

Recalling, Reclaiming, Renewing

NEW ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

(Merging With St. Cecilia & Immaculate Conception)
4408 Liberty Heights Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21207

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)
APRIL 27, 2025

MISSION STATEMENT

New All Saints' Congregation is a body of stewards of God's goodness who are called to witness our belief, hope, and love of God through prayer and worship (LITURGY) by actively loving our neighbors (SERVICE), by sharing the Good News thus making disciples (EVANGELIZATION) by identifying with the Body of Christ (FELLOWSHIP), and by establishing and forming one another to become more like Christ (EDUCATION).

PARISH ADMINISTRATION

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

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CORPORATORS

Mrs. Edie House-Foster Mr. Alexander Wright

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Mr. Anthony Williams

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Ms. Bettye Pettiford, President

MUSIC MINISTRY

Mr. David Bunn (410) 542-0445 x115

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mrs. Lisa Scott, Administrator CCD (410) 542-0445 x105

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - 4:00 p.m. Sunday - 9:45 a.m. Tuesday-Friday - 8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:15-3:50 p.m. Or by appointment

Welcome **

We are so glad that you have chosen to worship with us today. We pray that your time here is a blessing to you, and we invite you to return, whenever you choose. If you are searching for a new Church family, we hope that you will consider our parish. God bless.

The New All Saints, Immaculate Conception, and St. Cecilia churches welcome through the waters of Baptism our newest member - Ms. Jean Grier - who was baptized at the Easter Vigil on Saturday, April 19, 2025. Jean also received her First Eucharist and Confirmation at the Easter Vigil.



"The Dawn of New Life:

Let us offer this Holy Mass for the peaceful repose of the soul of our Holy Father, Pope Francis, who has returned to the Lord. May his life of humble service, profound faith, and tireless devotion to the Church be a beacon of hope and unity for generations to come. We pray that the Lord, in His infinite mercy, will welcome him into the eternal joy of Heaven. May he now rest in the loving embrace of the Good Shepherd, whom he served so faithfully on Earth.

NEW ALL SAINTS CHURCH BULLETIN SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY) APRIL 27, 2025

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- ♦ PLANNING TO MARRY? Arrangements should be made with the Parish Office at least six months in advance.
- ♦ INFANT BAPTISM? Baptism Preparation Conferences are required of parents and godparents. To make arrangements, contact the Parish Office at 410-542-0445, or email office@naschurch.org
- ♦ ILL, HOME-BOUND, HOSPITALIZED, UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS? Please notify the Church office so that contact can be made for visits and reception of the sacraments.
- ◆ MEDICAL EMERGENCIES: Entering the hospital for a medical procedure? "Anointing of the Sick" may be administered prior to medical procedures and at the medical center. Contact the Parish office or see clergy.

TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS:

Acts 5:12-16

Psalm 118:2-4,13-15,22-24

Revelations 1: 9-11a,12-13,17-19

John 20:19-31

RESPONSORIAL: "Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting." N.A.S. SUNDAY LITURGY OF THE WORD: Available at – MyParishApp.com, Homilies

MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday, April 26, 2025 @ 4:00 pm

For the good of the parish.

Sunday, April 27, 2025 @ 9:45 a.m.:

May our ancestors be granted eternal rest and peace in Your loving embrace. Requested by an Anonymous Parishioner.

CHURCH OFFERINGS/TITHES - Ways to make your Offertory Contributions to NAS:

- 1) Drop off: church, rectory or U.S. Mail to the New All Saints Church, 4408 Liberty Heights Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21207
- 2) Online Giving www.archbalt.org/giving using bank or credit card click on "Donate," select "NAS 1208", complete the "my parish offering information. Include your envelope number for proper credit, submit. Please know that NAS receives your online offerings from the Archdiocese. We thank you for your continued support.

SHUT-IN PARISHIONERS: Vivian Bailey,

William Baker, Lorna Brice, Joyce Davis, Marlene Downs, Harriett Garrett, Eula Gray, Bernadette Leeds, Anita Parker, Frances Sims, Milton Shipley, Eleanor Sims, Frances Smith

PARISHIONERS IN NURSING HOMES and

HOSPITALS: Vashti Bristol (Autumn Lake at Arlington West Rehabilitation and Healthcare), Toba King (A.L.I.V.E. Assisted Living-Ellicott City), Rhona Lewis (Autumn Lakes Nursing Home-Bellona Avenue), Theresa Wongus (Chapel Hill Nursing Home-Randallstown).

