

### ALL SAINTS CHURCH 1342 LANCASTER AVENUE SYRACUSE, NEW YORK 13210 | (315) 472-9934 A welcoming, diverse parish in the Catholic Tradition

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### **Our Mission Statement**

In the spirit of Vatican II, All Saints Parish is an open and welcoming Catholic Christian Community, joyfully grounded in the Eucharist that strives to live the Gospel call to holiness and justice and loving service to all.

### Fifth Sunday of Easter

### April 27 & 28, 2024

Scripture for this week: Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8 Scripture for next week: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17 Please find the link to our live-streamed masses, etc. on our <u>website</u> immediately below the 'All Are Welcome' message on the opening page, or on the <u>Mass (Video & Inperson)</u> page on the 'Worship' tab. You can also connect via our <u>Facebook</u> page or <u>YouTube channel</u>.

Gluten Free hosts are always available at our Masses. Just let Meg or Fr. Fred know before Mass or indicate your request to the Minister of Communion.

*TAIZÉ* PRAYER: THIS WEDNESDAY, May 1 – 6:30pm in church.



"I am the vine; you are the branches."



**FIRST EUCHARIST MASS: SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1pm!** Let us continue to hold each of our 15 children and their families in our prayer as they make their final preparations for this beautiful Sacrament!

**FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE:** Offertory Collection the week of Apr. 20 & 21 = \$7,762.88! *Your generosity is a blessing to our Parish, our Mission & Ministry!* National Grid Bills: March 14-April 16, 2024

Church	\$ 323.94
Annex	340.64
<b>Bishop Harrison Center</b>	1,344.23
Total:	\$2,009.39

Thank You for your generosity!

# THIS IS THE DAY THE LORD HAS MADE!!!

**CELEBRATION of our FR. FRED'S 50th ANNIVERSARY of ORDINATION!** 

On the weekend of May 18 & 19, we will celebrate this most happy occasion at EACH of our weekend Masses AND on SUNDAY, MAY 19 ALL are invited to a special reception in the Bishop Harrison Center following our 11:30am Mass.

Parishioners & friends are invited to contribute homemade cookies to add to the celebration! Cookies can be dropped off at the Bishop Harrison Center on Friday or at church on Saturday.



As a living tribute to the gift of Fr. Fred's priesthood and presence among us, the Parish is creating a unique outdoor garden path, which will include Stations of the Cross & reflections on the gifts of Creation!

Donations toward this gift gratefully accepted. Please designate any donation – cash or check – for Fr. Fred's Anniversary.

SPREAD the WORD! ALL ARE WELCOME!

Sincere condolences to the loved ones of both our Josephine Panetta & Jennifer Thau who entered eternal life this past week! May they rest in peace & their memory be a blessing!

## **ONLY A FEW WEEKS LEFT FOR FAITH FORMATION!**

THIS SUN., April 28 – NO FAITH FORMATION (School Break); Sun., May 5 – Faith Formation Sun., May 12 - NO FAITH FORMATION (Mother's Day); Sun., May 19 - Last day of Faith Formation!

CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOLERS! All Saints is gathering

high school students to participate in Brady Faith Center's week long Summer Servants Program! The week will run from Sunday, July 21-Thursday, July 25 and will include service throughout the City of Syracuse, working in community gardens & organizations



that support families and individuals. We will also be able to meet with and work alongside groups and individuals on the margins in our City. The week includes community outings and activities. Participants will be staying overnight at Dewitt Community Church. If you are interested, please contact Michael Songer at allsaintsff@syrdio.org or (315) 466-8482 ASAP - more information and applications are available at allsaintssyracuse.org/youth

SAVE THE DATE: VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL! (Mon., July 21-Fri., Aug. 2) This summer marks our third annual Vacation Bible School! All children going into 1st-6th Grade are invited to join the fun! Registration info to follow in coming months! We are currently seeking adult and teen volunteers - if you are interested, contact Michael Songer at allsaintsff@syrdio.org or (315) 466-8482.



ALL are welcome & encouraged to participate in the FOOD SENSE PROGRAM THROUGH OUR INTERFAITH FOOD CO-OP! One of the Food Bank's longest running programs, Food Sense is a monthly food buying coop for ANYONE who wants to stretch their grocery dollars. Food Sense provides a a monthly food co-op for everyone monthly box of 12-15 staple grocery items at a discounted price. There are no

gualifications, no subscriptions, and no requirements to participate in Food Sense. The Program is a "win-win," as items are available at a steep discounted price due to the Food Bank's massive bulk-rate buying power and the funds from purchased monthly food boxes and specials go right back into the *Food Bank* – helping to provide food for folks without financial means!

The Food Bank of CNY partners with sites across their 11-county service area, including our Interfaith Food Pantry housed at University United Methodist Church (324 University Ave). Each package costs \$20.50 without limitation to the number of packages you may buy. While the items vary from month to month, the package always includes: 4-5 meat items like chicken, ground beef or fish, 4-5 staple pantry items like pasta, soup, and rice, 2 fresh produce items like apples, carrots or oranges. Rotating monthly a-la-carte specials like stuffed pork chops, American cheese, meatballs, lasagna, and chicken tenders can be purchased in addition to the basic package, or on their own.

