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Sunday Worship

8:30 AM
10:30 AM

Sunday School

Ages 4 years to grade 5
10:30 AM
(Sept-June)

Mission

**Welcoming all who
yearn to
encounter God and
who long to follow
Jesus more
closely.**

Send Communicator
articles to the office:
office@myallsaints.com,
to be included in the next
monthly newsletter.

Pastor's Message

As I sit at my desk writing this message for the newsletter, I am aware that once again we are entering into a season of change. All of creation is once again renewed. The lilac bushes are heavy with blossoms, their fragrance lifting on the breeze, mixing its scent with the other flowering trees and brightly colored blossoms. The birds are celebrating in a song of their own, glory and praise to our great God. The season of spring is quickly progressing into summer.

Summer brings such joy for most of us, the long warm sun filled days, relaxed schedule, time for rest and refreshment and time away. Many people have asked me, "what you doing this summer?" Brent and I, like many of you, are making plans to get away, see family, etc. But as I think about this seasonal question I have a recurring thought, "what does God want me to do this summer?"

"What does God want us to do this summer?" An excellent question. One in which I'm not sure I know the outcome yet but I'm open and interested in discovering as the days of summer unfold. In the meantime I'm prayerfully watching, listening, and observing God at work in my life and the world around me. This alone is an awesome way to enter into a season of change.

Blessings to you all,

Pastor Denise

Cars and Trucks and Things that Go – Summer Blessings - June 3

Summer is just around the corner, with long fun filled sunny days that are just calling us to be outside among God's creation.

On Sunday, June 3rd at 2:00 pm we invite you to bring your "Things that Go" for a special seasonal blessings. Motorcycles, campers, RVs, bikes, trikes, even roller skates are welcome! If it moves, bring it and we will bless it!



Your Staff Team

Denise Russell
Pastor

Linda DeGiorgio
Office Administrator &
Worship Support
Secretary

Denise Clarey
Preschool Director

Martha Gordon
Musician

2018 Council Representatives

Julia Keller
Council President

Rick Mann
Council Vice President

Marc DeGiorgio
Council Treasurer

Becky Manross
Council Secretary

JoEllyn Bernardin
Christian Education

Judy Kniaz
Congregational Life

Louise Holtz
Evangelism

Suzanne Compton
Managing a Christian
Lifestyle

Open
Property

Sue Horn
Social Concerns and
Health Ministry

Liesl Schick
Worship & Music

Attention Graduates

If you are graduating from High School, Community College, University, Trade School, Grad School, Preschool, etc. this year, please let the office know.

We want to recognize ALL of our graduates on Sunday, June 10th.



Men-in-Mission

All Saints Men-in-Mission group will not meet during the summer months.

See you in September!



Property Work Day at All Saints – June 2nd

We are planning an All Saints (mostly) outside work day on Saturday, June 2nd, starting at 9:00 AM. We will be striping the parking lot, weeding and tidying up our gardens, and doing general clean-up outside.

Bring your garden gloves and tools, if you have them. But more importantly, bring yourself and your family to spend some time helping to make our church grounds more welcoming and appealing.

It would be great to know how much help we can expect, so please take a moment and add your name on the sign-up sheet in the narthex or call and leave your name at the church office.

June 9th is the backup rain date in case of bad weather on June 2nd.

Ladies Luncheon – June 4

All ladies are invited to our next monthly luncheon at **Sparkies Kitchen & Bar** on Monday, June 4th at noon. The restaurant is located at 2868 E Highland Road (at Duck Lake Road) in Highland. Phone 248-887-2610.



Please call Chris Smith at 248-887-2351 or 248-917-9659 so reservations can be made.

Come enjoy some fellowship, good conversation, delicious food, and get to know someone a little bit better.

Small Group and Other Leaders

Open
Altar Guild

Mike Hoffman
Financial Oversight
Committee

Becky Manross
Financial Secretary

Karen Walker
Lou Prine
Prayer Requests

Denise Clarey
Sunday School

Pastor Denise Russell
Women's Bible Study

Open
Creative Saints
in Fellowship

Open
Men In Mission

Mike Hoffman
Saints on Wheels

Saturday, June 16th – Worship Around the Camp Fire

On Saturday, June 16th we will worship around the camp fire.

