**CORPORATORS**

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**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



We are so glad that you have chosen to worship with us today. We pray that your time here is a blessing to you, and we invite you to return, whenever you choose. If you are searching for a new Church family, we hope that you will consider our parish. God bless.

**UPDATE YOUR NAS CHURCH SOCIAL MEDIA/CONTACT INFORMATION:** Information is conveyed via phone, email, text messaging, and Flocknote. Updates can be submitted by visiting <https://bit.ly/NASCommunicationSignUP> or sending an e-mail to [naschurchcc@gmail.com](mailto:naschurchcc@gmail.com) and include your ministry affiliations. Thank you.

**Remember:** Complaints have been lodged that some parishioners have been excessive in the lighting of the prayer candles. This practice prevents others from remembering their loved ones. Please consider others when lighting your candles by limiting the number of candles you light. Remember to deposit twenty -five cents per candle to assist with the replenishment of the candles.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

**NEW ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH Website: [www.naschurch.org](http://www.naschurch.org) Phone: (410-542-0445)**

**NEW ALL SAINTS CHURCH BULLETIN**  
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**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](mailto: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:**

1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

Psalms 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13

1 Corinthians 15:45-49

Luke 6:27-38

**RESPONSORIAL:** “*The Lord is kind and merciful.*”

**N.A.S. SUNDAY LITURGY OF THE WORD**

Available at – [MyParishApp.com](http://MyParishApp.com), Homilies

**Mass Intentions:**

**Saturday, February 15, 2025 @ 4:00 pm**

For the good of the parish.

**Sunday, February 16, 2025 @ 9:45 a.m. :**

For Divine Intervention in Family health.

**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](http://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, 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), Toba King (A.L.I.V.E. Assisted Living-Ellicott City), Rhona Lewis (Autumn Lakes Nursing Home-Bellona Avenue)

**AILING PARISHIONERS:** Rhaiyanna Allen, Vickie Barry, Sylvia Buchanan, Madeline Campbell, Christine Coates, Belinda Cornish, Jean Dennis, Sandra Fowlkes, Carolyn Gray, Paris Greene, Eleanor Hairston, Jeanette Hall, Lora Hargrove, Barbara Harris, Martha Henley, Donna Hunter, Catherine Johnson, Shirley Johnson, Aubrey Knox, Gwendolyn Lindsay, Billy Lynch, Rosalyn Miller, Genevieve Massey, Doris Matthews

**AILING PARISHIONERS continued...**

Karen McGlothorn, Emily Moore, Frances Moore, Betty Morton, Patricia Pickett, Eva Pope, 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, 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 Tiggler, Harriet Tribble, Barbara Wade, Isabella Walker, Stephanie Walker, Retha and Cassandra (Friends of Ruth Jones)

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 2/23 Oarhe Iyayi; Derek Shepherd  
2/24 Caludette Evans; Martha Henley;  
Ryeshia Holley; Phyllis Wright-Dorsey;  
Janel Robinson  
2/25 Sanyah Henry; Aubrey Knox; Joshua Woods  
2/26 Jaden Baker; Chinyere Chikeka;  
William Garrett; Sashcre Ghreaves;  
Kayla Jenifer; Alendia Johnson  
2/27 Jamal Hill; Miles McLaughlin  
3/01 Paris Greene; Sharrieff Graham-Smith

### SAVE THE DATE

#### **TODAY IS FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY - February 23 2025:**

The Altar Servers, Religious Education, Liturgical Dancers, Music Ministry and Youth Groups invite you to join us. Come experience and extend the excitement of the Youth Mass, and our celebration of Black History Month with fellowship and refreshments immediately after Mass in the Church Hall.

#### **April 27, 2025 (Sunday) - 23rd Annual Bull and Oyster**

**Roast:** The Women of New All Saints (WNAS) Church will host at Martin's West from 1pm - 5pm. Ticket: \$75. A detailed flyer is in the bulletin. Contact any WNAS member for tickets. Their contact information is on the flyer. **Also,** The WNAS will hold their **Annual Scholarship Raffle** drawing at the Bull and Oyster Roast on Sunday, April 27, 2025. Tickets are \$3, a detailed flyer is in the bulletin. Prizes: 1st prize, Lenovo Laptop; 2nd prize, Amazon Fire HD 10 Tablet, 3rd prize, \$100 Visa Gift Card. Please contact any WNAS member for tickets. Contact information is on the flyer.

**June 19, 2025, NAS Travel Club - 1)** Travel with New All Saints Travel Club to Sight and Sound to see Noah. Tickets are now available, \$180 pp includes transportation, play, and buffet luncheon. An initial deposit of \$25 is being accepted now.

**2) October 1-11, 2025** – Trip to Greece, 11 days/9 nights. An initial deposit of \$400 for registrations is currently being accepted. Cost \$4,960 per person based on double occupancy, including air, 7 nights lodging, 2 nights cruise, meals, tips, and tours.

Contact Gloria Herndon for tickets and additional information at (410) 542-0445.

### WEEKLY REFLECTION

*“Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you.” (Luke 6:27-28)*

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

**This week’s Gospel challenges us to embrace a love that is radical, selfless, and merciful. Jesus calls us to love not only those who love us but even those who wish us harm. This is not an easy command; it goes against our human nature to respond to hate with love and to bless those who curse us. Yet, Jesus tells us that this is the way of the Kingdom—the way of divine love.**

**Think for a moment about the times you have been hurt, betrayed, or insulted. The natural response is to seek justice, perhaps even revenge. But Jesus invites us to something greater: to reflect God’s mercy in our own lives. He does not ask us to ignore wrongdoing but to respond in a way that transforms rather than destroys.**

**"Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful." (Luke 6:36)**

**Mercy is at the heart of this passage. The world teaches us to give as we get, to measure out love and forgiveness based on what others deserve. But Jesus teaches us to give freely, without expecting anything in return. This is how God loves us—without conditions, without limits. When we love in this way, we reveal the face of Christ to the world.**

**May the Holy Spirit give us the strength to love as Christ loves, to bless rather than curse, and to be instruments of His mercy in a world that so desperately needs it.**

*In Christ’s Love,*

*Fr. Kenny Udumka*

*Pastor, New All Saints Church*

Your **2025 New All Saints Church Envelopes** are now available in the front foyer of the church in numerical order. Check off your name on the sign-in sheet once you have picked them up. If you have not picked up your envelopes in the past two years you will need to reapply. If you have recently requested New All Saints Church Envelopes, they are also in the front foyer.



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