To order a package and/or monthly special items, go to https://foodsense.foodbankcny.org/, type in our Parish's zip code, 13210, and choose UUMC Syracuse. From there, you can add the monthly package or any specials you would like to your cart. Orders for the upcoming May box need to be placed by Fri, May 10 either online or in-person at University United Methodist Church. Pick up is Wed, May 22 from 4-6pm at University United Methodist Church (324 University Ave). For more information or to set up a time to order in-person, contact our Food Pantry coordinator, Galyn Murphy-Stanley at 315-727-1231.

**BOOK STUDY CONTINUES THIS TUESDAY – April 30 – 10-11:15am: The Group will continue** discussing "FOLLOWING CHRIST in a CONSUMER SOCIETY" by John E. Kavanaugh. Gatherings are in the Tomczak Room in church. Please contact Michael Songer at 315-466-8482 or allsaintsff@syrdio.org



BIBLE STUDY: WHO IS THE HOLY SPIRIT?? Bible Study groups continue a 6-week study of Biblical References to the Spirit, in preparation for the Feast of Pentecost. All are welcome to join. Please contact Mary Jureller [text: 315-382-8039 or email: giege39@gmail.com] for info.

<u>Spring Bereavement Group</u>: Wed. 3-4pm in the Harrison Center Ignatius Room for anyone experiencing the loss of a loved one. It does not matter if the loss is recent or if it has been months or years. The Group will continue on Wednesdays May 1, 8, & 15. Our SUSAN LAMANNA, RN, MSA, CNE facilitates the Group.

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**!

To our Jane Stopher on being selected by Assemblymember Pamela J. Hunter (128<sup>th</sup> Assembly District) to receive the ANNUAL EXCEPTIONAL WOMEN of CNY AWARD!!! Jane will be honored with an official Assembly Citation on Sat., May 4<sup>th</sup> at 11am in the Community Room of the Onondaga Free Public Library. We absolutely affirm the "exceptional" nature of Jane's presence and contributions to CNY and our

own All Saints Parish! She is a blessina amona us!

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<u>From the LGBTQ+ Taskforce</u>: All are invited to gather on TUESDAY, May 7 at 7pm in church for an open dialogue on issues and concerns raised by the new Vatican Document "*Dignitas Infinita*" ("Infinite Dignity"), as well as the Letter written by the Mom of a transgender child to Pope Francis. Links to <u>the Letter</u> & the <u>Vatican Document</u> can be found <u>here</u>. Hard copies are available in our Greeting Area.

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The 2024 Crawfish Festival will be held on May 4 at Clinton Square from 11am to 7pm. Fresh crawfish



and shrimp directly from Louisiana and boiled on site, other Cajun foods, and local food trucks. Two music stages, family zone, and beverages of choice. All proceeds go to Operation Northern Comfort — the Team that took the lead in beautifully refurbishing our Fr. Tony Keefe's Oak Street house for our Parish Refugee Welcoming/New American. All Are Welcome!!

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This weekend we express sincere gratitude to our Bob Raymonda who has prepared the slides for our weekend liturgies over the several years! Bob will be taking a break from this service. We SO appreciate his commitment to this demanding ministry ~ especially his creative, inspirational & technical work in preparing the slides each week. We trust



all agree that the slides, images, videos, etc. are an important instrument in uniting us into one worshiping community both in church & through livestreaming! Do not fear — PowerPoints will continue!

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**FROM our CARE for OUR COMMON HOME TEAM:** A Prayer in Solidarity with our Mother Earth



Earth teach me stillness as the grasses are stilled with light. Earth teach me suffering as old stones suffer with memory. Earth teach me humility as blossoms are humble with beginning. Earth teach me caring as the mother who secures her young. Earth teach me courage as the tree which stands all alone. Earth teach me limitation as the tree which crawls on the ground. Earth teach me freedom as the eagle which soars in the sky. Earth teach me resignation as the leaves which die in the fall. Earth teach me regeneration as the seed which rises in the spring. Earth teach me to forget myself as melted snow forgets its life. Earth teach me to remember kindness as dry fields weep with rain. by Nancy Wood

Hail Mother, who art the earth, hallowed be thy soil, rocks, flora that nourish and support all life. Blessed be thy<br/>wind that gives us breath and thy waters that quench, bathe and refresh all living things.<br/>Holy Earth—as one—we praise your majesty, grace and wonder.By Bill Faherty

Our <u>Care for our Common Home Task Force</u> invites all to join them in participating in one of two virtual Thursday evening sessions to explore how all of us within our parishes & schools can work together as teams to care for God's creation. To register type into your browser: <u>www.rcdony.org/laudatosi</u>. Contact Elizabeth Fleury at efleury1953@gmail.com or 315-481-9307 with any questions. Please share with friends from other Parishes!

