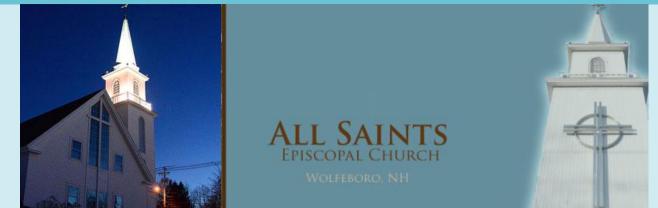
# Weekly E-news and Updates





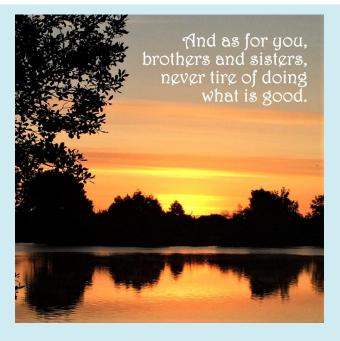
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#### <u>Ministry Assignments</u> Click link for

Month of November Schedule

## Serving Sunday November 13

Eucharistic Ministers 8 am - Gail Dietzer 10 am - Sandi Johnson and Stephen Cloutier Lector 8 am - Gail Dietzer 10 am - Lucy Hancock Altar Guild Lucy Hancock and Candace Tordonato Usher - Holm Flower Guild - Linda Siracusa Flower Delivery Sandi Johnson and Arlene Salzgeber Greeter - Volunteer



# The End is Near...?

#### Beloveds,

The end is near. There is no doubt about it. The warnings are dire. The tone of this Sunday's texts are ominous. But we the baptized know how to live in the meantime. As the baptized, we are strengthened for the living of these days in word and sacrament. We the baptized hear comfort and hope in Paul's invitation: "Do not be weary in doing what is right."

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Links to All Saints' Facebook and YouTube Channel Click on Buttons Below



Worship Links for Sunday Link to Live Stream at 10:00 am Paul was urging his followers in 2 Thessalonians because they, like you and Link to <u>Worship Links</u> Link to <u>Bulletin</u>



# The Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

#### Links to the Readings

<u>Malachi 4:1-2a</u> - A day of blistering heat for the arrogant; a day of healing sun for the righteous <u>Psalm 98</u> - In righteousness will the Lord judge the world <u>2 Thessalonians 3:6-13</u> - Do not be idle, but do what is right for the sake of Christ <u>Luke 21:5-19</u> - Jesus speaks of wars, endurance, betrayal, and suffering for his sake

#### The Collect

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*  me, get so caught up in daily living, we can sometimes feel as though cheaters and con artists are triumphant. Maybe you feel this way following the election this week, or just by hearing, reading, watching the news. In our 24-7 news cycle and increasingly divided nation, we seemingly forget or overlook all those who quietly go about doing the right things by serving others and loving neighbor and creation.

As a child, I loved Robin Hood folklore tales, where a lively team of sinners and saints used swindles and schemes to pursue greater good. There are certainly days when I wonder where the ambiguity of good and evil leaves us? In the end, our reality is that life is seldom as clear-cut as fictional heroes rebelling against injustice and tyranny, of a band of merry people dividing right from wrong. In Paul's encouragement, we find a quiet reminder that rather than freak-out and grow more divisive over others' actions, we are to faithfully and steadily go about doing the good that we can.

Peace and All Good,

#### Bill+

P.S. Hold the Date for our **Community Thanksgiving Service**, Tuesday, November 22nd at 5:30 pm at St. Katharine Drexel Church

> When was the last time you laughed so hard you almost peed your pants? #grateful



#### 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, Susan Belt Hartson, Faye Juul, Tom Southern, Debe Tetherly, Peggy Young.

#### From The Music Corner...



On this day, every year, we ask God to help us remember and honor the U.S. veterans of all our armed forces. Locally, we will see hundreds of flags flying on the Brewster field, bearing names of individual veterans (Special thanks to our faithful DAR chapter).

I found this hour of inspirational orchestral/piano renderings of familiar patriotic tunes on Youtube. This could be played (on your best speakers) today while preparing a meal, doing other tasks, or just resting and prayerfully reflecting with gratitude. https://youtu.be/dAqaVqy9BzU

For even softer patriotic piano renderings from another musician, click here: <u>https://youtu.be/9\_og8yFMIZ0</u>

May our Lord encourage our weary hearts as we listen.... remember.... ask for mercy in these troubled times.... and say "THANK YOU" for all who have paid the ultimate sacrifice to protect our freedoms.