AILING PARISHIONERS: Rhaiyanna Allen, Vickie Barry, Sylvia Buchanan, Madeline Campbell, Christine Coates, Belinda Cornish, Jean Dennis, Sandra Fowlkes, Carolyn Gray, Paris Greene, Eleanor Hairston, Jeanette Hall, Lora Hargrove, Barbara Harris, Martha Henley, Anita Turks Hunter, Donna Hunter, Catherine Johnson, Shirley Johnson, Aubrey Knox, Gwendolyn Lindsay, Billy Lynch,

SHUT-IN PARISHIONERS (continued):

Rosalyn Miller, Genevieve Massey, Doris Matthews, Karen McGlothern, Emily Moore, Frances Moore, Betty Morton, Patrycia Pickett, Eva Pope, Donald Smith, Donald H. Stokes, Sr., Carla Thompson, Rita Turner, Margaret Wallace

SICK FAMILY & FRIENDS: Francine Allen.

(Friends of Ruth Jones)

Mark Amoyal, Carol Boone, Carolyn Campbell,
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Angele Drewniak, Mary Agnes Fleming; Debra Flemong;
Jeanette Garrett, Dwight Gross,
Joseph N. Hall II, Vera Hall, Myles Harris, Dennis Hamlin,
Michelle Humphrey, Kaneez Fantima Isfahani,
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Sue Tiggle, Harriet Tribble, Barbara Wade, Isabella Walker,
Stephanie Walker, Retha and Cassandra

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 4/27 Deborah Fowlkes; Mildred Proctor
- 4/28 Helen Chulke; Kevin Smith; **Christopher Whorley**
- 4/29 Joyce Bennett; Lea Campbell; Sarah Carter; Sharon Norwood
- 4/30 Ruth Dawkins; John Etoh; Amani Thomas; Charlotte Williams: Kareema Pinder: Michelle Forrest-Smith
- 5/1 Ronald Campbell; Brian Greene; Abubakari Jabari-Kitwala; Anthony Washington, Jr.,
- Bessie Weaver-Chalkin; Miriam Wood
- 5/2 Stephen Brown; Charles Mason; Ethel Ngen
- 5/3 Beverly James; David Lewis

SAVE THE DATE

May 11,2025 - Installation of Fr. Kenny Udumka as Pastor of New All Saints

October 1-11, 2025, NAS Travel Club - Trip to Greece, 11days/9 nights. Registration deposit - \$400 is being accepted. Cost \$4,960. Contact Gloria Herndon for tickets and additional information at (410) 542-0445.

New All Saints Food Pantry - In need of volunteers to assist one (1) Wednesday of each month 11:00 A.M.-12:30 P.M. Contact Denise Govan (410) 922-1495.

In Gratitude:

Paris and I thank our faith community for the prayers, cards, and well wishes during this challenging season. God bless you. Paris & Janice Greene

WEEKLY REFLECTION:

"Peace Be With You - Faith Beyond Seeing"

When Jesus appears to the disciples in today's Gospel, He enters not through the door, but through their fear. They are huddled together in a locked room, unsure of what will come next. And the first words from the Risen Christ are not words of judgment or rebuke — but words of comfort:

WEEKLY REFLECTIONS (continued)

"Peace be with you."

This divine greeting, offered three times in this passage, reminds us that resurrection brings not only victory over death, but also a deep and abiding peace to hearts weighed down by anxiety and doubt.

We often focus on Thomas in this story — his refusal to believe unless he sees and touches the wounds of Christ. And yet, isn't that a very human response? Thomas is not stubborn; he is wounded. Like us, he is searching for truth he can trust. Jesus doesn't shame him for that. Instead, He meets Thomas exactly where he is, saying:

"Put your finger here... do not be unbelieving, but believe."

Thomas's response — "My Lord and my God!" is not just a confession of belief, but one of personal surrender. He sees Jesus not only as risen, but as his risen Savior.



Points for Reflection:

- What locked doors of fear or doubt does Jesus want to walk through in your life?
- How has Christ shown up for you in ways that brought unexpected peace?
- Like Thomas, are there areas in your heart where you need Jesus to meet you — not with answers, but with presence?



Let Us Pray:

Lord Jesus, just as You entered the locked room of the disciples, enter the locked places of our hearts. Bring Your peace into our doubt, Your presence into our fear, and Your healing into our wounds. Help us to believe not only because we see, but because we trust in Your love. Amen.

> In Christ's Love, Fr. Kenny Udumka Pastor, New All Saints Church



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