



ALL SAINTS
AN EPISCOPAL CHURCH
COMMUNITY IN RICHMOND VA
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARCH 26, 2023

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

Thank you for worshipping with us! We'd like to get to know you better, so please fill out a visitor's card and drop it in the basket to let us know how we can include you in our life together. You can learn more about our church or fill out an online visitor's card here, allsaintsrichmond.org/i-am-new You can also sign up for our weekly newsletter by visiting, allsaintsrichmond.org and filling out the information at the bottom of the page.

EASTER LILY + BRASS DEDICATIONS

It's that time of year for Easter Lily Memorials and Easter Brass Donations. To contribute an Easter Lily or to donate towards the Easter Brass, please fill out the included form and return to the church office along with a check. You can also pay online. For the Easter lilies, you can also fill out this form online at allsaintsrichmond.org/newsletter-forms Please submit your form by Monday, April 3.

LENTEN PROGRAM: "THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT AND ME"

This year's Lenten Program led by The Ven. David Curtis, "The Baptismal Covenant and Me", will conclude on **Wednesday March 29 at 6pm**. After fellowship and dinner, there is time to reflect on and discuss how we live out this covenant in our lives. We end with worship around 7:30pm. If you missed the first few, you can still plan on coming to the last one! To help plan for dinner, RSVP here: tinyurl.com/asclentendinner

FAMILY SYMBOL TREASURE HUNT + LUNCH: TODAY

Stay for lunch following the 10:30am service today and then explore the church building to discover symbols you may not have noticed before. Bring your Smartphone or tablet - or explore with a person who has one. There will be prizes for completing the puzzle. If you attended last year, come again, it will be all new!

SPRING GARDEN WORKDAY: APRIL 2 AT NOON

We will gather in the garden for a work day to finish prepping the garden beds for planting; installing irrigation hoses; planting; fixing the walkways; and more! Things to bring: a bag lunch if you care to sit together before we get started, garden gloves, and any tools you prefer to use. Lots to do, please join us if you can.

APRIL EVENSONG + DINNER: APRIL 2 AT 5PM

Join us for a special service of evening prayer on **April 2 at 5:00 PM**. This service feature candlelight, time for reflection, and special music by our choirs. Join the Parish Choir, with music of Henry Purcell and Herbert Sumsion. Following the service, we hope you will stay for a community dinner in Thornton Hall.

EASTER EGG HUNT: SATURDAY, APRIL 8 AT 10:00AM

A beloved Easter tradition for kids and families. Join us in the courtyard for crafts, treats, and an Easter Egg Hunt. All you need to do is bring an Easter Basket of some kind and you are welcome to bring a friend! Kids can also pickup some bunny bait to leave out for the Easter bunny.

INTRODUCING THE ALL SAINTS SERMON PODCAST

The Rev. Ben Robertson's sermon podcast is live! We hope you will check it out and share with a friend. There are many different ways to listen to it, click one of the links below to hear the first episode! Visit our website for ways to listen—allsaintsrichmond.org/news-updates

EASTER EGG HUNT CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED

We are asking for donations of individually wrapped, nut free candy. Donations can be dropped off at church in the candy donation boxes outside of the church. Thank you!

HELP DECORATE THE CHURCH FOR EASTER

Interested in arranging flowers, but have never done so? This Easter is your chance! Calling all youth, adults, and children (with an adult) to help decorate the church on Saturday, April 8th. Times are available both before and after the Easter Egg Hunt. Can't stay long? No experience? No problem! We have jobs and training for all! Just email Julie Wilcox, jmbest6@yahoo.com with your availability and any questions.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE TEAM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our congregational care team is looking for volunteers to make casseroles and/or breads (pumpkin bread, zucchini bread, etc.) for the church freezer. They will be given to folks who have had a baby, recovering from surgery, etc. If you are interested in helping, please reach out to Rosemary Jones, rosemarydj@verizon.net

WOMEN'S SOCIAL: SAVE THE DATE!

Join the women of All Saints for the next Women's Social potluck dinner at Marie Wilcox's home on Wednesday, April 19. Save the date and watch for more details later! To be added to the email list for the women's social group, please send Kris Koebler an email, kkoebler@gmail.com

LUNCH PACKING EVENT: APRIL 29, SIGNUP TODAY!

Our first lunch packing event of 2023 will be on Saturday, April 29. We need volunteers to shop (expenses are reimbursed), make sandwiches, pack the lunches, and deliver to four area shelters. This is a great outreach event for all ages and a fun way to get your kids involved. **Signup here:** tinyurl.com/asclunchpackapril

VBS 2023: JUNE 26-30

Save the date for VBS, Hero Hotline— “Called Together to Serve God” on June 26-30 from 9am-12pm. VBS is open to all kids ages three through 4th grade. Rising 5th grade and above are invited to be helpers. You can grab a registration form on the VBS bulletin board or visit allsaintsrichmond.org/kids to signup online. We are also looking for volunteers, if you are interested in helping, please contact Joan Dalrymple, jrdcpd@gmail.com

WELBORNE UNITED METHODIST FOOD PANTRY NEWS

Thank you for supporting Welborne's Food Pantry. **They need: paper grocery bags, canned beans, canned soup, cereal, ramen noodles, and canned fruit.** Donations can be left in the green shed by the playground at All Saints. To volunteer to help at the Welborne food pantry, or to help with delivering donations to Welborne, please email Mark Wilcox, mbwmsi@gmail.com

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday: April 2 at 8am and 10:30am

Maundy Thursday: April 6 at 7:00pm

Good Friday: April 7 at 12:00pm

Easter Vigil: April 8 at 8:00pm

Easter Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am

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