In gratitude for all veterans past and present, *Holly* 





2023 Stewardship Campaign Our baskets are filling! Keep those pledges coming~thank you! Please send your pledges in by November 13th so we have them for the In-gathering on the 20th.

#### Word Made Flesh/La VIA Moldova

Rachel Dyanchenko, Director of Advocacy at La VIA Moldova, and daughter of Holly and Ralph, will be visiting All Saints this Sunday. As well as greeting everyone and providing an update on life and ministry, Rachel will also have handmade greeting cards available for sale to support their Community Center that helps children stay in school and off the streets.





#### Aluminum Trim on Christian Ridge Road Side Gable Trim Fascia Finally Replaced!!!!

The previous trim piece blew off in a storm well over a year and a half ago. To install the \$85 replacement piece on the roof rake required a 40 foot lift costing well over \$1,000 to rent. So the replacement piece sat in our boiler room for over a year waiting for a lift that might be available while doing a nearby job. On Wednesday November 9, a crew doing siding for Huggins Hospital was approached about potentially using their lift to replace the piece of siding. Charlie Kartnakosol of Reiss Construction came right over to the church, looked at the project and said they would do it for us- for free!!! Today, November 10 the job is done. In the photo below, Anthony Foote and Sonny Jone work together on the lift while Charlie looking on. On behalf of All Saints Episcopal Church, I would like to thank Anthony, Charlie and Sunny along with Riess Construction for providing this free service to us. If you see them around (they have recently done projects with the new Abenaki Rink and the highway storage shed) please say thank you in person.

Doug Smithwood, Jr. Warden





# 220TH DIOCESAN CONVENTION: Claiming the power of GOD's love

Information about the diocesan convention help last weekend may be found at: <u>https://www.nhepiscopal.org/convention</u> and via the Episcopal Church of New Hampshire's **YouTube channel**: <u>https://www.youtube.com/c/NHEpiscopal</u>



#### ChIPs - Children of Incarcerated Parents is a Ministry of the Episcopal Church of NH

Children of incarcerated parents celebrate Christmas every year with the help of the Episcopal Church of New Hampshire sponsors who donate gifts and funds collected at the annual diocesan convention to make it happen. Both the families and the incarcerated parents themselves are deeply grateful for the opportunity that the Children of Incarcerated Parents (CHiPs) program offers.

Vida and Liz Lopez-Rice with their donations

# estival 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 <u>csundquist@roadrunner.com</u> or see me in church on Sunday.

Thank you, Carolyn Sundquist



## **Urgent Need for Area Homeless**

There is an urgent need for can openers, proteins such as canned meats, beans and peanut butter, and sleeping bags for homeless folks living outside in Ossipee. We are collecting items the next two Sundays. Can openers can be ordered online at: <u>https://www.amazon.com/Chef-Craft-Can-Opener</u> and may be shipped directly to: White Horse Recovery Center, c/o Vanessa Soper, 70 Route 16B, Center Ossipee, NH, 03814-6825



# 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.

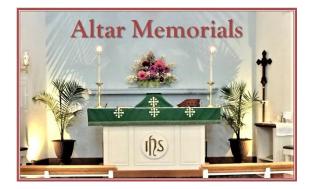
# Our Sunday School Children Need Your Presence



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.

#### Altar Flowers

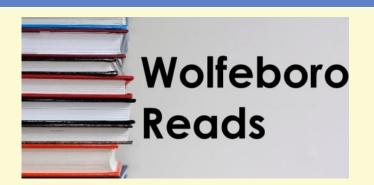




Altar memorials each week are given in loving memory of, or in thanksgiving for, those who we love. Memorials may be offered to provide the flowers on our Altar or candles for the Sanctuary Lamp which burns constantly to remind us of the presence of Christ. If you would like to participate in these offerings 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

<u>Please call 569-3453</u> or e-mail <u>allsaints@metrocast.net</u> 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 24, 2022 - 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.

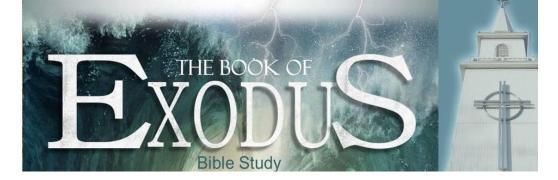


# Be a Greeter!



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



### Click <u>HERE</u> for a pdf copy of the Calendar

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





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**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.



#### Accessing books in the Beck Library

Catalog is on LibraryThing (https://www.librarything.com/home). User name: AllSaintsWolfeboro Password: +BeckLibrary+

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