



ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOLFEBORO, NH



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Twenty-first Sunday After Pentecost / Year C

Ministry Assignments

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Month of November Schedule

Serving Sunday October 30

Eucharistic Ministers -

8 am -

Bob Parker

10 am -

Dianne Wasmuth

Stephen Cloutier

Lector -

8 am -

Bob Parker

10 am -

Sandi Johnson

Altar Guild -

Susie Walker

Lucy Hancock

Usher -

Flower Guild -

Lynne Moughty

Flower Delivery -

Danielle Pierpont

Lynne Moughty

Greeter -

Volunteer

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All Hallows Eve... Why Celebrate Halloween at All Saints?

The name itself comes from "All Hallows' Eve" the evening of October 31st, which precedes the church's celebration of All Saints' Day on November 1st. Originally, Halloween was 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. Bonfires were set on hilltops to frighten away evil spirits. Samhain was a popular festival at the time when the British Isles were converted to Christianity. The church "adopted" this time of celebration for Christian use by observing All Hallows' Eve and All Saints' Day.

YouTube Channel Click on Buttons Below



Worship Links for Sunday

Link to [Live Stream at 10:00 am](#)

Link to [Worship Links](#)

Link to [Bulletin](#)



Twenty-first Sunday After Pentecost

Links to the Readings

Isaiah 1:10-18 - *Learn to do good, seek justice, and rescue the oppressed*

Psalms 32:1-8 - *All the faithful will make their prayers to you in time of trouble*

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12 - *Faith and love amid persecution and adversity*

Luke 19:1-10 - *Zacchaeus climbs into a tree to see Jesus*

The Collect

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you true and laudable service: Grant that we may run without stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

We are celebrating Halloween with Wolfeboro because as one of the most popular holidays in North America (second only to Christmas!) at its best, it's a magical, playful night of community-building and being a positive presence in our neighborhood. It is a glimpse of holy hospitality with decorated homes welcoming strangers with an air of mischievous fun and excitement in the air. We share treats of sweet gifts and superballs reminding all children that Jesus loves them—no exceptions! We hope the evening's celebration is full of all the joys of All Hallows' Eve from the people God has gathered as All Saints'!

I invite you to contribute candy or other treats and/or participate in costume to welcome our neighbors from near and far who will visit South Main Street 5:00-7:30 pm on Monday, October 31st. Come see and celebrate our neighborhood because after all, what better way to honor the dead, prepare to celebrate the saints, and enter together the darkest time of the year than to embody — with equal parts creativity and joy — the “loving our neighbors as ourselves” to which Jesus calls us every day!

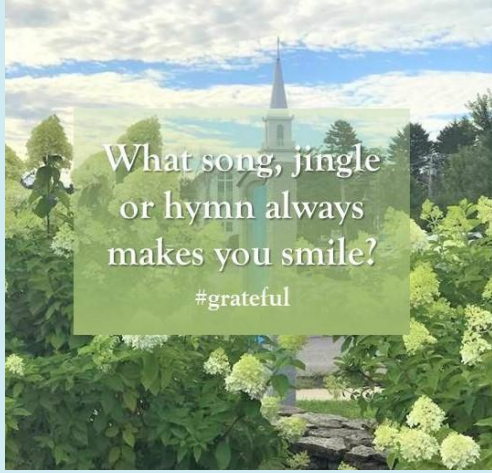
Grace and Peace you Ghouls and Goblins,

Bill+

P.S. Our moveable feast/parish name day will be observed in worship on Sunday, November 6th.

P.P.S. Our vestry is gathering tomorrow at the Camp Calumet Conference Center tomorrow, October 29th and would appreciate your prayers as we listen and discern where God is calling us as the people of All Saints'.

P.P.P.S. **Gratitude.** That one word embodies the spirit of the United Thank Offering, a vessel for sharing our blessings with others in need. Founded in 1889 by a woman named Julia



What song, jingle
or hymn always
makes you smile?

#grateful

Chester Emery, it was formed as an outreach mission of The Episcopal Church to raise funds for grants. The first projects to receive grants from the United Offering were the funding of the construction of a mission church in Alaska and to pay the yearly salary of a missionary in Japan.

In 1919, the United Offering became what is presently known as the **United Thank Offering**,

following the end of World War I. Funds collected from UTO not only support compelling human needs, but also help to establish social justice as well as programs of racial and gender equality.

