



ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOLFEBORO, NH

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The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost / Year A

Ministry Assignments

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Sunday, October 29
The Twenty-Second
Sunday after Pentecost

Eucharistic Ministers

8am

Carol Simpson

10am

Gayle Gurney

Lector

Susan Fuller

Altar Guild

Susie Walker

Candace Tordonato

Usher

Holm

Flower Guild

Linda Siracusa

Flower Delivery

Lynne Slocum

Greeter

Volunteer



Morning Prayer

In many times and places, daybreak has been a time of prayer. Jews prayed in their synagogues at sunrise as well as at other times each day. This Jewish pattern of prayer formed the basis of the Christian monastic Daily Office, with its prayers or “hours” at seven times in each day. Thomas Cranmer’s revision of the Daily Office for the first English Prayer Book (1549) reduced the number of services to two—one for morning (Matins) and one for evening (Evensong or vespers). In the Second English Prayer Book (1552), the morning service was given its present name, Morning Prayer.

Morning Prayer, a service of the Word, once was the chief Sunday service in most Episcopal churches and throughout the Anglican communion. It was traditionally held on three out of four Sundays, the First Sunday

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The Twenty Second Sunday after Pentecost
Proper 25, Year A
October 29, 2023

MORNING PRAYER SERVICE

8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m., Morning Prayer, Rite II
Cate McMahon, Officiant
The Rev. William Petersen, Celebrant
Holly Simons, Music Minister

Sunday October 29 The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost



[Links to the Readings](#)

usually being a celebration of Holy Communion. This practice has not continued because the eucharist has been recognized as the “principal act of Christian worship on the Lord’s Day” in most parishes (see BCP, p. 13), However, Morning Prayer is clearly designated as a daily service for the worship of the church. This usage reflects the ancient tradition of the Daily Office.

We will experience Morning Prayer here at All Saints on Sunday, October 29th led by licensed worship leader Cate McMahon as I am preaching at St. Andrew’s in Hopkinton.

Grace and peace as you gather,

Bill+

Many Members One Body

The members of All Saints are Christians from many traditions unified by faith, fellowship and mission, accepting of all.

Giving is a spiritual practice. Each year we set aside particular time in the autumn to reflect anew on our gratitude for all God has given us —this year focusing on how we are *Many Members, One Body*. In celebration of our gratitude for all God has given us and our connection to Christ and one another, we offer a portion of what we’ve been given back to God in the form of an annual pledge. This year you received a puzzle piece (if you have not, please contact the church office) and asked you to return it with your pledge commitment. The puzzle that reflects the connected relationship of God to God’s people is coming together nicely (see it in the corner of the Parish Hall). Thank you!

**Memorial Service
for Lorraine Crocker
Tuesday, October 31, 2023**

at 11:00 am

Leviticus 19:1-2,15-18

Holiness revealed in acts of justice

Psalm 1 Their delight is in the law of the Lord

1 Thessalonians 2:1-8 The apostle's tender care for the Thessalonians

Matthew 22:34-46 Two great commandments: love for God and neighbor

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

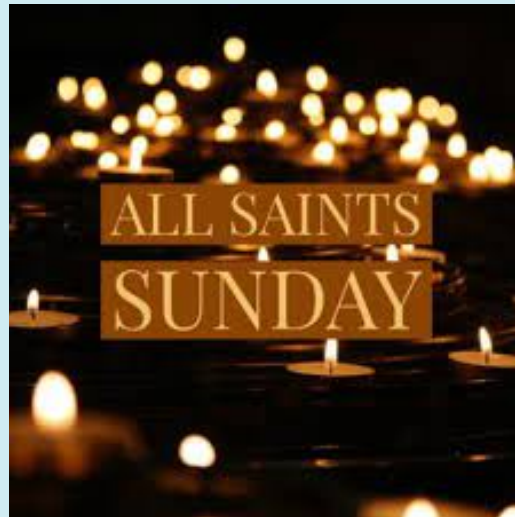
Flower Dedication

The chancel flowers are dedicated in loving memory of David from Tom & Sue Adams



Merciful Creator, your Holy Spirit intercedes for us even when we do not know how to pray. Send your Spirit now to comfort Lorraine's family, and all who mourn for her in these days of need and loss, and help us to commend her to your merciful care; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Names to Be Remembered on All Saints' Sunday, Nov. 5th



Request sheets can be found on the resource table outside the office or in the Narthex. You may also email your request to the office at allsaints@metrocast.net

Please have your requests in the office by October 29th.

