

Saints' Alive

September 2022



STARTING UP A CLASSIC BARN FIND

I'm sure it is the engineer in me that is attracted to all of those quasi-reality television shows that feature old classic cars. I especially like the shows that discover barn-find cars that have been hidden away in storage for two or three decades or in some cases even more. There is something compelling about seeing a rare muscle car that somebody parked in the 70's or 80's and walked away and just left it only to see it be rediscovered in the 2020's.

If the classic barn-find is not covered with a protective cloth then it is often covered in a thick layer of dust and dirt. Usually the car is buried under piles of stuff that have been resting on the hood, roof, and trunk. So these items need to be removed. Often the tires have dry rotted and have long since gone flat. So they might not hold air.

There is a meticulous process for verifying the status of the classic car. VIN numbers are checked against engine block numbers. Any documenting papers are also checked to verify the history and collectability of the car. Old gas needs to be emptied from the gas tank. All engine fluids and filters need to be replaced. A new battery will need to be installed. Then everyone holds their breath to see if the engine has ceased up or will it turn over. Being able to turn over is crucial for bringing life back to this barn-find car.

Science says, "What you don't use, you lose." This is to say when we stop using something it immediately begins to atrophy. This is what has happened to us during the two-year pandemic. So many things that were a regular part of life went on hold. Ministries we relied upon ceased. The rules for what it means to live in community with each other changed overnight. Now that we are beginning to emerge from the Covid pandemic we are faced with the task of "restarting the car" that has been sitting idle for more than two years.

Part of the process for restarting up of a church includes a good measure of discernment. Do I really want to keep doing this? Is this particular ministry something I want to continue doing? Maybe I would rather change something out and replace it with something better? Will I even continue to use this "church" for the same tasks or will I now need it for something completely different?

In a post pandemic world we are rediscovering what it means to be the Church in 2022. Like a classic car, certain built-in features and options may no longer be relevant for the Church of the future. We are going to have to reimagine what the mission of the Church will look like moving forward. It might be leaner. It might be smaller. It might have to be more flexible and learn how to adjust to new demands. All this means we most likely will be able "restart the car" without too much effort. But it also means that once we have it up and running again that we might have a few "extra left over parts" that are no longer required to make the car work.

When it comes to restarting a church that has been dormant for the past two years we will discover that some things will be left behind. We will learn what is really necessary and what it is that really want to do moving forward into the future. The mission will remain pretty much the same. We will spread the Good News of Jesus Christ. Only now, how we go about spreading the gospel might seem different because the church we are no longer looks very much like what we used to be.

Though as long as it still gets the job done, then I say, "Thanks Be to God!"

Mark+



Summer is winding down and Fall is headed our way. All Saints' continues to get back normal, as is All Saint' School.

Fall BBQ is scheduled for October 6th through the 8th. We will be open for sales two days this time. We will be cooking 6,000 pounds of meat over two nights. The sign-up sheets are in the Parish Hall. Please sign up!

I would like to thank all acolytes, crucifers, chalice/intercessors, second chalice, lectors, greeters, ushers, presenters, sound/video and the altar guild for their valued participation this year. We will be having a mini-rally day In September or October. Please sign up for any of these positions as we need more participants in all areas...especially for the 8:00 service. Training will be provided.

Peace,

Howard Mauney, Sr. Warden

September Bingo will be on Wednesday, September 14 at noon. At our August Bingo we had only a few guests. The August Bingo announcement was not in Housing's newsletter. But the September Bingo will be. Another issue with attendance is the fact that Housing is no longer providing their van service for guests to get to Bingo. We will have to see how attendance is this month and come up with a plan going forward. Sue Justis spoke with a manager at Housing to make sure they had the date and that Housing was aware of the decrease in attendance.

In September, as we did in August, we will be offering a simple lunch – assorted sandwiches, chips, drinks and desserts. The few that were in attendance really like the meal. We hope to continue this more simple format going forward.

For September Bingo we will need drinks and desserts, as usual. Thank you for your continued support of Bingo.

The Bingo Team





Hello!

