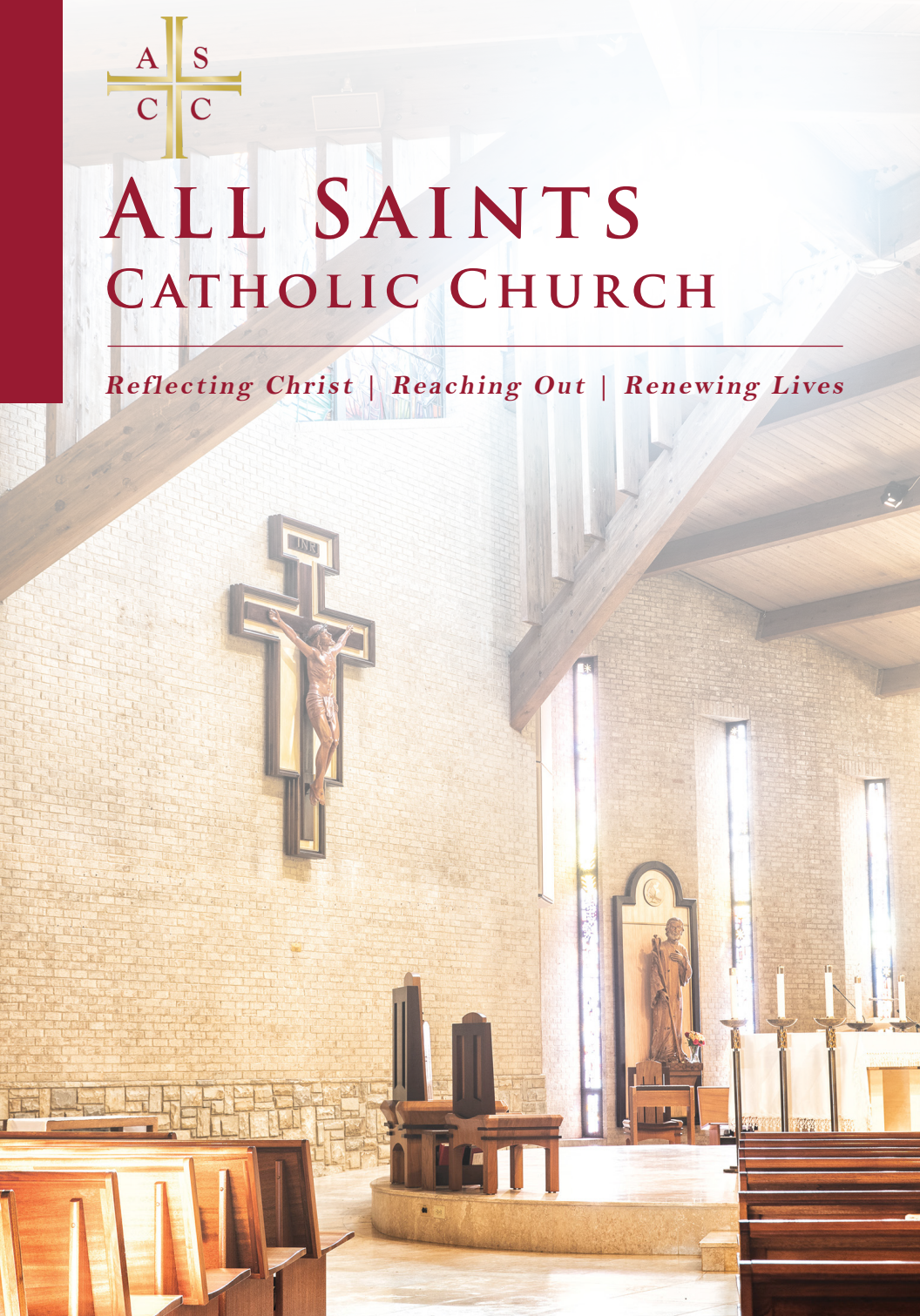




ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Reflecting Christ | Reaching Out | Renewing Lives

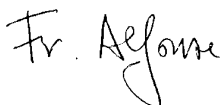


2021 Stewardship Renewal

A MESSAGE FROM OUR *Pastoral Administrator*

From the moment of our Baptism, we became living temples of Christ's Spirit. Yet, we often go through life inattentive to the gifts that God has given us. It is so easy to become comfortable in our lives. But the times in which we are living demand greatness from us. Together, let us allow God to renew us on our journey to Him and commit to a life of stewardship.

Peace in Christ,



Fr. Alfonso Nazzaro
Pastoral Administrator



MISSION STATEMENT

We the faith community of All Saints, united in God's family through our Catholic tradition, gather to bear witness to the teachings of Jesus Christ and share His eternal mission. We come together for communal worship, education in faith, spiritual growth and fellowship. Inspired by the Holy Spirit, we reach out as Christ's hands to spread God's love, healing and forgiveness. We are committed to our tradition of hospitality, diversity and tolerance. We invite all to use their time, talent and treasure to make present the kingdom of God.

