

All Saints' Episcopal Church
Riverside, CA

The Good News

November 2022

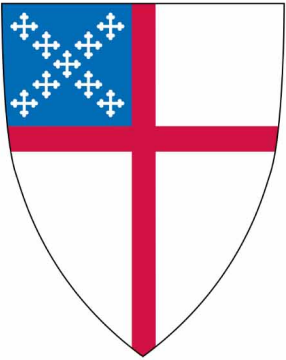


VISION

The vision of All Saints' Episcopal Church is to be a vibrant, loving, welcoming community of faith called to serve Christ and to nurture all persons to be fully alive in God.

MISSION

With God's help we will live our vision as a community that serves all people through ministries of worship, education, fellowship, and aid to those in need.



All Souls Lantern Festival

Wednesday, November 2nd at 5:30 p.m.

Join us to mark the death of those we love.

Navigating *the Nave* The Rector's Reflections

An aspirant among us I am delighted to welcome to the All Saints' community Mr. Andrew Cooper. Andy is discerning a call to ordained ministry. At the start of the discernment journey the Diocese invites aspirants to a *Diocesan Discernment Year* "DDY" to test their call in a setting outside their own sponsoring congregation. Andy will be with us this program year beginning November 27, the First Sunday in Advent. He will join us in a variety of roles and ministries. Please introduce yourself to him. We'll have a discernment committee that will meet regularly with Andy to pray and discern alongside him. See page 10 for a note from Andy.

Healing Station I wrote in the September GOOD NEWS that we would be beginning a new ministry of healing during the 10:00 a.m. service soon. The "soon" is now. Beginning All Saints' Sunday, November 6, 2022, there will be a healing station at the side chapel during the distribution of communion.

How it works: during communion, if you wish to receive prayers and anointing for healing for yourself or someone you know, please come to the side chapel (either before or after receiving communion). *Briefly* let the anointer know what and for whom you are seeking healing. The anointer will offer a short prayer over you then make the sign of the cross with unction (holy oil) on your forehead. If you would like a longer conversation about healing, the anointer can meet with you following the service.

Occasionally the number of people seeking anointing prayers may take a bit longer than the distribution of communion. When that happens, the Gathered will sit in silent prayer until all have been anointed or made arrangements to be anointed after the service ends.

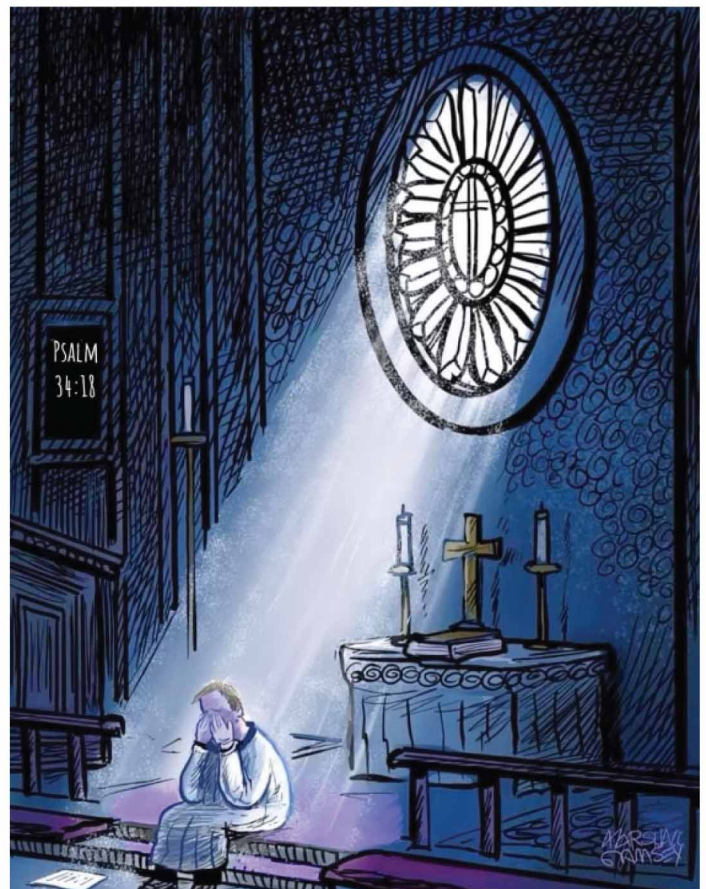
Currently the anointers are KGK+, Ryan+, Andrea Briggs, and Jim Boyer. Andy will join the team in December. Please reach out to any of us should you have any questions about the Healing Station.

Vestry Nominations Four vestry members will be concluding their three years of service in January. The Vestry is now seeking nominations for the new class of

vestry members who are willing to serve for the next three years. The chair of the vestry nomination is Francie Johnson. Other members are Kathy Woodbury, John Briggs, Leslie Sunderland, and Lindy Colaluca-Polling. The slate of nominees will be presented to the Vestry at its December meeting. If you or someone you know would like to be considered on the slate, please speak to one of the above-mentioned members of the nominating committee.

There are so many opportunities for us to engage the Holy in concrete, meaningful ways: please pay attention to the articles in this newsletter and blurbs in The Sunday Paper.

I look forward to worshipping with you on Thanksgiving Eve, Wednesday, November 23 @ 7:00 p.m. in church and online. Deacon Ryan will be preaching. *"All good things come from you, O Lord. And of thine own have we given thee."*



Note From the Senior Warden

Dear All Saints' parishioners:

Today it feels like Fall has finally arrived in Riverside. I'm daydreaming about cooking soups and enjoying our fireplace in the evening; I read that we are due for yet another (3rd year in a row) La Nina weather pattern this winter which means dryer and warmer than normal. Seems to me that is our new normal! The climate changes we are all experiencing remind us that all the paperwork and research we are slogging through to establish a solar installation at All Saints' is worth it! We plan to present an exciting solar plan to the congregation by December.

November and December are busy times for Mother Kelli Grace, Father Ryan, the Staff and Vestry. The Diocesan Convention, All Souls Lantern Festival, Stewardship, All Saints' Sunday, Thanksgiving, Advent, The Christmas Extravaganza and Christmas! Busy times and a full calendar remind me to celebrate the peace and calm that Sundays inside our sanctuary give me—I invite you to join me.

*Sincerely,
Francie Johnson*

From the Music Director

Dear All Saints' family:

On Sunday, December 4th at 6pm, All Saints' Riverside will present a **Service of Lessons and Carols**. This is a beautiful way to welcome the Advent and Christmas season. This year, St. George's choir will join us in singing the anthems and carols. I hope to see you all there!