We will begin at 7:30 pm gathering at the fire pit just beyond The Little Saints Play Yard.

Bring your singing voice and a lawn chair, s'more ingredients provided.



Healing Worship Service – June 12th and June 26th

The world is a pretty harsh place and because of this we, our families and friends, suffer bumps, bruises and illnesses of all sorts. Bring your hurts, whatever they are, to our God, the great healer and comforter of all, to a service of healing, prayer, and anointing.



The service will contain gentle music, a time of quiet meditation, anointing, and prayer led by Pastor Denise. A time for private, confidential prayer, with pastor, as you desire, will conclude the worship.

The next Healing Worship Services are scheduled for Tuesday, June 12th at 11:00 am and Tuesday, June 26th at 7:00 pm.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL – August 8

Save the Date!

2018 All Saints Vacation Bible School

August 6 through August 10
9:30 AM – Noon

For ages 3 years to 4th grade



Registration forms and Volunteer Sign-Up sheets
are available in the Gathering Space

Or on our website www.myallsaints.com



June Birthdays

06/01 Josie Smith
06/03 Janene Scherzer
06/04 Greg Zywicki
06/06 LouAnne Audette
06/06 Vito Curcuro
06/06 Leopold Schick
06/07 Don Holtz
06/07 Cheryl Rossello
06/07 Randy Smith
06/09 Roger Meyer
06/10 Bill Compton
06/11 Margaret
MacDonald
06/11 Lindsay Meyer
06/15 Michelle Hemeyer
06/20 Dave Kindred
06/21 Lori Riihiluoma
06/22 Amy Trump
06/23 Kane Meyer
06/26 Kendall Philip
06/28 Linda Lawrence
06/28 Jeff Sarkady
06/29 Jaymeson
MacDonald
06/30 Allison Hansel
06/30 Lorie Smith



You're invited to our
Sundae Sunday!

Enjoy a sweet treat on August 5th,
after the 10:30 service.

New Summer Worship Opportunity



The freedom of summer has inspired us to change up our evening worship and provide monthly, fun and faith filled worship experiences in the midst of God's amazing creation.

Saturday, July 7th we will don our "red, white, and blue" to worship celebrating the freedom we have through Christ and a good ole' summer evening BBQ. We will gather at 6:00 pm for worship. As we conclude worship the coals will be ready for hot dogs and buns, provided. Please bring a side dish to share, as well as any "outdoor" lawn games.



Saturday, August 18th at 2:00 pm our summer worship experience will be Wet, Wild and Wacky Worship! Grab your sunscreen and flip flops, bathing suit and towel, or extra shorts and tee shirts for the less adventurous. We will break out a sprinkler or two, set up a slip and slide, fill some water balloons and just have fun. After we've cooled off a bit, we'll share a snack and worship in with a Dr. Seuss style liturgy. Popsicles and ice cream treats provided.





June Anniversaries

June 1
Mika & Lori Riihiluoma

June 9
Dick & Ginny Hobson

June 12
Marc & Sarah DeGiorgio

June 13
Bud & Lou Prine

June 15
Daniel & Diane Rhodes

June 27
Mike & Kathi Letovsky

June 30
Mark & Mary Mudge

All Saints Council Meeting – April 12, 2018

Below are the highlights of the All Saints Congregational Council meeting held on April 12, 2018. A copy of the complete meeting minutes are available in the office.

The new regional director for Mission Investment Fund visited ASLC and felt our church reflected vitality.

A Property work day will be scheduled for June.

A replacement for the server has been ordered at a cost of approximately \$500.

All vital household statistics from Church Windows have been printed and sorted. Information to be entered into Shepherd's Staff.

Pastor will be attending a Community Visioning meeting next month at the Cromaine Library.

