There is Light in Lent

This month, join us as we lean into the light of Christ during Quiet Tuesdays and the Lenten Retreat, and spread light to our neighbors as we clean out our closets for Threads and bring donations of canned food and household supplies for Midtown Assistance Center.

Threads: Clean Out Your Closets for Lent
Lent is as good a time as any to clean out your closets! We’re collecting new and lightly used children’s clothing for Threads, our children’s clothing ministry.

Ash Wednesday, February 26 through Thursday, April 9
Please bring donations to the Threads box in the stairwell the connects Egleston Hall and the Parish House.
For more information, contact Lori Guarisco at threads@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Light in Lent: Quiet Tuesday
On Tuesday evenings in March, we’re excited to host weekly contemplative worship services as we lean into the light of Christ in Lent. Join us for a peaceful evening, featuring music familiarized by the monastic brothers of Taizé, France.

Tuesdays, March 3 through March 31 7:30–8:30 p.m., in the chapel
For more information, contact the Rev. Sarah Stewart at sstewart@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Lenten Book Study: Jesus and the Disinherited by Howard Thurman
The MICAH Project invites you to join friends from St. Luke’s and Dr. Catherine Meeks, Executive Director of the Absalom Jones Center for Racial Healing, for a discussion of Howard Thurman’s landmark book, Jesus and the Disinherited. At the end of the series, we will visit the Civil and Human Rights Museum in downtown Atlanta on Saturday, April 4.

Sundays, March 1, 15, and 29 4:00–5:25 p.m.,
St. Luke’s Episcopal Church 435 Peachtree Street, NE
Sundays, March 8 and 22 4:00–5:25 p.m.,
Ellis Hall, 1st Floor, Parish House
Please note that the meetings alternate locations each week.
For more information, contact the Rev. Dr. Andy Barnett at abarnett@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Dear Saints,

Light is not necessarily an image we naturally associate with the season of Lent. We are more likely to think of chocolate or ash. This Lent at All Saints’, we will be bucking that trend offering a series of Tuesday evening services called ‘Light in Lent’. Light kindled in the gathering darkness of night. Space and time to exhale, to spread out, to be still in the presence of God’s tender loving mercy. They are for us images for an hour of worship, and also images for who we are to the city of Atlanta: a beacon of hope for neighbors near and far. As this month we begin to engage one another in conversation about the future of our block, as we dream, and wonder, and imagine all that could be, may we keep close to heart our calling to be light; God’s light, set before the world.

Peace,
Grace Notes

Thank you to all of our wonderful Forma volunteers:

Jo Ann Dalton, Karen Evans, Denise Maxey, Sarah Hansen, Sally Hansen, Bruce Garner, Elizabeth Nadal, Elizabeth Robertson, Dwayne Summar, Mary Brickley, Jim Conrad, Susan Virgin, Diane Barber, the Rev. Gary Mull, Ellen Porter, Sandy Thim, Paul Thim, Ann Stuart Pearce, Anna Welles, Linda Stewart, and Deborah Stacy.

Grateful thanks for all of our wonderful bakers (from our Y’All Saints Cookbook) who shared their not-so-secret recipes while we celebrated food through time on January 26:

Carolyn Clark, Sarah Hansen, Lauri Begley, Ann Higdon, Missi McMorries, Micki Brown, Elizabeth Robertson, Jenny Allen, and Deborah Stacy.
Week One  
Sunday, March 1  
1 Lent  
All Saints’ 101: Newcomer Orientation Sessions  
10:20–11:05 a.m., Shaffer Room

Week Two  
Sunday, March 8  
2 Lent  
Daylight Savings Time begins  
Parenting with God  
10:20–11:05 a.m., Ross Room  
All Saints’ 101: Newcomer Orientation Sessions  
10:20–11:05 a.m., Shaffer Room  
Jesus on the Front Page  
10:20–11:05 a.m., Ellis Hall  
Tuesday, March 9  
Light in Lent: Quiet Tuesday  
7:30–8:30 p.m., chapel  
Wednesday, March 10  
Wednesday Morning Discussion Group  
10:00 a.m., P307  
Jezebels: Women’s Book Study  
5:00–6:00 p.m., P201

