



## ALL SAINTS CANDLE – FEBRUARY 12, 2023

### 6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

*Shining a Light on What is Happening in Our Parish*

**Our Mission at All Saints is to be a family of worshipping Christians, dedicated to Christian Education, Spiritual Growth, Pastoral Care, Outreach and Fellowship.**

**Blessed is our Father, Lord of heaven and earth, who has revealed these things to the simple.**

**Scripture Readings:** Deuteronomy 30: 15-20; Psalm 119: 1-8; 1 Corinthians 3: 1-9; Matthew 5: 21-37

# AGM

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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Parish Office by February 19th. The two Churchwarden positions are up for election (one-year terms), as well as one At-Large vestry member (three-year term). This is YOUR meeting, and we encourage all parishioners to attend as we review our past successes, and plan for our future growth in the upcoming year. If you are able to take one of these positions, please contact our Office at 834-4501 or via email at [office@allsaintsparish.ca](mailto:office@allsaintsparish.ca)

**WE NEED PLASTERERS AND PAINTERS** – You may have noticed that the north



wall of our auditorium has been insulated and drywalled, with some upgrades to our electrical. This was all thanks to the volunteer efforts of Noah Porter, Calvin Butler, Herb Butler, Alf Kennedy and



Gordon Taylor. We now need the skills of some folks to complete the plastering and painting. If you are able to help us complete this project, or can convince a friend to help out, we sure would appreciate it. Please give Percy (682-1180) or Aura (682-3775) a call if you can help out. Hopefully, many hands will make light work.

**FOR REFLECTION by Rev Hobbs** - Do you have a body? Don't sit on the porch. Go out and walk in the rain. *Kabir*

**VALENTINE LUNCHEON AND CARD GAME** - All Saints Parish Foxtrap's ACW are hosting a Valentine Luncheon & Card Game on **Thursday February 16<sup>th</sup>**, starting at 12:00 noon. The Meal is just \$15, and the Card Game is \$5. We will be serving a cold plate, dessert, tea and coffee. Please contact Barb at 834-4795 or Enid at 682-9367. Please pass this along to family and friends – All are welcome.



**CONSIDER JOINING ONE OF OUR MINISTERIAL TEAMS** – We are seeking individuals, whatever your skillset or interests include, to please consider becoming a part of one of the following groups: **Altar Guild, Eucharist Assistant, Funeral Reception, Lectern Reader, Liturgical Planner, Offertory Counter, Server (must be confirmed), Sides Person, Greeter, ACW, Men's Fellowship, and many more.** Simply call our Office at 834-4501 or email us at [office@allsaintsparish.ca](mailto:office@allsaintsparish.ca), or complete our [online form](#).

**2022 OFFERTORY INCOME TAX RECEIPTS** – The 2022 Income Tax Receipts are now available for pickup at the Church on Sunday mornings, or at the office. If you would like your receipt emailed instead of picking it up or being mailed via Canada Post, please let us know at [finance@allsaintsparish.ca](mailto:finance@allsaintsparish.ca) as soon as possible. You must include your full name in your email.

**PANCAKE SUPPER** – On **Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, starting at 5:00pm**, the ACW ladies of All Saints Parish CBS are hosting a Pancake Supper, with sausage and beans. The cost is only \$5 for children, and \$10 for adults. You are all invited to come along and enjoy this annual fun-filled event. Please feel free to pass this along to family and friends. All are welcome!!! For more information please call Barb at 834-4795



**2023 CHURCH ENVELOPES ARE NOW AVAILABLE** - Our 2023 Church Offertory Envelopes are still available for pick-up in the Church vestibule. Please check the printed list provided to see if you are required to pick up replacement envelopes. If have you any questions, or need to pick up your envelopes mid-week, please call the Office at 834-4501, or email [office@allsaintsparish.ca](mailto:office@allsaintsparish.ca)

**LENTEN BIBLE STUDY** – We are offering a seven-week study beginning Tuesday, **February 21<sup>st</sup> starting at 10:00am**. We will be using **The Way of God: A guide to following Jesus** by Scott Gunn. We will also be looking at a number of spiritual practices.