VISION

We gather as the Body of Christ: to grow in our faith, to serve, to share.

HOW TO JOIN

Our Parish

I am an Active Catholic

By simply filling out the registration form you will become members of our parish. Forms may be found online at www.allsaintsdallas.org, at the Welcome Center in the narthex, or the Parish Office. Being a member of our parish means first that you will attend Mass every Sunday, become involved in our faith community, and that you will support the parish financially.

I am Returning to the Catholic Church

Welcome home! One of the interesting things about Catholics is that even if they have not been to Mass in decades, many still regard themselves as Catholic and describe themselves as having a Catholic outlook on life. Technically, the process of becoming active in the practice of the Faith is quite simple. Barring any extenuating circumstances, becoming active again simply involves making a confession and getting involved. God reconciles us to Himself and the Church. Confessing that one has chosen to be disobedient to the teachings and law of the Church is certainly an appropriate part of one's confession. If the absence from Mass has been for some other reason, one that affects your status in the Church, then much more might be required. If, for example, there is a failed marriage and subsequent second marriage, then a case might need to be presented to the Bishops' Tribunal. We have experts who are ready to help you with this process.

I am not Catholic (yet)

For those who are unbaptized or baptized in another faith community, the Catholic Church has devised an extensive process of education, spiritual preparation and formation. This is known as the RCIA, which stands for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. Its goal is to give people a working knowledge of the Catholic Church and an adequate preparation to fully participate in the life of the parish community. The class typically meets once a week from late August until Easter. After this long period of preparation, those who are not baptized are baptized, and all are confirmed and admitted to Full Communion with the Church.



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Open

SACRAMENTS

and Liturgy

Infant Baptism

What a joy it is for us at All Saints to welcome a new member to God's Family! To make arrangements for a Baptism, please call our Religious Education Department (972-778-0328) approximately three months prior to the desired date of your child's Baptism. (All Saints offers Baptism Classes for Parents and Godparents. Please call ahead to register.)

Matrimony

All Saints Catholic Community offers our congratulations on your engagement, and we pray that God will bless and guide you in your preparation for marriage. Contact Barbara Hammond (972-778-0325) at least six months prior to date of the wedding.

Sacraments & Prayers for the Sick & Homebound

Any parishioner who wishes to receive the sacraments or to be included on the All Saints Prayer List in the Bulletin during illness at home or in the hospital should, either personally or through a family member, contact the Pastoral Secretary, Mary Davis, in the church office (972-661-9282). If you know that you will be hospitalized, please call in advance so that you can receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick before you are admitted.

Religious Education

The Religious Education Department offers Faith Formation, Sacrament Formation, and Spiritual Growth to people age three to adult. For more information, please contact Kathy McDermott, Director of Religious Education (972-778-0328 or kmcdermott@allsaintsdallas.org).

LITURGY

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
and 5:00 p.m. – Teen Mass

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Chapel: Monday - Friday:
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Chapel Reconciliation Room:
Thursday, 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. and
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Due to COVID-19, Mass times are subject to change. Please visit our parish website for current updates.



All Saints Catholic School

Act Honorably. Live Virtuously. Seek Truth.

All Saints Catholic School exists to pass on the Catholic faith to our children in a challenging academic environment with Gospel values as a foundation and Christ as the model. Parents, the primary educators of their children, together with our community, share the common goal of preparing children for lifelong learning and Christian service.

At All Saints Catholic School, we believe each child should become the person God intended him or her to be. We partner with parents and community leaders to develop the unique God-given gifts and capabilities of each student, so they may be used in the best possible service of others and in the fulfillment of the mission of the Church Universal. We do this by a commitment to excellence. By the time a student graduates from All Saints Catholic School, they will have achieved: Excellence in Faith, Excellence in Academics, Excellence in Service, and Excellence in Character.

OUR SCHOOL STAFF

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Come visit us, and experience the All Saints difference!

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Be Filled With Christ's Spirit BE RENEWED

Renewed through the Spirit of Christ

As Christians, we are filled with the Spirit of Christ. This gift of God Himself was given to each of us at our Baptism, when we were washed from original sin and graced with the Holy Spirit. God dwells in us! We are truly temples of Christ's Spirit. Yet, how often do we go through our daily lives inattentive to the workings of the Spirit in us? This is not the plan God has for us. As Christian stewards, we are called to allow the Spirit of Christ to work in us.

“Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?” — 1 Corinthians 3:16

Transformation

When we allow this Perfect Love, which dwells within us to come alive, transformation occurs. Transformation is not a one-time event. It calls for us to recommit ourselves daily to the Lord. As the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* teaches, we must allow Him to renew us and strengthen us through prayer, grace and the sacraments (1692). Through this daily renewal, we will live out what it means to be a Christian steward in the fullest sense — a true disciple of Christ.

