



The Sunday of the Resurrection: Easter Sunday
April 5, 2026, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist: Rite II



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Church Office: Monday – Thursday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.; closed April 6-10

Today at All Saints
April 5, 2026

Welcome to All Saints Church!

Ushers and Greeters are available to help if you are new – please ask if you have any questions. We are glad you are here!

(We respectfully ask that all cell phones be silenced.)

- **Nursery** for infants – children 3 years old is open from 8:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. on the lower level.
- Children ages 3 through 4th grade are invited to join **Children’s Chapel** in the Great Hall during the sermon.

Schedule for the Day

- 8:00 a.m. Choir Practice *(Choir Room/Nave)*
- 9:00 a.m. **Holy Eucharist Rite II, with Festival Organ, Choir, & Brass** *(Nave)*
- 10:25 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt, Coffee, Lemonade *(Meet in front of the church)*
- 11:00 a.m. **Holy Eucharist Rite II, with Festival Organ, Choir, & Brass**
(Nave & Livestream)

Christian Education and Family Table will resume on Sunday, April 12th.

Welcome! Happy Easter!

We gather this morning to celebrate the truth at the heart of our faith: in the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, God has entered our world to bring hope, healing, and new life.

Easter is not only the story of what God has done, but what God continues to do in us. As with the first disciples, we too can know the risen Lord and be filled with his life. We are delighted you are here to celebrate. If you are visiting, we hope you will return and continue exploring the joy and hope of Easter with us, as we share Christ’s love together.



Prelude

The All Saints Resurrection Brass

*Please stand. All may join in singing.
Congregational hymns are found in the blue Hymnal in the pews.*

Processional Hymn

Hymnal 207 – Jesus Christ is risen today

Opening Sentence

Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

***People:* The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

Collect for Purity

Celebrant: 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.**

Song of Praise

"Christ our Passover"

A Festive Canticle for Choir, Congregation, Organ, Brass, and Timpani. From the Book of Common Prayer, 1979.
Setting by Jeffrey H. Rickard

The choir will sing the verses. The congregation is invited to sing the refrain:

Musical score for the Congregational Refrain. The score is written on a single staff in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The tempo and dynamics are marked 'f Forcefully'. The first measure is a triplet of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4. The lyrics are: 'Al - le - lu - ia! Christ our Pass - o - ver has been sac - ri - ficed for us; There - fore let us keep the feast, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!'. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, accents, and a 'poco rit.' marking.

- 2 Not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil,
but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. Alleluia!

Refrain

- 3 Christ being raised from the dead will never die again;
death no longer has dominion over Him.
- 4 The death that He died, He died to sin, once for all;
but the life He lives, He lives to God.
- 5 So also consider yourselves dead to sin,
and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia!

Refrain

- 6 Christ being raised from the dead,
the first-fruits of them who have fallen asleep.
- 7 For since by a man came death,
by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.
- 8 For as in Adam all die,
so also in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia!

Refrain

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

***People:* And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

The First Lesson

The congregation may be seated.

Acts 10:34-43

Reader: A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ--he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

***All:* Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 118:14-17, 22-24

(Verses sung by cantor; refrain sung by choir and congregation.)

On this day the Lord has ac - ted, Hal - le - lu - jah;
we will re - joice and be glad in it, Hal - le - lu - jah!

- 14 The Lord is my strength and my song,
and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory
in the tents of the righteous:

Refrain

- 16 "The right hand of the Lord has triumphed!
the right hand of the Lord is exalted!
the right hand of the Lord has triumphed!"
- 17 I shall not die, but live,
and declare the works of the Lord.

Refrain

- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected
has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the Lord's doing,
and it is marvelous in our eyes.

Refrain

The Second Lesson

Colossians 3:1-4

Reader: A reading from the letter to the Colossians.

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand. All may join in singing.

Sequence Hymn

Hymnal 208, vv. 1-3 - The strife is o'er

Children's Chapel Processional *At this time, children from 3 years old through 4th grade may follow the cross to be dismissed for Children's Chapel. Children's Chapel will convene in the Great Hall. The children will return in time for communion with their families.*



The Gospel

Matthew 28:1-10

Gospeller: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

***People:* Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.' This is my message for you." So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshiped him. Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

Gospeller: The Gospel of the Lord.