Week Three  
Sunday, March 15  
3 Lent  
Faith in the City: Seeking Justice in Atlanta  
10:20–11:05 a.m., Ellis Hall  
Jesus on the Front Page  
10:20–11:05 a.m., P305/P306  
Tuesday, March 16  
Vestry meeting  
4:30–6:00 p.m., P305/P306  
Tuesday, March 17  
Light in Lent: Quiet Tuesday  
7:30–8:30 p.m., chapel  
Wednesday, March 18  
Wednesday Morning Discussion Group  
10:00 a.m., P307  
Jezebels: Women’s Book Study  
5:00–6:00 p.m., P201  
Safeguarding God’s Children  
6:30–8:00 p.m., Ross Room  
Samaritan Readers Group  
6:30–8:00 p.m., Shaffer Room/P301  
Young Adults: Sink Your Teeth Into This  
7:00–8:30 p.m., P307  
Contemplative Prayer  
7:00–8:30 p.m. in P202

Week Four  
Sunday, March 22  
4 Lent  
Future of Our Block Forum  
10:20–11:05 a.m., Ellis Hall  
Tuesday, March 23  
Light in Lent: Quiet Tuesday  
7:30–8:30 p.m., chapel  
Wednesday, March 25  
Wednesday Morning Discussion Group  
10:00 a.m., P307  
Jezebels: Women’s Book Study  
5:00–6:00 p.m., P201  
Refugee Ministries Advisory Board Meeting  
6:15–7:30 p.m., P201  
Adult Inquirers’ Class  
6:30–8:00 p.m., Ross Room  
Samaritan Readers Group  
6:30–8:00 p.m., Shaffer Room/P301  
Young Adults: Sink Your Teeth Into This  
7:00–8:30 p.m., P307  
Contemplative Prayer  
7:00–8:30 p.m. in P202  
Thursday, March 26  
Small Group Facilitators’ Gathering  
6:30–8:30 p.m., P305/P306  
Covenant Community Celebration  
6:30–9:00 p.m., Ellis Hall

Saturday, March 28  
Safeguarding God’s Children  
9:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m., Ross Room

Week Three  
Jesus on the Front Page

Week Two  
Daylight Savings Time begins

Week Four  
Future of Our Block Forum

Week Three  
Monday, March 16

Week One  
All Saints’ 101: Newcomer Orientation Sessions

Week Four  
Small Group Facilitators’ Gathering

Week Two  
Great Performers of Classical Music with Bob Edge

Week Four  
Safeguarding God’s Children

Week Three  
Contemplative Prayer

Week Two  
The MICAH Project

Week Four  
Safeguarding God’s Children

Week Three  
Service of Recovery and Healing

Week Two  
Parenting with God

Week Three  
Vestry meeting

Week One  
Ellis Hall

Week Three  
Shaffer Room

Week One  
Shaffer Room

Week Two  
P307

Week Four  
Pritchett Children’s Center

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Coming Up

Lenten Canned Food and Supply Drive for Midtown Assistance Center (MAC)
Throughout the season of Lent, we’re collecting donations of canned goods and household supplies for Midtown Assistance Center (MAC), our ministry partner that provides emergency assistance to our neighbors in need. Most needed items include paper products, laundry detergent, cereal, peanut butter, pancake mix, and canned meats, fruits and vegetables.

Ash Wednesday, February 26 through Thursday, April 9
Please bring donations to the collection containers in Ellis Hall Foyer.
For more information, contact Tori Cole at torilcole@yahoo.com.

Threads: Clean Out Your Closets for Lent
See page 1 for details.
Ash Wednesday, February 26 through Thursday, April 9

All Saints’ 101: Newcomer Orientation Sessions
Our associate rectors will lead this three-part newcomer orientation series to provide an overview of our worship, service ministries, and formation programs. From “What is the Trinity?” to “Why do we do that in church?” this series will provide the perfect forum to ask questions and find ways to make meaningful connections within our large church.

