All Saints' Memorial Church

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost 9 am Holy Eucharist July 14th, 2024



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Welcome to All Saints' Memorial Church for worship!

Whether this is your first time here, or a first time in a long time, please know a few things:

All are welcome—always!

Restrooms are located in the Parish Hall (the building closest to the parking lot).

The entire order of service with readings, except for the hymns, is contained in the bulletin. Hymns are sung at the 10 am service only.

Our hymns and service music are located in the *blue 1982 Hymnal*. Service music is indicated by an 'S' in the front, and is located in the front part of the Hymnal. Hymns are indicated by their number in the Hymnal.

We normally stand to sing the hymns, for the reading of the gospel and prayers; and are seated for readings, Psalm, and the homily. It is traditional to kneel for the confession.

The Sign of the Peace is to be exchanged from your own pew by elbow or fist bumps, waving, bowing, or giving the peace sign to those in the pews surrounding you. Handshakes, hugs, etc. can be exchanged among household family members.

All are welcome to receive communion regardless of age or your faith background:

- Ushers will guide you to the communion rail; you may receive communion either standing or kneeling.
- We receive bread in the hand. You may retain it to dip into the cup; please be careful so fingers do not touch the wine. You may also drink from the cup if you wish.
- You may also come to the altar for blessing instead; please indicate by crossing your arms over your chest, or tell the priest.
- If you are unable to make the trip to the communion rail, please let the ushers know and communion will be brought to you.

Please join us for food and fellowship after the service in our Parish Hall!

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning. If you have any questions about All Saints' or The Episcopal Church, please feel free to speak to Mother Debbie after the service.

Note:

I f you have been directly exposed to anyone who has Covid-19 and are not fully vaccinated, you are recommended to quarantine for 5 days. If you have been directly exposed to anyone symptomatic with Covid-19 and are fully vaccinated, masking is recommended for five days. If you have any symptoms known to Covid 19 or the flu (fever, muscle aches, headache, loss of smell or taste, nausea or vomiting, cough, trouble breathing, among others), please refrain from attending in person.

If you are immuno-compromised and need a mask, we have them available at the entrance table.

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Prelude

Please Stand as able Processional Hymn #686 Prélude Nadia Boulanger, 1911

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing Nettleton

CelebrantBlessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd blessed be his Kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

The Celebrant says

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Gloria in excelsis

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Celebrant:	The Lord be with you
People:	And also with you
Celebrant:	Let us pray.

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Collect of the Day

O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

READINGS

First Reading

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19

David again gathered all the chosen men of Israel, thirty thousand. David and all the people with him set out and went from Baale-judah, to bring up from there the ark of God, which is called by the name of the LORD of hosts who is enthroned on the cherubim. They carried the ark of God on a new cart, and brought it out of the house of Abinadab, which was on the hill. Uzzah and Ahio, the sons of Abinadab, were driving the new cart with the ark of God; and Ahio went in front of the ark. David and all the house of Israel were dancing before the LORD with all their might, with songs and lyres and harps and tambourines and castanets and cymbals.

So David went and brought up the ark of God from the house of Obed-edom to the city of David with rejoicing; and when those who bore the ark of the Lord had gone six paces, he sacrificed an ox and a fatling. David danced before the Lord with all his might; David was girded with a linen ephod. So David and all the house of Israel brought up the ark of the LORD with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet.

As the ark of the LORD came into the city of David, Michal daughter of Saul looked out of the window, and saw King David leaping and dancing before the LORD; and she despised him in her heart.

They brought in the ark of the LORD, and set it in its place, inside the tent that David had pitched for it; and David offered burnt offerings and offerings of wellbeing before the LORD. When David had finished offering the burnt offerings and the offerings of well-being, he blessed the people in the name of the LORD of hosts, and distributed food among all the people, the whole multitude of Israel, both men and women, to each a cake of bread, a portion of meat, and a cake of raisins. Then all the people went back to their homes.

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

Psalm 24

- 1 The earth is the LORD's and all that is in it, * the world and all who dwell therein.
- 2 For it is he who founded it upon the seas * and made it firm upon the rivers of the deep.
- 3 "Who can ascend the hill of the LORD? * and who can stand in his holy place?"
- 4 "Those who have clean hands and a pure heart, * who have not pledged themselves to falsehood, nor sworn by what is a fraud.
- 5 They shall receive a blessing from the LORD * and a just reward from the God of their salvation."
- 6 Such is the generation of those who seek him, * of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob.
- 7 Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; * and the King of glory shall come in.
- 8 "Who is this King of glory?" * "The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle."
- 9 Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; * and the King of glory shall come in.
- 10 "Who is he, this King of glory?" * "The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory."

Second Reading

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished

Ephesians 1:3-14

on us. With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

Reader	The Word of the Lord.
People	Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn #594

God of Grace and God of Glory Regent Square (368)

The Holy Gospel

Mark 6:14-29

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark *People::* Glory to you, Lord Christ

King Herod heard of Jesus and his disciples, for Jesus' name had become known. Some were saying, "John the baptizer has been raised from the dead; and for this reason these powers are at work in him." But others said, "It is Elijah." And others said, "It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old." But when Herod heard of it, he said, "John, whom I beheaded, has been raised."

For Herod himself had sent men who arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because Herod had married her. For John had been telling Herod, "It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife." And Herodias had a grudge against him, and wanted to kill him. But she could not, for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he protected him. When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed; and yet he liked to listen to him. But an opportunity came when Herod on his birthday gave a banquet for his courtiers and officers and for the leaders of Galilee. When his daughter Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests; and the king said to the girl, "Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it." And he solemnly swore to her, "Whatever you ask me, I will give you, even half of my kingdom." She went out and said to her mother, "What should I ask for?" She replied, "The head of John the baptizer." Immediately she rushed back to the king and requested, "I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter." The king was deeply grieved; yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he did not want to refuse her. Immediately the king sent a soldier of the guard with orders to bring John's head. He went and beheaded him in the prison, brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl. Then the girl gave it to her mother. When his disciples heard about it, they came and took his body, and laid it in a tomb.

