

Recalling, Reclaiming, Renewing

NEW ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH
(Merging With St. Cecilia & Immaculate Conception)
4408 Liberty Heights Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21207
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 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.

Tuesday, Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

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CORPORATORS

Mrs. Edie House-Foster

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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.

YOUTH NEWS! Trinity Brown has been accepted into the fall class at Mercy High School. She has received the Spirit of Mercy Award; this prestigious award recognizes students whose academic work, personal essay, and extracurricular activities exemplify the unique spirit and inspiring mission of the Sisters of Mercy. CONGRATULATIONS, Trinity!

NAS LENTEN MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday-Friday - Eucharistic Adoration, 8:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m., followed by daily Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Fridays during Lent: Stations of The Cross, 12:00 NOON

April 17, 2025 - Holy Thursday, 6:00 p.m.

April 18, 2025 - Good Friday:

12:00 NOON, Stations of The Cross

4:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

6:00 p.m. Service with Veneration of The Cross

April 19, 2025 - Easter Vigil, 8:00 p.m. (no 4:00 p.m. Mass)

April 20, 2025 - Easter Sunday, 9:45 a.m.

NEW ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH Website: 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
- ◆ **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:

Exodus 3:1-8a;13-15

Psalms 103:1-4,6-8

1 Corinthians 10:1-6,10-12

Luke 13:1-9

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

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

Available at – MyParishApp.com, Homilies

Mass Intentions:

Saturday, March 22, 2025 @ 4:00 pm

For the good of the parish.

Sunday, March 23, 2025 @ 9:45 a.m.:

1. For Divine Intervention in Family Health
2. Happy Birthday to Anthony Odeh from his loving family.

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, 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), Theresa Wongus (Chapel Hill Nursing Home-Randallstown).

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, Anita Turks Hunter, Donna Hunter, Catherine Johnson, Shirley Johnson, Aubrey Knox, Gwendolyn Lindsay, Billy Lynch,

AILING PARISHIONERS continued...

Rosalyn Miller, Genevieve Massey, Doris Matthews, 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 Tiggles, Harriet Tribble, Barbara Wade, Isabella Walker, Stephanie Walker, Retha and Cassandra (Friends of Ruth Jones)

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 3/23 Brittnie Gaskins; Cache Melvin;
Nicholas Pierre-Phillippe; Rita Taylor;
Constance Vance
- 3/24 Milton Shipley
- 3/25 Tina Hall; Lauren Webb; Jeffrey Wyatt
- 3/26 Kenya Morton; Anthony Tyree, Jr
- 3/27 Marie Brown; Donald Sterling; Logan Williams
- 3/28 Trinity Ezeala; Mable Jones; Frances Smith
- 3/29 Terri Mitchell; Adrian Mixon; Kiandra Randolph

SAVE THE DATE

March 28, 2025 (Saturday) @ 1:00 p.m. at NAS – The Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA) - In-person meeting to establish a NAS parish chapter, promotes faith, charity, and community involvement. For more information – www.catholicdaughters.org or Sandy Jones, Maryland State Secretary (410)746-0939.

April 5, 2025 (Saturday), Parish-wide Lenten Retreat, 9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m., New All Saints Church Hall – Theme: Advancing in Faith as We Journey Towards Holiness. “We have a great priest, Jesus in charge of the house of God. So let us come near to God with a sincere heart and a sure faith...Let us hold on firmly to the hope we profess because we can trust God to keep his promise (Hebrews 10:21, 22a, 23). “Let us Flock Together in Jesus’ name for God is always speaking somewhere, we must go to that place and listen.”

Rum and pound cakes are on sale for Easter!! Place orders with Rita Martin, (410) 292-1257, by Sunday, April 6th. All cakes - \$30. Proceeds to the Urban Resource Foundation for the NAS elevator project. Pickup Cakes: Good Friday (April 18th) - 11:00- 11:45 a.m. or Easter Sunday (April 20th) - 9:00-9:30 a.m., more details to follow. Please state pickup day preference, when ordering. Many thanks!!

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 Lenovo Laptop; 2nd Amazon

Fire HD 10 Tablet; 3rd \$100 Visa Gift Card. Contact any WNAS member for tickets, information is on the flyer.

June 19, 2025, NAS Travel Club - 1) Travel with NAS Travel Club to Sight and Sound to see Noah. Tickets are available, \$180pp includes transportation, play, and buffet luncheon. 2) **October 1-11, 2025** – Trip to Greece, 11days/9 nights. Registration deposit - \$400 is being accepted. Cost \$4,960. Contact Gloria Herndon for tickets and additional information at (410) 542-0445.




WEEKLY REFLECTION: “A CALL TO REPENTANCE AND FRUITFULNESS”

Dear Beloved in Christ,

In this passage from **Luke 13:1-9**, Jesus addresses two tragic events, reminding His listeners that suffering is not necessarily a sign of divine punishment. Instead, He calls everyone to **repentance**, urging them to turn back to God before it is too late. He then tells the **parable of the barren fig tree**, in which a tree that has not borne fruit for three years is given one more chance—one more season of care and cultivation—before it is cut down. This Gospel challenges us to reflect on our own spiritual lives. Have we been bearing fruit in our faith, or have we become complacent? God, in His great mercy, gives us time and opportunities to grow, but we must also respond. Repentance is not just about avoiding sin; it’s about living **fruitfully**, bringing love, kindness, and faith into the world.

Like the fig tree, we are given another chance. Jesus, the gardener, nourishes us with His grace, urging us to deepen our relationship with God and bear fruit in our daily lives.

This week, take time to reflect:

-  **What areas of my life need renewal and repentance?**
-  **How can I bear more spiritual fruit in my family, work, and community?**
-  **Am I making the most of the time God has given me?**

May we open our hearts to God’s mercy and embrace the call to a fruitful, faith-filled life. **Amen.**

In Christ’s Love,

Fr. Kenny Udumka

Pastor, New All Saints Church



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