It's Time to Recommit

At All Saints, God is calling us to renew our relationship with Him. He is calling us to open our hearts so that the Spirit of Christ may fill us. He is calling us to recommit to stewardship as a way of life, by asking Him, “What do You want of me, Lord?” And our Annual Renewal is a beautiful opportunity to allow Christ's Spirit to renew us. For if we open up to the Spirit of Christ, the fire of His love will transform our lives. Let us pray, *“Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful and kindle in them the fire of Your love. Send forth Your Spirit and they shall be created; and You shall renew the face of the earth.”*





RENEWED THROUGH

Prayer

Like most relationships, we cannot be attentive to a friend unless we spend time with him or her. Similarly, we cannot be attentive to the will of God in our lives unless we make time for Him. Each time we pray, we invite God into our lives at that moment, strengthening our relationship with Him. During this year's Stewardship Renewal, spend some time in prayer asking God how He wants you to spend more time with Him.

- Spend time in prayerful study of the scriptures, asking God what He would have you learn about Him and His will for your life through His Word.
- Go before Christ in the Blessed Sacrament in Adoration, giving Him thanks for the good things He has brought to your life and asking for help in the challenges.
- Research the lives of the saints, read their works, and ask God for the grace to live life on fire for the faith.
- Reflect on your day before going to bed. Ask for the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Ask yourself: Where did I see Christ working in my day? Were there moments when I did not act in accord with God's grace? What are some concrete things I can improve upon on tomorrow?

“They that hope in the LORD will renew their strength, they will soar on eagles’ wings; They will run and not grow weary, walk and not grow faint.” — Isaiah 40:31

RENEWED THROUGH

Talent

“There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit... But one and the same Spirit produces all of these, distributing them individually to each person as he wishes.” — 1 Corinthians 12:4-6,11

God has given each of us unique talents. He has “distributed them individually to each person as he wishes” (1 Corinthians 12:11). They are truly well-intentioned gifts to us. Do you know all the gifts God has given you? Are you using them for His glory?

- After spending time in prayer, thank God for your talents. Then, consider sharing those talents with which He has graced you by joining a new ministry or recommitting to one in which you are already active. Any and all of your talents are worth sharing!
- If you are currently involved in ministries, consider how you can better serve those ministries and your fellow members.
- Participate in a faith formation opportunity at our parish. By coming to know the Lord, you can better serve Him.

“What I can do, you cannot. What you can do, I cannot. But together we can do something beautiful for God.” — St. Teresa of Calcutta



RENEWED THROUGH

Sharing of Treasure

God has a plan for every aspect of your life, including your finances. The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* (2404) tells us to be “stewards of providence,” and calls us to use our resources, not just for our own good, but for the good of God’s work in the Church. Creating a personal budget is one way to apply God’s principles to our finances and become better managers of the resources He has entrusted to us. We must learn how to take the gifts God has given us — our skills, our abilities, and our income — and use them for His work.

- Assess your current budget and spending habits. See what areas of your life are preventing you from giving more selflessly.
- Commit to giving a percentage of your income to the parish offertory. Ask for the Holy Spirit’s guidance when making this commitment, and ask for the grace to keep it.

“Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.” — 2 Corinthians 17



2021 MINISTRIES

Worship

ALTAR SERVERS

Boys and girls who have celebrated First Eucharist, regularly attend Mass and are at least 11 years old are eligible for this ministry. Potential servers go through a formation program, learn to assist at Mass, and commit to serving regularly at all scheduled Mass times.

*Deacon Michael Bolesta — 972-778-0369,
mbolesta@allsaintsdallas.org*

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Parishioners devote one or more hours per week to Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament exposed in the Chapel.

*Jim DeSmet — 972-931-8405,
jds042@gmail.com*

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Men and women who have celebrated Confirmation, actively practice their faith, and are at least 16 years old are eligible for this ministry. They commit to training in the theology of Eucharist and the practical aspects of assisting the priests and deacons in preparing the sacred vessels, distributing Holy Communion, and cleansing of vessels after Mass. There is also training in bringing Communion to the sick and homebound. Safe Environment clearance is mandatory.

*Deacon Michael Bolesta — 972-778-0369,
mbolesta@allsaintsdallas.org*

GREETERS

Men, women and families joyfully welcome all who come to share in the celebration of the Mass at All Saints. Greeters provide care and hospitality to our parishioners and visitors. Safe Environment clearance is mandatory.

*Greg Taylor — 214-289-0987,
gregetaylor90@earthlink.net*

THE HISPANIC PRAYER GROUP OF ALL SAINTS

(Grupo de Oración de Todos Los Santos)

The Hispanic Prayer Group of All Saints invites everyone to join them in prayer and praise. Typically, we meet weekly and start with the recitation of the Rosary, followed by readings from Sacred Scripture. El Grupo Hispano de Oración de Todos los Santos invita a todos a unirse a ellos en oración y alabanza. Por lo general, nos reunimos semanalmente y comenzamos con la recitación del Rosario seguido de lecturas de las Sagradas Escrituras.