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated **Sermon**

The Rev. Canon Joan Mason

Please stand as able

Nicene Creed (say together)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate: he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People (remain standing)

Leader: God in Christ has blessed us and chose us to be holy and blameless before God in love. We offer up our prayers to you, O Lord, saying; King of glory: **Hear our prayer.**

Eternal God, help us to follow Jesus in the Way of love. Through him we have been lavished with grace and given redemption and forgiveness. Guide your Church, and give us the strength and conviction to live the gospel message. We pray for our Bishop Sally French and Presiding Bishop-elect Sean Rowe. King of glory: **Hear our prayer.**

Eternal God, you raise up prophets like John the Baptist to speak truth to power and to call us to remember who we are and turn to you. Give us the clarity and courage to preach and model justice and peace. May our leaders listen and act in accordance with your will, and not let pride or fear sway them. King of glory: **Hear our prayer.**

Eternal God, the earth is yours and all that is in it. Give us wisdom so we can be good stewards of your creation. King of glory: **Hear our prayer**

Eternal God, just as David distributed food among his people, we ask that you continue to provide for all your people, especially those in need: the hungry and destitute, the prisoner and refugee, those affected by violence or natural disasters. Bless all those who serve particularly service members, first responders and health care workers: Max, Ryan, John, Neema, Sonia, Anthony, Pat, Bonnie, Jessie, Trent, Candy, Erin, Nick, Phil, Andrew and Jeremy. King of glory: **Hear our prayer**.

Eternal God, in your name and by your hand the sick are anointed, the suffering are set free, and the heartbroken are healed. We pray all those in need of your mercy and touch, particularly Dan, Laurie, Guy, William, Maureen, Kathy, Mary, Harry, Valerie,

Chris, John, Pam, Clara & John, Miriam, Ray, Elsie, Libby, Georgia, Larry, Willy, Linda, Lydia, Ibby, Karen, Eleanor, John, Lee, Olga. King of glory: **Hear our prayer.**

Eternal God, it is your good pleasure, in the fullness of time, to gather all things to yourself. May those who have died enjoy forever the inheritance you have prepared for us in Christ. Bring comfort to those who mourn. King of glory: **Hear our prayer.**

We invite your own prayers of intercession and thanksgiving at this time, either silently or aloud...

Celebrant: Help us to set our hope on Christ, and ask for good and life giving things, so that we may receive from the riches of your grace. Mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you. **Amen.**

Please kneel or remain standing for the Confession:

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence.

Minister and People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Priest says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*.

The Peace

CelebrantThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

Announcements for Mission and Ministry

Thanksgivings and prayers for special intentions.

Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem

Offertoire René Blin, 1912

Doxology #380, vs. 3

Praise God from whom all Blessings flow Old 100th

Eucharistic Prayer A

(please stand as able)

Celebrant:	The Lord be with you.
People:	And also with you.
Celebrant:	Lift up your hearts.
People:	We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant:	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People:	It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,S124Heaven and earth are full of your glory.Hosanna in the highest.Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant continues and the people stand as able:

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the₁₀

cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN*.

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

(Together)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

The Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread; A period of silence is kept.

Celebrant:	Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;	<i>S154</i>
People:	Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.	

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for you, the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts, by faith, with thanksgiving.

Communion Music

Improvisation Boulanger

Please be seated until you can come forward to receive; usher will guide you.. All persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion. We receive bread in the hand. You may retain it to dip into the cup; please be careful so fingers do not touch the wine. You may also drink from the cup. For those worshipping with us online, you are invited to use the Prayer for Spiritual Communion.

After Communion, all stand for the final prayer and blessing.

The Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Recessional Hymn #671

Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound New Britain

Dismissal

Celebrant People

Postlude

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Hymne Henri Dallier, 1912

For those worshipping with us online **A Prayer for Spiritual Communion**

In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

July Services

Due to Mother Debbie's Vacation in July

There will be only ONE service at 9 am each Sunday in July. This applies to July 7, 14, 21 and 28th.

No Wednesday 10 am Healing services in July

Regular 8 am and 10 am services will return in August



"Our Favorite Things" A Recital to Benefit the Susan G. Komen® Breast Cancer Foundation

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Sunday, August 25, 2024 2:00 PM (doors open at 1:30PM) All Saints' Memorial Church 202 Navesink Avenue, Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716

> Suggested donation: \$20 per person For more information, please contact: meredith.buchholtz@gmail.com

Calendar of Events

<u>Sunday, July 14th</u> 9:00 am Sung Holy Eucharist in Church (livestreamed) Coffee Hour in Parish Hall

> <u>Tuesday, July 16th</u> 1:30 pm Chair Yoga with Laura in Hall 6:00 pm Yoga with Laura in Parish Hall 9:00 pm Compline on Facebook Live

<u>Wednesday, July 17th</u> No Healing Service in Church : Healing Service cancelled for July

> <u>Thursday, July 18th</u> 9:00 pm Compline on Facebook Live

Sunday, July 21st 9:00 am Morning Prayer with music (livestreamed) Coffee Hour in Parish Hall

<u>Note:</u> Mother Debbie on vacation July 1 through July 23rd.

> For questions/concerns, please contact Sr. Warden, Mary-Elise Haug 317-374-1410