Best,
Abe



**LESSONS
&
CAROLS**

the promise of the Messiah - the birth of Jesus
Scripture - carols - choral music - hymns

CONSECRATION SUNDAY NOVEMBER 20

Jesus' miraculous feeding of the crowds at the Sea of Galilee reminds me how divine Love is the force that provides more than enough to sustain us all – how God's love provides the miracle of enoughness – the grace of plenty. The thousands of people who gathered around Jesus had only five loaves of bread and two fish among them. They scraped together these provisions and made an offering for the benefit of all. This community giving was not enough in itself to feed everyone, but it contributed to the miraculous proliferation of bread and fish that was more than enough to feed thousands.



Stewardship is like this for me. It's like finding bits of our own treasure and sharing it among community as a way of not only showing up more completely for ourselves and those around us, authentically and compassionately, but also to invite in a kind of miracle that can provide more than enough to sustain us all, especially in these tough times. Each of us contributes what we can, and every gift invites a miracle – a miracle of Love itself – a force that can exponentially grow all that we give.

On Consecration Sunday (November 20th) we all have an opportunity to come together and give in this way - to make a pledge for the coming year to sustain our ministry, serve our community, and invite the miracle of God's love. Every gift serves our mission, and yours is essential to us. Please pray with us as we launch our annual gathering of gifts and gratitude, and consider how you will contribute.

*Kristin Varner
Stewardship Chair*

Community Engagement ~ Upcoming Events And Opportunities



Andrea Briggs, Minister for Community Engagement

Saturday, November 5, 1-10pm,

on Market Street between University and 14th, join in this community's 19th annual celebration of the **Day of the Dead**. Visit the magnificent altars constructed in White Park to honor loved ones. There will be art, dance performances, live music, stunning costumes, and food.



Tuesday, November 8, is the last day to submit your ballot for the **General Election**. All those registered to vote in California should have already received a vote-by-mail ballot. The ballot includes seven propositions, plus

- Statewide candidates for U.S. Senate, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Controller, Treasurer, Attorney General, Insurance Commissioner, Member of State Board of Equalization, State Superintendent of Public Instruction
- U.S. Representative in Congress, State Senator, State Assembly Member
- Supreme Court Justices, as well as other local candidates and local measures.

You can return your ballot by mail or in person to various locations.

Check out these two sources of non-partisan information: the League of Women Voters' guide at <https://easyvoterguide.org/>, and Voters' Edge at <https://votersedge.org/ca>. The official source of election information is the California Secretary of State, <https://www.sos.ca.gov/>

Voting is one of the ways we get to speak our values into the processes of government. Do not overlook this opportunity to have a voice.



Tuesday, November 8, anytime 5-9pm PST, join in for **Election Day Prayers** online, hosted by the Episcopal Church Office of Government Relations. Tune in via the Office of Government Relations Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/TheEPPN>, or the Episcopal Church Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/episcopalian>.

"We welcome everyone as we reflect on this key process of our common life and on the importance of fair elections for our democracy," said Rebecca Linder Blachly, director of the Office of Government Relations. "We hope many voters will join us that day to pray for our leaders, neighbors, and country."

Monday, November 14, 7-8pm, Madison Street Church will host **Taizé Meditative Worship**, an ecumenical style of worship that uses silence, repetitive chanting and thought-provoking readings to encourage a deep reflective experience of the presence of God. Several Riverside churches have joined together to provide this worship opportunity to the community on the second Monday of every month.



Madison Street Church, a Brethren in Christ community, is located at 3991 Madison Street, near Arlington. If you haven't been there before, it's a little hard to find. Look for the sign on the street, and turn into the driveway.

Nobody escapes being wounded.

We are all wounded people, whether physically, emotionally, mentally, or spiritually. The main question is not, 'How can we hide our wounds?' so we don't have to be embarrassed, but 'How can we put our woundedness in the service of others?' When our wounds cease to be a source of shame, and become a source of healing, we have become wounded healers.

Henri Nouwen

Outreach Ministries

Patricia Korzec

The days may be getting shorter but our activities are beginning to heighten as we approach the glorious season of advent.

Jim Boyer will be working on the “*Reverse Penny Bowl*” program along with the “*Giving Tree*” once again. Look for his updates at Sunday services and in the Good News.

And wait...there will be more, forthcoming!

Laundry Love continues to bring much needed community services to our neighbors. They are always looking for new volunteers and funding. Please read their article in this publication for further information.

All Saints' Outreach team continues to participate in the St. Michael's **Food Share** ministry each Thursday morning. Recently, St. Michael's added a short, modified service of Holy Eucharist before Food Share begins; sharing the Food of Life before sharing food for life. Mother Mary Crist and our own Deacon Ryan

share officiant duties for this special service. On average there are about 35-40 participants. at one recent Thursday Food Share Eucharist there were over 60 participants! This is but one of the growing ways St. Michael's, St. George's and All Saints' are sharing mission and ministry.

The number of those in need continues to grow as the economy worsens. We are starting to prepare for an increasing need which will certainly happen when the 100 housing units for homeless and low income open in mid November, located right behind Saint Michael's. We are going to need more volunteers from All Saints' to help our friends from St. Michael's in the coming months. Please email or text me if you can help.

Keep those recycled plastic bags coming...just leave them in Smith Hall and I'll pick them up after Sunday services. Used clothing, bedding and shoes are always welcome as donations. They are provided free of charge to St. Michael's guests. Also coats and blankets are needed for the homeless as the cold weather starts creeping in.



Food Share Ministry at St. Michael's



Dia de los Muertos

Contributed by David Glidden

When I first moved to Riverside in 1976, I came to notice something I had never seen before, when living in rural Illinois or in the urban Northeast. As I drove past Olivewood Cemetery, I noticed families sitting on the grass by familiar gravesites, gathering for a meal with their lost loved ones. Some days there would only be a family or two. But over religious holidays especially, dozens of graves would be highly decorated with flowers and family memorabilia, as larger groups of friends and family gathered together, celebrating and mourning the ones they loved. Over Christmas, seeing children in the gravesite presence of a lost parent or relative was especially poignant. I marveled at the sight but was still too inexperienced to fathom it.

Decades later, when my beloved school teacher and fellow Benedictine oblate Bill Wood died, he left his body to a medical school for dissection. As he had told me, he wouldn't be there anymore. Whenever I returned to my hometown, there was nowhere to go to remember him by. His house was sold. A local street and a school had been named after him, but he wasn't there. Fortunately, the town mayor was also close to Bill and had the compassionate idea to purchase a gravesite and a gravestone, to commemorate him. When I next returned to Batavia, the mayor took me to Bill's grave. I had a long visit with Bill, under the autumnal foliage. It was then I finally grasped the importance of gravesites or grave-stones to commemorate those we love.

I once had a heartfelt conversation with a UCR student from Taiwan who told me that the PRC had finally opened China to the Taiwanese Chinese. This meant that her family could finally return to the mainland to sweep the graves of their ancestors, overcoming the deep family shame they all had felt for so many decades when they were excluded from visiting the graves of their ancestors.

