

ALL SAINTS CANDLE — NOVEMBER 24, 2024 THE REIGN OF CHRIST

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.

OUR CANDLE HAS BEEN GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

In loving memory of *William (Bill) Butler*, remembering his passing on November 26, 2023 – by Eleanor, Paul, Joanne, Glenn and Families. "Always in our hearts"



Therefore, do what you can for God, then God will give you a spirit of power and love and of self-control. *Soren Kierkegaard*

THE CBS/PARADISE FOOD BANK are running VERY VERY low on supplies, and they continue to rely heavily on the generous support of our Parishioners and the general public. The following items are in great demand: cereal, milk, pasta, rice, sidekicks, juice packages and/or you may make a monetary donation. For your convenience, you may simply eTransfer your donation to donations@allsaintsparish.ca, and please indicate that it is for the Food Bank.

ALL SAINTS TEA ROOM CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON — Our Tea Room Luncheon is still



very active, and will be holding it sential thristmas Dinner on December 11th. The Tea Room will their close for the festive season, and will restart again on January 15th. A humongous thanks to the ladles and men for their unselfish time in providing this wonderful outreach ministry.

CONFIRMATION CLASS SCHEDULE — Our confirmation candidates continue to meet regularly in the Upper Level of our Parish Hall at 2:00pm. The following is a subset of their upcoming schedule and topics:

- December 01 Our Christian Response
- December 15 Christmas Outreach Activity
- January 19 CBS Food Bank

BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE - The Christmas season is often hard on those whose

hearts are hurting. All Saints Parish CBS will be holding its annual Blue Christmas Service on December 8th at 7:00pm. Please join with us as a Church in special recognition of those in our congregation who may be struggling with the loss of a loved one, or any other pain they may be carrying. As many of us tend to get caught up in the celebrations of the season, we sometimes forget those silently carrying a burden. Candles will be lit as a memorial to those we love but see no longer.



- The first candle is to remember those persons whom we have loved and
- The second candle is to redeem the pain of loss;
- The third candle is to remember ourselves at Christmas time;
- The fourth candle is to remember our faith, and the gift of hope.

Everyone is welcome to come along and to invite their friends.

CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL BOOKLET – We are once again publishing our annual Christmas Memorial Booklet. It is a place to remember loved ones who are no longer with us, or to give thanks for something dear to you. Please email your memorials to



office@allsaintsparish.ca, or call us at 709-834-4501. To ensure we have time for printing, our target cut-off date is noon on December 20th.



Both the **FOXTRAP AND THE UPPER GULLIES CLB** companies meet in our Parish Hall every Monday evening from 6:30-7:30 (LTC and YBC), and from 7:30-9:30 (JTC and Seniors). Their mission is to foster personal growth, leadership and camaraderie among their young members while instilling important values such as discipline, teamwork and respect for others.

ALL SAINTS CBS PRAYER CHAIN - Do you, or a friend, or someone you know require personal and confidential prayer for any reason? If so, we invite you to please reach out in confidence to our Prayer Chain Coordinator, Linda McDonald, at 709-**834-1720**, or call our **Parish Office at 709-834-4501**. Our



All Saints Prayer Chain Group is a very active ministry which has a large number of prayerful members ready to reach out in thoughtful prayer.

All Saints ACW will be hosting our annual "Breakfast with Santa". Please join us on Saturday morning, November 30th, from 08:30-11:30am. Enjoy a great meal of Pancakes, Eggs, Sausages, Baked Beans, Hashbrowns, Toast, Juice, and Tea/Coffee.

Children under 12 are only \$5, and adults are \$10. Get your tickets at the door.

Don't miss this great opportunity to have a picture taken with Santa in front of our new backdrop. Please with Santa! Share this exciting adventure with

your family, friends, and co-workers.

2024 Christmas Schedule **All Saints Anglican Parish CBS**

- Monday, December 23rd at Noon Parish Office Closes for Christmas
- December 24th at 3:00pm Special Children's Christmas Eve Service with its unique children's liturgy
- December 24th at 7:00pm Early evening Christmas Eve Service using the BAS Eucharist
- December 24th at 11:00pm Late evening Christmas Eve Service using the BCP Eucharist
- December 25th at 10:00am Christmas Morning BAS Eucharist
- December 29th at 10:00am First Sunday after Christmas BAS Eucharist - LOL and SUF Lodges
- December 31st at Noon is the last day for accepting donations to be included on 2024 offertory tax receipts
- Friday, January 3rd Parish Office re-opens
- January 5th at 10:00am Resumption of normal service schedule
- January 6th at 3:30pm ACW Epiphany Service

CHURCH OFFERTORY OPTIONS – In addition to our Sunday collection plate:



- Our **secure drop-slot**, located to the left of the Parish Hall main door, which is emptied daily, is available 7/24
- **e-Transfer** has become a popular means of offertory by sending an Interac to donations@allsaintsparish.ca
- Our **eGiving program** is growing. It automatically deposits your gift at whatever interval you choose (weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly). To register simply go to our website and follow the eGiving notes. If you need any assistance, please call our Office at 834-4501, or email your Finance Team at finance@allsaintsparish.ca

WEDNESDAY BINGO ENDS ON DEC 11

Where: All Saints Parish Hall, Foxtrap

Doors Open: 6:30pm Bingo Starts: 7:30 PM CASH PRIZES

For more info call Helen at 834-4169



IN MEMORIAM - CAPITAL PROJECTS

- In loving memory of Wallace Bussey, remembering his passing on October 17, 2024 – by Gerry, Tiffany, Ashley, Stacey and their families
- In loving memory of *Boyd Delaney*, remembering his passing on November
 25, 2018 by Eleanor and Hannah
- In loving memory *Maisie Fagan*, remembering her death on November 20, 2023 – Gerry, Tiffany, Ashley and Stacey
- In loving memory *Maisie Fagan*, remembering her death on November 20, 2023 – Jenna, Benjamin, Jackson, Grayson, Liam, Brooklyn and Zander

| NOVEMBER 17, 2024 | WEEKLY | YTD |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|
| PERCENT OF LAST YEAR | 135% | 99.3% |
| 2024 ACTUAL | 4,264 | 167,162 |
| 2023 ACTUAL | 3,159 | 168,315 |
| DIFFERENCE | 1,105 | -1,153 |

We accept donations via *eTransfers* to donations@allsaintsparish.ca

Please consider joining our e-Giving Program which ensures you automatically contribute on a regular basis, even during those times when you are unable to physically attend your Church.

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