



ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY DOVE

September 27, 2026



Blessing of the Animals: This Evening at 5pm

Our annual blessing of the animals service will be held today at 5:00pm outdoors on the patio (weather permitting). Bring your pet, a picture of your pet, or even a special stuffed animal for a blessing.

Ladies Who Lunch: September 30

The women of All Saints are invited to lunch at Grapevine on September 30 at 11:30am! The cost is \$20 which is all inclusive (entree, roll, non alcoholic drink and tip). Please RSVP to Kris Koebler, kkoebler@gmail.com

Kids Book Club: October 3 at 10:30am

Join us October 3 from 10:30-11:00am in Thornton Hall for fall book club. We will read Gustavo the Shy Ghost by Flavia Drago. We will have snacks, crafts, and lots of fun! Be sure to join Miss Anne for her music class before or after book club at 10:00am or 11:00am in the courtyard.

Parish Stewardship Breakfast: October 4

Please join us between services, October 4 for a special stewardship breakfast. We will have information on financial and stewardship goals and of course a delicious breakfast for all!

Upcoming Events

September 30

11:30am Ladies Who Lunch

October 3

10:30am Kids Book Club

October 4

9:15am Stewardship
Breakfast

5:00pm Evensong + Dinner

October 11

4:00pm Young Adult Meetup
at Hardywood

October 19

6:00pm Men's Club

September Donation Drive for Safe Harbor



During the month of September, we will collect cleaning items for Safe Harbor, a local non profit that works to provide support to survivors of domestic violence and human trafficking. We are collecting paper towels, toilet paper, dish soap, cleaning products that contain bleach, and cleaning wipes. Please leave donations on the cart outside of the Thornton Hall. To learn more about this non profit, visit: safeharborshelter.com

Evensong Resumes October 4

Evensong returns on October 4 at 5:00 PM. All Saints Choristers will sing Herbert Sumsion's Evening Service in G along with a longtime chorister favorite, The Father's Love by Simon Lole. The prelude recital, beginning at 5:00 PM, features VCU clarinet student Diego Cruz-Coca in music by Gershwin, Poulenc, and others. As always, Evensong is followed by a community dinner, open to all.

Needed Items for the Food Pantry

1 lb. bags of rice; cereal; mac & cheese;
hearty soup; canned tuna & chicken

*Please leave items for Welborne in the green
shed by the playground. Thank you!*

Festival Choir Begins Rehearsals

The All Saints Festival Choir begins rehearsals on October 10, from 7:30–8:30 PM, in preparation for Herbert Howells' Requiem, which will be sung at Evensong on All Saints Day, November 1, at 5:00 PM. The Festival Choir is an extension of our music ministry, bringing together singers from All Saints and the community to prepare and perform larger choral works. All singers welcome! Email Scott Hayes for more info: shayes@allsaintsrichmond.org

Brewery Meet-Up on Saturday, October 11

Younger adults (Gen Z/millennials) are invited for a casual gathering at Hardywood West Creek on Sunday, October 11th. Drop in anytime between 4:00 and 7:00pm. Parents are welcome to bring children! The church will cover appetizers from the Hardywood food truck. Please RSVP to Megan, mmcdermott@allsaintsrichmond.org

Human Needs Committee

The Human Needs Committee is looking for new members! The committee supports local organizations and outreach efforts addressing needs like hunger, homelessness, education, and health. If you're interested in serving and would like to learn more, please email Kathryn Bell at kathrynhbell1@gmail.com

All Saints Prayer List

We give thanks for those celebrating a birthday this week, including: Preston Wehman, Ford Wehman, Michael Washo, Anne Blackwell, Suzan Chisholm, Jo Freeman, Preston Dalrymple, Wally Pitts, & Charles Staples

We give thanks for those celebrating anniversary this week, including: Catherine & Vince McCaffrey and Elizabeth & Mark Copes

We give thanks for the altar flowers given by The Kuemmerle Family & The White Family to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Jack Kuemmerle

The altar flower last Sunday were given by Anne Ward to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Anne Ward Whitehurst and Dr. Fred Ward

We lift in prayer those who are sick or distressed, including: Maxine Clark, Barbara Dawson, Larry Dawson, Tracey Dean, Joe Earnest, Phil Glick, Earl Gunn, The Hightower Family, Haden Hopkins, Steve Jones, Debbie Lahy, Lake, Terrance Mandible, Riona McLoughlin, Rose Marie Owen, Cliff Pierce, Carol Rhodes, Rick, Beau Robertson, Laurie Ross, Kayla Ross, James Ross, Madison Ross, Stewart, The Thompson White Family, Kenneth Tierney, Jack Walton, and Cara Wehman