



All Saints'
Memorial Church
674 Westminster St., Providence RI

E-Messenger, July 7, 2022

*Come and worship
Rejoice in fellowship
Love and serve the Lord!*



Dear All Saints' Family,

As members of All Saints' we are part of our local worshipping community and part of the Diocese of Rhode Island. But it doesn't stop there. We share in a national communion that we know as the Episcopal Church. And we are part of a global communion called the Anglican Communion consisting of tens of million people from 45 different churches and 165 countries.

I bring the national and international aspects of our church to your attention because this month marks two important gatherings in the life of the Episcopal Church and the Anglican Communion: The 80th General Convention and the Lambeth Conference.

80th General Convention, July 8-11, 2022

The General Convention begins tomorrow in Baltimore, Maryland. "The General Convention is the governing body of The Episcopal Church. Every three years it meets as a bicameral legislature that includes the House of Deputies and the House of Bishops, composed of deputies and bishops from each diocese."

You may wonder what happens at the General Convention. In brief, from the Convention website, "The General Convention is the Church's highest temporal authority. As such, it has the power to amend the Constitution and Canons of the Episcopal Church; to amend the Book of Common Prayer and to authorize other liturgical texts; to adopt the budget for the Church; to create covenants and official relationships with other branches of the Church; to determine requirements for its clergy and other leaders;..."

I invite you to browse the [General Convention site](#) to learn more. For example, you may wish to take a look at [the list of resolutions](#).

Lambeth Conference

The Anglican Communion holds together through shared ways of worshipping, a shared heritage, and by the relationships or "bonds of affection" between members throughout the globe. The Archbishop of Canterbury, The Most Reverend Justin Welby, is the spiritual leader

of the Anglican Communion. Bishops and leaders of the Churches (Primates) formally gather from time-to-time to pray, reflect, and dialogue together on church and world affairs. One such meeting is the upcoming Lambeth Conference, July 26-August 8, 2022.

The Lambeth Conference is a gathering of bishops from across the Anglican Communion, convened every ten years. Due to Covid-19 and other reasons, this year's Conference meets for the first time in 14 years. Here are some links if you wish to read more about the Anglican Communion, or the Lambeth Conference as it unfolds later in July:

Anglican Communion <https://www.anglicancommunion.org/>

Lambeth Conference <https://www.lambethconference.org>

Yours in the Spirit,

Julie

All are warmly welcome to our Sunday Service of Holy Eucharist:

Zoom link: Sunday July 10, 9:30am

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85484006164?pwd=ZzAvZVFUM2pKek0rMGVzMFFEcFiUT09>

Meeting ID: 854 8400 6164

Password: 674674

Service Program Link, July 10:

http://www.allsaintsmemorial.org/uploads/1/1/7/4/117437355/service_bulletin_5_pentecost_sunday_july_10_2022.pdf

Healing of Creation Garden Update

We finished planting the first pollinator garden along the parking lot on June 25th. The yellow coneflower (Black-eyed Susan - yellow) and New England blazing star (purple) are just about to bloom, as are two marigolds that seeded from our compost! In addition, Dan planted purple love grass in the urn in the courtyard. Watch it grow each week. In the later summer/early fall it will be a lovely purple. We have also planted some in the pollinator garden.

The next major portion of the project will take place in September, with the creation of rain gardens in the side yard and additional pollinator gardens along the church building and in the upper courtyard garden. We are planning to have a small vegetable garden along the south side of the church next season, so if you are interested in helping with that, please see Becky or Deirdre.



Yellow Coneflower on July 4th



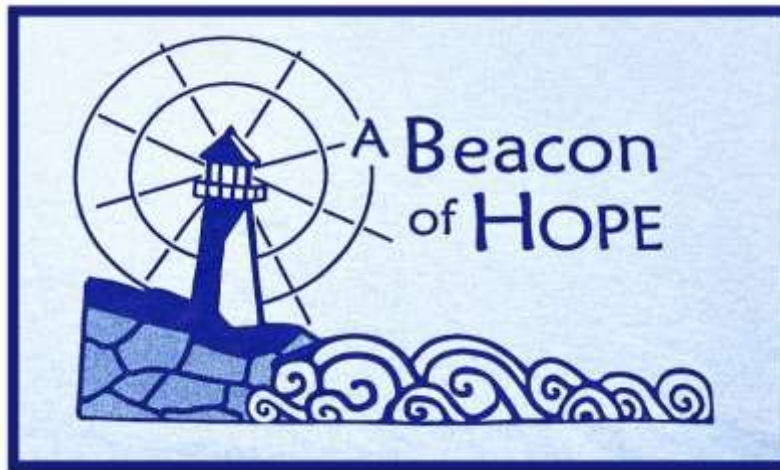
Purple Love Grass Late Summer/Early Fall

Altar Flower Ministry



Do you have flowers in your garden that might grace the altar on a Sunday? Please contact Marybeth Hanavan (mbhanavan@gmail.com) if you would like to bring flowers on a given Sunday. Please let Marybeth know one week in advance. Thank you!

Outreach News



Outreach Food Collection: Each week All Saints' collects food to be distributed monthly to food pantries in our area. We welcome donations of any pre-packaged, non-expired food. Thank you for your generosity!

- July: Packaged Pasta
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Upcoming Events

July 13: Noonday Prayer, 12:00 pm in the church

July 24: Facilities Meeting, in-person

PRAYERS

We pray for our fellow parishioners Derek, Gus, Marie, Trish, Victor, Rose, Susan, Gloria, Dan Nagle and Rev. Becky Anderson. We also pray for Dorothea Evans Gordon, Mary Tryforos, Margaret Barney, Michael Blake, Clarence Scott, Germaine, Naida Thomas, Merynn Flynn, Karen L., Stephen, Barbara K., Rena, Lusaynie Sirleaf, Victor, Phil, Chris Brown, and Ed Seaholm.

We pray for those who celebrate birthdays this week especially Wilmar Jennings and William McBorrough

We pray for those who serve in the armed forces, especially Hannah Makuch.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

July 10, 2022

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:9-14

Response: Psalm 25:1-9

Second Reading: Colossians 1:1-14

Gospel: Luke 10:25-37

July 17, 2022

First Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a

Response: Psalm 15

Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-28

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

Publishing Information

The next regular edition of the e-messenger will be emailed on Thursday, July 14th. Please submit any articles or info you may have to **allsaintsprovidence@gmail.com**



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