*Mary Davis — 972-778-0301,
mdavis@allsaintsdallas.org*



LECTORS

Men and women active in the practice of the faith are trained to proclaim the Sacred Scriptures, occasionally lead prayers and make announcement at Mass. Formation includes the theology and practice of effective proclamation. Lectors commit to serving at all scheduled Mass times. Safe Environment clearance is mandatory.

Deacon Michael Bolesta — 972-778-0369, mbolesta@allsaintsdallas.org;

Janet Toney — 214-537-4455, njtsam@att.net

SACRISTY CARE

Prepare and maintain the items necessary for the prayerful celebration of liturgies. Some tasks are completed at home, others in the church. They include washing and ironing altar cloths, corporals, purificators, and altar server cassocks and surplices; replacing chapel, tabernacle and votive candles; maintaining liquid wax candles; cleaning and polishing brass candle followers and bobeches; tidying pew racks; assessing and maintaining inventory; and assisting set up of funeral services.

Deacon Michael Bolesta — 972-778-0369, mbolesta@allsaintsdallas.org

USHERS

Men and women are trained to welcome and guide the movement of people before, during and after Mass. They greet and seat people, distribute worship aids and bulletins, take up collections, form and facilitate processions, and provide crisis assistance when needed. Safe Environment clearance is mandatory.

Brian Ralston — 214-537-7325, globri96@gmail.com

Music

ALL SAINTS CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The All Saints Children's Choir is open to those in Pre-K through fifth grade. The choir sings at Christmas, Easter and Mother's Day Masses, as well as other times throughout the year. We have a lot of fun in rehearsals learning music and about the role of music in Mass. We also learn solfege, basic music reading and ear training, as well as music games that help form a well-rounded little singer!

Shelbi McMullen — 972-778-0351, sherndon@allsaintsk8.org



ALL SAINTS HANDBELL CHOIR

This ensemble provides beautiful music at Mass several times each season, especially at Christmas and Easter. Basic music reading and rhythm familiarity is required. No prior handbell experience is necessary.

Shelbi McMullen — 972-778-0351, sherndon@allsaintsk8.org

CANTORS

Cantors are singers who have accepted a special role in the musical leadership of the parish. Membership in the St. Gregory Choir or the St. Raphael Choir is required. Musical and liturgical formation is provided.

Jordan Peek — 972-778-0351, allsaintsorganist@gmail.com

ST. GREGORY CHOIR

This choir provides musical leadership at the Sunday 11:30 a.m. Mass, Christmas Eve Mass, and at Masses for All Saints Day and All Souls Day. Repertoire includes music from the 13th to the 21st centuries, both traditional and contemporary.

Jordan Peek — 972-778-0351, allsaintsorganist@gmail.com

ST. RAPHAEL CHOIR

St. Raphael Choir is a music ministry serving All Saints Catholic Community through musical leadership at the Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. The repertoire is drawn mainly from the works of contemporary composers of liturgical music. The ensemble includes vocalists and instrumentalists whose mission is to promote full, conscious and active participation during Mass by enabling the

sung prayer of the assembly. All vocalists and instrumentalists who have a desire to praise God through contemporary music and through the fellowship of our Lord Jesus Christ are welcome.

Marty Koss — 972-517-7033, fmkoss@verizon.net

SUNDAY 5 P.M. TEEN MASS BAND

This band is an ensemble of vocalists and instrumentalists, specializing in contemporary Christian music, who lead the musical worship at the Sunday 5 p.m. Teen Mass

Caroline Jaimes — 972-778-0368, caroline.jaimes@gmail.com

Faith Formation (Adults and Young Adults)

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Learn to read, study and pray with Scripture, to be more enriched by the Liturgy of the Word at Mass, and to apply the Word of God to your daily life. Various Bible studies are held at different times of day and days of the week.

Sr. Mary Paul Haase — 972-778-0326, mhaase@allsaintsdallas.org



ADULT CATECHIST FORMATION

Share your faith with children of All Saints and help sow the seeds of the Gospel in today's young people, and learn more about your Catholic faith in the process. Maybe God is calling you to be a catechist. No experience is necessary. Training is provided. Two catechists (or more) team up to teach each class.

*Kathy McDermott — 972-778-0328,
kmcdermott@allsaintsdallas.org*

ALPHA

Alpha is an opportunity for young adults to explore their Christian faith in a friendly, open and relaxed environment. Each session has three key elements: food, a talk and discussion. We start with food, because it's a great way to encourage community and get to know each other. The talks are designed to engage and inspire conversation. They explore the big issues around faith and unpack the basics of Christianity. Probably the most important part of Alpha is the chance to share thoughts and ideas on the topic, and simply discuss it in a small group. It's an opportunity to hear from others and contribute your own perspective in an honest, friendly and open environment.