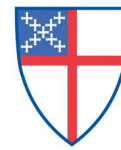
To date, money raised equaling more than \$4,150,000.00 has been awarded to those in need, both in the United States and abroad, through numerous grants. Every cent collected contributes to the welfare of others through the distribution of grants for specific and life altering projects. To give is to receive. The positive work brought about by our contributions is far reaching and rewarding.

The **United Thank Offering** has created many ways in which to share your personal blessings. No contribution is ever too big or too small. UTO thanks you for your willingness to support this very important mission of the Episcopal Church through gratitude, prayer and giving. Donations may be brought to worship for blessing this Sunday, or visit <https://unitedthankoffering.com/give/#> to donate online, via text, or by mail.



United Thank Offering

God loves you. No exceptions.



The Episcopal Church Welcomes You.

This week we pray for:

For our Parish

Howard Blaney, Prue Fitts, Felicity Freund, Judy Hess, Gail Holm, Zell Kellogg, Bhupendra & Judy Khetani, Jacqueline McLaughlin, Penny Meyer, Carol Pearson, Danielle Pierpont, Bree Schuette, Lee White.

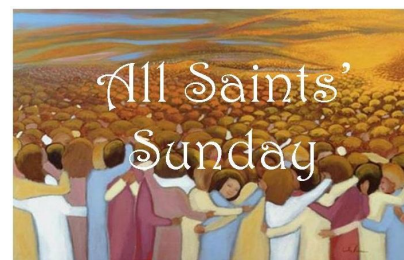
For our Family & Friends

Michael Dowd, Anne Fish, Stephanie Fullam, Ruth Gray, Faye Juul, Tom Southern, Debe Tetherly, Peggy Young.

All Saints' Sunday – November 6th

Please submit names to be remembered by Sunday, October 30th. You can find slips on the narthex table and resource table by the office. You may also email the office_allsaints@metrocast.net.

Thank you



Last chance to support ChIPs

All Sainters have just one last-minute opportunity to take part in Christmas outreach to the children of parents incarcerated in the NH state prisons. ChIPs is back after being shut down for a couple of years due to Covid!



This is what All Saints has called for many years the “Let a Kid Shop for You” initiative. Adult parishioners would give money – cash or checks to All Saints with ChIPs on the memo line or envelope. Our Sunday school kids and teachers and a parent or two would use the money to go shopping a week or so before the diocesan convention and buy the coolest toys because they know what kids like. Pastor and convention delegates would then bring the gifts – stuffies, games, books, CDs, and so on – to convention for sorting by age, and future wrapping and distribution at the prisons. This year, our ChIPs notice is pretty late and our Sunday School people are a little young for shopping. Therefore, we are asking people to give money, typically \$15 or \$20, that All Saints sends as our contribution to gifts for children whose parents are in jail. You can take part in this year’s outreach simply by putting a check to All Saints with ChIPs on the memo line, or cash in an envelope marked ChIPs in any of the collection plates this Sunday.

We expect to have kid shoppers back in action by this time next year.

Thanks in advance for any contribution you may make.

-Cate McMahon



United Thank Offering Ingathering Sunday October 30th

The United Thank Offering Ingathering will take place during the church service on October 30th. UTO envelopes are available on the table outside the church office. or you can use a regular envelope and mail your offering to All Saints Church, PO Box 359, Wolfeboro, NH

03894. Make your check payable to All Saints Church and mark it for United Thank Offering.

Our UTO offerings are a visible way to thank God for all our many daily blessings. Since 1883 more than 5300 grants have been awarded by UTO (for more than \$140 million) to support innovative mission and ministry throughout the Episcopal Church and Provinces of the Anglican Communion.

Our United Thank Offering project is sponsored by the Episcopal Church Women of All Saints Church.



We are distributing treats to Wolfeboro Trick-or-Treaters from our front door 5:00 to 7:00 pm on Monday, October 31st and need your help. Please bring candy to church (donation bins in the narthex lobby and parish hall) during any of the Sundays in October. If tiny goblins and ghosts don't frighten you, and sharing a good time with the collective community interests you, email alexanderdunford@outlook.com to get involved. Thank you!



What will Pastor Bill wear for Halloween? Guess and Win a Prize!

He won't be dressed as a Lord & Taylor volunteer (although the vests are awesome) and the only clue he'll share is that he will wear his "favorite" color... Place your guess and name in any of the Halloween Candy donation baskets and win your favorite candy bar (full/large, not fun sized) if you guess correctly.

From The Music Corner...



This Sunday we remember the Protestant Reformation life-changing beginnings, and as always, we celebrate musically by singing Martin Luther's "A Mighty Fortress is our God". Turn up your speakers for this powerful arrangement and rendition with full choir and orchestra.... worth the moments to close your eyes and pray with gratitude for the powerful truths that came down to us through these reformers.

