

THE IMPORTANCE OF SABBATH TIME

The public schools let out for the summer break this past week. I'm not sure who was more excited, the students or the faculty and staff. When you are a child you look forward to the summer break almost as much as Christmas. When you are a teacher the summer break is a chance to recharge your batteries. It's an opportunity to travel for a few weeks on vacation and then start getting ready for a new year.

When I was a teenager in middle school, back then it was called Jr. High; the first day of summer break opened up the possibility of new adventures in life. Of course I was living a relatively sheltered life on military bases. It was a safe place for me and my friends to ride our 5-speed stingray bicycles anywhere our legs were strong enough to take us. We rode our bikes for miles and miles.

We could ride our bikes over to one of several lakes where we could camp out without the damper of parental supervision. Never mind that the military police would always drive by and check on us and call our parents to let them know we were not up to any serious mischief. Each week we tried to think of new places to see and do. Those summer days were long. The sun stayed up almost until 9:00 PM.

The mornings were cool, the days were hot, and we hoped that our summer break would last forever.

Now that I am 65, I'm rediscovering the joy and the importance of sabbath time in my life. Liz and I so enjoy our Tuesdays in Tennessee traveling adventures. We never run out of ideas or adventures for us to pursue. This year we hit the Blue Ridge Parkway. I'm glad we did. Otherwise I would have missed seeing the wild elk at Cherokee, NC. I also would have missed the wonderfully unique and quirky Alpine Inn, located in Little Switzerland and I never would have climbed Mt. Mitchell, the highest peak east of the Rocky Mountains.

It's good for the soul to take small trips to new places. How else would you ever know about oddities like the mutant white squirrels in Brevard, NC? You also shouldn't be afraid of trying new things. We were both in our 60's when Liz and I first rode 17 miles downhill on the Virginia Creeper Bike trail in Damascus, VA. Because we were up for the adventure, we were able to see Arlo Guthrie in concert at the Opera House in Newberry, SC, and yes, we sang all the words to Alice's Restaurant.

Taking time for sabbath is so important for the well being of our souls that our vestry chooses not to meet in the month of July. I just hope that all of us get away at some point the summer for our own adventures. Far too many people wish they would have when they could have. There is so much to see right here within two hours of Morristown.

Whenever I think about doing something new or different, I remember the chilling words from Jack Nicholson in the Shining. "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." None of us want to be like Jack.

Enjoy your summer sabbath. Be adventurous. Take the road less traveled. Try a new recipe. Climb a mountain and breathe in the air. Go the beach. Whatever you do, just get out of the house.

Our Spring BBQ was a terrific success.

Many thanks to all of you who took a shift (or two!) and helped make this event a success. All Saints made over \$36,000 in net sales. Outstanding!

A word about the Rota: We do the best we can with the information available to us (which admittedly, is somewhat sketchy!). In June, I will be sending a survey to those of you I have on a variety of rosters to make sure we better understand how you wish to serve. If your service preference have changed or if you are unable to serve in your usual capacity for whatever reason – please reach out to me directly at colleenandrews12@gmail.com. If you have recently been through training to serve on Sundays and have not yet reached out to me with your scheduling preferences, please drop me a line or give me a call. If you have been inadvertently “dropped” from a service you wish to continue, please also let me know.

Many thanks to all of you who participate so wholeheartedly in the life of our wonderful church. It is a blessing to be part of the All Saints Family and to witness firsthand the Love of Christ through all of our care and concern for each other and our community.

Peace,

Colleen Andrews, Senior Warden



Photos: Sheri Chiapetta

Junior Warden Report

CIA.

If you've ever heard one of my BBQ announcements, you're going to find this statement incredulous. I am an introvert. The loud, gregarious, type A, often wrong but never in doubt persona is a defense mechanism that I have honed for nearly 64 years. Fake it, till you make it. Appearances are reality. (We're as sick as our secrets.) Holley will tell you that I am not the spiritual giant I pretend to be. I can drive for six hours and not say a word. I listen to the radio. Ask her. If you tell me something in confidence, it will never be repeated until you directly give me permission to do so. Years ago, she once said I could be a CIA spy and she might not know it. I took it as a compliment and suggested she continue to toe the line.