It is a similar gift our Mexican immigrants teach us in Riverside as we celebrate the Day of the Dead. With displays of family pictures, foods, and memorabilia, loved ones stay alive in the hearts of their survivors because they remain tangibly remembered. The 2017 film *Coco* captured this so well.

There are thousands of remembered images, of reminiscences we accumulate in the course of a single lifetime of those we've loved. Once we open out our memories of occasions spent with a precious person or a pet, bitter-sweet and fleeting images flood our remembrances of times spent together. Every now and then, often in the night, a long-forgotten image reappears to me. How could I ever have forgotten that morning we spent together, that hike we took together, that perfect conversation? The Día de los Muertos, or All Soul's Day, calls us home, never to forget.

~DG, 20 October 2022





Flowers

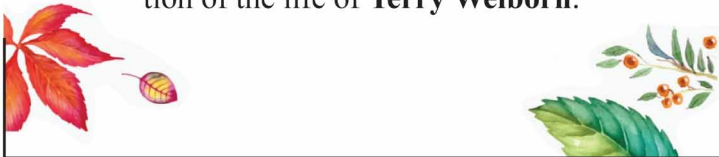
October 2 ~ The altar flowers were donated by the **Lennox/Feimer family** to the Glory of God and in memory of little brother **Joey**.

October 9 ~ The altar flowers were given to the glory of God anonymously and dedicated to world peace.

October 16 ~ The altar flowers were donated by **Mary Ellen Gruendyke** to the Glory of God and in Thanksgiving for 41 years of marriage to **Dick**.

October 23 ~ The altar flowers were donated by **Lisa Lennox-Feimer** in loving remembrance of her mom, **Cathy Lennox**

October 30 ~ The altar flowers were donated to the Glory of God by **Diane Askren** in celebration of **Mark Askren's** birthday and by **Cathy Welborn** in celebration of the life of **Terry Welborn**.



Prayer List

For those killed in gun violence and their families.

For healing, comfort and strength -- long-term list:

The Nze family, Chuck & Yvonne Stowe, Enor & Roy Harris, Jan & Dwane Mickelson, Jennifer, Beverly, Beth, Micaela, Fritz & Ethel, Beverly N., Polly G., Rickye & Ralph Galliher, Richard, Cathy Porter, Crystal, JoEllen, Winnie & Julie Williamson, Sally, Aric, Sandra, Marlene Coverdale, Dean Bradley, Del, Robin, Cheryl Bartel, Tim & Suzy Hanigan, Jose Hernandez, Michelle, Scott C., Annette Weight, Jim & family, Catherine P, Elaine, Bill, Carolyn & Ed Bartel, Ralph Wilkins, Richard McWhirter

For healing, comfort and strength—short term list:

Jeremy, Diane, Carol U., Con, Diana & her husband,

Amanda, Logan C., Claudia M., Lexi, Mary Ellen, Cathy, Don, Margie, Claire, Richard K., Mike, Lizzy, Annabelle, Claudia, Tracy, Betsy, Radek, Pat, Barb, Ed, Richard, Dalia, Alex, David, Tony A, Peter, Jeanette, Kathryn M., Steven, and Bertha.

For those preparing for the priesthood: Ryan Macias
For our unhoused neighbors, especially: Anthony, Marc, Thomas, Gary

For those working on being clean and sober: Johnny, Frank, Gary

For those preparing for Baptism: Charlotte Moffatt, Miranda Bradley

For those preparing for marriage: Dominique Pietro and Matt Marsh

For those expecting the birth of a child: Suzy & Nick Gillett, Janie & Luke Hilland, Cydney & Richie Barclay
In thanksgiving for the life and witness of Peggy Rose Stewart, Manuel Roman, Daniel, Renus Rich, and Blair Gilbert

For the comfort of those who mourn: Yvonne, Chuck, Tracy, Julie, Matthew, Ava, Dean and all of Peggy Rose's family; Ruth, Sandy, Grisel Roman and their parents; Mary White and her family, Marion Welch, and the Rich family, Jonathon Hodgkin.

For our ministry partners: Path of Life, Laundry Love Riverside, Inspire Life Skills, Saint Michael's, Research and Development Early Childhood Center, the Riverside Taize community, our Friends the Quakers, Believe Center, Family Promise, Rebirth Homes, PFLAG.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world: praying especially for Joseph our president, Kamala, our vice president, members of Congress, Gavin our governor, and Patricia our mayor.

For those serving in the Armed Forces: Jonathan O'Connell, Stephen Jenkins, Alex and James, Thomas Lopez, Justin Garcia, and Shelby Przyk

For peace in: Israel/Palestine, Afghanistan, Iraq, Iran, Syria, North Korea, Ukraine, our own communities

For immigrants, refugees, the oppressed, and the homeless throughout the world

For those in need of comfort: the people of Ukraine, the people of Afghanistan, the people of Russia, and their leaders, those recovering from Hurricane Ian

If you have an addition to the PRAYER LIST, please e-mail: ASRprayers@gmail.com



LAY MINISTERS AND USHERS

	Lay Minister	Lector	Intercessor	Crucifer	Torch Bearers	Ushers
2 November 5P		Piotr Gorecki	Laura McMorris	Elliott		
6 November 8A	David Glidden	Scott Burton	Scott Burton			Sue Liddle Burton
10A	Laura McMorris Mary Ellen Gruendyke	Piotr Gorecki	Christina Miller	Emily Michelle T- Elliott, Boat- Sam, Banner- Jack, Dove- Jordan	Oliver, Carrie Lucas, Andrew	Robert Miller, Francie Johnson Jim Boyer, Charles Dailey G: Roy Harris Kristin Urbaniak
13 November 8A	Scott Burton	Marion Welch	Marion Welch			Scott Burton
10A	Stephanie McMorris Craig Riemer	Debora Huffman	Marylee Lannan	Andrew	Carrie Michelle	Leslie Sunderland, Jon Schlueter AJ Jetti, Kristen Urbaniak G: Cathy Welborn, Roy Harris
20 November 8A	David Glidden	Brian Draper	Brian Draper			Sue Stevens
10A	Cathy Welborn Craig Riemer	John Paul Wolf	Paul Wolf	Jordan	Oliver Sam	Robert Miller, Ian McCausland Cathy Welborn, Francie Johnson G: Roy Harris
23 November						Sue Stevens, Robert Miller Jacob Garcia, Rebecca Kurtz -Garcia
27 November 8A	Corbin Young	Andrew Cooper	Andrew Cooper			Sue Liddle Burton
10A	Diane Askren Craig Riemer	Nerni Miller	John Briggs	Jack	Shelby Conan	Leslie Sunderland, AJ Jetti Jacob Garcia, Rebecca Kurtz -Garcia G:Roy Harris

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Liz Atkinson for Laundry Love; Andrea Briggs for the photos from the grand opening of the Civil Rights Institute; Lindy Colaluca Polling for photos from Oktoberfest, the Blessing of the Animals and the Halloween costumes; David Glidden for the photos of the Dia de los Muertos; Patricia Korzec for photos from the Food Share ministry.*

We are always happy to have photos in our newsletter. If you have photos of any of our events, please send them to me at: kjkendrick1499@gmail.com



Laundry Love Riverside was very busy at our event on Wednesday October 19th. We spent a total of \$485.26 and lended the night with a balance of \$15.15. We had 11 volunteers, including 3 new volunteers. **Welcome Eva, Jewell and Brad!**



We had several returning customers waiting for us to start at 6:00 PM. Nearly all of the washing machines were available to the start of the evening. By 6:15 PM all machines were running! We needed all 11 of our volunteers as we served nearly 40 families. Fortunately, clients only had to wait approximately 15-20 minutes to get their laundry loaded in the washing machines as we had a steady stream of clients all evening. Our new volunteers did a wonderful job as they were trained by our existing volunteers following a brief orientation. All evening, the new volunteers told me, "I love this! I'll be back again next month!"

