


the All Saints' Monthly

News and Announcements from All Saints' Episcopal Church  Atlanta, Georgia



Dear Saints,

These past few weeks we have been sharing our stories with one another of how we have experienced generosity in this wonderful church community, and in the God whose abundant gift of grace toward us never ceases. On November 12, Commitment Sunday, you and I will have the opportunity to express our gratitude for God's generosity in our lives by making our commitment to All Saints'. The canvass team has been working so hard to reach out to each and every one of us, listening for what matters most to you about your parish family. They will gladly receive your pledge however you want to make it. For all of their work, and for all of your incredible support for this church, in so many ways, please know that you have my deep and heartfelt gratitude.

Peace,

Let your Generosity get out of hand  Make Your Pledge to All Saints' by Commitment Sunday November 12.

BRING YE THE TITHES INTO MY HOUSE! — Malachi 10:7

November 12 marks the end of the annual canvass campaign. We will have spent nine weeks sharing stories of generosity experienced here at All Saints'. Have you made your commitment to All Saints' yet? You do not have to be a "confirmed member" to pledge – all are invited to fill out a card – online or on paper – and set the course for the church for 2018.

BRAIN SURGERY AND GRATITUDE ARE REALLY RELATED! — Jim Zook

I work for a large accounting firm and my wife, Frances, is an architect, which means that we work in environments where people want precise answers. By contrast, when I was faced with a brain tumor in April of this year, we were thrust into a scary period with a lot of unknowns.

Sixteen years ago, we moved to Atlanta with our sons, Jack and Will, from Austin, Texas, where we attended another large, intown Episcopal church. At the top of our list was finding a church and building connections to our new city. After finding All Saints', I jumped in: teaching children's formation, volunteering at Threads, serving on the vestry and the Finance Committee, helping write the church's new strategic plan in 2009. In short, we became invested in the All Saints' community – a community that gave back to us in a time of need.

In the spring of this year, a routine physical revealed some unusual readings in my hormones. An MRI revealed a golf ball-sized tumor displacing my pituitary gland

and threatening my eyesight. Thankfully, the tumor was both benign and operable. Strength came from amazing and unexpected places as we discovered the power of a loyal support network that we didn't even know we had. The Rev. Martha Sterne led us in prayer in the Pre-Op ward, while Kate and Leighton Stradtman supported Frances during a long day in the waiting room. Jack, now 19, checked in at the nurses' station every half hour during my surgery. The surgery lasted several hours longer than expected, but the results were good.



During a summer of recovery, the generosity truly got out of hand as we received so much outreach from friends and colleagues. Key to that recovery was the pastoral care and community support that we received from All Saints'. While we've always pledged to support the work of the church, we will pledge this year with newfound gratitude for the generosity of this parish. As we move forward, our family will continue to jump in where we can contribute. And when life includes brain surgery, our formation in faith and the guidance of our clergy will sustain us. ✝

**Commitment Sunday
Sunday, November 12**

For more information contact Ellen Hayes
at ehayes@allsaintsatlanta.org
or 404-267-4275.

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Top: Covenant Community celebrated at the graduation of five of their residents; bottom left: We heard from The Rev. Connie Tuttle, who spoke among The Shower of Stoles Project on display in our chapel; bottom right: The Blessing of the Pets was a morning of holy chaos and joy!

This month brings two great giving opportunities, and you won't have to look further than our courtyard to find them.

Giving in November

The GALAS annual coat drive for Threads kids will be collecting winter coats and jackets all month. Look for Bob Tick and friends at their table on Sunday mornings, which should be overflowing with colorful warmth and love!

For details on the GALAS Coat Drive see page 4.



Covenant Community continues to collect donations for their 23rd Annual Thanksgiving Dinner for the Homeless through November 12. Donating money, food, or your time to help serve the night of the dinner will be greatly appreciated by all!