1. First and Last Names may be used.
2. If the name is an unusual spelling, please include the pronunciation in parenthesis().
3. Please provide Names of those who died in the last year to be read on All Saints Sunday.
4. You may also provide names of those to be included in the Book of Remembrance for this year.

**God loves you.
No exceptions.**



The Episcopal Church Welcomes You.

This week we pray for:

For our Parish

Howard Blaney, Linda Brown, Jim & Anne Bullitt, Lorraine Crocker, Prue Fitts, Felicity Freund, Louise Graham, Judy Hess, Don Johnson, The Jeffers Family (Polly, Dave, Rachael), Zell Kellogg, Bhupendra & Judy Khetani, Jacqueline McLaughlin, Penny Meyer, Carol Pearson, Danielle Pierpont, Bree Schuette, Sebastian Tordonato, Lee White, Inger Woerheide.

For our Family & Friends

Basil Brown, Rebecca DeNeault, Candy Desrocher, Michael Dowd, Anne Fish, Stephanie Fullam, Ruth Gray, Linda Hall, Susan Belt Hartson, Dillon Johnson, Faye Juul, Jim Lunney, Margie, Tom Southern, Marguerite Truesdale, Ken Truesdale, Kyle Williams, Peggy Young.

From The Music and Tech Corner...



Soon we will be singing a 21st century hymn entitled “Canticle of the Turning” in our Sunday service. When I find I’m lost for how to pray or express the deep grieving of how the world is “turning”, I seek songs and texts that resonate with my mind and heart.

The verses of this hymn minister to me deeply (verse 2 & 4):

“Though I am small, my God, my all, You work great things in me... and Your mercy will last from the depths of the past to the end of the age to be. Your very Name puts the proud to shame, and to those who would for You yearn; You will show Your might, put the strong to flight, for the world is about to turn.

REFRAIN: My heart shall sing of the day You bring.... Let the fires of Your justice burn! Wipe away all tears, for the dawn draws near, and the world is about to turn.

Though the nations rage from age to age, we remember who holds us fast: God’s mercy must deliver us from the conqueror’s crushing grasp. This Saving word that our forebears heard is the promise which holds us bound; till the spear and rod can be crushed by God, Who is turning he world around. REFRAIN

Listen to the entire hymn here, and be renewed and helped by our Lord:

https://youtu.be/_Vc3S4QFQ_s?si=5k5X1OYR_sK0CRqv&t=82

Trusting, hoping, seeking wisdom with you,

Holly

ALL SAINTS' PET CORNER

Share that wonderful member of the family with us!

Please email (allsaints@metrocast.net) or drop at the office your pet pictures. Tell us a little something about your pet (any pet!). The picture will also be posted on the bulletin board in the Parish office hallway.



LOON

This is Loon. She is the newest member of the Woodard house. Not so much a puppy in size, but still very much a puppy in heart!

Halloween in the Neighborhood

On “All Hallows’ Eve,” the Trick-or-Treating celebration of ghosts, goblins and ghouls, happens the night before the festival celebrating all the saints. It is the hallmark of autumn here in New England and our march toward winter and the darkest days of the year. The history of Halloween is rooted in the eve of Samhain, a pagan Celtic celebration of the beginning of winter and the first day of the new year. This time of the ingathering of the harvest and the approach of winter apparently provided a reminder of human mortality. It was a time when the souls of the dead were said to return to their homes and bonfires set on hilltops to frighten away evil spirits. The popular festival was adopted and transformed when the British Isles were converted to Christianity.



Today it is our second (after Christmas!) most popular holiday, and an opportunity for us to welcome our neighbors and share with our community that the church is not a scary or judgmental group of people. It is a holy look at the kin-dom of God... most homes ready to welcome the stranger, to entertain whomever shows up, sharing laughter and sweetness, tricks or treats, with God’s children of all ages, angelic or devilish, saints or sinners alike!