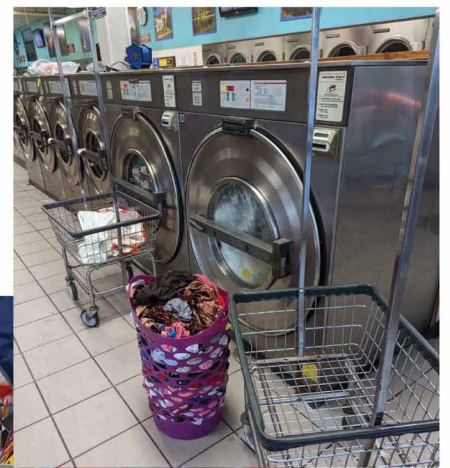
We passed out Halloween candy at the Laundry Love table for the young and young at heart.

We had a few new clients from Path of Life. They mentioned that they heard about LLR from Path of Life and wondered if they could get their laundry done for free. Remember the Spanish speaking woman with her family that I spoke to last month? She was there on Wednesday night and she asked if we had anything else to give away. She asked for clothing, diapers, etc... I told her that this month all we had was Halloween candy. I reminded her that our "give aways" are based on donations and we cannot guarantee that we will have something to give away each month. In speaking with her the past two months, I'm reminded of the desperate need some families have with basic supplies. Our goal for Laundry Love has always been to support the community... with their laundry and more! God willing, we will be able to provide outreach services and supplies on a regular basis for our LLR clients.

Our next event will be held on Wednesday November 16, 2022. If you would like to volunteer or make a donation, please contact Liz Atkinson or Sherri Bradley.

Love never ends...neither does laundry!

~Liz



To my new All Saints' family,

Hello! My name is Andy Cooper, and I have been invited to participate in the life of All Saints' Riverside for the new liturgical year beginning with 1 Advent (11-27-22). I have finished up my parish discernment year with St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Pomona. I am currently in the stage of my ordination discernment process known as the Diocesan Discernment Year, or DDY for short. What this means is that I will be continuing this process at a new parish, being mentored by a different clergy person, and spending time in reflection with a new discernment committee. I'm looking forward to working with Mother Kelli Grace again. I did so previously when I served as the "Science Guy" for two years running in the Vacation Bible School that was held at St. John's in La Verne, her previous parish. St. John's was also host to a combined youth group in which my (now adult) son Jorge was a member just a few years ago.

Just a little bit about me... I'm a native (Southern) Californian. I was in the insurance industry as a commercial lines customer service representative for much of my working career, followed by more than a decade as the parish administrator at St. Ambrose Episcopal Church in Claremont. I have raised my adopted son, Jorge, the joy of my life, as a single gay parent. He is now 23 years old and is finishing up his undergraduate studies at UC Davis. I am taking my role as the parent of an adult child in stride. I love to read; I enjoy walking/hiking (especially as the weather cools); and I'm always up for coffee and a chat.



I look forward to meeting each one of you, and I'm happy for the opportunity to work alongside you in ministry. Blessings and peace!
~Andy

AFRICAN TEAM MINISTRIES

**NOVEMBER 6TH & 13TH
AFTER BOTH SERVICES**

African Team Ministry items will be available for sale after both services on November 6 and 13. Plan to start your Christmas shopping early! African Team Ministries is a Christian ministry working as an intermediary between African and American churches. With help from Episcopal, Methodist, Presbyterian, Lutheran, and Anglican denominations, it provides funding for orphan and refugee relief missions and evangelism in East Africa. The support received is sent directly to the partnering Bishops to provide school fees, tuition, books, and uniforms. This support ensures that the children receive an education and a measure of stability needed to rebuild their minds. We currently have children registered for sponsorship in Kenya, Uganda, and Tanzania. Thru this support you are giving the gift of HOPE!+++

COME AND SHOP!



SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

You can help the mission and ministries at All Saints'

End-of-Year Contributions:

Remember All Saints' as a vital option for your end-of-year contributions. If you are required to take a draw on your IRA account, you can make a pre-tax contribution of that draw to All Saints'. Talk to your financial advisor about a *qualified charitable distribution*.

If it is your tradition to gift your community and other charities at the end of the year or holidays, consider All Saints' please.

Remember All Saints' in Your Will

Please consider All Saints' in your will/estate plans. Bring this suggested wording to your financial planner: I hereby give, devise, and bequeath to All Saints' Episcopal Church Riverside, CA, a not-for-profit corporation, with the present address of 3847 Terracina Drive, Riverside, CA 92506 and its successor, the greater of \$_____, or _____ percentage of my gross estate, to be used in such manner as determined by its rector and vestry.

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We Tell Our Stories

When we choose to come to worship on Sunday, or volunteer with our favorite ministry, we do that for a reason. We decide, most times, because of something that draws us here, to be at All Saints', with our All Saints' siblings.

What is that something?

What is it about All Saints' and its members and its leaders and its activities that entices us?

I suspect that each one of us could tell some reasons, could tell a the story of why we first walked through the red doors, or what pulls us in again and again, or what we're looking for and think we might find here – each one of us, young and old, new or been here for ages.

Could you share some of that with the rest of us? There will be **a video booth set up on All Saints' Sunday, November 6**, after both services, ready for taping a very short version of what's special to you about All Saints'. Please stop by and tape one minute of what brought you here, what keeps you coming back, or what you value most about All Saints'. If November 6 won't work for you, please arrange a date that would work.

With your permission, we'll share these video clips with the congregation through emails and the website. Sharing our stories links us to one another ever more closely. In addition, we'll share these video clips with the Vestry. These church leaders are mulling over our 2023 budget, what to fund and what to let go. Congregation stories about what we value most will help guide them in these decisions.

Each one of the stories is important. Come tell yours.