<https://youtu.be/uILXAGsUL0I>

The text is not included in the video, so here it is to edify your mind and spirit:

A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing
Our helper He amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing
For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe
His craft and power are great; and armed with cruel hate...

On earth is not his equal
Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing
Were not the right man on our side, the man of God's own choosing
Dost ask who that may be? **Christ Jesus it is He!**
Lord Sabaoth His name; from age to age the same
And He must win the battle
And though this world with devils filled should threaten to undo us
We will not fear for God hath willed His truth to triumph through us
The prince of darkness grim; We tremble not for him
His rage we can endure! For lo his doom is sure
One little word shall fell him
That word above all earthly pow'rs - No thanks to them abideth -
The Spirit and the gifts are ours, through Him who with us sideth
Let goods and kindred go! This mortal life also --The body they may kill
God's truth abideth still -- His kingdom is forever!

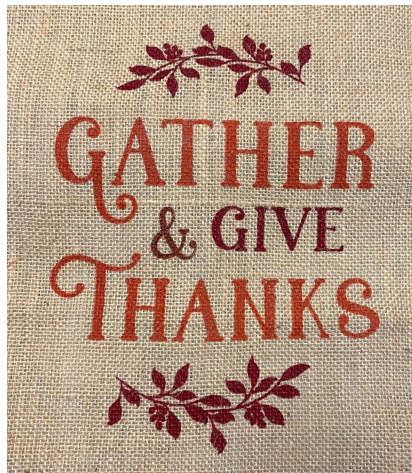
Frederick Henry Hedge | Martin Luther | Tommy Walker

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Holly

Harvest Potluck

Thanks to all who participated in the potluck dinner last Saturday—it was good to gather and share a time of fellowship and food. For those unable to make it a few snapshots follow...



We gave thanks for being able to gather together.

Kay and Pastor Bill hosted, Tucker supervised.



Good food and conversation was abundant.



The dessert table did not disappoint.



Solar On the Outreach Building

Did you know that there is a committee exploring putting solar on the Outreach Building? The Outreach Building is now by far our largest user of electricity. Through September we have paid \$325.51 for electricity for the church and \$3,111.71 for electricity to the Outreach Building. Our solar panels on the church not only offset our electricity use but also generated \$630.50 in revenue because we actually get paid extra for not polluting!

We invite you to take a look at the Earth Care bulletin board in the Parish Hall. There is a markup for a 43 solar panel array on our Outreach Building. More information will be added every several weeks so we hope you will look at it frequently to see what new.

The Solar Saints Initiative

Wolfeboro Festival of Trees

All Saints' will participate again this year in the Festival of Trees. We have a tree and will use the same decorations from last year. I am looking for a couple of volunteers to help me decorate it. The dates available for decorating are Saturday November 26, Sunday November 27, and Monday November 28.

Please contact me at 603 544-2389 or csundquist@roadrunner.com or see me in church on Sunday.

Thank you,
Carolyn Sundquist

Vestry

This is the time to begin planning for new members of the vestry and convocation.

Vestry is in need of a Junior Warden. The term will run from January 2023 to January 2026. The Junior warden would be meeting twice a month either in person or via zoom. Please speak with Joanne Crowe or Doug Smithwood if you are interested in joining the vestry.

Convocation is in need to two new members, delegate and a alternate delegate. The delegates meet via zoom approximately 6 times per year. If you have questions and would consider taking a role as a delegate, please speak with Joanne Crowe or Doug Smithwood.



Thank you, Linda Siracusa!

I want to express my great thanks to Linda Siracusa whose thoughtful generosity supplied me with flowers for last Sunday, and earlier in the summer as well. The white roses and small orange dahlias and flowering greens (name?) were fun to work with and eliminated the need to make a purchase from a commercial florist shop, saving the church an expenditure for altar flowers. Thanks for that phone call, Linda.
-Cate McMahon



Wolfeboro Serves Needs Your Help

In the face of natural disasters, violence, or grinding poverty, hygiene kits can mean the difference between sickness and health for struggling families. Our joint youth group with Brewster Academy and First Congregational Church Wolfeboro for grades 8-12 will gather soon to pack hygiene kits for disaster areas served by Church World Service and needs donations of:

- Ziploc Bags (*Gallon size only*)
- Hand towels measuring approximately 15" x 28" to 16" x 32" (*no fingertip, bath, dish towel or micro-fiber*)
- Washcloths
- Wide-tooth combs
- Fingernail or toenail clippers
- Bath-size bar of soap in the wrapper

- Standard size Band-Aids
 - And monetary donations for shipping (\$2 to ship per kit)
- Donation bin is in the parish hall.