***People:* Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Rev. Dr. James L. Pahl, Jr, Rector

The Nicene Creed

**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 (Form II)

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world, for our Bishop Mariann Budde, for all bishops, priests and deacons, for All Saints clergy, ministry leaders and staff, for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.

Pray for the Church.

Silence

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people.

Pray for justice and peace.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison.

Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Silence

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.

Pray that they may find and be found by him.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the departed.

Pray for those who have died.

Silence

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored.

Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Silence

Concluding Collect

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Peace

All stand.

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

***People:* And also with you.**

All exchange a sign of peace.

Easter Welcome & Offering

Offering

Offerings may be made by placing cash or check in the offering plate, using this QR code, or online at: allsaintschurch.net/give.



All undesignated gifts and Easter envelope offerings received at Easter services will go 100% to our outreach partners helping those in need, addressing food insecurity and other challenges in our community and around the world.

Offertory: Easter Anthem

The Lord is Ris'n Indeed!

Sung by the All Saints Choir. William Billings (Public Domain)

Please stand. All may join in singing.

Presentation Hymn

Hymnal 205, vv. 1-2 - Good Christians All

Good Christians all, rejoice and sing! Now is the triumph of our King!

To all the world glad news we bring: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

The Lord of life is risen today! Sing songs of praise along his way;

let all the earth rejoice and say: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A

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.**

The service continues on page 361 in the Book of Common Prayer (BCP), the red book in the pews.

All join in singing.

Sanctus et Benedictus

Hymnal S-125

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

After the Benedictus please sit or kneel as able. The Celebrant continues on BCP p. 362 until:

Celebrant: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

***All:* Christ has died.**

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues on BCP p. 363 until:

Celebrant: 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.**

The Lord's Prayer

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

***People:* 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.**

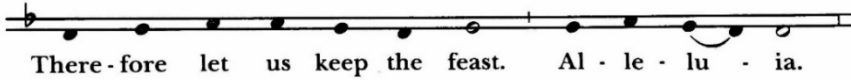
All may join in singing.

Fraction Anthem

Hymnal S-152

Cantor: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

All:



Celebrant: The Gifts of God for 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: All Saints Church welcomes all baptized Christians to receive Holy Communion, the Body and Blood of Christ. Please follow the ushers' directions as you come forward. If you do not wish to receive communion, you are invited to come forward for a blessing. To receive a blessing, cross your arms over your chest, with each hand on the opposite shoulder. If you have limited mobility, please notify an usher to receive Communion in your seat.

Communion Anthem

Sung by the All Saints Choir
Now the Green Blade Riseth

All may join in singing

Communion Hymn

Hymnal 178, Alleluia! Give Thanks to the Risen Lord

Post communion prayer

Celebrant: Let us pray.

***People:* Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

Please be seated.

Hallelujah (“Messiah”)

G. F. Handel
Sung by the All Saints Choir

In lieu of applause, the congregation may appropriately respond with “Amen!”

The Blessing

Please stand for the Easter blessing.

All may join in singing.

Closing Hymn

Hymnal 180 – He is Risen

The Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!

***People:* Thanks be to God – Alleluia, Alleluia!**

Postlude

Fanfare – David N. Johnson

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Upcoming at All Saints

The Thrift Shop is open **Wednesday-Friday, 10:30-1:30 and Sunday, April 12 9:30-12:30**

The church offices and building are closed April 6 – April 10 and will reopen on Monday, April 13.

Find our full calendar at allsaintschurch.net or in our Friday email, *All Things All Saints*. If you are not receiving the weekly emails, contact Allison Winter (allison.winter@allsaintschurch.net)

Sunday April 12, regular Sunday schedule

8 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:00 am All Saints Sunday Breakfast

9:15 am Sunday School for children and youth

Godly Play PK3- Kindergarten

1st and 2nd grade class

3rd and 4th grade class

Middle School Crew

High School Club

9:30 am Adult Christian Formation

Theology Forum, *Jesus and the Old Testament: A Study of Matthew*

Christian Conversations, *Bridging Divisions: How to be Peacemakers*

10:30 am Holy Eucharist Rite II (livestream available)

5:00 pm Family Table Contemporary Service in the Great Hall

Student Ministry Connect Night, Wednesdays at 6:30 pm (resumes April 15)

