

Schedule: March 3rd

8:30am– Holy Eucharist

10am - Holy Eucharist

5pm– Annual General Meeting

Warden: Dave Arnott

Sidespersons: Team #1 Gerry

Eucharistic Assistants:

8:30am– Charles

10am– Bill, Shirley and Barb T.

Greeters: Shirley B. and Helen W.

Readers: Men's Fellowship

Servers: Kevin, Emily and Leah

Counting Team: Team #8 Calvin
Butler

Choir Practice: Wednesday, February
27th at 8pm

**Please mark your calendars for
September 14, 2013 for the Golf
Tournament. All proceeds going
towards the Renovation Fund.**

Worship Service Planners Schedule

March 3rd—Men's Fellowship

March 10th—Betty

March 17th—Carol

March 24th—Clergy

Worship Service Planners

On a go forward basis, we request that your services be completed 2 weeks prior to the service date. This will help the office work more efficiently. Thank you for cooperation everyone!

Baptism dates for 2013

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

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.

ALL SAINTS ANGLICAN CHURCH

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February 24th, 2013

All Saints Candle

Shining a light on what's happening in our parish!!

Pastoral Care

HOSPITALITY TEAM: Do you know the people/ person in the pew next to you? Are you new to our parish? On the last Sunday of each month our hospitality team is prepared to welcome you to a social hour in the parish hall immediately following our 10am service. drop by – say hello– get to know your congregation!

Visitation and Home Communion We have approximately 30 people on our home communion list: if you or your loved one is no longer able to get to church but would like to be added to our list, please give the office a call.

We also offer a service known as 'Beyond the Altar Rail' for our regular communicants who because of a short-term illness is unable to make it to church but would appreciate receiving communion. To make arrangements for one of our Eucharistic Assistants to come by your house immediately following our 10am service we will need to hear from you no later than 12 noon on the Friday prior.

If you are admitted to hospital and would like to have your clergy visit, you will need to make contact with us and we will be happy to drop by. We no longer have access to patient names / room numbers.

If you or your family would like to receive a visit for any reason, don't hesitate to call us .

Worship

PRAYER: Have you ever responded to the sound of an ambulance siren wailing with a quick little: "Oh, my God, some poor mortal is in trouble again; may God bless whoever it is"? Or have you ever laid in your comfortable bed and hear the sound of tires screeching on warm pavement in the distance and instantly, you realize in your heart and mind that the motor vehicle is travelling way too fast and again your mind flashes into protective mode with a silent prayer that whoever the driver is "may they, please, slow down and make it safely to their destination". Or perhaps, after hearing the folly of some young people kicking up a noise in the wooded area, you pray for a good rain shower that would send these under aged teenagers scurrying home for cover? All these scenarios are actually encounters between you and God and are a form of PRAYER. You, as a Christian, are praying for the well being of others. Isn't that what Christians do?

Prayer is the most important tool we have to fight against sin, the world and the devil. Use this special gift, endorsed by God's own son, Jesus, to bring you closer to your heavenly father. Pray that you can surrender to his will and that your obedience is unquestionable. Your reward will be greater than you could ask or imagine!

Throughout this Lenten season, PLEASE pray more, and more and more.....for others, as well as for yourselves; especially, pray for our parish of All Saints in this time of new growth. God bless us all.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Marriage Course If you are planning a wedding at All Saints in 2013 please clear your calendar for our Marriage Course which has been scheduled for Saturday, April 20th, 2013

All Saints Parish Confirmation Program Faith Café: our next gathering is scheduled for Feb 24th at 7pm. See you there!!

Bible Study on Book of Revelation: at Madeline Critchell's, 5 Venice Hights. Every Monday from 2 to 3:30pm starting February 18th. To register please contact Madeline Critchell at 834-9769.

Lenten Journey: join us for our midweek service on Weds at 7pm where we will look towards the cross. Each service will be followed by a one hour prayer vigil. During the vigil a prayer team will be available to pray with you for your own personal needs/ concerns.

OUTREACH

Food Bank : when you pick up your groceries this week, remember those who are less fortunate than you and buy an item for the food bank. A grocery cart is located at the back of our church for your convenience and our representative will deliver your items to our local food bank for you.

PWRDF: Primates World Development Fund supports people-centred development that improves the quality of daily life for vulnerable populations, promotes self-reliance, and addresses root causes of poverty and injustice. PWRDF is active in 22 countries, and also accompanies Up-rooted People – including victims of disasters, refugees, internally displaced people, and migrant workers. PWRDF's work focuses on Food Security, Health Care, Humanitarian Relief and Refugee Support, Poverty Reduction, and Human Rights and Peace work with its 58 partners. We encourage you to support the Anglican Church in its mission work throughout the world.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: we remember in our prayers this week :

Maryland - (III, The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd Eugene Sutton
Assistant Bishop of Maryland - The Rt Revd Dr Joe Burnett

Fellowship

World Day of Prayer Service is being held at Faith Pentecostal Church on Foxtrap Access Road on February 28, 2013 at 7:30pm. Plan to attend and bring a friend with you. All are welcome!

Skit Night Skits/Music/Refreshments—All Saints Parish Ways and Means Committee is holding a skit night on March 2nd, 2013 starting at 7:30pm.

Skits will be performed by the Topsail SUF Players and friends, music by Saints Alive Band. Tickets are \$8.00 single and can be purchased at the door.

St. Patrick's Day Brunch: Saturday, March 9, 2013 at 10am at the Parish Hall

Hall Walkers Every Monday and Thursday from 9:30am to 10:30am a group of Hall Walkers get their exercise downstairs in our Parish Hall. Come join us. It's lots of fun, good for our health, and only cost a dollar !!

The CLB Old Comrades will be holding their annual Paddy's Night Dance in All Saints Parish Hall on Saturday, March 16, 2013. The usual prizes, party favors and a variety of stews will be served—Irish, moose and beef. A live band, the Retro Rebels, will be paying.

Tickets are \$10 single.

Call Earl Porter at 834-6767, Dave Dawe at 834-4661 or David Butler at 834-7034.

Management

AGM: Please mark your calendar for our next annual general meeting. It is scheduled for Sunday, March 3rd. We will begin our gathering with a pot-luck supper at 5pm, a service of evening prayer at 6pm, followed by our meeting at 6:30pm.

Memorials and Thank offerings

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

- ⇒ **Esther Greenslade** by Admirals Coast Retirement Centre Inc.
- ⇒ Friend **George Downey** of Colinet who passes away February 16th, 2013 by Julie Batten
- ⇒ Cousin **Jean Mercer** remembering her birthday on February 16th by Julie Batten
- ⇒ Sister in Law **Jean Mercer** remembering her birthday on February 16th by Lilly Mercer
- ⇒ **Victor Jefford** remembering his passing on February 22, 2011 by Lillian and family
- ⇒ **Edward Bussey** remembering his death on February 27, 2009 by Elizabeth, Jim, Jim Jr. and Justin Tilley

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- ⇒ **Jean Mercer's 70th birthday** from David and Deborah Bussey, Dot Davis, Mabel, Ilene, Goldie and Kevin, Larry, Jeff, Randy and Rod, Sharon and Gerald, Tina and Bob and Aunt Rachel Fagan