*Paul Bianchi — 972-778-0368,
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FAMILY MINISTRY

All Saints family ministry was created in response to our baptismal call as parents to be the primary catechists for our children and to support both parents and children in the mission of

growing closer to Christ throughout our lifelong journey as Catholics. Resources and information will be sent home to families to help build the domestic church. We gather monthly to celebrate families in our community through different opportunities of faith sharing and fellowship

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NEWMAN CATHOLIC MINISTRY AT UTD

All Saints supports the Catholic students in their efforts to build up the Catholic campus community, and to be the presence of Christ to all they encounter. For that purpose, this ministry sponsors events that proclaim the truths of our faith, offer opportunity for fellowship, and draw students deeper into a life of prayer, sacraments, and a relationship with Christ and His Church.

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PARISH RESOURCE LIBRARY

The Parish Resource Library in the Kamel Life Center houses an extensive collection of books, periodicals, audio and video recordings, and equipment for the use of parishioners. The Parish Adult Christian Enrichment (P.A.C.E.) monthly book table makes available for purchase books and religious articles. The staff consists of a professional librarian and volunteers from the parish. Library programs include special exhibits and speakers throughout the year. Visit our online catalog.

*María Isabel García — 972-778-0327,
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RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults — RCIA — is designed for persons age 16 and older who seek to enter the way of faith and conversion. It includes the catechetical formation and ritual steps to prepare for the celebration of the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. This process is adapted for baptized Christians seeking to be received into the full communion of the Catholic Church, as well as baptized Catholics seeking Confirmation and/or Eucharist. The entire parish supports Inquirers, Catechumens, and Candidates through prayer, liturgical celebration, fellowship and serving as sponsors.

Sr. Mary Paul Haase — 972-778-0326, mhaase@allsaintsdallas.org

THAT MAN IS YOU!

This program transforms men, families and society as it presents the vision of man fully alive. It combines the teachings of the Church and wisdom of the saints with the best research from modern science in an interactive multimedia format. That Man Is You! puts this vision within the grasp of every man. Typically held weekly at 6 a.m., beginning with breakfast!

Kathy McDermott — 972-778-0328, kmcdermott@allsaintsdallas.org



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

This group gathers weekly to pray, study Scripture, and share with one another. Once each month, members count and package Communion hosts to facilitate the celebration of Mass.

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YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

A dynamic and growing ministry of fellowship, service, prayer, and study for singles, engaged and married couples, and young families. We provide opportunities to gather together for Eucharistic Adoration, men's and women's bible studies, and participate in events around the diocese. Other special events, service opportunities and fellowship are available throughout the year. Visit us on facebook.com/ASCCYAM/

Paul Bianchi — 972-778-0368, pbianchi@allsaintsdallas.org

Faith Formation (Children and Youth)

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

Religious education for children 3 years old through fifth grade — second-graders prepare for First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. Volunteers serve as teachers, assistants, clerical help, special event coordinators and hall monitors. For information or to register, please contact the Religious Education Department.

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RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR CHILDREN

RCIA adapted for children is the two-year process by which children over the age of reason and under the age of 16 enter the Catholic Church. The program operates in conjunction with the parish Religious Education program for children.

*Sr. Mary Paul Haase — 972-778-0326,
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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

This is a fun and faith-filled annual week-long summer program for children. Look for announcements in the bulletin during spring.

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kmcdermott@allsaintsdallas.org*

JUNIOR HIGH FAITH FORMATION

Religious Education for students in sixth through eighth grades. Seventh and eighth-grade students prepare for Confirmation. Classes and small groups are held on Sunday afternoons during the school year. Classes are also available for junior high and high school students needing Reconciliation and First Communion. Volunteers serve as teachers, assistants, special event coordinators and hall monitors.

*Andrew Darling — 972-778-0330,
adarling@allsaintsdallas.org*



JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH MINISTRY

Our program provides youth in grades 6-8 with opportunities to deepen their faith lives and grow as disciples of Christ through different events throughout the year such as IGNITE our Wednesday Bible Studies, Friday IMPACT Youth Nights, lock-ins, summer activities, service projects, and much more! Adult volunteers serve as small-group leaders, chaperones and drivers, event coordinators, and positive Catholic role models.

*Andrew Darling — 972-778-0330,
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HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Being Catholic is more than being able to recite facts from a book — it is an encounter with a Person. This ministry allows youth in 9th through 12th grades to develop a relationship with Jesus Christ and His Holy Catholic Church through dynamic programming with other teens. Various ministry offerings throughout the year include retreats, service projects, and other opportunities for formation. Our weekly offerings include **High School Bible Study** which meets on Wednesday evenings and focuses on the upcoming Sunday's readings using a *Lectio Divina* model and discussion; **Illuminate Night** on Sundays in which we dive into topics of the faith using a combination of fellowship, praise and worship, games, guest speakers, engaging witness talks and small-group discussions. We are always looking for adult volunteers to support the teen activities and model the faith to young people.

