

Warden on Duty for December.

Gerry Fagan

Sunday, December 23rd.

8:30am- Holy Eucharist

10am - Holy Eucharist

Sidespersons, December 23rd.

Team #3 Les

Eucharistic Assistants,

December 23rd.

8:30am- Calvin

10am- Alvin, Gerry, Bill, Shirley

Greeters, December 23rd.

10am- Bob and Minnie Gullage

Readers, December 23rd.

Sunday School

Servers, December 23rd.

Karen Patten, Kevin Patten and Cole Watkins

Baptism dates for 2013

Baptism Prep Jan 10th -- Baptism Jan 13th

Baptism prep Feb 7th – Baptism Feb 10th

Baptism prep April 4th – Baptism April 7th

Baptism prep May 9th – Baptism May 12th

Baptism prep June 6th – Baptism June 9th

Baptism prep July 11th – Baptism July 14th

Baptism prep Aug 8th – Baptism Aug 11th

Baptism prep Sept 5th – Baptism Sept 8th

Baptism prep Oct 17th – Baptism Oct 20th

Baptism prep Nov 7th – Baptism Nov 10th

Baptism prep Dec 5th – Baptism Dec 8th

Choir Practice

Thursday, December 20th at 6:30pm

Counting Team, December 23rd.

Team #5 Dave Rideout

ACW

Epiphany senior party on January 7th, 2013. Starting with a 3:30pm Church Service followed with supper and entertainment in the downstairs Parish Hall.

Men's Service Club Choir

The Men's Service Club Choir will be gathering together today following the service. All are welcome!

Deadline to have names and information included in our Christmas Memorial Bulletin is Wednesday December 19th!



THE CANDLE

December 16th, 2012

Mission Statement

The purpose of All Saints is to be a family of worshipping Christians dedicated to Christian Education, Spiritual Growth, Pastoral Care, Outreach and Fellowship.

2012 FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

A gentle reminder that there are only a few more days left in 2012, which means that the deadline to make a financial contribution to your church for 2012 income tax purposes is fast approaching. We will gratefully accept your 2012 contributions until December 31st. Any donations received after that date will be credited to you for 2013.

2013 Envelopes

Your 2013 envelopes are available at the back of the church — please pick yours up today. If you haven't been receiving envelopes and would like to begin, please contact the office at 834-4501.

All Saints Dance Troop

Our Dance Troop is a group of children who meet every Sunday morning immediately following our 10am service under the direction of Ms Janice Bugden to join contemporary dance with Christian music.

We are pleased to announce that they will be making their debut performance on Dec 24th at our 3pm children's service here at our Church!!

Anglican Journal:

Are you receiving a copy of the Anglican Journal? If not give the office a call and we will get your name added to their mailing list.

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS

Keep Christ in Christmas by doing justice, loving kindness and walking humbly with God: Maybe we can be Christ this Christmas.

If you want to find Christ in Christmas look to a local foodbank or a homeless shelter or a women's shelter. If you want to find Christ in Christmas go to worship with your brothers and sisters in Christ, sing the songs of the ages, and proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ to the world. Invite your neighbor to worship with you, read the Bible and pray.

Nothing can keep Christ out of Christmas if we endeavor to be the body of Christ this Christmas!

ALL SAINTS ANGLICAN CHURCH

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Advent Three: Joy

Joy comes from knowing our Lord's coming to us is near. In these precious days ahead, we are praying, longing, hoping in the background of our everyday lives. His mission is for each of us who ask, "What must we do?" He tells us to give away our coats, our security. He asks that we not bully people but be content with our lives. We can smile today as we imagine the freedom he has won for us and how liberating it will be to live it, with him, for others. It is right to give our God thanks and praise. Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

Sunday School

Many thanks go out to our Sunday School teachers and assistants for taking the time to put together our Christmas Pageant this year. If you are interested in becoming part of this ministry team, please call the parish office.

Certificates of Conduct

Please note that in compliance with Diocesan Protocol, every volunteer and employee ministering to children, youth, or other vulnerable persons must make application for a Criminal Records Screening Certificate and Vulnerable Sector Check. Certificates shall be renewed every 3 years. If you are considering involvement in these ministries and do not have a valid Certificate, you must make contact with Rev Sheila who will initiate this application process for you at no cost to you. We are committed to ensuring that our church is a safe and holy place for every person.

Blood Donor Clinic

Blood Donor Clinic scheduled for Thursday December 27, 2012. Downstairs Parish Hall from 4:30pm to 8:30pm.

Memorials

Memorials have been given to All Saints Parish Renovation Fund in Loving Memory of

- **Edmund and Lizzie Rideout, Sarah and Charles Bussey, and Bessie and Isaac Porter** by Dave and Debbie Bussey
- **Parents, brothers and sisters** by Florence and Alex Holden
- **Phyllis Greeley** by Dave and Bertha Rideout

Memorials have been given to All Saints Parish Light Fixtures Fund in loving Memory of

- **Bradley M. Dawe** remembering his death on January 13th by William Dawe and Family
- **Max Butler and Phyllis Greeley** by Barb and Robert
- Parents **Gerald and Annie Porter** by daughters Judy, Brenda, Elizabeth and Geraldine

A Thank Offering has been given to the All Saints Parish Renovation Fund for

- **Rachel Fagan** in honor of her 90th birthday on November 4th by Cynthia Bishop
- **William Cable** in honor of his 81st birthday on December 13th

A Thank Offering has been given to the All Saints Parish Light Fixtures Fund by

- From the Mercer Family
- From Saints Alive Band

A donation has been made to All Saints Cemetery Fund in loving memory of

- **Tina Pennell—Roberts** remembering her death December 18th, 2010 by her parents Una and Herb Pennell.

Renovation Update:

Many thanks to all who continue to contribute to our Renovation Fund

Beginning Balance on Jan 1st, 2012:	\$76,198.93
Total income year to date (Nov 30th)	\$94,719.91
<u>Total expenses year to date (Nov 30th)</u>	<u>\$23,346.89</u>
Balance on Nov 30th,	\$147,571.95

OFFICE HOURS FOR DECEMBER

Monday through Friday: 9am to 3pm

Closed on December 25th and 26th...reopening on December 27th at 9am

Closed Jan 1st...reopening on January 2nd at 9am

CHRISTMAS SERVICE SCHEDULE

December 24th: 3pm, 7pm and 11pm

December 30th: 8:30am and 10am