

ALL SAINTS CANDLE - SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021

1st Sunday of Lent

Shining a Light on What's Happening in Our Parish

OUR MISSION AT ALL SAINTS - To be a family of worshipping Christians, dedicated to Christian Education, Spiritual Growth, Pastoral Care, Outreach and Fellowship.

Our Candle has been given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of **Gordon and Rachel Fagan** from their Family.

"Some people bring a light to our lives that warms us long after they're gone"

Our Candle has been given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of **Boyd Summers**

Remembering his passing February 19^{th} - by Elaine, Robin, Chris, Nancy and Families

Wednesday of this past week was Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of Lent. The word Lent means Spring. The season of Lent lasts for 40 days because that is how long Jesus was in the desert, fasting and resisting Satan's temptations.

If you are interested in taking part in our upcoming children's programs, or for further information, please contact Joanne at joannesimfukwe@gmail.com

Please click the Kids Corner button to the left to reach our resource area for a variety of Christian Youth Education activities. If you would like to be a part of this exciting Ministry, please let us know by clicking here. Stay tuned for a new craft activity each Sunday....

PRE-RECORDED SERVICES NOW ONLINE

To view keep up with all that is happening in our Parish, please visit our website at <u>allsaintsparish.ca</u>, or simply <u>click here</u> to view our pre-recorded services.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ARCHDEACON DAVID BURROWS



Bishop Sam has announced the appointment of Rev David Burrows as our new Territorial Archdeacon for the Archdeaconry of Avalon, effective March 01, 2021.

Archdeacon David is a former Associate Priest of All Saints CBS, and we wish him well with his enhanced responsibilities.

2021 CHURCH OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Because all Churches and buildings currently must remain closed to the general public, if you have not yet picked up your 2021 offertory envelopes, please continue using those from 2020, and simply place them in our mail dropslot, which is located at the top of the stairs, just to the left of the main entrance of our Parish Hall. If you do not have any envelopes, please simply use a plain white



envelope, and write your name and envelope number (if you know it) on the outside, and then drop it in the drop-slot.

You may also e-Transfer us your offering via your bank's Interac service simply by emailing it to donations@allsaintsparish.ca. And of course, we always encourage you to consider signing up for our eGivings program which automatically sends us your offering at whatever interval you choose and are comfortable with. Please click here to register online, or go to our website and follow the eGiving notes. If you have any questions, please email your Finance Team at finance@allsaintsparish.ca, or call our Office at 834-4501.

Do We Have Your eMail Address?

Now, more than ever, email is becoming one of the safest and quickest ways for our Parish to keep you informed. We would love to have your email address so that we may include you in our email bulletins and information notices. Please email it to communications@allsaintsparish.ca, or simply click here to complete our online registration form.

AGM

Vestry has reinstated the Church Re-Opening Taskforce Team to develop a COVID safe plan to host our Annual General Meeting (AGM). If approved by Vestry, it will then be forwarded to the Diocese for their review, and hopefully their approval. We will keep

you advised of any updates. This team will continue their planning utilizing virtual team meetings.

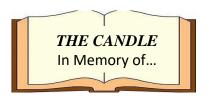
COVID-19 UPDATE — Due to the elevated number of COVID-19 cases in our province, all Churches and buildings within the Diocese have been closed until further notice. The following is a summary of the impacts on All Saints Parish CBS:

- All Church buildings and properties are closed and will not be accessible by the public
- Church building may be used for live streaming or recording worship services, however, it must not exceed five people, and singing is not permitted
- Burials at graveside is permitted, however, it is limited to five people, and all must be masked, and there can be no singing
- Rental of buildings limited to provincially licensed day care providers only, and masks must be worn based on Government mandates. Special exemptions may be approved by the Diocese
- Church office must remain closed except for access to perform functions essential to the continued operation of the Church
- Fundraising limited to electronic means only
- Home communion not permitted
- All in-person Church and ministry gatherings must cease, but may continue utilizing on-line facilities

We are attempting to keep our website (<u>allsaintsparish.ca</u>) current with all updates as they are published. You will find a number of key links (Diocesan, Provincial Government, and Federal Government) just below our Bulletin Board graphic of our webpage. We invite you to check back often. And please stay safe!!!!

Sponsoring 'The Candle'

We would like to remind Parishioners and Friends that you may sponsor our weekly bulletin, 'THE CANDLE', and have it dedicated in memory of a loved one. Your personal tribute will be prominently posted on the Bible graphic located at



the top of the front page, and your kind donation of \$25 would be greatly appreciated. Additionally, you can honor of a loved one by posting your favourite picture, along with a memorial verse, and your kind donation of \$50 for this full page tribute is greatly appreciated. A paper copy of '*The Candle*' is distributed at all Sunday services, and a digital copy is permanently archived on our Parish website at <u>allsaintsparish.ca</u>

IN MEMORIAM - GENERAL FUND

- In loving memory of Boyd Summers by Elaine, Robin, Chris, Nancy and Families
- In loving memory of Rachel & Gordon Fagan by their Family

2021-02-14	Weekly	YTD	Why not consider signing up to our e-Giving program. It's an easy way to ensure you contribute on a regular basis, even during those periods when you are unable to regularly attend church. We also accept E-transfers at donations@allsaintsparish.ca
Percent Achieved	25%	76%	
Budget	5,016.10	22,274.44	
Actual	1,248.95	16,962.25	
Difference	-3,767.15	-5,312.19	
ALL SAINTS PARISH COVID APPEAL TARGET \$52,000			COVID Appeal Contributions to Date: \$6,380

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