**JOIN OUR SERVER TEAM** - We are inviting anyone who is confirmed, and who is interested in becoming a server to please contact Gerry Fagan 730-8486 or Joanne Simfukwe 682-8103

**DO WE HAVE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS?** - If we do not already have your email address on file, and you would like to have the digital version of *The Candle* sent directly to your smartphone, tablet or computer, please email it to [communications@allsaintsparish.ca](mailto:communications@allsaintsparish.ca)



**PWRDF - UKRAINE EFFORT** – Ever since the war in Ukraine began on February 24, over five million Ukrainians have been forced to flee their country for safety. You can help PWRDF to support Ukrainians with your donations, either by dropping it into our collection plate or our secure drop box, or by eTransfer to [donations@allsaintsparish.ca](mailto:donations@allsaintsparish.ca). Please indicate that it is for Ukraine.

## KIDZ KLUB



A "new" thing is happening at All Saints CBS – our **Youth Ministry** has taken on a new post-COVID look. Since the fall has begun,

we have rebranded our Sunday School program, and have launched our new **Kidz Klub**. We hope to have great success in this program

as the year progresses. Go to our website to read our exciting report. If you would be interested in helping out

with this rewarding ministry, or if you have any questions, please contact Joanne at [joannesimfukwe@gmail.com](mailto:joannesimfukwe@gmail.com) or 682-8103



**SPONSOR 'THE CANDLE'** – To remember a loved one or to make a special 'thank' offering, we invite you to have your message placed prominently within the Bible graphic at the top of this weekly bulletin, for which your kind donation of \$25 would be greatly appreciated. Additionally, you could place a full-page message with a photo and maybe a memorial verse, for which your kind donation of \$50 would be greatly appreciated. A paper copy of *'THE CANDLE'* is distributed at all Sunday services, and a digital copy is permanently available on our Parish website at [allsaintsparish.ca](http://allsaintsparish.ca)

**CHURCH OFFERTORY OPTIONS** - Our *secure drop-slot* is emptied several times daily and is located to the left of the main door of our Parish Hall. *e-Transferring* your gift to [donations@allsaintsparish.ca](mailto:donations@allsaintsparish.ca) has become a popular



method of offertory as well. And of course, we encourage you to consider our *eGiving* service which automatically deposits your gift at whatever interval you

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choose: weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly. To register simply go to our website and follow the eGiving notes. If you have any questions, please email your Finance Team at [finance@allsaintsparish.ca](mailto:finance@allsaintsparish.ca), or call our Office at 834-4501.

**DIGITAL ROADSIDE BILLBOARD** – All Saints is a very active in our community and beyond, and it is very important that we reach as many people as possible. Our list of mission work is quite extensive: Liturgical Services, Mission & Outreach, our weekly Tea Room fellowship, our various fundraising activities including Take-Out Dinners and Craft Fairs, Catering, Hall Rentals, as well as community service events such as Blood Donor Clinics, Flu Shot Clinics, COVID vaccination clinics, and the list goes on. We also anticipate a new and much needed revenue stream by selling public advertising space. We appreciate your financial support to date.

**STRATEGIC PLAN: DIOCESE OF ENL** – The Diocese is embarking on a three-year strategic plan titled, ‘Set Sail: Charting the Course for Christ’s Church’. There are four phases (focus areas): Deepening Relationships, Transforming Discipleship, Renewing Stewardship, and Engaging Partnerships. We are delighted to say that All Saints CBS has already undertaken advancement in several of those areas. To view the details of this plan you can visit the Diocesan website or simply [click here](#).



**IN MEMORIAM – PWRDF**

- In memory of **Marjorie Greeley, Vern Hiscock, and Clayton Searles** – by Barb & Robert Tilley

**IN MEMORIAM – FUNERAL RECEPTION**

- In loving memory of **Marge Greeley** – by Wade
- In loving memory of **Marjorie Greeley** – by The Family

**IN MEMORIAM – DIGITAL ROAD SIGN**

- In loving memory of Mom, **Mary Porter**, on her passing on February 12, 2012 – by Christina, Sam, and Family
- In loving memory of Mom, **Mary Porter**, remembering her death on February 12, 2012 – by Aura, Jerry and Family
- In memory of **Clayton Searles** and **Verna Hiscock** – by Edith Rideout

February 05, 2023	WEEKLY	YTD	Please consider our <i>e-Giving</i> program, an easy way to ensure you contribute on a regular basis, even during those periods when you are unable to regularly attend church.
PERCENT OF LAST YEAR	96%	135%	
2023 ACTUAL	3,177	18,732	We also accept E-transfers at <a href="mailto:donations@allsaintsparish.ca">donations@allsaintsparish.ca</a>
2022 ACTUAL	3,326	13,829	
DIFFERENCE	-149	4,903	

**DIGITAL BILLBOARD \$8,565**

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