*Chelsea Colomb — 972-778-0330,
ccolomb@allsaintsdallas.org*

Pastoral Care

A BETTER WAY

A Better Way is a mental health support group for Adults 18 & older who are seeking friendship and belonging through a Healthy lifestyle. We welcome those with an SMI, or serious mental illness such as Depression, Anxiety, Schizoaffective and Bipolar Disorder. Established in June 2012 we meet monthly and, if necessary, it may be virtually.

Justine Thompson —

jthompson27@sbcglobal.net;

Evelyn Thompson — 214-868-5306

ALL SAINTS MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT

This parish-based program is for all married couples to come together to strengthen their marriage through Christ. ASME offers date-night fun, fellowship and marriage-enhancing activities for couples.

Christi and David Mora —

214-418-7571, christi.m.mora@gmail.com

CARING CARD

Ministry members write personal notes to parishioners expressing sympathy and prayers on the loss of a loved one, or prayers from our parish family for healing, wisdom and understanding.

Judy Vidas — 972-380-2961,

jmvidas@yahoo.com

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

All Saints offers ESL for adults following the RISD calendar. The program is in collaboration with



Richardson Adult Literacy Center and volunteer tutors from our parish. Volunteer tutors only need to speak English. Registration and schedule of new classes will be posted in the bulletin and online.

Cheryl Ann Wong — 214-674-2042,

cwong1512@gmail.com

FUNERAL RECEPTION COMMITTEE

This committee organizes receptions for families who have funerals/memorials at All Saints. Members assist with preparing food items and serving at the receptions. This ministry is provided by the All Saints Women's Organization.

Terri Gorman — 214-577-1319,

tkgorman@msn.com

LEGION OF MARY

Members strengthen their spiritual life through devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary. They engage in service by works of mercy. Typically, meetings are held weekly.

Lydia Longoria — 210-439-7555,

longoria.lydia@gmail.com

MEDICAL MINISTRY

Our objective is to provide medical assistance to parishioners who become ill or injured during the weekend masses. Parishioners with medical experience, both current and retired, provide skilled emergency care to our church community and assist the Dallas Fire Department, if they are dispatched to the church, with transitioning the patient (parishioner) to EMS care. We encourage any parishioners with EMS/ Nursing/ Mid-level or physician experience to join the ministry. Goal is to have coverage of 2 medical professionals at each Mass to assist the Ushers.

*Lucy Morantes — 214-533-2353,
detamble@live.com*

MINISTRY FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES, SPECIAL NEEDS AND CAREGIVERS

The group is made up of those with disabilities, caregivers and volunteers. Members work to ensure that parishioners with special needs, disabilities and their caregivers are able to participate in all aspects of parish life, according to their individual abilities and wishes. Organized by committees that help with accommodations, awareness and support, the ministry also has social activities, participates in service projects such as Fall Festival, and in activities on the diocesan level, such as retreats, special Masses and medical equipment loans. In addition, we hold a mini-retreat at All Saints for those in our parish and surrounding parishes, alternate yearly as a spiritual retreat and as an information retreat on services and

benefits for those with disabilities, special needs and caregivers.

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OUTREACH

All Saints Community Outreach works with social justice/service agencies beyond the borders of the parish to provide assistance for those in family services centers, homeless shelters, schools, and more. This ministry runs reverse collections, Back-to-School supplies collection, “Caring Tree,” and provides and serves dinner at the Austin Street Shelter once a month. Parishioners are invited to share their many gifts to help continue this work.

*Liz Bush — 972-404-8701,
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RESPECT FOR LIFE

This ministry promotes prayer, education, supportive services, action and public witness for the sacredness of human life, especially for unborn children. Many volunteers are needed for a variety of programs and activities.

*Jack Falloure — 214-674-1309,
prolifeisright@gmail.com*



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Volunteer members help provide emergency assistance to parishioners and other neighbors in need within the parish boundaries with the love and compassion of Christ. Needs are assessed through confidential home visits done by pairs of volunteers. Funding is provided through generous contributions from All Saints parishioners through the red envelopes in the monthly packets and other special collections. Typically, we meet weekly. Safe Environment cleared volunteers are welcome and needed.

*David Adamson — 972-480-5362,
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SPONSORS FOR ENGAGED COUPLES

Sponsor couples assist engaged couples in preparing for their upcoming marriage. Sponsor Couples are trained by the Diocese of Dallas to review the FOCCUS survey and follow a designated program. They usually meet four times prior to the marriage date, in the home of the sponsor couple, with sessions lasting about two hours. The sponsor couple must be married five years or more and one sponsor must be a practicing Catholic.

*Mike and Kathy Havel — 972-345-1956,
kathy@havel6.com*

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Stephen Ministry is a one-on-one, Christian caregiving ministry by trained lay persons from our parish. Stephen Ministers are individuals

who are carefully selected because of their special gifts for caring ministry and their ability to listen in a non-judgmental way. They are not counselors or spiritual directors, but persons who have a heart for caring and compassion. Stephen Ministers walk alongside persons who are going through a transition or turning point in their lives, and through this caring relationship bring God's healing love and hope. All Stephen Ministers must complete 50 hours of training in caring skills, and are required to participate in ongoing, bi-monthly, confidential supervision. Stephen Ministers meet with their Care Receivers once a week for about an hour and relationships are matched by gender.