Welcome Wednesday Dinner, Wednesdays at 6 pm (resumes April 15)

All Saints Bible Study, Wednesdays 6:45 pm

Student Ministry High School Circle, Apr. 12, April 26

Newcomers Meet & Greet, April 12

Nursery Families Play Date, April 18

Coffee & Crafts, Rockville Women's Shelter, April 19, May 3

Student Ministry Laser Tag, April 19

Movie Night Under the Stars (Toy Story), May 1

Parish Annual Meeting, May 17

Red Cross Blood Drive, May 28

Vacation Bible School Rainforest Falls, June 22-26

Dominican Republic Trip, July 11-18

ALL SAINTS PRAYER LIST

For updates or additions, please contact the church office (301-654-2488) or info@allsaintschurch.net.

FOR THOSE WHO ARE IN TROUBLE, SORROW, NEED, SICKNESS, OR ANY OTHER ADVERSITY

Adam	Bob	Dee	Jean	Mark Joseph	Sara
Adrian	Bob	Dorothy	Jennifer	Mary	Scott
Adol	Bonnie	Doug	Jerry	MaryHelen	Shirley
Agnes	Brad	Doug	Joan	Matilda	Shirley
Aimee	Bronwen	Ed	Joe	May Day	Sophia
Alicia	Buck	Elizabeth	Juliette	Melissa	Susan
Allie	Caleb	Ellen	June	Meredith	Sue
Amy	Camillo	Emma	Kacey	Miriam	Susan
Amy	Carol	Furaha	Junior	Nanci	Taylor
Anastasia	Carson	Giancarlos	Karen	Nick	Thelma
Anita	Carson	Glynda	Kathryn	Noel	Thomas
Anna	Catherine	Glynn	Kiberu	Pamela	Trevor
Annie Belle	Celinda	Graham	Laurel	Patty	Trevor
Ashland	Chris	Greg	Linda	Paul	Vicky
Ashley	Christina	Greg	Linnie	Phyllis	Virginia
Avy	Christopher	Gregorio	Lisa	Rev. Bisoke	Victoria
Barbara	CJ	Hadley	Lucas	Richard	Wanda
Bella	Claire	Helen	Lucas	Rita	Wole
Berti	Clarese	Hiromi	Lydia	Robert	Yong
Bertie	Claudia	Hugh	Margaret	Roberta	Zachary
Beth	Colleen	Ivan	Margarita	Ron	
Betsy	Colleen	Jane	Margie	Roxanna	
Bill	Corbin	Jasmin	Marjorie	Sam	
Bob	David	Jay	Mark	Sara	

IN THANKSGIVING FOR THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

Charlotte Andrews	Henry Dudley	John Hines	Liz McReady
Suzie Barr	Martha Fitzgerald	Peter Kilborn	Chimauchem Ukaegbu
Stacey Buracker	Bill Gray	Emmie Kilpatrick	Bille VanMeter
Augie Cobb	Meredith Griffin	Stuart McFarland	Max Wilton

FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Paige Blomquist	Colin G. Jones	Kyle Yutumhc
G. Emerson Cox	Alexander P. Jones	

FOR THOSE WHO ARE EXPECTING

Blair FitzGerald Jones	Emily Nucci	Kathleen Palmer
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FOR THOSE WHO RECEIVED THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AT THE EASTER VIGIL

Cayden Antee	Blair Bonnyman
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Season of Resurrection

Tender tips of the lightest green cleaving hard brown ground;
firmly encased buds springing open on stark bare branches.
Behold the season of wonderous surprise, surging new life
that will not be denied.

Come away: Let us escape into the awakening woodland.
Breathe deeply...this is the refreshing scent of new growth.

Walk softly...there are tiny wildflowers underfoot.

Listen quietly...hear the rustlings of small scurrying creatures
leaving holes and nests to raise their nostrils and sniff
the warming air. Hear a chorus of birds calling in high
branches, proclaiming an end to long, bleak weeks
of early darkness that dropped like a shroud too soon
over days bathed only in wan, brief sunlight.

Rejoice: new life is quickening, pulsing, bursting,
buzzing, thrusting, chirping, trilling, rising, toward
a gilded dawn. We, anchored to this earth, are privileged
to bear witness to this annual grand awakening. More than
witnesses, we too are part of this rapturous renewal.