It's hard to believe that Fall is almost upon us – and, even more importantly - BBQ Season! Martie Anderson has worked with a number of people in the Parish to assess the options for replacing the tents destroyed in the storm last spring and we hope to have our replacement tent ordered within the next week or two. We continue to work with our lighting contractor to resolve issues related to lights at the front of the church and in the chapel.

Many thanks to all of you who help to keep our beautiful church in working order!

Peace,

Colleen Andrews
Jr. Warden



BBQ UPDATE

Reminder: Our next BBQ will be held October 6-8, 2022. Sign-up sheets are up in the Parish Hall. For the first time in several years, we will be cooking **BOTH NIGHTS** to make sure we have enough BBQ for everyone – we have 6,000 pounds of meat on order! This will require a significant effort on our part, and we will need all the help we can get.

Changes: This year we will be making and packing coleslaw on **Wednesday, October 5th**. This means we will need to have the Parish Hall set up on Tuesday, October 4th.

Sauce making will be on Saturday September 10 beginning at 8:00 am until done. We will bottle this batch in the Parish hall on Monday, September 12 beginning at 4:00 pm until done. We will cook a second batch on Saturday, September 17 beginning at 8:00 am until finished. We'll bottle this batch the week of BBQ.

Please mark these on your calendars and sign up to help out!

Reminder: Please **SAVE YOUR BOXES** and drop them off in the Parish Hall for use packing corporate orders.



What a wonderful and fast start to the school year! A big thank you to our parents for sharing their children with our staff and me, for choosing ASES as their partner to educate their student, and for jumping in to make this the best beginning ever! Our Eagles' Nesting Open House to begin the year saw great enthusiasm for a return to campus and mounds of supporting resources (paper towels, wipes, hand sanitizer, etc.) brought into the building and stored in classrooms. (And a huge THANK YOU to the PTSO for orchestrating the festive feel of the afternoon's gathering.) We now have a hot lunch service four days each week, with several new Dining Room Divas 'setting the table' in support of our student body. Not long after the year began, I got to be a substitute teacher because of the latest variant of COVID and let me tell you: these students are a bright and talented bunch!

Now, some school business.

Enrollment

Last year as September began, we had 114 students in our classrooms, a small increase from opening day's 110. This year we opened with 139 students and on August 19 enrolled our 140th. We're not to waiting lists yet, though space is very limited in three of our programs. This sort of year-over-year growth is what happens when you have a top-notch faculty delivering a top-draw educational program! If you know of a student who is not enjoying a breakout year in school, please do send them my way.

Saints' Fund

Our Annual Saints' Fund appeal kicked off on August 31. Amy and Mark Welch have graciously agreed to chair it. School tuition does not cover the full cost of a student's education, so we must raise funds to cover the "gap" amount that remains. This is where the School's three major fundraisers come into play (The Saints' Fund, The Master's Golf Tournament, and the Auction & Gala). The Saints' Fund is our annual campaign that runs from August to the end of December. Last year we had 100% faculty and staff participation and this year we aim to have 100% parent engagement as well. Any gift will make a difference! And you don't even have to have a student enrolled! If you've got some extra cash lying around, we'd love for you to help fill the gap and assist one of our deserving students to grow right in the eyes of God and the eyes of the world.

Book Fair

I hope everyone has had an excellent start to the 2022-2023 school year. Our Scholastic Book Fair is fast approaching. It will be held in the Activity Center on Tuesday, September 6th through Friday, September 9th. Each class will have a scheduled time during the day to come, view and purchase books. The Book Fair will also be open at 7:30 am for early shoppers and end at 4:00 pm each day. Parents that choose may send money with their child to make purchases. If there is any item that you DO NOT want your child to purchase, please send a note stating so to the office.

Thank you, Mrs. Vicki Wice

Of course, our ASES book fair is open to all who love children's books.

28th Annual Master's Golf Tournament

The 28th Annual Master's Golf Tournament is happening on October 21st at The Country Club. Brochures will be going home with students next month, but more information about sponsorships and registration to play can also be found online at <https://ases.cbo.io>.