Week One

Wednesday, November 1

Wednesday Morning
Discussion Group
10:00 a.m. in P307

Jezebels: Women's Book Study
5:00–6:00 p.m. in P201

Faith, Fears
and Finding Our Way
6:30–8:00 p.m. in P201

Contemplative Prayer
7:00–8:30 p.m. in P202

Friday, November 3

Fall Festival Opening
Cocktail Reception
5:00–8:00 p.m., Ellis Hall

Saturday, November 4

Fall Festival Artists Market
9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m., Ellis Hall
and the Kennedy Courtyard

Sunday, November 5

All Saints Sunday

Daylight Savings Time Ends

Fall Festival Artists Market
8:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., Ellis Hall

Jesus on the Front Page
10:20 a.m. in P307

Monday, November 6

Kerygma: Monday
Afternoon Study Group
2:00–3:00 p.m. in P307

Yoga with Bill Evans
2:00–3:00 p.m., Ross Room

Wednesday, November 8

Wednesday Morning
Discussion Group
10:00 a.m. in P307

Brown Bags and Poems
12:30–2:00 p.m., P203

Jezebels: Women's Book Study
5:00–6:00 p.m. in P201

Samaritan Readers
6:30–7:30 p.m., P307

Contemplative Prayer
7:00–8:30 p.m. in P202

Week Two

Sunday, November 12
23 Pentecost

Jesus on the Front Page
10:20 a.m. in P307

Bible Study
10:20 a.m. in P301

Exploring Intersections
of Art and Spirituality
10:20 a.m., 31 North Ave.

The Least-Planned Life
Endeavor: Life after 60
10:20 a.m., Ross Room



Civil Rights Tour
of the Georgia State Capitol
2:00–3:30 p.m.

Monday, November 13

Kerygma: Monday
Afternoon Study Group
2:00–3:00 p.m. in P307

Yoga with Bill Evans
2:00–3:00 p.m., in the
Shaffer Room/P301

Tuesday, November 14

Egg-Onomics Breakfast Series
7:30 a.m. in Ellis Hall

Wednesday, November 15

Wednesday Morning
Discussion Group
10:00 a.m. in P307
Jezebels: Women's Book Study
5:00–6:00 p.m. in P201

An Opportunity to Engage
with Freedom University
6:00–8:30 p.m., Ross Room

Novel Theology
7:00–8:30 p.m., P307

Contemplative Prayer
7:00–8:30 p.m. in P202

Week Three

Sunday, November 19
24 Pentecost

Jesus on the Front Page
10:20 a.m. in P307

Bible Study
10:20 a.m. in P301

Exploring Intersections
of Art and Spirituality
10:20 a.m., 31 North Ave.

Navigating
Through Addiction
10:20 a.m. in Ellis Hall

Monday, November 20

Kerygma: Monday
Afternoon Study Group
2:00–3:00 p.m. in P307

Yoga with Bill Evans
2:00–3:00 p.m., Ross Room

Vestry meeting
4:30–6:00 p.m., P305/P306

Tuesday, November 21



Covenant Community
Thanksgiving Dinner
5:00–8:00 p.m. in Ellis Hall

Wednesday, November 22

Wednesday Morning
Discussion Group
10:00 a.m. in P307

The church office will close
at 1:00 p.m. and remain closed
through Friday, November 24
for the Thanksgiving holiday

Thursday, November 23

Holy Eucharist Rite II
10:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.
in the church

Week Four

Sunday, November 26
Last Sunday after Pentecost

Jesus on the Front Page
10:20 a.m. in P307

Bible Study
10:20 a.m. in P301

Exploring Intersections
of Art and Spirituality
10:20 a.m., 31 North Ave.