Therefore, I can neither confirm nor deny that the following activities did or did not take place in April and May:

1. Ordered heavy gloves for the BBQ pit.
2. Weighed the propane tanks before sauce making.
3. Removed the banners above the altar after Easter.
4. Replaced the overhead outside lights at the narthex main entrance.
5. Installed door stops on the parish hall restrooms for the sexton.
6. Replaced a coat hook in one of the women's stalls.
7. Cleaned and returned the downstairs water fountain to service.
8. Put up the rummage sale sign.
9. Picked up a few loads for the rummage sale.
10. Took down the rummage sale sign.
11. Installed a string of lights in the BBQ trailer.
12. Picked up BBQ firewood loads #2, 3, 4.
13. Visited possible sources of BBQ firewood in two counties.
14. Arranged for delivery of firewood from the lumber yard right behind us. Big blocks!!
15. Purchased an electric log splitter.
16. Installed coatrack for parish administrator.
17. Returned the parish hall pantry ice maker to service.
18. Repaired a leaking outside faucet for a parishioner.
19. Helped make a little BBQ sauce.
20. Repaired shelf in NA closet.
21. Refilled the propane tanks.
22. Installed a new clock in the parish hall.
23. Installed a new clock in the kitchen.
24. Cooked some butts.
25. Started troubleshooting the ice maker *again*.

Episcopalians are Easter people of action. I have indeed become a member of the CIA: Christians In Action.

Anonymously,
The Jr. Warden



Summer Camp

We would like to share some information about our ASES Summer Camps.

We have many opportunities for students to connect with other kids, make new friends, stay busy and active, and learn new skills. Please take a look at all our summer camps we have to offer, there is something for everyone 2 years through 12th grade.

We have a fun daily camp for our 2-year-olds and up, with exciting and interesting guests, as well as field trips for our Kindergarten and up. We also offer a variety of Enrichment Camps for school-aged children; from Coding & Robotics, Art, Biology, Cookie Decorating, and so much more. Please share with your friends! All the details and registration forms can be found on our website: Summer Camps | All Saints' School (asestn.org) and please reach out to Emily Raymond with any questions at eraymond@asestn.org.

Blessings,
Smokey +



May in Review



Photo: Dr. Henry Selby

Celebrating the Life & Work of Sheila Carton

The church has never been so orange!
Just the way Sheila would have wanted.

Sheila has been interred in columbarium II spot V4, go VOLS! She is deeply missed by our congregation and has touched the hearts of many.

Pentecost 2023: Beautiful & Unexpected



Photo: Chantal Combs



Photo: Linda Haas



5th Scouts Blue & Gold Banquet

56 people were in attendance for Scout Master Dr. Henry Selby's 5th Blue and Gold Banquet at All Saints. 3 Webelos crossed over to Scouts BSA. Here are some of our Cubs and Scouts with Fr. Mark and Liz. Pack 197 gave him and committee member Linda Haas awards.

Photos: Dr. Henry Selby



Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 2 Jamia Blazer
- 3 Lauren Yeary, Sam Neill
- 5 Cheryl Jones
- 6 Virginia Carey
- 9 Sam Yeary, Tommy Justis, Mary West
- 10 Susan (Blue) & Larry McGowan*
- 12 Dusty Chandler, Jr.
- 14 Jake Neill
- 15 Joe Kucan
- 16 Virginia Garrett
- 17 Brooke White, Mike Chiappetta
- 19 Virginia & David Garrett*
- 20 Marylou Mauney, Jaiden Rohe, Dana C. Rice
- 21 Lisa Sawyer, Darby Taylor
- 23 Jean Jones, Gary Johnson
- 26 Holley & Dan Dickens*
- 28 Barbara & Glenn Thompson*
- 29 Ed & Anne Wing*
- 30 Carolyn & Ben Dean*

*Anniversary

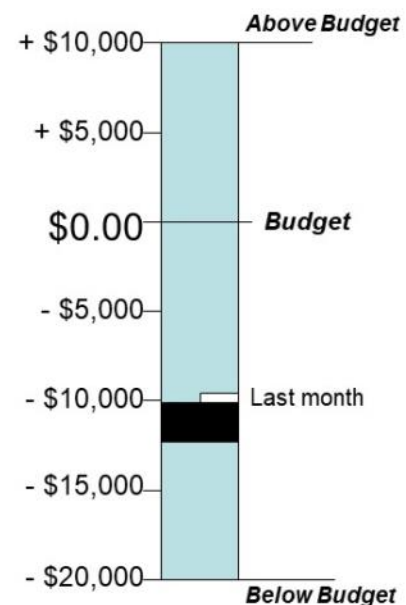
If your name never appears on the birthday/anniversary list, that means you need to call the church office with these special dates for our records! Thanks!