~Andrea Briggs



Grand opening of the Civil Rights Institute. Jane Carney, presenting, is on the Board of Directors

HOW WE CAN HELP

Our ministry partner **Family Promise Riverside** is completing its process for offering transitional housing to unsheltered families. One component is their Day Center, where parents can access social services or look for work or permanent housing, and where kids not in school can play. Family Promise is beginning to stock its Day Center pantry with donated goods, and their leaders have invited the good people of All Saints' to participate. ***Thank you for the infant items you donated in October; they have been gratefully received.*** For the month of November, please pick up any of the following items (new or gently used) for toddlers, and bring them to the office. We will make sure they get delivered to Family Promise at the end of the month. In months following, there will be a list of needs for other age groups. Questions? -- ask Andrea Briggs.

Toddlers:

Diapers and/or pull-ups Wipes
 Size 2T-5T clothing: Shorts Shirts Pants Pajamas
 Sweatshirts Hoodies Jackets Underwear Socks
 Tennis shoes
 Oatmeal Healthy non-perishable snacks and juices
 Sipper cups Educational toys Stuffed animals Books
 Sleeping bags



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In the gospels, Jesus is asked 187 questions.

He answers (maybe) 8 of them.

He himself asks 307.

Maybe faith isn't about certainty, but learning to ask—and sit in the complexity of—good questions.

Recent Community Engagement Events

~Andrea Briggs~

October was an especially busy month for All Saints' Community Engagement. Members of the CE team attended, hosted and/or led:

- High Holy Days Challah Baking Party at the Chabad Jewish Community Center of Riverside.
- Weekly food distribution at St. Michael's Ministry Center
- Path of Life Guest Chef program, twice preparing dinner for homeless families
- First Methodist Church choir sing, in celebration of their 150th anniversary at the site of the original church, at the corner of 6th and Orange.
- Taize community worship
- Bi-weekly meetings of the on-line discussion group White Faith Leaders against Racism.
- Laundry Love, which provides free access to washers and dryers at Sparklean Laundromat
- Inaugural public meeting of the Care of Creation ministry, to educate and encourage ourselves and our neighbors about better stewardship of the earth's resources
- Riverside Interfaith Council annual Faith Walk which visited the worship space of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, St. Michael's Ministry Center, and Shri Lakshmi Narayan Hindu Temple
- FUN Wellness Center sponsored presentation by UCR Prof. Sonja Lyubomirsky on "The Science of Happiness"
- Civil Rights Institute grand opening celebration downtown
- the Muslim-led social service agency Sahaba Initiative's celebratory brunch

The Most Rev. Michael Curry said: "*We who follow Jesus have made a choice to walk a different way: the way of disciplined, intentional, passionate, compassionate, mobilized, organized love intent on creating God's Beloved Community on earth.*" All Saints' is engaged in exactly that. Are you called to join in?

In Memoriam

Daniel Benner

July 23, 1962 - December 26, 2021

Dan Benner, accomplished architect, Riverside Art Museum Trustee, and a 33-year resident of Riverside, CA, passed away on Sunday, December 26, 2021.



Born Daniel Benner the eldest of four he spent his first years in Illinois before resettling in Southern California. He graduated from Palos Verdes High School. Following an early discovered interest, he received a Bachelor of Architecture degree from California State Polytechnic University, Pomona, and went on to build a professional career as a licensed architect in the civic and educational arenas with a primary focus on designing K–12 schools throughout the Inland Empire.

Affectionately known as “Dano,” he generously shared his time, energy, and expertise with numerous philanthropic endeavors. He served as a founding Board Member of the Inland Empire Chapter of the ACE Mentor Program, an organization providing mentoring and scholarships to high school students in under-served

communities interested in pursuing careers in Architecture, Engineering, and Construction. As a Trustee of the Riverside Art Museum, Dan chaired the Collections and Acquisitions as well as Building and Grounds committees and played an active role in helping realize the Cheech Marin Center for Chicano Art & Culture, the first center dedicated to showcasing Mexican-American art and culture. He also served as a Board Member of the American Institute of Architects, Inland California Chapter.

Known for his quick wit and wry sense of humor, intelligent curiosity, and passion for art and architecture, Dan was an avid cyclist who also loved hiking, skiing, and, above all, traveling. He was an incredibly proud father to his son Cole.

Dan is survived by his wife, M. René Glynn and son Cole Benner. The family asks people who wish to honor Dan’s memory to donate to the Inland Empire Chapter of the ACE Mentor Program.

Merilyn Cartier

April 1, 1936 - March 5, 2022

Merilyn passed away in Yuma, Arizona, with family at her bedside. She was born in Phoenix, Arizona, and grew up in Yuma, Arizona. She graduated from Yuma High School and attended the University of Arizona, graduating with a Bachelor of Arts in Education. Following college she taught in the Scottsdale Unified School District until she met and married Richard Donald Cartier and moved to Riverside, California. She was a resident of her beloved Riverside for 62 years. She also taught in the Riverside Unified School District. Her interests and activities included membership in Chapter BV, P.E.O., Pi Beta Phi Fraternity, Assistance League of Riverside, Riverside Panhellenic Association, Aurantia Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, and Saguaro Chapter Daughters of the American Colonists. She was a long-time member of All Saints’ Episcopal

Church, serving on the Altar Guild. She loved being with her family and will be remembered for her friendly smile, her pride in being an American Citizen, her interest in researching her family history and genealogy, her love of golden retrievers, and her passion for Arizona Wildcats Basketball. She is survived by her son, Richard, daughter-in-law, Carol and three grandchildren, Tayler, Mikel, and Erik.

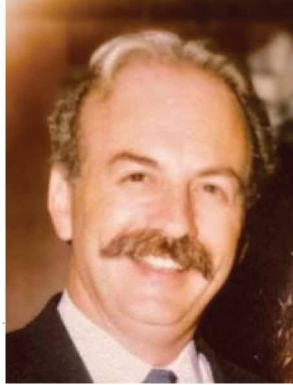


In Memoriam

Dennis Macala

September 2, 1947 - December 25, 2021

Age 74, loving husband of Ellen V. (Oslund) Macala, passed away at Riverside Community Hospital. Dennis was born in Cleveland, Ohio to Donald M. Macala and Norma R. (Metcalf) Macala. His family moved to Riverside in 1957. He honorably served in the United States Navy during Vietnam on the USS Okinawa. He and his wife Ellen were married on July 3, 1966. Dennis was in law enforcement for 28 years. He was with the Riverside County Sheriff's Department, Redlands Police Department, and the Riverside Police Department. After retirement he was an educator with Riverside County schools for 10 years. Dennis was a devoted member of All Saints' Episcopal Church in Riverside for many years, where he served on the vestry. Dennis is survived by his loving wife Ellen (Oslund) Macala, his two daughters Kimberly K. Campbell and Kirsten K. Rosales, four grandchildren, five great grandchildren, his brothers Randall (wife Katie) Macala, David (wife Mary) Macala and sister Karen (husband Ron) Plechaty. Dennis will always be loved and remembered.