Monday, November 27

Kerygma: Monday
Afternoon Study Group
2:00–3:00 p.m. in P307

Yoga with Bill Evans
2:00–3:00 p.m., Ross Room

Wednesday, November 29

Wednesday Morning
Discussion Group
10:00 a.m. in P307

Contemplative Prayer
7:00–8:30 p.m. in P202

Thursday, November 30

Lovett Lessons & Carols
7:00–8:30 p.m. in the church

Wednesday Night Suppers in November

Join us Wednesday evenings* for great fellowship and delicious meals prepared by chef and restaurateur Deborah Van Trece. One of our clergy will lead our liturgy with Eucharist around the dining tables at 5:55 p.m.

**Wednesdays
5:00–7:00 p.m., Ellis Hall**
***Please note there
will NOT be a supper
on November 22.**

Reserve before 5:00 p.m.
the Monday prior online at
allsaintsatlanta.org/wns

New Adult Christian Formation classes begin Sunday, November 12.

For up-to-date information and details visit allsaintsatlanta.org/news-events.

Coming Up

Fall Festival and Artists Market

Join the fun and celebration of this annual tradition for our Feast Day Festivities, benefiting the youth pilgrimage to Ireland this summer!

Friday Cocktail Reception, November 3
5:00–8:00 p.m. in Ellis Hall, \$15

Saturday, November 4

9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m. in the Kennedy Courtyard and Ellis Hall

Sunday, November 5

8:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. in Ellis Hall
(Enjoy Sunday morning breakfast in the Fireplace Room of Tate Hall, \$5)

For more information contact Lauri Begley at lbegley@allsaintsatlanta.org or 404-267-4273.



GALAS Coat Drive for Threads

GALAS is once again collecting new or gently used winter coats for the kids of Threads.

We need colorful

winter coats for boys' and girls', sizes 2T through 18/20. Thanks to your generosity last year we collected 368 coats. Help us beat that number this year. GALAS thanks you from the bottom of our collective hearts!

Sundays, November 5–26

9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. in the Kennedy Courtyard or Ellis Hall

For more information contact Bob Tick at tioh@att.net.

Faith, Fears and Finding Our Way: An Exploration of Interfaith

Join us for an exploration of interfaith with our Candler students, who will facilitate three 25 minute sessions on the following topics: why our faith compels us to seek relationship with people of other religions; what are our fears and obstacles around these relationships; and what kind of interpersonal communication skills and frames of thought can we use to overcome these obstacles.

Wednesday, November 1

6:30–8:00 p.m. in the Ross Room

For more information or to RSVP email Louisa Merchant at louisam@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Samaritan Readers

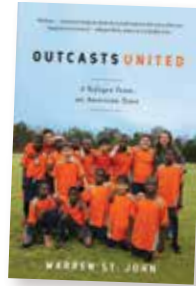
Outcasts United by Warren St. John

Join the discussion of this remarkable tale of the emergence of a soccer team and their coach in Clarkston, Georgia set against a backdrop of a traditional small Southern town and a larger framework of social, economic and cultural expectations that exemplify the often personal challenges in and potential limitlessness of the question, “Who is my neighbor?”

Wednesday, November 8

6:30–7:30 p.m. in P307

For more information, email Jen Waters at faithhopelove42@yahoo.com.



Bible Study:

Dive into Sunday's Scripture Readings

Deepen your understanding of the Bible and make connections between the lessons heard each Sunday. Each

week a different facilitator shares their thoughts, reflections and insight into the week's lectionary:

- November 12: The Rev. Karen Evans
- November 19: Gretchen Chateau
- November 26: The Rev. Rebecca Parker
- December 10: Craig Cleland

Sundays, November 12, 19, 26, and December 10, Shaffer Room/P301

For more information, contact The Rev. Kim Jackson at 404-267-4276 or kjackson@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Exploring Intersections of Art and Spirituality

See details on page 5.

Sundays, November 12, 19, 26, and December 10

10:20–11:10 a.m. in the classroom at 31 North Avenue

A Seminar on the Least-Planned Life Endeavor: Life after 60

With 10,000 baby boomers turning 65 every day, what are we learning about “Third Phase Living?” It's more than overcoming financial and health worries – it's about reinventing life for a vital Third Phase. ...and there's a unique spiritual dimension to this time as well. Join us for gathering resources to create our own plans.