Sundays, March 1, 8, and 29
10:20–11:05 a.m., P307
For more information, contact the Rev. Zack Nyein at znyein@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Light in Lent: Quiet Tuesday
See page 1 for details.
Tuesdays, March 3 through March 31
7:30–8:30 p.m., in the chapel

Lenten Retreat: Contemplative Prayer
See page 1 for details.
Saturday, March 7
10:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
Monastery of the Holy Spirit, 2625 Highway 212 SW, Conyers, Georgia

Threads Sunday is Sunday, March 8
Stop by Threads in Tate Hall to enjoy a treat, take a tour of our wonderful shop, a view a special window display.
Sunday, March 8
8:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.,
Threads shop in Tate Hall
For more information, contact Lori Guarisco at threads@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Children’s Ministries: Pajama Sunday
On Sunday, March 8, we will spring forward for Daylight Savings and wear our pajamas for Children’s Church and Children’s Formation – it might make it easier to get to church on time! Children are welcome to wear their pajamas, robe, slippers and bring a lovey with them. We will have bagels and cream cheese and jelly before 9:00 a.m. when our service starts with a “bedtime story” from the Bible.

Sunday, March 8
8:30–11:30 a.m.
2nd Floor, Pritchett Children’s Center
For more information, contact Kathy Roberts at kroberts@allsaintsatlanta.org.
A Quarterly look at ourselves, from the inside out.

The Future of Our Block

by The Rev. Dr. Simon J. Mainwaring

A little over thirty years ago, at the end of a video All Saints’ produced called ‘Here to Stay’ beloved clergy of old of this parish, Harry Pritchett and Barbara Brown Taylor, named the following as essential elements of our church: acceptance, innovation, education, worship, family, openness, change, service, witness, outreach, and at the heart of it all, people. Those values of that era remain our values today. More valuable than any corner of our block, our highest and best at All Saints’ is and always will be people.

We are strong, we are vibrant, we are bustling with new energy and enthusiasm for the life of ministry we share. All in all, we have a tremendous platform upon which to look to our future and to what God might call us to do with the entire city block we now own for the first time in All Saints’ history.

Through the course of 2019, a steering committee engaged the parish in a year of learning together as we prepared the ground for the discernment work of this year. That season of learning focused in four ways: construction activity in our immediate part of Midtown, plans for the future of major institutions like Georgia Tech and Emory, the vision and needs of a myriad of service agencies, and a local to national look at what other churches are doing with their own properties to further their missions and sustain them into the future.

As we now prepare to engage one another to hear the vision of our parish for the future of our block, we do know that there are some core desires that have already emerged from our work in 2019. First and foremost, as our predecessors at All Saints’ articulated decades ago, we are here to stay! We have no desire or intention to sell our property. Midtown is where our future lies and we are excited about and committed to serving God in this place for decades to come.

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Alongside this core conviction, several other central tenets of our work have emerged thus far. As the beating heart of our life as a parish, we will retain our church building as it is. We see our green spaces as an incredible asset to the city and to our life as a church, and we wish to safeguard those spaces even as we imagine how our bricks and mortar might change. We know that there is a need for us to have adequate parking to meet the transport demands of a widespread population of church-goers. We want our activity and building spaces on this block to further our mission as a church. We also wish to be mindful of our responsibility to the future as faithful stewards of Christ in this place, looking to our long-term financial sustainability and our environmental impact. These are guiding principles that we have identified thus far. They are not exhaustive and we anticipate as we move into a focused engagement process as a parish this month that further principles, needs and desires will emerge.