No Parish Breakfast in June

1st Sunday Breakfasts will resume in August

Member Contributions

January thru April 2023



Your Vestry thanks you for your support!

A reminder in these difficult times to keep your pledge current

- catching up can be hard -

- On-line giving is now available -



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Thursday 6/29
6pm.

Location:
All Saints'

Prayers,
Janis Dixon
423 748 1516
Janisbd48@gmail.com



Parish Prayer List for Healing and Comfort:

Jim Gose; Louise Dyer; Margaret Blazer; Bill Auton;
Mason Fishburn; Bill Andrews; Christian Shunk;
Eugene Kirkland; Ashley Auton Taylor;
Pat Corbett Hansen; Ward Williams; James Earl Carter;
Rose Adams; George & Lena Giles; Nancy Carpenter;
Kent Elkins; Barbara Garrett; Cleve Edwards;
Whitney Dixon Mason; Sheila Rice; Robert Carter;
Dennis Larkin; Mary Blankenship; Spencer Husk;
Dale Pendland; Anthony Bryant; Julia Bales McCoy;
Nikki Campbell; Jeanine Ivy; Amy Hixson; Jack Fishman

Diocesan Prayer Cycle:

For our sister missions in South Dakota:
St. Elizabeth's, Wakpala; St. James', Mobridge;
St. John's, Bullhead; St. Paul's, Little Eagle

Those in the Armed Forces & First Responders:

Gryfin Broyles; Jeffrey Torres; Tim Herzog;
Hayden & Hunter Dome; Azlynn Megan Ross;
Daniel Thomas; Luke Adams; Hunter Case;
Kristie Kirby; Kevin Smith; Luke & Austin Whitelaw;
Amber Berry Gilliam; Rebecca & Ashley Boatman;
Matt Storey

*Please remember to call the church office when
folks need to be removed from prayer list!*



SISTERHOOD GATHERING
TUESDAY JUNE 13TH 5:30PM
HOLSTON'S RESTAURANT
More info & menu sent by email.
HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

Janis Dixon
423 748 1516
Janisbd48@gmail.com



Pastoral Care

If any pastoral care concerns or need of prayers arise please let Brooke White, vestry pastoral care liaison, know.

We have plenty of prayer shawls!

423-231-8372 jnbwhite@hotmail.com

FOOD ON FOOT

We will not hand out food bags at the Food on Foot warehouse in the month of June. However, we will still fill food bags in June. Our next handout date will be the first Saturday in July.

We had several Saints come to the FOF warehouse on Saturday, the 6 th of May to help. I am thankful for everyone who helps in any way from contributions, prayers, and physically helping hand out the food bags.

Ginger Goolsby,

Member of Outreach Committee



From the Diocese of East Tennessee & The Episcopal Church



DioET at Knoxville Area Pride Events

In continuing its commitment to Reconciling All Things in Christ, the Diocese of East Tennessee will be present in and hosting key Knoxville area Pride events.

We will be present at **SoKno Pride on Saturday, June 10**. Knoxville area clergy and lay members who wish to help represent our communities at this family-friendly event should contact Bro. Andrew at amorehead@dioet.org or call 865-323-7211 for volunteer information.



On Sunday, June 25, beginning at 3:30 pm

at **Church of the Good Samaritan**, the Diocese of East Tennessee will present a Reconciling Panel Discussion including Bishop Brian Cole, Ms. Allison Duvall of Episcopal Migration Ministries, and a representative of the State Department. Our local refugee resettlement organization, Bridge Refugee Services, partners with Episcopal Migration Ministries in this vital effort. More information on the Episcopal Church's recognition of the Rainbow Initiative in June is below.

Following the Reconciling Panel Discussion, the Pride Mass will begin at **5:00 pm in the nave of Good Samaritan**. The Rev. Kevin Strickland, Bishop of the Southeastern Synod of the ELCA, is our guest preacher. The Rev. John Tirro will gather musicians for a community ensemble for the service. Our collection will go to the local efforts of the Rainbow Initiative. A reception with a table fair will follow in the parish hall.