Our hearts are gladdened as our eyes lift to the azure air;
around and within us all is stirring, tingling, glowing.

How could we ever doubt your power to vanquish
death, Lord? Each dewy new blade of grass, each
shiny new leaf, each petal proclaims

your triumph over the dark, cavernous tomb of death.

You are Lord of the resurrection, and everything alive
in this miraculous season shows forth Your
glorious, victorious power.

By Peggy Eastman, Poet-in-Residence



EASTER FLOWERS AND SPECIAL MUSIC DEDICATIONS

In memory of John T. Hardisty
- *Merrily Hardisty*

In memory of our parents
- *George & Debbie Cox*

In memory of Harvey W. Graves, Jr.
- *Nancy Graves*

In memory of Liz & Corbin Marr
- *The Clergy & Staff of All Saints*

In memory of my parents,
Joseph and Vera McDonald
- *Lois McDonald*

In memory of Gene Krauss,
my love of 40 years
- *Margot Krauss*

In memory of Anna Krauss,
beloved daughter & mom
- *Margot Krauss*

In memory of my father Tommy Manfuso,
my brothers Allen Manfuso, Jamie Manfuso,
and my brother-in-law Bill Appleby
- *Susan Faries*

For Nana, who so loved
springtime flowers,
and for Poppi, who so loved Nana
- *Cathy & Randy Ribando*

In memory of Anne, James,
and Nelson Kiarie
- *Joyce Kiarie & Mark Smith*

In memory of my Mommy and all my
loved ones in heaven, miss you all
- *Allie Black*

In memory of Leland H. Jones, III
- *Leland Jones, IV & Laura Jones*

In memory of my grandparents,
Lewis & Elizabeth Mills
- *Kevin Mills & Frances Peale*

In memory of my grandparents,
Ben & Elizabeth Parker
- *Kevin Mills & Frances Peale*

In memory of Sam & Ellen Goldstein
- *Samuel Goldstein*

In memory of Susanne Dyer Stanley
- *David Stanley*

In memory of Robert S. Mueller, III
- *Lewis & Cynthia Shea*

In memory of Margaret & Elbert Manuel
- *Meredith Manuel*

In memory of Mr. & Mrs. David B.
& Jesse F. Nicholson
- *Tom Nicholson*

In memory of Ms. Dorothy N. Stabell &
Marianne C. Lee
- *Tom Nicholson*

In memory of all the victims
of gun violence

In Memory of my father, Marshall Wardrop
-- *Mark and Barbara Richardson*

In Memory of Freddie Gregory Stauff,
William Stauff, Clifton Gregory,
William Danco
-- - *Gregory/Danco Family*

In memory of Katherine McCain
- *Susan Tate*

In Thanksgiving

In joyful thanksgiving for Caroline Pugh
- *Anna & Greg Pugh*

In thanksgiving for the birth of our
beautiful grandchild Rosie,
and for the staff & clergy of All Saints
who put their hearts into their work.
- *Cathy & Randy Ribando*

In thanksgiving for my brothers, Karl,
Thomas, and Edwin Stecher
- *Martha Lewis*

In thanksgiving for our daughter,
Blair Bonnyman
- *Norm Bonnyman & Hilary Albrecht*