This year we are encouraging visits and celebrating community with our civic neighbors at the Wolfeboro Public Safety building, Public Library, Clark Museum complex and All Saints Church.

We all hold that there is a strong correlation between a community’s health and the extent to which it celebrates Halloween and all of our kids. Afterall, what better way to honor the dead, prepare to celebrate the saints, and enter together the darkest time of the year than to embody Jesus’ call to love our neighbors as ourselves with some

sweet fun for all of our kids?



Thanksgiving For Saints of the Congregation

All Saints' Day commemorates all saints, known and unknown, on November 1st. All Saints' is one of the seven principal feasts of the church year, and one of the four days recommended for the administration of baptism. It may also be celebrated on the Sunday following, as we will on Sunday, November 5th for our parish feast/name day. If you would like for us to include the name of someone dear to you who has died in the past year, please let the office know by Sunday, October 29th.

O God of the pilgrim's way, we give thanks for those in generations past who have been examples for us of God's love at work in the world. As we pray, we know that we are surrounded by this great, rejoicing cloud of witnesses. Yet even as we name these holy ancestors, we thank God for others whose names we never knew or have forgotten, who showed us the meaning of life in Christ. Amen.



2024 Altar Flowers reservation is now open online. <https://ttsu.me/2024altarflowerrequest>

You can also drop a dedication slip in the office or email your request to allsaints@metrocast.net.

We also have more dates available at the end of this year to fill.
<https://ttsu.me/allsaintswolfe>.

Please remember to drop your payment to the office prior to your dedication. Thank you.



VESTRY NOTES

The Vestry met on Monday, October 16th. Here's a quick summary of our meeting. Please ask questions of any member if you'd like more information.

Celebrate: ECW creates opportunities to increase our fellowship activities, and this Friday, October 20, is no different! Enjoy a Harvest Supper beginning at 5:30 in the Parish Hall. Ham and beans are on the menu with many other goodies. Thanks to this group of volunteers who work hard with talent and good humor!

Challenge – Have you turned in your piece of the puzzle as your part of All Saints? The formal ingathering will be November 19th, but a picture is forming on the bulletin board with pieces of the puzzle already submitted. We are Many Members, One Body!

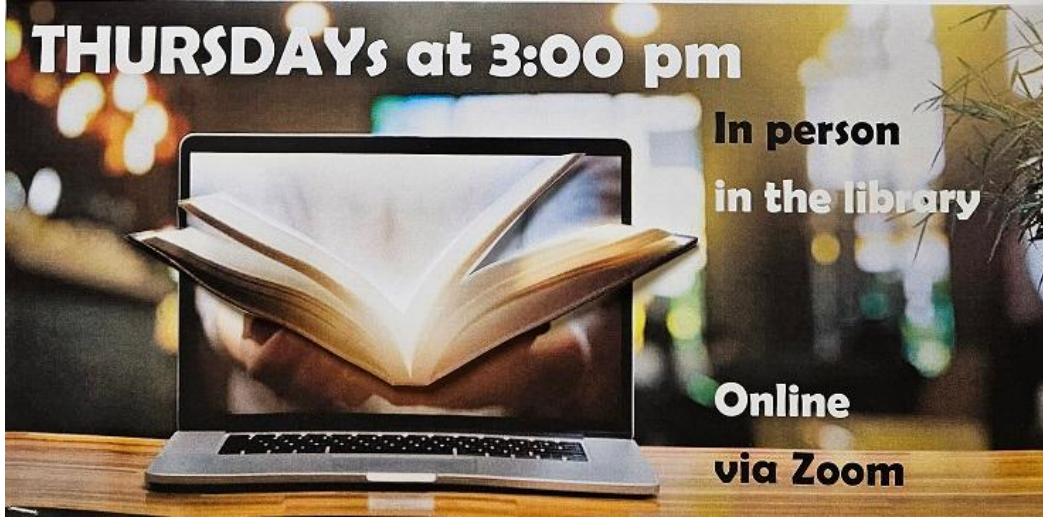
Something to Anticipate – On October 29th, the service of Morning Prayer will be led by Cate McMahan at both services. Those who remember the prayer book before 1979 may enjoy hearing familiar prayers, and those not as familiar may anticipate a new experience.