<u>Assistance with spring-cleaning</u> and "odd-jobs," including moving and cleaning services is available with the help of our Columbian friends. For more information contact Dale Avers @ 315-415-8436 or <u>daleavers@gmail.com</u>.

*All Saints'* <u>Ministry at Jamesville Correctional Facility</u> continues to appreciate donations of sweatsuits (separate pieces are fine) & coats for women & men (especially sizes M & L), as well as puzzles, chapstick, playing cards, games (like dominoes), *Wordsearch* books, all-occasion greeting cards and *especially 2024 calendars*. Please leave your donations in the back of the church. Thank you!

A word of thanks to our youngsters who – as they were cleaning up our property on Earth Day – found and recognized the beauty of this piece of pure quartz laying in our lawn!

All may be interested to know that since ancient times, quartz is known to enhance spiritual growth, spirituality & wisdom – "manifesting the Creator's expression as windows of light with many facets showing the myriad dimensions of life created from cosmic dust in an ever expanding universe. Through the energy of this solidified light, all Creation is assisted through the evolutionary process." All this, of course, right here at **All Saints**!!



#### **DATES/EVENTS TO PLAN ON:**

THIS Tuesday, April 30th, 7-9 PM | Plymouth Church (232 E. Onondaga St Downtown Syracuse)

Holly Near in Concert: Celebrating 50 Years of Music & Activism! Legendary folk singer Holly Near performs uplifting songs for justice and peace. Tickets (suggested \$25 in-person, \$15 livestream) available at bit.ly/HollyNearTickets. Questions: syrcommunitychoir@gmail.com / 315.428.8151
Fri., May 3 "Puzzle Battle" Fundraiser for women's educational scholarships: 6:30-9pm at the Bishop Harrison Ctr. sponsored by Philanthropic Education Organization which supports the advancement of women by providing scholarships, awards, grants & loans for education. \$25 per person. Table groups will engage in friendly competition to be first to assemble a 500 piece puzzle! ALL ARE INVITED for an evening of fun and philanthropy!! Contact: Jane Stopher 315-447-8625 or Dale Avers 315-415-8436
Wed., May 8 Jail Ministry Movie Night: 6pm at Park Central Presbyterian Church. Showing of the Award winning: "Attica." Freewill donation. All are encouraged to support the good work of Jail Ministry. Wed. May 15 Eat, Drink, Pray: Food & Wine celebration of the Sisters of St. Francis of the Neumann Communities! 6-8pm at Daniella's Seafood Restaurant & Pasta House (581 State Fair Blvd.)

#### **<u>LITURGY SCHEDULE</u>: SATURDAY: 4:00pm Mass (Traditional Music)**

SUNDAY: 9:00am Mass (Gospel Choir) AND 11:30am Mass (Contemporary Music & African Choir) Monday – Friday: 11:30am Daily Liturgy || <u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u>: SAT. 3 – 3:45pm <u>Legion of Mary Meeting</u>: Sat. 1:30pm – Tomczak Rm.<u>Rosary w/ Legion of Mary</u>: TUES. 4pm – Tomczak Rm. <u>Taizé Prayer</u>: Each Wed. 6:30pm in church (Next gathering: June 5 | also livestreamed)

Mass Intentions: Sat. Apr. 27 – 4:00pm:David Pospiech – Sr. Mary Ann Sakowski

Sun. Apr. 28 – 9:00am: Marge & Ed O'Connell – O'Connell/Willis Family 11:30am: Jane Massingale – Anderson Family

Mon. Apr. 29 – 9am: Calling Hour for Josephine Panetta 10am: Funeral Mass for Josephine Panetta 11:30am: Liturgy of the Word w/ Community

Tue. Apr. 30 – 11:30am: Joyce Middleton Schaub – Patrick Conahan

Wed. May 1 - 11:30am: Lottie Dudzinski - Mary Cormier

Sat. May. 2 – 4:00pm: Kay, George & Pam Garlach – Aiello Familty

Sun. 4/28	Mon. 4/29	Tues. 4/30	Wed. 5/1	Thurs. 5/2	Fri. 5/3	Sat. 5/4
9am: Mass NO FAITH FORMATION <mark>11:30am:</mark> Mass	9am: Calling Hr. 10am: Funeral Mass 11:30am: Liturgy of the Word w/ Comm.	10-11:15am Book Study 11:30am: Mass 2pm: Sandwiches 4pm: Rosary – Tomczak Rm. 7pm: Bible Study	10am: BibleStudy11:30am:Mass3pm:BereavementGroup6:30pm:Taizé Prayer	11:30am: Liturgy of the Word w/ Comm.	11:30am: Liturgy of the Word w/ Comm. 6:30 - 9pm: Puzzle Battle Fundraiser	1pm: First Eucharist Mass 1:30pm: Legion of Mary Mtg. 4:00pm: Mass

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