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Standardized tests

The last week of September will find our students huddled with laptop computers, sharing what they know via a nationally normed assessment. Rather than administer it in the spring, we are sitting at keyboard this fall so that we can receive the results in time to make any needed curricular adjustments this school year.

The scores will give us a relative sense of where our students rank on a national stage. If history is to be believed, most of our current students will matriculate through ASES, excel at a local high school, then wander off to a distant city for college and life, returning for visits but not residency. Seems to me we have a responsibility to prepare them to compete intellectually and for jobs in those bigger markets.

The faculty convened for our first meeting of the year as the second half of August began. One of the agenda items most every time we gather are stories of school life, episodes of delight, learning and insight that are almost everyday occurrences around here. The wonderful and fast start to the year has made for some glorious stories and deep, joyful laughter in our meetings. I believe they are the best part of our professional conversations and that there are many more to come!

Blessings,
Smokey +



We will be filling food bags for Food on Foot in September, but there is not a vacant Saturday in the month for us to hand them out. However, our bags will still be distributed during the month.

We will again fill food bags in October and our hand-out date will be Saturday, October 29; a change from the October 8th date because of BBQ. We will again fill food bags in November and hand them out on Saturday, November 5th which will make for a busy couple of weeks.

The need for food help has grown, and most Saturdays 250 to 275 bags of food are given to those who come. Some families now come together to save on gas, and there are even a few who walk or ride bicycles. Come some Saturday and join us and witness your Outreach in Action

Ginger Goolsby
Member of the Outreach Committee



Mark your calendar!!!

We are making sauce Saturday,
September 10
8:00 am till finished.

We will bottle this batch on Monday, September 12.

4:00 pm till finished - in parish hall!

We plan on cooking a 2nd batch on
Saturday, September 17
8:00 am till finished.

This batch will be poured into cups and bottles
the week of BBQ.

Bob Harmon, Sauce Chair

It is already September - Fall is just a few short weeks away. Wow!

Our All Saints' calendar is filling up with activities. Lasagna night is October 1 followed by the Fall Bar-B-Que – 6000 pounds. Whaaat!! Then a visit from Bishop Cole. It is wonderful to see the pews filling up each Sunday and heartwarming to realize how much our church is helping others in our community through programs like Bingo and Food on Foot.

All Saints' charters a Cub Scout pack and a Girls scout troop under the leadership of Carmen Dejesus and Henry Selby. Both organizations are growing and thriving. We will be seeing more of them around the church as they continue to help and participate in many ways.

We are planning two seasonal activities for "children of all ages"; first will be Advent Wreath making. The date for this will most likely be 11-16. Next will be Gingerbread House Making. The date will most likely will be Dec 14. Please note that these activities are not just for children. I will get more information to you in the next newsletter but please keep these in mind as things get more busy around the holidays.

We are also planning another newcomer dinner. That date has not been determined.

Peace,
Linda Haas
Evangelism liaison



Join us for our Italian Night Supper

LIVE

Ciao, y'all! It's time once again to unleash your inner Italian!

Come and enjoy a delicious lasagna dinner, bread, salad, drink, and dessert!

PLUS entertainment – you never know who will show!

Adults - \$20

Children 12 and under - \$10

Family Maximum - \$60



When: Saturday, October 1, 2022 at 6 PM

**Where: All Saints' Episcopal Church
Parish Hall**

Proceeds to support the All Saints' Music Program.

Tickets are now available and may be purchased from any Vestry member!

You can also call the church office for ticket reservations.

My family offers our heartfelt thanks for the cards, calls, and texts following the unexpected loss of my nephew, Andy. Not only myself, but my sister, Robin, has been greatly moved by the outpouring of Love we have received during this most tragic time.

Your thoughts, words, and prayers have meant the world to us.

Thank you ~
Deacon Sarai



A memorial service for
Wanda Kirby will be held Saturday,
October 1 at 11am here at
All Saints' with reception to follow



Welcome the newly baptized,
River Chase Price,
son of Lauren Spencer Pell and
Hunter Price;
proud Grandmother,
Christina Spencer



Sisterhood
Tuesday, September 13
5:30pm @ Holstons

Hello Ladies!