-Clerk, Lyn Healy



BIBLE STUDY TOGETHER!

THURSDAYs at 3:00 pm



**In person
in the library**

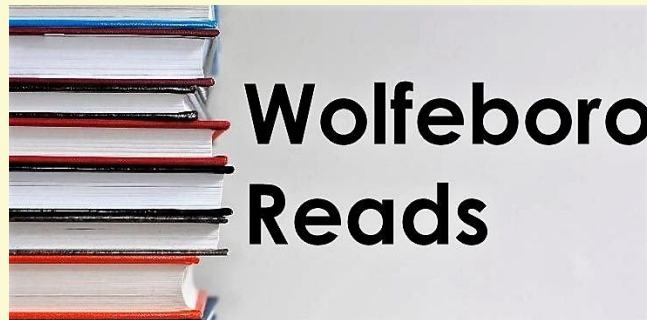
**Online
via Zoom**

October Thursday Bible Study

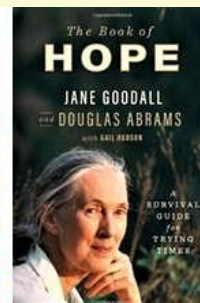
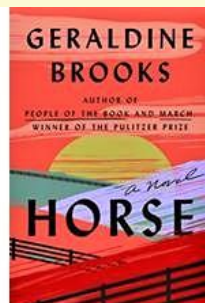
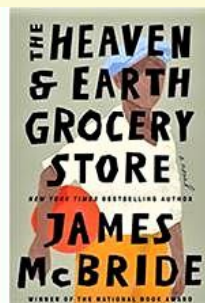
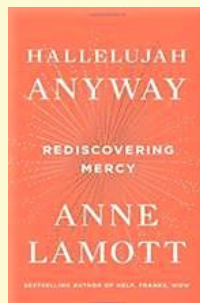
Thursdays in the Beck Library and online via Zoom at 3:00 pm, followed by Eucharist



First impressions stick with us. Paul's first impression of the Thessalonian Christians was an especially powerful one: The gospel message he preached grasped their hearts and minds, and transformed their lives. That memory moves Paul to write to the young church that's bubbling with a sense of the power of the living God. Beginning in October, we will walk through the letters to the early church in Thessolonika as we seek to open our lives to that God who leaves a lasting impression also on us. Join us as we reflect deeply on God's Word and seek to discover how you can participate more fully in God's kin-dom.



Please join us for our community book group as we gather via Zoom on Tuesdays 4:00-5:15 pm for reflection and discussion. The Wolfeboro Public Library and Country Bookseller have our lists.



October 10, 17, 24 - [The Heaven & Earth Grocery Store](#), by James McBride



Dinner Bell

DINING IN PERSON IN THE PARISH HALL THURSDAYS 5:00 PM

October 2023

10/26

**Cheese soup, Pork Schnitzel
 Potato, and brussel sprouts
 Bread, and dessert**

A reminder that our Dinner Bell program offers a community meal weekly on Thursdays 5:00-6:00 pm in the parish hall. All are welcome and donations are accepted to offset costs.

Your help is also welcome to share hospitality with our neighbors, please speak with Carol Simpson or Pastor Bill to volunteer.