Sunday, November 12

10:20 a.m. in Ellis Hall

Taught by Dr. James Wells, President and CEO of Canterbury Court, Independent Senior Living.

For more information, contact Woody and Sara Ann Vaughan, Planned Giving Chairs, at woody.vaughan@hklaw.com.

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november children's formation schedule

Date	Children's Church (K-3rd, 9:00 a.m.)	Formation Classes (K-3, 10:20 a.m.)	Connect (4/5 grade, 10:20 a.m.)
Sunday, November 5	with Holy Eucharist	Saint Scavenger Hunt	No Class
Sunday, November 12	to the church at The Peace	Wandering in the Wilderness	Jacob to Israel
Sunday, November 19	to the church at The Peace	Battle of Jericho	Twelve Sons
Sunday, November 26	to the church at The Peace	Battle of Jericho	Joseph

Prepare the Way of the Lord!

Advent is the season of light and anticipation of the coming of Christ. This Advent season our parish celebration will include



some familiar and some new activities for all the Saints. We will have activities that appeal to all ages –

including our wonderful Nativity Museum, a display of Nativity scenes from around the parish and the world, a host of activities for kids to help families understand and celebrate Advent at home, and the annual Flower Guild Advent wreath making.

There are several ways you can help out with this year's Event. If you have a Nativity set that you would like to share for the day let Kathy Roberts know. Sets should be

to the church by Monday, November 27, and be sure to include a short description of where your set came from and anything interesting about it. If you can help set up and take down the museum that Sunday please email Kathy Roberts.

The Flower Guild will have Advent Wreath kits for purchase at the Event. Kits are \$15 and include the oasis wreath form, candles and candle holders, and an instruction leaflet. We encourage you to bring evergreen branches to decorate your wreath and to share. You are welcome to decorate your wreath at the Event, or take your kit home to assemble later.

**The Advent Event † Sunday, December 3
10:20–11:05 a.m. in Ellis Hall**

For more information, contact Kathy Roberts at kr Roberts@allsaintsatlanta.org or 404-267-4272.

Exploring Intersections of Art and Spirituality

In 1844 Ralph Waldo Emerson wrote: *A man should learn to detect and watch that gleam of light which flashes across his mind from within, more than the luster of the firmament of bards and sages.* What is this “gleam of light;” where does it come from; who or what is the “within” Emerson references? Explore these questions with Arts Theology in an exciting new four-week formation class centered around the theme, *Intersection of Art and Spirituality*, using the perspective of three contemporary visual artists, Cosmo Whyte, Joseph Bigley, and Charmaine Minniefield. Each will present selections of their work, offer comments, and answer questions from class members.

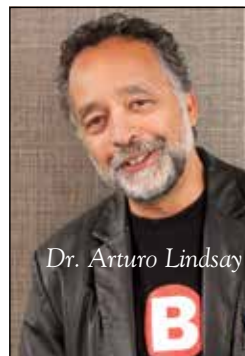
All Saints' parishioner, Dr. Arturo Lindsay will introduce the series on November 12. Dr. Lindsay, an artist and scholar, professor emeritus, and retired chair of the Art and Art History Department of Spelman College, will also share from his scholarly study of ashé, a Yoruba concept that all things, animate and inanimate, are vested with a life force. He will conclude with an art historical overview of the ashé imbued

in powerful works of art. Cosmo Whyte will follow with his presentation entitled *Not From Here: Art and the Process of Becoming*.

On November 19, Joseph Bigley will speak on *Spirituality as Witnessed in Natural and Manmade Environments*

Guest speaker Charmaine Minniefield (November 26) has chosen as her topic, *Spirit Visions: How Spirit Informs the Physical*.