All Saints' Foundation Trust

GOOD STEWARDSHIP through an Endowment Gift

Jesus is alive today through people who make up the body of Christ, and the legacy of those who went before us and made provision for the church's continued support and growth.

There are a number of ways that a provision for the future can be assured.

One of the ways is by an **Endowment Bequest** through a Will or Trust.

The idea behind an **Endowment Bequest** is simple. Contributions are held in perpetuity, that is the principal is never spent. Only the income generated by the fund can be used for specifically agreed upon purposes. Establishing an **Endowment Bequest** is not complex.

The All Saints' Foundation Trust committee can help you.

For more information contact one of the members:

Colleen Andrews, Jim Fuhr, Sam Neill, Howard Mauney, Marylou Mauney

All Saints' Foundation Trust Committee:

Sr. Warden

Colleen Andrews

Treasurer

Marylou Mauney

3 Vestry Elected Members

Jim Fuhr 2021 - 2024

Sam Neill 2022 - 2025

Howard Mauney 2023 – 2026

Secretary to the Trust

Skeet Jernigan

VPR	Chris Sharp	Rebecca Boatman	Colleen Andrews	Dan Leonard
8:00 AM	6/4/2023	6/11/2023	6/18/2023	6/25/2023
CRUCIFER	Colleen Andrews	Earl Hall	Dave Auton	Dillon Wines
CHALICE/INTERCESSOR	Cindy Husk	Kim Torres	Cindy Husk	Bill Mitrick
2nd CHALICE	Dave Auton	Linda Leonard	Colleen Andrews	Linda Leonard
LECTOR OT/P/NT	Kim Torres	Martha Simerl	Janet Zachmann	Marylou Mauney
GREETERS/USHERS	Martha Hall	Howard Mauney	Gary Miller	Martha Hall
	Earl Hall	Marylou Mauney	Robin Miller	Earl Hall
10:30 AM	6/4/2023	6/11/2023	6/18/2023	6/25/2023
ACOLYTES	Ginger Goolsby	Jake Neill	Susie Carter	Rebecca Boatman
CRUCIFER	Rebecca Boatman	Ginger Goolsby	Dillon Wines	Ginger Goolsby
CHALICE/INTERCESSOR	Isaac Bolling	Carolyn Dean	Mark Joyce	Dan Dickens
2nd CHALICE	Lauren Cordle	Lauren Cordle	Ginger Goolsby	Liz Holland
OT LECTOR	Anne Ross	Paige Mattocks	Ethel Rhodes	Sarah Gose
NT LECTOR	Judy Yates	Lynn Cross	Mark Doherty	Lynn Cross
PRESENTERS	Lena Giles	Janis Dixon	Judy Yates	Brooke White
	George Giles	Brooke White	Jack Yates	Janis Dixon
SOUND/VIDEO	Bob Harmon/ Jim Fuhr	Bob Harmon/ Jim Fuhr	Larry McGowan/ Wayne Stambaugh	Larry McGowan/ Wayne Stambaugh
GREETERS/USHERS	Jack Yates	Sam Neill	George Giles	Nickie Smith
	Judy Yates	Amy Neill	Lena Giles	Mary West
	Mark Doherty	Jeannine Rosso	Rhonda Doherty	Rebecca Foster
	Rhonda Doherty	Louise Joyce	Mark Doherty	Louise Joyce
ALTAR GUILD	Team 1 (Amy Sharp, Sue Justis, Chantal Combs)	Team 2 (Carolyn Dean, Janis Dixon, Rebecca Fowler, Mary West)	Team 3 (Susie Carter, Sheri Chiappetta, Isaac Boling)	Team 4 (Judy Anglin, Martha Hall, Sandra Hoyle)

If unable to serve as scheduled, please find your own replacement then communicate the change with the VPR & church office as soon as possible.

Thanks, Colleen Andrews

All are welcome to contribute to our monthly Saints Alive Newsletter.

If you have an article or an event you would like to submit for publication, please email it to Kathlyn by the 20th of each month for the next month's Saints Alive.

kwender@allsaintsmorristown.org