As we prepare for that, it is worth noting some of the highlights from what we learned last year about the city around us, for it is clear as the Norfolk Southern headquarters rises out of the ground right across the street, that we are situated in an incredibly dynamic part of Atlanta whose emerging trends have a great deal to teach us about ourselves as well as the city we are called to love and serve. One of the most striking trends is that since 2000, Midtown’s population has been growing at five times the rate as Atlanta’s, and for Millennials, Midtown has become a destination for home, work and play. Part of what has driven this population boom has been a vast influx of employment, with over 20,000 new jobs announced and coming to our immediate neighborhood since 2015 including current and soon to arrive employers such as NCR, Accenture, Anthem, Norfolk Southern, and Kaiser Permanente. Nearby public transit, housing, retail and entertainment were named as key drivers of this incredible rate of growth.
As Midtown has changed and grown, so have we. We have an incredibly talented and dedicated clergy team joined by an outstanding lay staff whose work alongside our remarkable lay leaders and volunteers has allowed us to prepare our ministerial ground for the future of our block. Because of the focused vision of our strategic plan we have been able to lay the foundation for the larger visioning work we will undertake this year. Task forces have been put to work in Communications, Pastoral Care, Information Technology, Children and Youth Formation, Parish Life, Global Missions, and Worship each creating new energy, a clear set of goals for future work and stronger collaboration for shared ministry. New committees have also been formed in Worship, Stewardship, Planned Giving, Service, and Parish Life. We have carefully made a thorough review of our endowment policies, and have completed a comprehensive master survey of all of our buildings and grounds. As a whole, our ministries have had a parish-wide opportunity to take stock of the present and to prepare for the future. As we hear the call to turn to serve the city, we are very well prepared to do so because of this vital work.

As we listened to the needs of the wider city around us, we were reminded as we so often have in our church’s near 117 year history that as Atlanta changes and grows so do the city’s needs and hopes. The steering committee interviewed and surveyed over 40 service agencies that provide education, advocacy, healthcare, housing, food, shelter, job training, and more. Many of those 40 were connections we enjoy because of existing relationships with our four core ministries, Covenant Community, Threads, Refugee Ministries, and Midtown Assistance Center. Six core needs emerged from those conversations: the need for more stable, affordable housing; greater access to tutoring and after school/summer school programs for children; more job opportunities for people in transition; greater resources to support mental health and recovery from addiction and illness; wider access to transportation; and spaces for collaboration among non-profits and the space to do so.

Our strategic plan work has prepared the way for this year’s visioning.
As we looked at the city changing around us and listened to its needs, we also identified dialogue partners from across the nation, seeking to learn from what other congregations are doing to be the church in new ways through their properties. A number of churches are looking to expand existing or build new residential components to their mission as a church. In Denver, St. John’s Episcopal Cathedral’s St. Francis Center (sjcathedral.org/saintfrancis) is working in collaboration with the Colorado Housing and Finance Authority to build permanent supportive housing for 50 formerly homeless people. Closer to home in Midtown, First Presbyterian Church (firstpresatl.org/about) is expanding a similar ministry to our own Covenant Community which it offers to women experiencing homelessness, by building a 13 floor housing tower to provide 110 affordable/workforce housing units. Such larger scale projects are complimented by churches like Church of the Advocate in Chapel Hill, North Carolina, who in collaboration with Pee Wee Homes is building a tiny home village on its church grounds.

The common thread to each of the projects we are in dialogue with is ‘transformational community’. We are seeing the difference churches can make in their respective locations because they already are engaged in sharing life together and committed to serving Christ in the lives of others. St. John’s Episcopal Church, Getty Square, New York (episcopalarts.org/about) is embarking on a similarly transformational journey in the construction of a performing arts high school next to its historic 19th century church building. Church of the Heavenly Rest in Manhattan (heavenlyrest.org) also houses a school and with it Bluestone Lane Café drawing visitors into the church’s property through the week, hosting arts performances and exhibitions and utilizing its commercial kitchen for a back-to-work program for formerly incarcerated individuals.

As we look to our own block, we would do well to be mindful of what the saints who have gone before us have concluded at various stages of All Saints’ incredible history: ‘All Saints’ can’t do it; All Saints’ must do it’. As we envision our future together in this time ahead, I pray that we will capture something of that spirit for ourselves. God calls us forward, in this city, for this city, for the sake of God’s kingdom of justice and love. ✡ Peace.

