All Saints Lutheran Church

Welcoming all who yearn to encounter God and who long to follow Jesus more closely.

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The Herald

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A regional Church.....serving Brighton, Commerce Township, Davisburg, Fenton, Grand Blanc, Hartland, Highland, Holly, Howell, Linden, Lyon Township, Milford, South Lyon, Union Lake, Walled Lake, Waterford, White Lake, Wixom and always expanding. Reverend Denise Russell 12685 Highland Road Hartland, MI 48353 248-860-2645 pastor@myallsaints.com

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Office Hours

Pastors are available by phone to schedule appointments or for emergencies.

NOVEMBER 17, 2024 26TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SUNDAY WORSHIP AT ALL SAINTS AT 10:00 AM

HOLY COMMUNION AT ALL SAINTS IS OPEN TO ALL CHRISTIANS WHO PUT THEIR FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST AS THEIR LORD AND SAVIOR.

Welcome Visitors!

We are glad you are here! Please fill out a Pew Card located in the seat pocket in the chair in front of you. Let us know how we may serve you. Keep the top half as a gift bookmark. Drop the bottom half in the offering plate or hand it to an usher before you leave. We hope that you will join us again for worship!

Sunday Morning Coffee

All are welcome to meet for coffee and fellowship at 9:30 am before Sunday worship service.

All Saints Worship on Video

All Saints has returned to in-person worship on Sunday mornings at 10:00 am. Our worship services are also available online. Go to our website: www.myallsaints.com for the link to view live stream or by video.

Pastoral Emergency Care

Call Pastor Denise at 248-860-2645 for emergency care this week.

Simply Giving®

The Simply Giving® program endorsed by Thrivent Financial for Lutherans provides you with the opportunity to give your All Saints offerings automatically. No more Sunday envelopes. Through Simply Giving®, your offerings are made through a pre-authorized withdrawal from your bank account. It is a reliable, safe way to move your stewardship plan into action. To enroll, please fill out the Authorization Form and turn it into the office.

Calling all Kids for the Christmas Play

Sunday School is rounding up any kids that want to be part of the Christmas play this year. We will be practicing during Sunday School in December, and performing on December 22nd during service.



Youth participating in Adopt and Shop Program

The youth group is participating in the Adopt and Shop program, where they will be Christmas shopping for a family in need.

To support their efforts, they will be taking a noisy offering on Sunday, November 17th and November 24^{th} .

Please bring your change to drop in the bucket, and let's make a joyful noise as we help the youth so that they can help others!

Lunch Bunch Tuesday, November 19



All ladies and men are invited to the next monthly luncheon at Highland House on Tuesday, November 19th at noon. Yes, men are welcome and can have their own table. Highland House is located at 2630 E Highland Rd, Highland Charter Twp, MI. Please RSVP to Bethany Waldvogel at

517-579-2664. There is also a signup sheet in the Gathering Space. Come enjoy some fellowship, good conversation, delicious food, and get to know someone a little bit better.

Readings for Week of November 17	
Sunday	Hebrews 10:11-25 Mark 13:1-8
Monday	Psalm 13 Daniel 8:1-14 Hebrews 10:26-31
Tuesday	Psalm 13 Daniel 8:15-27 Hebrews 10:32-39
Wednesday	Psalm 13P Zechariah 12:113:1 Mark 13:9-23
Thursday	Psalm 93 Ezekiel 28:1-10 Acts 7:548:1a
Friday	Psalm 93 Ezekiel 28:20-26 1 Corinthians 15:20-28
Saturday	Psalm 93 Daniel 7:1-8, 15-18 John 3:31-36

THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS: Sunday, November 17

9:30 AM Coffee & Fellowship 10:00 AM Sunday Worship

Monday, November 18

Tuesday, November 19

6:30 PM Boy Scouts Meeting

Wednesday, November 20

10:00 AM Bible Study 1:00 PM Book Study

Thursday, November 22

Friday, November 23

5:30 PM AA/Al-Anon Meeting

Saturday, November 24

Our Daily Bread

Enjoy a copy of the "Our Daily Bread" devotional booklet that is available on the Information table in the Narthex. All free will donations will be given to its creators to help them maintain and further this valuable ministry. September through November booklets are now available.