Rob Hoyt

June 15, 1958 - February 3, 2022

Rob Hoyt grew up in Hemet, California, with his two sisters. His childhood in that place instilled a love of the outdoors and exploration that continued throughout his life. After graduating from Hemet High School he attended UC Riverside and graduated with a degree in Geophysics. Rob was a gifted musician, playing trumpet in the high school marching band and then guitar and banjo. Rob and Meg were married for about 20 years. Together they enjoyed travel and adventures. Rob was an avid cyclist and enjoyed kayaking and fly fishing. Together with Meg and another couple he formed the Ragged But Right Old Time String Band. Rob was always curious about many subjects and was a voracious reader. It was always a delight to discuss what he was currently reading. Rob was a cabinet maker, ultimately taking over an established business, Elliott's Garage Cabinets, and making it his own. Rob was always generous with his time and his gifts. He served on the search committee that called Kelli Grace to be our new rector. He participated in the parish as a musician, both in the choir and by playing guitar or banjo during services. He was always willing to help on woodworking and construction projects in service of the congregation. He is missed tremendously by his many friends.



Kathleen Phillips

September 25, 1958 - November 29, 2021

Kathleen joined our online community about a year before her death. She faithfully logged on each Sunday as well as for other online services. She was a member of several other Episcopal congregations in the area. Kathleen enjoyed storytelling and creative writing and had a lovely singing voice. She was a vibrant part of our online community



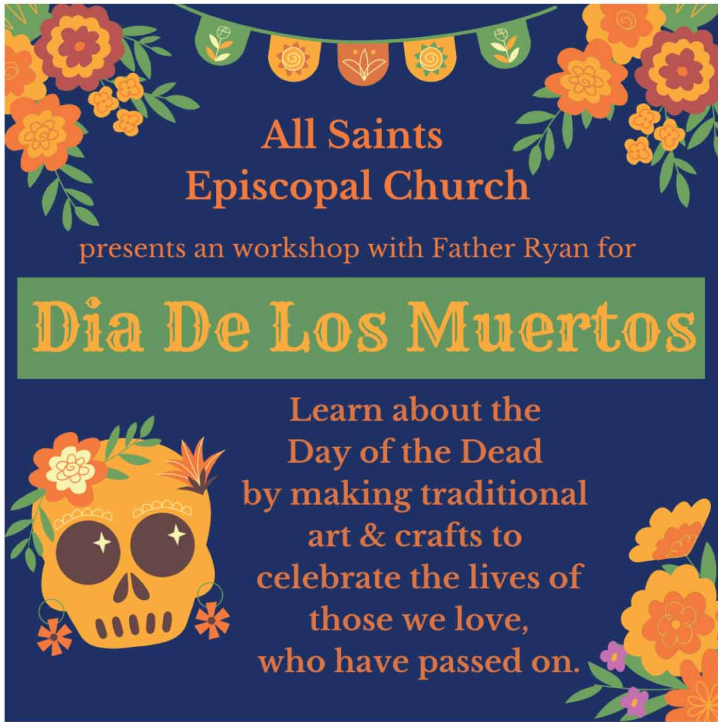
The In Memoriam section will be continued in next month's newsletter. If you have a loved one who you have lost this year and would like to remember and honor them in our newsletter, please send a photo and a short obituary to: kjkendrick1499@gmail.com by November 25th.



Blessing of the Animals



Oktoberfest 2022



All Saints
Episcopal Church
presents an workshop with Father Ryan for

Dia De Los Muertos

Learn about the
Day of the Dead
by making traditional
art & crafts to
celebrate the lives of
those we love,
who have passed on.



All Saints Sunday is November 6, 2022
*Join us at the 8:00 or 10:00 service, wear red and
 stay for the Feast Day Picnic, at 11:45*

the Why of
ALL SOULS

We stand vigil
to remind the world
our loved ones still
illumine our hearts
and to give God thanks again
for their lives and their witnesses.

Some of us stand vigil
to come to terms with
the death of someone
who did us harm,
asking God to heal
all that needs healing within us.

Some of us stand vigil
for those who died
with unfinished business
left between us,
looking for ways to
restore right relationship.

Some stand vigil
for those they never met,
but whose stories fill their soul
and guide their thoughts.
For the brave, the martyr, the innocent.
And for our ancestors.

Some stand vigil
in memory of animal companions,
knowing God's kingdom
is resplendent with all
creatures great and small.

**None of us make it through life without
mourning the loss of life.
We all stand vigil alongside each other,
regardless.**

This is the Why of ALL SOULS
KGK+ 2015



All Saints
Episcopal Church
November
Birthdays

Joan W.	Sally P.
Gene M.	Cameron T.
John Paul W.	Bob G.
Kyle B.	Trish K.
Erin B.	Sue L.
MaryLee L.	Shea S.

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH
VESTRY MINUTES
September 26, 2022

Present: Mother Kelli Grace Kurtz, Deacon Ryan Macias, Steve Slaten, Kristin Varner, John Briggs, Craig Riemer, Luke Polling, Francie Johnson, Patricia Korzec, Leslie Sunderland; **Zoom:** Kathy Woodbury, Brian Draper; **Treasurer:** Jane Carney; **Clerk:** Laura McMorris **Absent:** Janie Hilland, Cheryl Bartel

1. Call to Order Meeting called to order at 7:01 p.m. with prayer by Mother Kelli Grace Kurtz

2. Approve Agenda *M/S Johnson/Riemer* that Agenda be approved as written. *Carried*

3. Approve Minutes *M/S Riemer/Slaten* that July Minutes be approved as corrected. *Carried with one abstained*

-Correct Steve Slaten

-7. Outreach last line add Miller

-10. Correct north wing to south

-11. Jr. Warden item replace second item Plans are underway for a presentation to provide information on solar energy to the parish.

-12. Rector's Report change 1977 to 1979

4. Administrative Resolutions

-M/S Riemer/Woodbury BE IT RESOLVED: The Vestry of All Saints' Episcopal Church, Riverside, California have confirmation that the legal name of All Saints' has been updated with the State of California. *The Rector, Churchwardens, and Vestrymen of All Saints' Church, Riverisde* is now legally *All Saints' Episcopal Church, Riverside, California*. SO MOVED. *Carried*

-M/S Johnson/Riemer BE IT RESOLVED: The Vestry of All Saints' Episcopal Church, Riverside, California approves the opening of a bank account at Pacific Premier Bank for The Curate's Discretionary Fund. The sole signatory is the curate, the Reverend Ryan Macias. The fund is to be used to relieve the burden of others and other outreach issues not addressed in the normal church udetg, according to the Manual of Business Methods in Church Affairs. SO MOVED. *Carried*

5. Families, Children and Youth - Mother Kelli Grace

-Sunday School has started with team teaching, each team member serving once every six weeks. We are using a new curriculum "Weaving God's Promises". There were 24 children last week so we may need to split the groups. Amy Castle continues working with Small Saints and youth group.