*Deacon Michael Bolesta — 972-778-0369,
stephenministry@allsaintsdallas.org*

THE MARY WIDOWS FOR CHRIST

Women who have lost their spouses find the support of other widows through this ministry. This group meets monthly after Mass for prayer, breakfast and fellowship.

*Mary Marchand — 972-778-0308,
mmarchand@allsaintsdallas.org*

VISION FOOD SHARE

This network of churches uses donations of food and funds to provide packages of fresh food to the needy. Volunteers distribute food on the fourth Saturday of each month, 8-10 a.m. in the Kamel Life Center Fellowship Hall.

*Marie Abel — 972-233-1856,
marsahm@aol.com*

Parish Life

ALL SAINTS AFRICAN COMMUNITY

The purpose of this Ministry is to grow our faith within Christ, share his everlasting love, and evangelize our community through our Catholic faith. We are committed to increase All Saints African involvement within the church and significantly increase its presence by partaking in other ministries and church events. Every African member registered in the Parish is eligible for membership in the Community. Meetings are monthly and Mass will be attended yearly as a group. All the members are encouraged to participate in activities and get involved in the life of the Parish in order to create an environment that will be more favorable for the well-being of the community as well as the Parish.

Antonin Farhi — 306-300-3226,

Acifa@live.com;

Paul Kamanda — 214-306-3025,

paulkamanda82@yahoo.com

ALL SAINTS MEN'S CLUB

The All Saints Men's Club is a parish organization for men who engage in spiritual, service and social activities to benefit themselves, their families and the parish. The club offers a relaxed atmosphere for fellowship and prides itself on its quality of membership. The club is open to any male parishioner. There is no mandatory level of membership — all members are welcome to participate in any way he can! Typically, the club meets monthly.

David Henry — 972-783-2448,

cadhenry73@gmail.com

ALL SAINTS MOMS GROUP

This is a casual, supportive group for moms to gather in friendship and faith, to encourage a sense of community by enabling both spiritual and social connections. Expectant mothers and those with young children are especially encouraged, but we also need the advice of you experienced moms! We offer monthly meetings, Bible study, playdates, community service projects, social outings and, most of all, support for each other. Annual Registration.

*Laura Crook and Laura Concienne —
allsaintsmoms@gmail.com*

ALL SAINTS WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION (ASWO)

All women of the parish are automatically members of ASWO. Members participate in various activities of faith and fellowship, as well as service projects to benefit our parish. This ministry runs "Help Your Neighbor Sunday" and provides funeral receptions. ASWO's primary fundraiser is the Hearts and Hands Bazaar held each fall to address the various needs of our All Saints Community. The organization also has nine circles, smaller groups of women working together on special projects and social events throughout the year. ASWO co-sponsors the annual Ladies Day of Reflection.

Lori Milkwee — 214-535-8620,

lorimilkwee@yahoo.com

EMPTY NESTERS

This is a social group for couples whose children have grown and left home. Groups typically meet monthly.

Larry and Helen Brennan —

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FALL FESTIVAL

The Fall Festival is a major fellowship event that takes place on the All Saints Church campus each year. The Festival is a family-friendly, two-day event with great food, beverages, live entertainment, Bingo, silent auction and carnival games with prizes for children of all ages. The volunteer committee is made up of approximately 30 to 40 individuals who meet regularly during the year to plan, prepare, as well as execute the event. Planning begins in February. Meetings are held once a month when possible. During August and September, we will usually meet twice a month as we get closer to the festival.

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GOLDEN SAINTS

As seniors, we gather in fellowship and gratitude for God's gifts and graces to: renew our spirit and relationships by sharing a meal and entertainment; rejuvenate our Catholic faith; refresh our health. Our hope is to provide each of our members the opportunity to join with one another, share stories, and convey the essence of who God is and what it means to know Him. We typically meet monthly from January to June and September to December. Reservations are required.

*Cynthia Farnham — 214-202-4700,
hfarnham@msn.com*

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus is the world's largest Catholic men's fraternal benefits organization. Lumen Christi Council #13520 was established at All Saints in May of 2004. The Order is built

upon four principles — Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. The six main program themes revolve around Church, Community, Family, Pro-Life, Youth and Fellowship. Membership in the Order is open to any practicing Catholic man over the age of 18. Typically, meetings are held twice a month.

*Norman Stauffer — 469-323-1688,
ngstauffer@hotmail.com*

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COLUMBIAN SQUIRES

The Columbian Squires is the official youth organization of the Knights of Columbus. Fr. Paul Gray Circle 5717 of All Saints is open to all baptized Catholic boys from ages 10-17. You do not need to be the son of a Knight to join. Squires aim to develop the next generation of lay leaders in the church through a faith-based service program. They also have fun! The Circle is run by the boys themselves under the guidance of Knight Counselors who have all gone through both the Parish and Knights Safe Environment program. Typically, meetings are held monthly.