The final class (December 10) will be a question-and-answer panel discussion with all three artists, moderated by Dr. Lindsay.



Dr. Arturo Lindsay

**Sundays, November 12, 19, 26,
and December 10
10:20–11:10 a.m. in the classroom
at 31 North Avenue**

For more information contact Martha Eskew at marthairis@mac.com.

november Youth & Children's Choir Schedules

SINGING DATES

Cherub & Primary Choirs

Saturday, November 4
Sing at Fall Festival
Wear Halloween costumes!
11:00 a.m. in the Kennedy
Courtyard, arrive 10:45 a.m.

REMINDERS

All Wednesday Choirs

November 22, no rehearsal

Sunday/Youth Choirs

November 19, no rehearsal,
November 26, regular rehearsal

St. Nicholas Celebration

Wednesday, December 6

Rehearsal for
all Wednesday choirs

Junior Choir and Bells perform
at 6:10 p.m. in the church

Staying for dinner?

RSVP for either the 5:00 or
6:45 p.m. dinner seating

WEDNESDAY REHEARSALS

Cherub Choir

PreK–Kindergarten
4:00–4:30 p.m.

Primary Choir

Grades 1–2, 4:35–5:10 p.m.

Junior Choir

Grades 3–6, 5:15–6:00 p.m.

Junior Handbells

Grades 4–6, 6:00–6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY REHEARSALS

Youth Handbells

Grades 7–12, 4:15–5:00 p.m.

Youth Choir

Grades 7–12, 5:00–6:00 p.m.

Questions?

Contact Karol Kimmell, director
karolkimmell@allsaintsatlanta.org

Choir schedules are available
at [www.allsaintsatlanta.org/
music/childrens-and-youth-choirs](http://www.allsaintsatlanta.org/music/childrens-and-youth-choirs).

Coming Up: *continued from page 4*

Civil Rights Tour of the Georgia State Capitol

Civil Rights Tour of the Georgia Capitol Timothy Frilingos, former curator at the Georgia Capitol Museum, will lead a tour of the Georgia Capitol that explores the struggle for Civil Rights within the walls of the People's House.

Sunday, November 12, 2:00–3:30 p.m.

Space is limited, please RSVP online at allsaintsatlanta.org/civil-rights-tour.

*For more information, contact
The Rev. Kim Jackson
at kjackson@allsaintsatlanta.org.*



Egg-Onomic Breakfast Series: Wes Moss, Chief Investment Strategist

This month we welcome parishioner Harris Lowe with Chief Investment

Strategist of Capital Investment Advisors, Wes Moss, host of WSB Radio's Money Matters and author of several books. Wes will be speaking specifically on his latest book, *You Can Retire Sooner Than You Think – The 5 Money Secrets of the Happiest Retirees*. Wes holds a degree in economics for UNC, Chapel Hill and was recently named one of the Top 100 Independent Financial Advisors by Barron's Magazine.

Tuesday, November 14

**7:30 a.m. breakfast in Ellis Hall
7:45–8:30 a.m. presentation**

A full, hot buffet breakfast will be served. All are invited to attend Holy Eucharist at 8:30 a.m. in the chapel. Cost is \$5.00. Proceeds go to the Men of Hope at Covenant Community.

We expect this breakfast to be well-attended and encourage you to RSVP at the Parish Life table on Sundays or contact Lauri Begley at 404-267-4273 or lbeegley@allsaintsatlanta.org



An Opportunity to Engage with Freedom University

Freedom University's Executive Director Laura Emiko Soltis will lead a conversation about Georgia students who are undocumented and want to go to college. Learn how the Church and community can engage more deeply with our neighbors.