In thanksgiving for Blake Carolyn Alexander
- *John & Gretchen Alexander*

In thanksgiving for our children
& grandchildren
- *Andy & Catherine Esbelman*

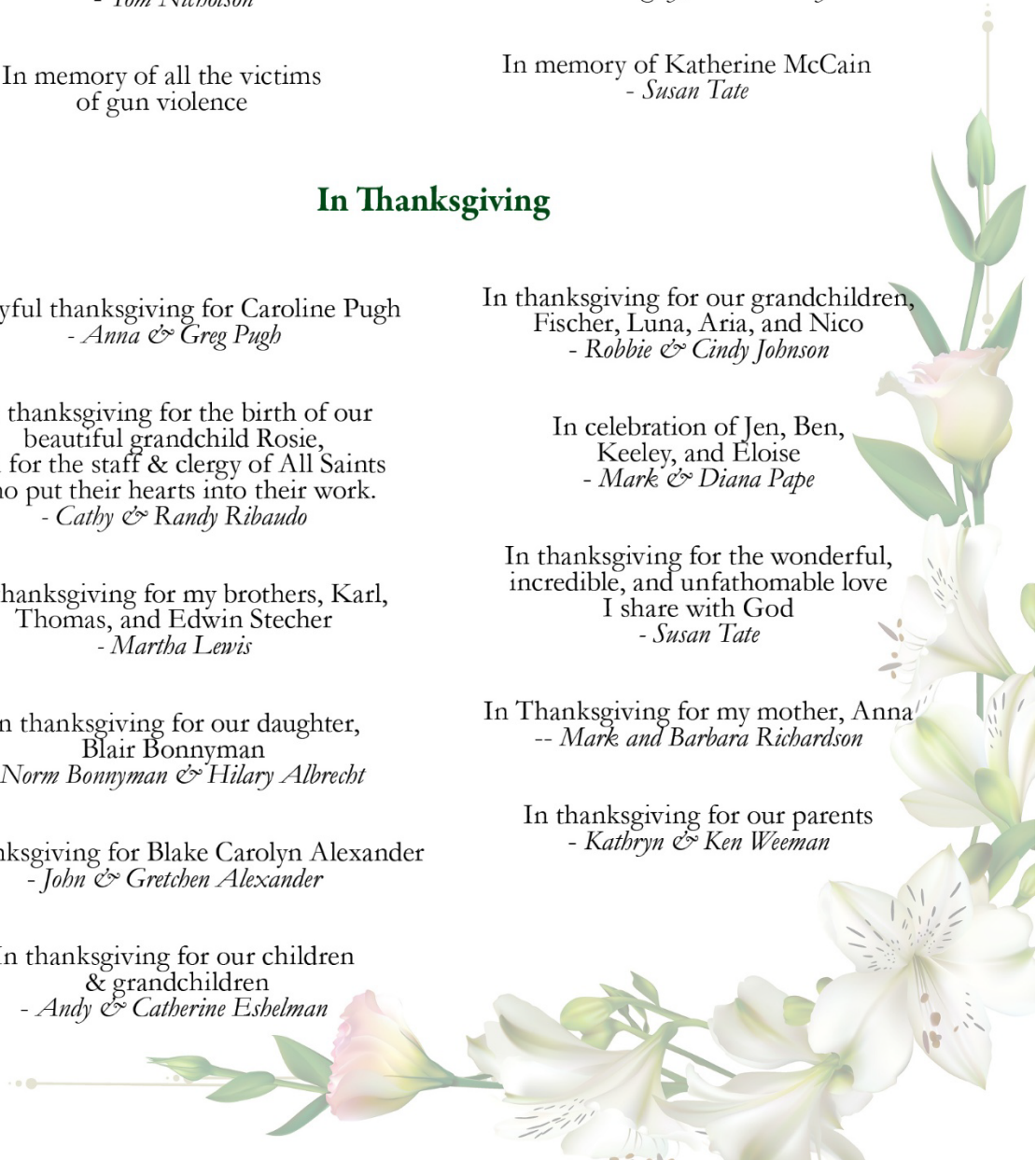
In thanksgiving for our grandchildren,
Fischer, Luna, Aria, and Nico
- *Robbie & Cindy Johnson*


In celebration of Jen, Ben,
Keeley, and Eloise
- *Mark & Diana Pape*

In thanksgiving for the wonderful,
incredible, and unfathomable love
I share with God
- *Susan Tate*

In Thanksgiving for my mother, Anna
-- *Mark and Barbara Richardson*

In thanksgiving for our parents
- *Kathryn & Ken Weeman*





Thank you to our Musicians:

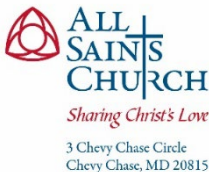
The All Saints Choir

Peter Crisafulli, Minister of Music & Organist
Catherine Huntress-Reeve, Associate Conductor

The All Saints Resurrection Brass

Trumpets: Gunnar Bruning, Jesse King
Trombones: Jeff Knutson, Jeff Gaylord

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The Rev. Meredith Kefauver Olsen, Associate Rector
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Peter Crisafulli, Minister of Music
Susan Awad, Director of Christian Formation
Emily Lawitz, Seminarian