November 2023 Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH * NOVEMBER 2023						
			1 1pm Knitting (L) 4p Table Tennis 6:30pm Choir	2 9am Men's Bible Study (L) 3pm Midweek Bible Study (L) 4pm Bereavement Group (SR) 5pm Dinner Bell	3 9pm AA Gratitude Buffet (PH) Pastor Bill Sabbath	4 10am AA Mtg (L)
5 PENTECOST 23 All Saints Sunday 8 & 10am Worship 10am Sunday School 6pm AA (PH)	6 7pm AIAnon (L)	7 9am Women's Worship (L) 4pm Wolfboro Reads 7pm Nar-Anon (L)	8 1pm Knitting (L) 4p Table Tennis 6:30pm Choir	9 9am Men's Bible Study (L) 3pm Midweek Bible Study (L) 4pm Bereavement Group (SR) Last 5pm Dinner Bell	10 Pastor Bill Sabbath	11 10am AA Mtg (L)
12 PENTECOST 24 The Rev. Jane Von Zandt 8 & 10am Worship 10am Sunday School 6pm AA (PH)	13 10am WFOH (L) 7pm AIAnon (L)	14 9am Women's Worship (L) 11a Wolfboro Garden Club 4pm Wolfboro Reads 7pm Nar-Anon (L)	15 1pm Knitting (L) 4p Table Tennis 6:30pm Choir	16 9am Men's Bible Study (L) 11am Vestry Exec 3pm Midweek Bible Study (L) 5pm Dinner Bell	17 7pm Lord & Taylor Fashion Show Pastor Bill Sabbath	18 10am AA Mtg (L)
19 PENTECOST 24 Pledge Inauguration 8 & 10am Worship 10am Sunday School 6pm AA (PH)	20 7pm VESTRY (L) 7pm AIAnon (SR)	21 9am Women's Worship (L) 4pm Wolfboro Reads 7pm Nar-Anon (L) 5:30pm Community Thanksgiving at First Congregational	22 1pm Knitting (L) 4p Table Tennis	23 Holiday-Office closed NO Dinner Bell Happy Thanksgiving	24 Pastor Bill Sabbath	25 10am AA Mtg (L) 1pm Mark Robbins Memorial w/reception
26 PENTECOST Last Christ the King 8 & 10am Worship 10am Sunday School 6pm AA (PH)	27 7pm AIAnon (L)	28 9am Women's Worship (L) 4pm Wolfboro Reads 7pm Nar-Anon (L) (Festival of Trees in office to stable capacity)	29 1pm Knitting (L) 4p Table Tennis 6:30pm Choir	30 9am Men's Bible Study (L) 3pm Midweek Bible Study (L) 5pm Dinner Bell	PARISH OFFICE 569-3453 Hours: Mon, Tue, Wed, 9am-4:30pm Thur, 9am-Noon Fri Closed DINNER BELL 5 PM Dining in person Thursdays	

Life Ministries Food Pantry (569-0202) Every 1st & 3rd Wednesday 10am-1pm & 4-6pm Lord & Taylor Thrift Shop (569-6301) Thurs & Fri 10am-3pm ~ Sat 10am-1pm

Click on the Calendar for a pdf copy



E-NEWS UPDATE E-news editing has now moved to the Parish Office. Please have your submission requests to the office by Tuesday of the week you would like it in the e-news. You may email your requests to Debra at allsaints@metrocast.net.

DO YOU KNOW OF A CHILD IN NEED OF SOME EXTRA FOOD OVER THE WEEKEND?

Kid-friendly weekend food bags are distributed weekly at the schools and community-based organizations throughout the GWRSD

For children 3 years old through grade 6
(not yet in school, attending school, or homeschooled)

To sign up or ask a question:

PLEASE CONTACT OUR OUTREACH COORDINATOR:

Deb Bunting email: dbunting@sau49.org or text: (802) 738-0408

End 68 Hours of Hunger Wolfeboro Area Chapter;
Serving children of GWRSD Towns



End 68 Hours of Hunger is a non-profit organization that provides weekend food for children, in preschool through grade 6, at risk of food insecurity; 2 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 3 dinners, and snacks.

LIFE MINISTRIES
FOOD PANTRY



**HAVING A HARD TIME
GETTING FOOD FOR
YOURSELF OR YOUR FAMILY?
HELP IS AVAILABLE**

DRIVE-THROUGH FOOD DISTRIBUTION –
FIRST AND THIRD WEDNESDAYS MONTHLY

10:00 AM TO 1:00 PM

4:00PM TO 6:00PM

264 S. MAIN STREET, WOLFEBORO

ELIGIBILITY AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION
AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE

www.lifeministriesfoodpantry.com

Providing access to food security with dignity and respect

Accessing books in the Beck Library

Catalog is on LibraryThing (<https://www.librarything.com/home>).

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