Our September Sisterhood will be Tuesday 9/13 at 5:30pm at HOLSTONS – on the Jose' side.

Our menu is

- Citrus Chicken Salad - vegans we can leave chicken off \$14.00
- Spaghetti & Meatballs \$13.00
- Fish & Chips \$15.00

This includes the tip – since I pay with an AS check the exempt us from sales tax.

Adult beverages available

We have 13 birthdays to celebrate – hope all the birthday babes will attend.

This is early but please let me know RSVP & Menu choice asap!

Hugs to all,
 Janis
 423 748 1516
janisbd48@gmail.com



GRIEF... A term to describe the pain from a Major Loss. The loss could be from the Death of a Loved One – a Career Loss – Loss of a Friendship – Loss of Health.

All Saints Grief Support gathers monthly to share and give others the love & compassion that often times family & friends don't understand is needed. The September meeting will be Thursday the 29th at 6PM

IF YOU OR ANYONE YOU KNOW IS
 DEALING WITH GRIEF....
 PLEASE JOIN US ON THURSDAY,
 OCTOBER 27TH AT 6PM.

OUR GUEST SPEAKER WILL BE AUTHOR
 DEBRA HAYES.

SHE WILL BE DISCUSSING AREAS FROM
 HER BOOK – UNHACKABLE FORCE WITH
 EMPHASIS ON HOW TO RELEASE YOUR
 PAIN AND FIND JOY IN YOUR LIFE.
 PLEASE

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THE
 OPPORTUNITY. EVERYONE IS WELCOME
 AND OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY.

Call me if you have any questions.

Janis Dixon
 423 748 1516



OUR PRAYERS

For healing and comfort: Sheila Carton; Mike Bartholomew; John Bell; Sylvia Hinsley; Jim Gose; Pam Martin; Louise Dyer; Sally Wells; Pat Harmon; Glen Roach; Joe Neil; Randy Turner; W.D. Sanders; Isaac McGraw Smith; Brooke Justice Fabbri; Bill Ladner; Doris Rhymes; Cleve Edwards; Dennis Young; David Carter; Josephine Rhodes Stuart; Charles Wallace; David Burnette; Becca Boatman; Larry Mills; Hart Paul; Jason Farris; Martha Joyner; Dan Downs; Joyce Hart; Davin Auton; Ashley Auton Taylor; Bill Auton; Brandy Conley; Cathy Miller; Eddie Spoone; Janet Zachmann; Robbie Poteete-Jeffcoat

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

Birthdays & Anniversaries

01	Marley Sharp
04	Dustin Chandler
05	Teresa Clement
06	Kathy Jones-Litz, Jerry Feldmann, Carter & LA Orio*
09	Linda & Dan Leonard*
10	Peggy Brock
11	Lauren Cordle
12	Cheryl & Larry Jones*
13	Natalie Ramirez
14	Robin Miller, Chris Sharp
15	Cindi Husk, Harold Nichols
16	Kenny Story
18	Braxton Mattocks
20	Patty Kirkley, John Willis
21	Hugh Clement. Cindy & Henry Selby*, Janet Zachmann
23	Erica Grace Hall, Linda Haas, Bill & Lin Mitrak*
24	Geoffrey & Anna Garrett*
25	Kaitlyn Harville
27	Riley Anderson

*Anniversary

If your name does not appear in the appropriate month, please call the church office.

All Saints' Altar Guild

Altar Guild

A volunteer group of the parish whose ministry is to care for the altar, vestments, vessels, and altar linens of the parish. Altar Guild members prepare the sanctuary for services, and clean up afterwards. Altar Guild members frequently supervise the decoration of the sanctuary of the parish with flowers.