Our Sunday School Children Need Your Presence



The Episcopal Church is deeply committed to fostering communities and congregations that are safe spaces for all people, particularly those who may be vulnerable in some way, to worship and minister generously, free of any form of harassment, bullying, abuse, or exploitation. To that end, our policy and practice is to have two adults present. Please sign-up to be a classroom assistant on the bulletin board and speak with Parish and Safe Church Administrator Debra Hoyt or Pastor Bill if you have any questions. Thank you.



MORE THAN ENOUGH

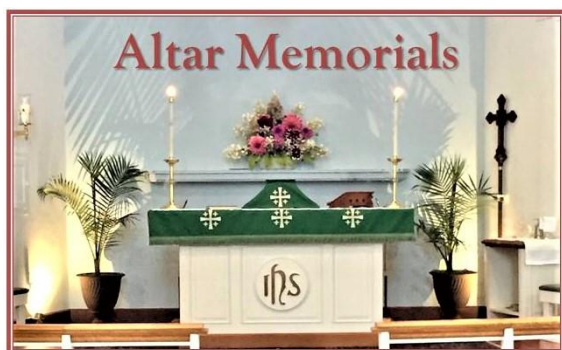
2023 Stewardship Campaign

Help us fill our baskets

Please send your pledges in by November 13th.



Altar Flowers



Altar memorials each week are given in loving memory of, or in thanksgiving for, those who we love. Memorials may be offered to provide the flowers on our Altar or candles for the Sanctuary Lamp which burns constantly to remind us of the presence of Christ. If you would like to participate in these offerings for the coming months, please contact Debra in the office at 603-569-3453 or email allsaints@metrocast.net.

Altar Flower Dedication slips can be found on the resource table outside the parish office and on the Flower Chart in the Parish Hall.

Please provide a slip to the office for your dedication to ensure that this is recognized in the bulletin. **Also**, please check the altar flower chart in the Parish Hall for available dates and mark the date for your request.



Click on the picture for your Fall Reading List

Please join Pastor Bill Petersen (ASEC) and Pastor Donna Muise (FCCW) as we

gather via Zoom on Tuesdays 4:00-5:15 pm for reflection and discussion.
Wolfeboro Reads begins Tuesday September 13.

Dinner Bell

Please call 569-3453 or e-mail allsaints@metrocast.net by Tuesday afternoons **to reserve your meal(s)** for the week.



We will offer two dinner options:

1. To-Go Meals as we have done during Covid with meal pick-up 4:00-5:00 pm, and
2. Gathering for dinner in the All Saints Parish Hall as we did before Covid at 5:00 pm.

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

November menu

November 3, 2022

Minestrone soup
Chicken Parmigian, pasta, and vegetables

November 10, 2022

Cabbage soup
Beef stew

November 17, 2023

Corn chowder
Shepherd's pie

November 24th

No Dinner Bell

All are welcome and donations accepted to offset costs. Thank you!

Please consider brewing some coffee when you arrive early for worship on Sunday. All that is needed is to make a couple pots of coffee and put out some coffee cups. Please sign up on the Parish Hall bulletin board.

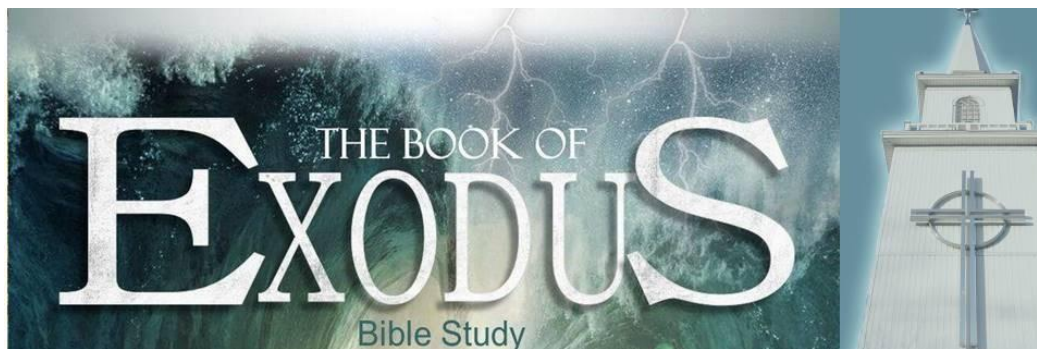


Be a Greeter!