16 Easter baskets were delivered to families at Highland Greens and 4 baskets to families at Hartland Meadows.

VBS will be held the week of August 6. JoElyn will be attending a VBS workshop on April 21.

An Altar Guild chairperson is needed.

"Winds of Change", a service with musicians and congregational participation will be held on April 15. The April 29 service will be a hymn sing.

Preschool and congregational members will be marching in the Hartland Memorial Day Parade and handing out flower bulbs. 500 bulbs will be needed.

Each committee chair is asked to write a summary of their ministry which will be included in an All Saints Welcome Packet.

Simply Giving®

The *Simply Giving*® program provides you with the opportunity to give your All Saints offerings automatically. No more Sunday envelopes. Through *Simply Giving*®, your offerings are made through a pre-authorized withdrawal from your bank account. You determine the frequency of your automatic donation. It is a reliable, safe way to move your stewardship plan into action. Your donation is given consistently, you won't need to play "catch-up" at year-end or worry about forgotten checkbooks or missed Sunday offerings.

But you're not the only one that benefits. All Saints benefits from steady, more predictable revenues through the year and greater confidence in meeting its financial commitments. Fill out the Authorization Form location on the Information Table and turn it into the office.

The **Simply Giving**® Program



Council Member Contact List

Do you have a question, comment or concern? Do you know who to turn to? Council! Yes, that's right! Council was elected by the congregation to lead the congregation and make decisions regarding the church. In order to effectively do that, council needs feedback and they would love to hear from you. Below is a list of staff and council members, their mailbox numbers (in the office), email addresses and phone numbers. Please contact them with questions. If you are unsure about which council member would be the correct person to address your questions, put them in the President's box and it will be steered to the proper committee or person so that your question can be answered. Thanks and council can't wait to hear from you.

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Julia Keller	Council, President	Jkrew10@yahoo.com	248-931-5622	7

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Martha Gordon	Musician	marthanotebynote@gmail.com	248-698-4810	6



Prayer Requests

Prayer requests can be forwarded to: office@myallsaints.com; or call Karen Walker at 517.546.4948; or Lou Prine at 810-227-0535, or fill out a prayer request form available in the narthex. Unless otherwise noted, prayer requests will remain on the list for four weeks at which time they will be removed but may be reinstated by following the steps above.

If you have an emergency need for prayer, Call Karen Walker and she will communicate with a team of 4 to 5 individuals to begin immediate prayer. The email request will also be communicated.

All Saints Council and staff
All who are hungry and/or homeless
All who are unemployed and seeking work
All of our troops, especially those in places of conflict
Andrew Cline – son of Patti Nicolo
Barb Jacob – friend of Karen Walker
Barbara Robinson
Barbara & Bud VanRenterghem
Betsy Cornellier
Carol Marenko – friend of Jennifer Hardy
Cheryl Masek
Colleen Cox – niece of Patti & Richard Nicolo
Diana Edmundson – friend of Patti Nicolo
Diane Detter – friend of Mim Zurn
Don Holtz
Don MacDonald
Ed – brother of Herm Markwart
Ellen Mills – friend of Becky Manross
Family of Douglas Nelson – brother of LouAnne Audette’s sister-in-law
Family of Jim Rae – grandfather of Milissa Schmantowsky
Frank Gyorkos – friend of Wes Walker
Heather – daughter of Bill & Sue Horn
JoAnn Orlando – sister of Richard Nicolo
John Ross – friend of Randy & Laura Smith
Judy Shook
Kathy Bianchini – friend of Louise Holtz’s cousin
Linda Certo – friend of Patti Nicolo
Lynn Moffat – friend of Patti Nicolo
Marty Mills
Mike Read
Nancy Yount
Phillip Cook II – son of Sue Horn
Renee Bland – mother of Julia Keller’s coworker
Richard Nicolo – husband of Patti Nicolo
Tim Carney
Torrie Dreibelbis – friend of Shannon & Becky Hammond
Tyler & family – friends of Sonja Markwart
Wesley Walker, Jr. – son of Karen & Wes Walker