*Stan Schwieterman — 972-239-5830,
stanschwieterman@yahoo.com*



LADIES AUXILIARY OF LUMEN CHRISTI

The Ladies Auxiliary of Lumen Christi nurtures women's faith journeys, while providing an avenue for social contact among members as they assist the Knights with Council activities. Membership is open to all women who have a family relationship — past or present — with members in good standing of the Knights of Columbus. Typically, meetings are held monthly following a community meal with the Knights.

*Nancy Bryan — 214-733-0631,
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Jan Storey — 972-334-0016,
storeyjan@gmail.com*

NEWCOMERS WELCOME COMMITTEE

At All Saints, we wish to make every individual feel a sense of trust and comfort, and for each person to know that they truly belong. The committee strives to make newcomers, and inactive parishioners who are now coming back to the church, feel at home here at All Saints. Volunteers are needed to staff the Welcome Center after weekend Masses, to help with our bi-monthly Newcomers Breakfast, and to welcome every new family that registers.

*Barbara Hammond —
bhammond@allsaintsdallas.org*

NURSERY

Our nursery provides quality child care during Sunday Masses and special parish events. The nursery is located off the hallway adjoining the Narthex. We offer childcare for infants and children up to

47 months of age during 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses on Sunday. Volunteer and childcare workers needed.

*Pastoral Office — 972-661-9282,
mdavis@allsaintsdallas.org*

Councils and Committees

BUILDING COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for This council is responsible for reviewing and advising the Pastoral Administrator on proposed changes and construction activities to the parish buildings and grounds.

*Andrew Duggan — 469-438-7228,
ajdland@hotmail.com;
Bob Wierschem — rawierschem@yahoo.com*

FINANCE ADVISORY COUNCIL

The council is a mandated body that has an advisory and consultative role with the pastor of the parish (canon 537, Code of Canon Law). Its mission is to support the



pastor in the stewardship of parish financial resources. The council is a key element for promoting the financial health of a parish, assuring accountability, and assisting the pastor with his temporal responsibilities. While it does not have decision making authority, consultation is at the heart of the decision making process for the administration and stewardship of the temporal goods of the parish. The council is also accountable to the parish community and to the Bishop of Dallas. Members should demonstrate skills or expertise in management and finance.

*Rusty Miller — 214-755-4060,
rustymiller@gmail.com*

PASTORAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Pastoral Advisory Council is an appointed body to promote the spiritual growth of the parish community and to plan ways for the parish life to carry out the mission of the church. It represents the interests and pastoral needs of the entire All Saints Catholic Community. "A pastoral council possesses a consultative vote only and is governed by norms established by the diocesan bishop" (Code of Canon Law, 536, par. 2).

*Rod Anderson — 214-458-4544,
rodandertx@gmail.com*

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

Safe Environment clearance is required for any volunteers who routinely work with minors or vulnerable adults, those serving on the parish and school finance and advisory committees, as well as the top officers of the major parish organizations. All volunteers, regardless of the ministry

in which they serve, are invited to become "Safe Environment Volunteers" in order to expand awareness and vigilance with respect to the risks of abuse.

*Elizabeth Horsley — 972-778-0311,
ehorsley@allsaintsdallas.org*

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Opportunities to serve our school include, but are not limited to: Home and School Association, School Advisory Council, School Finance Council, Eagles Club, and Eagles After School Care program.

*Mignon Finch — 214-217-3302,
mfinch@allsaintsprek8.org*

HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

This group organizes the volunteer committees that assist the school in fundraising, hospitality, communications, room parents, and volunteer coordination.

*Sarah Corrigan — sarahecorrigan@yahoo.com;
Caroline Hugg — carolinehugg@gmail.com*

SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL

A group of parents and parishioners that recognize the importance of All Saints Catholic School (Pre-K - 8) as a Catholic educational ministry for our youth, and advise the Pastor and the Principal on how to sustain and advance this ministry to meet the needs of our Community.

Anthony Lenoff — sac@allsaintsprek8.org

BE RENEWED

Call to Commitment

“Be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created in God’s way in righteousness and holiness of truth.” — Ephesians 4:22-24

God calls each of us to renew our commitment to Him daily. And, the more that we commit ourselves to Him, the more we make room in our hearts for the Spirit of Christ to fill us and come alive in us. Then, we will be able to say, “No longer I, but Christ lives in me” (Galatians 2:20).

The Commitment Card helps each of us to renew our relationship with God. How will you take the next step in your journey of sharing God’s love through personal renewal and conversion?



*Please fill out your Commitment Card online at www.allsaintsdallas.org/stewardship, mail it to the parish office using the enclosed envelope or bring it to Mass on **October 3/4**.*



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