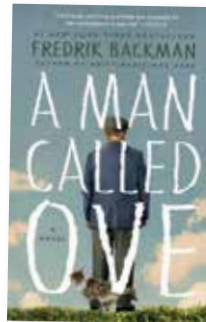
**Wednesday, November 15
6:00–8:30 p.m., Ross Room**

Sponsored by All Saints' Christian Social Ministries, The New Sanctuary Movement, Compassionate Atlanta, and Create Community 4 Atlanta: Black Lives Matter.

*For more information, contact
The Rev. Kim Jackson at 404-267-4276
or kjackson@allsaintsatlanta.org.*

Novel Theology

A Man Called Ove, by Fredrik Backman
Meet Ove, the kind of man who points at people he dislikes as if they were burglars caught outside his bedroom window. Behind his cranky exterior there is a story and a sadness. When one November morning a chatty young couple with two chatty young daughters move in next door and accidentally flatten Ove's mailbox, it leads to a comical and heartwarming tale. *Facilitator: Ed Wooller*



**Wednesday, November 15
7:00–8:00 p.m. in P307**

*For more information, visit
allsaintsatlanta.org/novel-theology
or contact Amelia Tuttle at
amelia.tuttle9@gmail.com.*

Angel Tree

Select an angel from our tree to buy a gift for a child through All Saints' Refugee Ministries, Midtown Assistance Center, or Emmaus House. Wrapped gifts for Refugee Ministries and MAC are due December 10. Unwrapped gifts for Emmaus House are due December 17.



**Sunday, December 3 through Sunday,
December 17, 10:20 a.m.–12:30 p.m.,
Kennedy Courtyard or Ellis Hall**

*For more information email
Louisa Merchant at
louisam@allsaintsatlanta.org.*

Break Bread With The Men Of Covenant Community

On Monday nights All Saints' parishioners provide dinner for the residents of Covenant Community. This 20-year-plus tradition means so much to the men of this residential drug treatment facility. Bring dinner yourself, with your family, or with friends or co-workers. It's a great way to say thank you!

Mondays, November 27

*To volunteer or for information, contact
Barbara Blender at 404-520-2479
or bblender@bellsouth.net.*

Coming in December

Advent Event and Nativity Museum

See details on page 5.

**1 Advent, Sunday, December 3
10:20–11:10 a.m. in Ellis Hall**



St. Nicholas Supper and Celebration

See details on page 7.

**Wednesday, December 6
5:00 and 6:45 p.m. supper seatings
Celebration 6:00–7:00 p.m.**

Vestry Notes

From the meeting on September 25, 2017

Simon opened the meeting with a prayer. Michael Gragnani and Elizabeth Robertson introduced a program called Respite Care Atlanta, Inc., a mission to provide spiritually integrated respite care for those with cognitive challenges and for their caregivers. After a motion, the vestry approved All Saints' becoming a funding collaborating congregation. This year's stewardship campaign is all about generosity. Virginia Harrison, 2018 canvass chair, and Ellen Hayes discussed the plans for engaging parishioners in the courtyard each Sunday with a question around generosity. Dot Miller reported that the kitchen appliances have been installed in the Ellis kitchen, the restrooms in Pritchett Children's Center are almost complete, and the stained glass

window project is moving along as scheduled. David Aldridge reported that the parish is financially sound. The Finance Sub Committee is currently working on the budget. Simon's installation is scheduled for October 18, 2017. Staff present reviewed the activities under their care. The vestry discussed how to improve upon their involvement in the discernment process for aspirants for holy orders. The PCOM's recommendation of an aspirant for holy orders was endorsed by the vestry. The meeting was adjourned following a short time of prayer.

*All vestry meetings are open
and meet at 4:30 p.m. in P305/306
of the Parish House with dates announced
in The All Saints' Monthly.*

Transitions

Transfers In

Susan Myers from Church of the Annunciation in Marietta, Georgia
Elizabeth and Katherine Davis from The Cathedral of St. Philip in Atlanta
Ryan Washington from Northside Baptist Church in Valdosta, Georgia

Transfers Out

Croft, Hilary, Elsa and Coles Thomas to Trinity Episcopal Church in Asheville, North Carolina

Deaths

Grace McGahee Brown

St. Nicholas Supper and Celebration



St. Nicholas Day, December 6, is a popular occasion for children in many parts of Europe because children usually receive gifts on this day. On the eve of St. Nicholas Day children throughout Europe leave their shoes in front of the fireplace or at the front door at night to find them filled with small gifts and treats like fruit or nuts the next morning.