ROSTER

Team 1: Carolyn Dean, Chantal Combs, Anne Ross

Team 2: Judy Bartholomew, Janis Dixon, Virginia Carey

Team 3: Carolyn Dean, Danielle Darter, Amy Sharp

Team 4: Susie Carter, Sheri Chiapetta, Isaac Bolling

Team 5: Judy Anglin, Martha Hall, Sandy Hoyle

Sacristan: Taryn Herzog

Please welcome our newest member to the Altar Guild, Isaac Bolling. We are so happy to have him working on our team! Thank you Isaac, we are grateful for your ministry and the ministry of all our members.

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Sept 4 - Team 4 - Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Green

Sept 11 - Team 5 - Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Green

Sept 18 - Team 1 - Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Green

Sept 25 - Team 2 - Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Green

Oct 2 - Team 3 - Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost - Green

Oct 9 - Team 4 - Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Green

Oct 16 - Team 5 - Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Green

Oct 23 - Team 1 - Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost - Green

Oct 30 - Team 2 - Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost - Green

MEMBERS OF THE ALTAR GUILD If you would like to learn more about this ministry or think you would be interested in joining, please contact Father Mark, or Carolyn Dean.

You can also visit our website page at <https://allsaintsmorristown.org/altar-guild/>

VPR	CHRIS SHARP	CINDI HUSK	NICKIE SMITH	COLLEEN AN-
8:00 AM	09/04/2022	09/11/2022	09/18/2022	09/25/2022
CRUCIFER	Earl Hall	Dave Auton	Dillon Wines	Dave Auton
CHALICE/INTERCESSOR	Cindy Husk	Cindy Husk	Kim Torres	Cindy Husk
2nd CHALICE	Dave Auton	Kim Torres	Bill Mitrik	Kim Torres
LECTOR OT/P/NT	Marylou Mauney	Martha Simerl	Bill Mitrik	Kim Torres
GREETERS/USHERS	Howard Mauney	Martha Hall	Gary Miller	Colleen Andrews
	Marylou Mauney	Earl Hall	Robin Miller	Earl Hall
10:30 AM	09/04/2022	09/11/2022	09/18/2022	09/25/2022
ACOLYTES	Jake Neill	Ginger Goolsby	Dan Dickens	Dillon Wines
CRUCIFER	Ginger Goolsby	Liz Holland	Susie Carter	Dan Dickens
CHALICE/INTERCESSOR	Dan Dickens	Mark Joyce	Carolyn Dean	Mark Joyce
2nd CHALICE	Mark Joyce	Lauren Cordle	Liz Holland	Carolyn Dean
OT LECTOR	Cindy Selby	Sarah Gose	Anne Ross	Ethel Rhodes
NT LECTOR	Henry Selby	Cookie Larkin	Mark Doherty	Ginger Goolsby
PRESENTERS	Beka Selby	Bill Mitrick	Janis Dixon	Lena Giles
	Cindy Selby	Lin Mitrick	Brook White	George Giles
SOUND/VIDEO	David Briggs/ Colleen Andrews	David Briggs/ Bill Connellee	David Briggs/ Sarah Othokian	Sarah Othokian/ Mark Doherty
GREETERS/USHERS	Sam Neill	Jack Yates	George Giles	Louise Joyce
	Amy Neill	Judy Yates	Lena Giles	Brooke White
	Holley Dickens	Lin Mitrick	Rhonda Doherty	Janis Dixon
	Rhonda Doherty	Louise Joyce	Brook White	Ginger Goolsby

**If unable to serve as assigned, please find your own replacement
and contact VPR.**



Attention All!!!

It is time for me to order offering envelopes for 2023. It is important that you contact me by October 15 if you want a set of envelopes for next year.

Please give me a call, 586-6201,
or email landerson@allsaintsmorristown.org
Thanks, Ia



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The BBQ Prayer

Heavenly Father,

The Epistle tells us, "Faith without works is dead." As we are prayerfully called to your service for another All Saints' BBQ let us be mindful of our purpose. We ask your strength for our efforts. Keep us safe in our activities. Renew old friendships, kindle new ones. Let this be more than 6,000 lbs, more than 100 gallons, more than thousands of dollars. You ask us to change the whole world, but only require that we do it one relationship at a time.

Send your Holy Spirit to set our hearts on fire for your service.

We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.