Wednesday Advent Services



Please join us each Wednesday evening in Advent (December 4, 11th, and 18th) for a light potluck supper. Soups, sandwiches, salads, desserts or anything you're led and able to share are welcome. Enjoy fellowship at the 6:30 dinner and prepare your hearts for His birth at the 7:30 service.

Bible Study and Book Study - Wednesdays

Join us on Wednesdays in the church library for Bible Study at 10:00 AM. We are studying the Book of Luke.

The 1:00 PM Book Study will cover the book "Seculosity", How Career, Parenting, Technology, Food, Politics, and Romance Became Our New Religion and What to Do about it". Sign-up sheet on Information Table. All are welcome!

Hanging of the Greens - Sunday, November 24th



The annual decorating of our Sanctuary and Narthex will take place November 24th, immediately following the worship service. Please join us in decorating our lovely worship space for the Advent and Christmas Season. Many hands make light work.

Wreath Delivery and Sale

The scouts from Troop 385 will be here on November 24th. They will be delivering wreaths and sprays to those who ordered them.

They will also have a limited number of wreaths and sprays for sale. These are beautiful, live evergreens that are great for decorating your home or giving as a gift. The items range in price from \$33 to 39 and payment can be cash or check Thank you for supporting our troop.

Hello Congregation,

My name is John Jamieson, and I am seeking a kidney from a living donor. I have battled end stage kidney failure for the past four years, continuing to pray and hope I will find a way to continue my life. I'd like to see my son continue to grow up, support my faith-strong wife, and eventually return to work to contribute to society.



I you would prayerfully consider reaching out to folks you know and tell them my story (or have them call me 586-354-0901) I would appreciate it.

Those interested in kidney donation can find all the information at the U of M Transplant website at UofMhealth.org and search for "living kidney donation" or call 1-800-333-9013.

Prayer Corner: How Can I Pray for You?



On Sunday mornings a Stephen Minister is available in The Prayer Corner during communion to pray for you. We would like to expand this ministry by inviting other volunteers with a heart for praying with and for another to join this team. Interested?

Feel God tugging on your heart to participate? Come, join our current members in this ministry!

Connect with Lou Prine, Judy or Gordy Peterson. We will provide answers, support and some practical "how to" tips to prepare you to be a part of this team.



Prayer Requests & Updates

Prayer requests can be forwarded to: office@myallsaints.com; or call Julie Markwart at 248-887-9513 or email Julie at j.markwart@comcast.net.

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WORSHIP COORDINATOR

Fiction Book Group

Our group meets at church the second Tuesday of each month, at 3 PM. All are welcome to join and if you have any questions please contact Milissa Schmantowsky, 248-420-8756. December 10th we will discuss "Still Life" by Louise Penny. We would love to have you join us!



Worship Participants - November 17

Anna Gibson - Sunday School Cheryl Rossello – Assisting Minister Cheryl Taylor - Greeter Colby Gibson - Basketholder Donna Sanglier -Sacristan Gary LaRoy - Video Judy Peterson - Prayer Corner Julia Keller – Visitor Support Leah Gibson - Acolyte, Basket Holder Margaret MacDonald - Communion Assistant Milissa Schmantowskyu - Communion Assistant Richard Sommers - Usher Shannon Hammond - Worship Coordinator Sharyn Sommers – Counter, Usher Sonja Markwart – Counter, Lector Sue LaRoy - Sound

Worship Participants - November 24

Bill Clements - Greeter, Usher Deb Curcuru - Sacristan Elsie LaRue - Basket Holder Gary LaRoy - Sound Herm Markwart - Counter Jennifer Hardy - Usher Jenny LaRue - Communion Assistant Jerry Gibb - Sunday School Jo Ellyn Bernardin – Lector, Visitor Support Judy Peterson - Worship Coordinator Julia Keller - Assisting Minister Kevin Flatt -Video Lucas Gibson - Acolyte, Basket Holder Milissa Schmantowsky - Prayer Corner Rosemarie Clements - Greeter Shannon Hammond - Communion Assistant Will Kahl - Counter