Plan to join us for our annual St. Nicholas Supper and Celebration, when we'll feast together, then head over to the church to celebrate and sing carols, leaving our shoes

in the narthex as we wait for St. Nicholas to arrive and fill them with treats.

Wednesday, December 6
Dinner seatings at 5:00 and 6:45 p.m.
in Ellis Hall

*Reservations for dinner are limited;
RSVP at the Parish Life table on Sundays
or online at allsaintsatlanta.org beginning
November 12. Adults \$15, children (ages
3-12) \$7. Vegetarian dishes will be available.*

*To volunteer, email Denise Wingate at
denisewingate@icloud.com or Laura Rebillot
at laurarebillot@gmail.com.*

Celebration at 6:00 p.m. in the church
*For more information, email Kathy Roberts
at kroberts@allsaintsatlanta.org.*

november youth calendar

Wednesday, November 1
High School BS
7:00-8:00 p.m.,
Fellini's Pizza,
909 Ponce de Leon Ave.,
Atlanta, 30306

Sunday, November 5
No Youth Formation
Wednesday, November 8
High School BS
7:00-8:00 p.m., Fellini's Pizza

Sunday, November 12
Confirmation Gathering 4
10:15 a.m. in The Attic
Youth Formation
10:20 a.m. in The Attic
Youth Leadership Meeting
12:30-2:00 p.m. in The Attic

Sunday Night Live
6:00-7:30 p.m. in The Attic
Wednesday, November 15
High School BS
7:00-8:00 p.m., Fellini's Pizza

Sunday, November 19
Youth Formation
10:20 a.m. in The Attic

Sunday, November 26
Youth Formation
10:20 a.m. in The Attic
Episcopal Youth Community
6:00-7:30 p.m., in The Attic

*Visit allsaintsatlanta.org/formation/youth-formation
or contact The Rev. Tim Black
at 404-267-4277 or
tblack@allsaintsatlanta.org.*





The Ground of all Being: Western Ireland Youth Pilgrimage 2018

Each year, a group of our 10th grade youth spend a week together in intentional spiritual community focusing on prayer, reflection, contemplative practice and being God's

church for one another. Next June these youth and their adult leaders will journey to Western Ireland for our annual youth pilgrimage. Being immersed in the natural beauty of God's creation in the Irish countryside will give them the opportunity to disconnect from the many distractions of everyday life in the modern world and discover how they can encounter God (as St. Paul says in Acts 17) as a God in whom "we live, move, and exist." (CEB) Walking through places like Gap Dunloe, time spent together on the ancient pilgrimage route of Mt. Brendan, and worshipping in ancient beehive-hut chapels, will provide all the chance to experience anew a relationship to God in Jesus Christ and one another.

This year's youth pilgrims have been hard at work preparing for Fall Festival, the main fund raiser for their annual pilgrimage. In addition to selling Christmas trees and wreaths, this year they'll also be running what they are calling "The Mother of all Bake Sales." They will be offering baked goods suitable for freezing to use at Thanksgiving or Christmas, as well as other gift-able items. We invite you to support the 2018 youth pilgrimage by stopping by their table at Fall Festival to pick up holiday treats and order your Christmas trees and wreaths.

The Fall Festival Mother of all Bake Sales
Saturday, November 4, 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
and Sunday, November 5, 8:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

There are still a few places remaining for this pilgrimage. Interested 10th graders should email The Rev. Tim Black at tblack@allsaintsatlanta.org. (Scholarships are available).