-Mother Kelli Grace and Jim will meet this week to plan for youth group. They will meet twice a month.

-Parents of Small Children continue to meet. They may split into three groups: Sunday School, Family Night, and an Online Group to meet the changing needs of the group.

-The Quakers meet in silence so we need to keep children in the north end of the grounds.

6. Community Health - Kathy Woodbury

-COVID cases in California peaked in June and has declined since. As of September 22, no new cases or hospitalizations have been reported.

-There is a new vacine available for those 12 and up, all are encouraged to receive this third booster.

-There will be a CPR class here on October 8th. All Ushers, Lay Leaders, Sunday School and Youth volunteers are encouraged to take this class. The cost is \$45 per person. If this presents a problem, see Mother Kelli Grace.

-Stop the Bleed training is available online at STOPTHEBLEED.Org.

-Blood pressure checks were resumed at the Ministry Fair. There was an issue with the batteries, but was quickly solved.

7. Hospitality - Kathy Woodbury

-There were 16 ministries represented at the August 28 Ministry Fair, followed by a BBQ.

-There will be a Care of Creation presentation on Solar Energy on October 12, followed by a reception.

-Planning is underway for Oktoberfest on October 15.

-October 30 is wear your Halloween costume to church Sunday.

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-Signups for Coffee Hour hosts are hit and miss.

8. Outreach - Patricia Korzec

-Laundry Love continues to be successful but we still need more and new hands to help out.

-St. Michael's Food Share practically runs itself, but help is always welcome. Please continue to bring your grocery bags to hold foods and goods we pass out.

-Patricia brought tee shirts for those who ordered or anyone else who wanted one. Cost is \$13.00. Made to wear during outreach activities (food share, laundry love).

-Planning for holiday outreach activities.

9. Finance - Jane Carney

-We have received the corrected final audit report from Smith Marion, and it is ready for review and approval

-Despite the decline in the value of investments and continued uncertainty in the markets, our reserves are acceptable.

-May and June congregational giving was reduced, but bounced back in July. Pledges are below budget partially due to pledges that will not be received because of deaths. In reviewing pledges and gift through Mid-September, I believe that most of the shortfall will ultimately be contributed.

-Practice the Tithe receipts were \$11,333, almost \$4,000 over what we anticipated.

-Donations from funerals and other sacramental services continue to exceed expectations, as do memorial gifts.

-Expenses are over budget. Budget is tight but we are OK.

-It is not a good time for the Mortgage Refinance Committee renegotiate our mortgage on Rectory and Inspire House.

-In November we will explore renegotiation with Provident.

M/S Riemer/Briggs that accept financial reports subject to audit. *Carried*

M/S Johnson/Riemer that we receive the 2021 Financial Audit prepared by Smith Marion and Company. *Carried*

10. Stewardship - Kristin Varner

-Fall Stewardship Campaign will begin mid-October and run through November.

-We will be using the Diocesan TENS program More Than Enough 2022.

-We must consider staff salaries in our budget planning.

11. Senior Warden Report - Francie Johnson

-We have a busy schedule between now and New Year's requiring many hands. Francie will be on call as needed for Mother Kelli Grace and parishioners.

-Blessing of the animals is a big event, we may even have a horse or two to be blessed.

12. Junior Warden Report - Steve Slaten, Luke Polling

Security and Safety - We are still finding door unlocked, both during the week and Sundays. Please remain diligent about checking doors, even if it isn't your turn. A little extra attention can help prevent loss through theft and vandalism.

Continuing Maintenance - Toilet paper holder and toilet in girls restroom by childcare room, has been repaired and secured. A new welcome sign to the church office has been installed. Smith Hall storage areas and janitors closet in south wing have been reorganized and cleaned. The metal cage covering AC unit by the kitchen door has been painted and new locks purchased.

Care of Creation - Rectory lawn aerated, for more efficient watering, Water to bushes on Magnolia have been turned off and bushes will be removed. Roses in planters in front of office and sanctuary have been removed and will be replaced with water wise plants.

-Flourecent lighting in the south wing is in the process to be converted to LED lighting.

-A Care of Creation/Solar Power information forum will be held in Smith Hall on October 12.

-Pending and Ongoing project are ongoing.

13. Rectors Report - Mother Kelli Grace Kurtz

-On returning from Holy Land Pilgrimage Mother Kelli Grace had contracted COVID. She was unable to find a

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supply priest for the Sunday service on the 18th. (There are 50 vacancies in the diocese at the present time). Thanks to Fr. Ryan Macias, Abe Fabela, and the best leadership team around who quickly switched gears and presented a beautiful Morning Prayer service.

-The diocese requires a year of discernment at the beginning of the process for entering the priesthood. This is done by service in an established parish. There is an aspirant, Andy Cooper, from St. Paul's, Pomona. He needs a parish to serve, and Mother Kelli Grace feels he could be a good fit for us. This is an unpaid position of 8-10 hours per week. He would be with us November through August. The Vestry agreed that we offer him a place with us.

14. No Executive Session**15. Prayer Requests**

16. Next Meeting: October 17, 2022

17. Adjournment - Meeting adjourned at 8:32 with the singing of the Doxology.

Faithfully submitted

Laura McMorris

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Notes from the OCTOBER 24, 2022 Vestry Meeting

Present: Mother Kelli Grace Kurtz, Kathy Woodbury, Leslie Sunderland, Patricia Korzec, Steve Slaten, Kristin Varner, Francie Johnson, Luke Polling; **Treasurer:** Jane Carney; **Clerk:** Laura McMorris; **Staff:** Deacon Ryan Macias; **Guest:** Jeannene Kelly, Endowment Committee; **Absent:** Brian Draper, Craig Riemer, John Briggs, Cheryl Bartel, Janie Hilland

1. Meeting Call to Order

Meeting called to order by Mother Kelli Grace, at 7:00 pm with prayer from the Book of Common Prayer.

2. Approve Agenda

M/S Slaten/Sunderland that the agenda be approved as written. **Carried**

3. Approve Minutes

M/S Varner/Sunderland that the minutes of the September meeting be approved as corrected. **Carried**

4. Endowment Committee - Jeannene Kelly

-Written report submitted by Kurt Marcks, Chair. The Endowment Committee suggests changes to the Endowment and Investment Fund Policies and Guidelines: add the church treasurer as an ex-officio member (non-voting) to the committee. **The full document - Endowment and Investment Fund Policies and Guidelines is on file)**

-The process of amending the document calls for a vote of at least two-thirds majority of the Vestry at two regularly scheduled meetings. The congregation must be informed within one week after the first meeting. *M/S Johnson/Korzec* that we accept and approve amendments to the Endowment and Investment Fund Policies and Guidelines. **Carried** (unanimously)

-Jeannene reviewed each of the funds overseen by the Endowment Committee

The Kairos Mission and Ministry Fund (invested at the Episcopal Church Foundation)

This is the default fund to receive unrestricted bequests left to All Saints'. It is a quasi-endowment managed with the intent on preserving the principle, but can be accessed by the Vestry in cases of significant need.