Please consider participating as a **Greeter** at Sunday's Worship. The most important role of a greeter is to make sure all are welcome. Let's make sure visitors feel welcome and know how to get to



the service.
Please give your name to the Parish office for rotation.



Thursday Bible Study

We are currently studying the Book of Exodus. If you have not received the Thursday Afternoon Bible Study e-mails before and would like to be added, please share your e-mail with Pastor Bill.

The message of Exodus is of God acting to free a powerless people and bring them into covenant relationship. This event reveals God's faithfulness to Israel and to Egypt and all other nations of the world as well. The exodus is so important that it is even used to describe who God is: "I am the Lord your God who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery" (Exodus 20:2). The people become the Lord's "treasured possession out of all the people's," "a priestly kingdom," and "a holy nation" (Exodus 19:5-6) and receive the Torah to show them how to live in relationship with this gracious and liberating God through the everyday activities of life.

November Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH ~ NOVEMBER 2022						
6 WRETCOST 22 All Saints Sunday 8 & 10am Worship - In person Live stream @ 10am 10am Sunday School 9pm AA (PH) 7pm Boy Scouts (BR)	7 7pm Photo Club (PH) 7pm AllAmen (L) Bill Retreat Deb-vacation	8 Election Day 8am Women's Worship 11a- Wellstone Garden Club Breakfast (L) only 7pm Scrabble (L) 4pm Wellstone Reads	9 10am Sr Coffee Hour (PH) 11a- Wellstone Garden Club Breakfast (L) only 7pm Scrabble (L) 4pm Wellstone Reads 8:30pm Choir	10 8am Men's Bible Study 3pm Men's Bible Study 4pm Dinner Bell	Pastor Bill Sabbath	9 10am AA Mtg (PH)
13 PENTECOST 23 Rachel Dychowitz Presentation (Pledge Day) 8 & 10am Worship - In person Live stream @ 10am 10am Sunday School 9pm AA (PH) 7pm Boy Scouts (BR)	14 10am Office Zoom 7pm AllAmen (SR) 7pm WESTRY (L) 7pm Catechism Band (PH)	15 8am Women's Worship 7pm Scrabble (L) 4pm Wellstone Reads Counter: HolyWoodard	16 10am ECOW (L) 10am Sr Coffee Hour (PH) 7pm Scrabble (L) 4p Table Tennis 4pm Bereavement Group (L) 8:30pm Choir	17 8am Men's Bible Study 3pm Men's Bible Study 4-4pm Dinner Bell	Pastor Bill Sabbath	18 10am AA Mtg (PH)
20 PENTECOST LAST Christ the King (Pledge Inauguration) 8 & 10am Worship - In person Live stream @ 10am 10am Sunday School 9pm AA (PH) 7pm Boy Scouts (BR)	21 7pm AllAmen (L) 7pm Photo Club (PH) Bill Vacation	22 8am Women's Worship 7pm Scrabble (L) 4pm Wellstone Reads 5:30pm Community Thanksgiving at St. Katherine-Orwell	23 Deb Our Office closed 10am Sr Coffee Hour (PH) 7pm Scrabble (L) 4p Table Tennis 4pm Bereavement Group (L) 8:30pm Choir	24 Holiday Office closed Happy Thanksgiving	Pastor Bill Sabbath	26 10am AA Mtg (PH)
27 ADVENT 1 The Rev. Jena Van Zandt 8 & 10am Worship - In person Live stream @ 10am 10am Sunday School 9pm AA (PH) 7pm Boy Scouts (BR)	28 10am Office Zoom 10am WIFOM (L) 7pm AllAmen (L) 7pm Catechism Band (PH)	29 8am Women's Worship 7pm Scrabble (L) 4pm Wellstone Reads Counter: HolyBeady	30 8am Sr Coffee Hour (PH) 7pm Scrabble (L) 4p Table Tennis 4pm Bereavement Group (L) 8:30pm Choir	PARISH OFFICE 562-3453 11am-5pm, Tue-Wed, 9am-4:30pm Thurs, 9am-3pm Fri Closed	DINNER BELL 4-5PM Meal Pickup 5 PM LUNCHEON in person Call 562-3453 for reservations	

Click on the calendar above for a pdf copy.

*There are many ways to connect with one another
to see, hear and share God online at All Saints*



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.

**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>).

User name: AllSaintsWolfeboro
Password: +BeckLibrary+

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