The All Saints' Foundation (invested at The Diocesan Investment Trust)

This is a true Endowment, begun in 2016 with a \$10,000 gift from Fr. John Conrad and Shannon Murphy. Numerous small donations have since been made to the fund. The fund is designated for specific use and the principle cannot be touched.

-The committee recommends disbursement of \$1,200, as per Policies and Guidelines direct.

M/S Woodbury/Varner that we accept the Endowment Committee report and approve disbursement of \$1,200.

October, 2022 Meeting Summary Notes, continued

Carried

The Vestry Reserve Fund (invested in the Balanced Fund of the Episcopal Church Foundation)

This fund opened with church reserves in 2021, and includes an anonymous gift of \$100,000 as seed money to hire a curate. This fund is followed by, but not overseen by the Endowment Committee.

5. Families, Children and Youth - Leslie Sunderland

-Sunday School is going really well. Some Sundays have had 25 in attendance. The average is ten or so. Smitha Jetti would like to take on more Sundays.

-Youth Group meets twice a month under the direction of Jim Boyer. This last week the program focused on privileges influencing our everyday decisions and activities.

-Families with Small Children continues to meet online, but a potluck is being planned to meet and share ideas in person.

6. Community Health - Kathy Woodbury

-COVID cases are still down, but the reality may be that cases are not being reported. Mask and stay home if not well.

-There have been 198 cases of Monkeypox, 98% of those being male. There is a vaccine available.

7. Hospitality - Kathy Woodbury

-Oktoberfest was a great success. We had 60 people attending. Ian and youth made the pretzels, Many hands pitched in to decorate, set up, cook, and cleanup. It was suggested that we purchase a second tank to have on hand. We had \$850 in donations, but still have to cover expenses.

-We have a full calendar for November and December: All Souls Lantern Festival, All Saint's Potluck, Peggy Rose Memorial, Consecration Sunday, Christmas Extravaganza, Advent Lessons and Carols, Blue Christmas, and Christmas services, lots of opportunities to participate.

8. Outreach - Patricia Korzec

-Laundry Love continues. Our clients always show up and are appreciative. We can always use volunteers.

-Patricia will check with Jim Boyer about Christmas outreach to Path of Life, Inspire, and Giving Tree. Mother Kelli Grace suggested we include Family Promise this year

9. Finance - Jane Carney

a. Current Financial Report

-Pledge Revenue: While we are in the red \$3,000, year-to-date results are better than anticipated in the budget.

-The audit interview committee continues to explore options for future audits.

-The committee formed to look into the refinancing of our existing mortgage will begin talking to lenders in November.

-All Saints' received \$13,000 from the Carnegie School bankruptcy

M/S Johnson/Korzec that we receive the September financial reports subject to audit. **Carried**

b. Budget Committee for 2023

-Budget Committee will have a draft preliminary budget to present to the Vestry at the November meeting.

-Vestry Committee will consist of Jane Carney, Mother Kelli Grace Kurtz, Craig Riemer, and Kristin Varner.

10. Stewardship - Kristin Varner

-The Stewardship Committee has met several times in preparation for Stewardship 2023.

-The theme is More than Enough from The Episcopal Stewardship Network TENS.org

-November 6 30-45 second videos will be gathered from members addressing the prompt "At All Saints' I can see God . . ."

-Stewardship Campaign will end on November 20, Consecration Sunday, with a brunch provided by the Youth Group.

11. Senior Warden - Francie Johnson

-Looking forward to composing Stewardship letter to go out in November.

-Francie worked with Steve in installing a door as a noise barrier in the north wing.

October, 2022 Meeting Summary Notes, continued

- We are looking for ways to recruit new Vestry members.
- Plans are underway for a spring musical fundraiser featuring Steve Slaten.

12. Junior Warden - Steve Slaten/Luke Polling

-The lease with Inspire Life Skills Training for the white house has been renegotiated, with an annual 2% increase. (copy of lease is on file) Inspire requested a gate between house and church parking lot. There were also concerns about the addition of a community garden on the site (a gate will be added behind the garage to access the garden). If a proposal for RCC low income housing comes about, Inspire requests that we go to a month to month agreement *M/S Varner/Johnson* that the Vestry approve the First Amendment to Residential Lease All Saints' Episcopal Church, Riverside, Landlord Inspire Life Skills Training, Tenant. *Carried*

-Sheldon's Air Conditioning performed regular maintenance, but there is a problem with a leak in the kitchen. Repair to cost \$1,000. We may need to get a second opinion, look into new sources for repair and maintenance.

-PRECIS Solar has provided another option for solar on our campus. It would entail a shade structure over the labyrinth and part of the lawn with panels on structure. It would require no changes to the tile roofing as other estimates do.

-All Saints' hosted a Care of Creation forum on October 11th, with 40 or so attendees.

-Ongoing projects continue: installation of smart thermostats, continuation of water-wise landscaping, preparing two offices in the south wing for tenant use, painting of interior and exterior, replacement of hot water source in south wing.

13. Rector's Report - Mother Kelli Grace Kurtz

-Mother Kelli Grace had lunch with Roy and Enor Harris, Roy has resigned as head usher after 40 years. He has suggested Leslie Sunderland as his replacement. We graciously accept his resignation and express our gratitude.

-We have two baptisms on November 13th.

-Andy Cooper, aspirant to the priesthood, will be spending the program year at All Saints'. His first Sunday will be November 27

-Executive Director of Mercy House, the nonprofit that manages St. Michael's Apartment Complex and DeAnza Veterans Housing is developing an advocacy committee in each County. He has asked Mother Kelli Grace to be on the Riverside County committee. The committee may be interested in south wing office space.

-We have four Vestry members rotating off in December. The nominating committee will be made up of the Junior and Senior Wardens and two members of the parish. A recruitment notice will be posted in Sunday paper and the Good News. Slate will be presented to Vestry at the December meeting for approval.

-Hold the date, late January near MLKing Day for the ordination to the priesthood of Deacon Ryan Macias.

14. Other

-Deacon Ryan is excited by all that is going on in the parish.

-He will present a Dia de los Muertos workshop on November 5th.

-We have many new people attending so he is looking into beginning an Enquirer's Class.

-The Exhibit Hall will return to the Diocesan Convention November 11-12 at Riverside Convention Center, and will be open to the public.

15. Executive Session - None

16. Prayer Requests

17. Next Meeting - Monday, November 21, 2022 7:00 p.m.

18. Meeting Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 9:06 with the singing of the Doxology

Faithfully submitted, Laura McMorris