God calls us forward, in this city, for this city.
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Adult Inquirers’ Class
Led by The Rev. Dr. Simon Mainwaring
Learn more about the Christian faith as expressed in the Episcopal Church, while growing in community with others and pursuing questions of faith at a deeper level. Participants might include those interested in being confirmed or received into the Episcopal Church (not required), or anyone who would like to learn more about the church and get to know other parishioners in a smaller group setting.

Wednesdays, March 11, 18, 25 and April 1, 22, and 29
6:30 p.m.–8:00 p.m., Ross Room
The cost is $25 per person to cover the materials; childcare is available with advance request.
To sign up or for more information, contact Pat Kiley at patkiley@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Young Adults: Saints on Tap
Join our young adult group for a night of pizza, salad, snacks, and fun in The Attic. Bring your favorite beer, wine, kombucha, sparkling water, etc. to share and round out our communion of saints, as we host our Lenten celebrations in house. See you there!

Thursday, March 19
7:00–9:00 p.m. in The Attic, Pritchett Children’s Center
Please RSVP to Michael Asmussen at michael.asmussen@gmail.com so that we know how much pizza to order.

Novel Theology:
The Women in the Castle by Jessica Shattuck
Facilitator: Ed Wooller
Join us for a discussion of The Women in the Castle, an historical fiction novel about the widows of conspirators involved in an assassination attempt on Hitler and how they manage the aftermath of World War II.

Wednesday, March 18,
7:00–8:00 p.m., P307
Facilitator: Ed Wooller
For more information, contact Amelia Tuttle at amelia.tuttle9@gmail.com or visit allsaintsatlanta.org/novel-theology.

Future of Our Block Forum
See details on page 8.

Sunday, March 22
10:20–11:05 a.m., Ellis Hall

Legacy Sunday: Faith and Money
Director of Stewardship and Development, Ellen Hayes, offers a class on end-of-life financial planning. How might we use our gifts to build a lasting legacy?

Sunday, March 29
10:20–11:05 a.m., Ellis Hall
For more information, contact Ellen Hayes at ehayes@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Faith in the City:
Seeking Justice in Atlanta
Join us for the second session in our Faith in the City series, led by Simon Mainwaring and Natosha Reid Rice, to deepen understanding of issues, widen appreciation of differing perspectives, and inspire lives of faithfulness in the public square. Each Sunday session of the series is followed by an in-depth discussion on the following Wednesday night.

Forum: Sunday, March 15
10:20–11:05 a.m., Ellis Hall
Follow Up Discussion:
Wednesday, March 18
6:30–8:00 p.m., P305/306
Learn more about the series at allsaintsatlanta.org/faith-in-the-city.
For more information, contact the Rev. Dr. Simon Mainwaring at smainwaring@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Contact Karol Kimmell, director karolkimmell@allsaintsatlanta.org.
march children’s calendar

Every Sunday
Little Saints’ Church (ages 3–4), 9:15–9:45 a.m.,
Nursery, 1st Floor,
Pritchett Children’s Center
Children’s Church, 9:00 a.m., chapel, 2nd Floor,
Pritchett Children’s Center
Grow and Club 45 Formation 10:20–11:05 a.m., 2nd Floor,
Pritchett Children’s Center

Sunday, March 1
Grow Lesson: Unbelievable
Club 45 Lesson: David

Sunday, March 8
Pajama Day
Grow Lesson: You’re Invited
Club 45 Lesson: Solomon’s Temple

Sunday, March 15
Grow Lesson: You’re Invited
Club 45 Lesson: Kingdoms

Sunday, March 22
Grow Lesson: You’re Invited
Club 45 Lesson: Prophets

Sunday, March 29
Grow Lesson: You’re Invited
Club 45 Lesson: Learn it and Live It – Covenant Community

Visit allsaintsatlanta.org/formation/childrens-formation
or contact Kathy Roberts at 404–267–4272 or kroberts@allsaintsatlanta.org.

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Refugee Ministries: New and Returning Volunteer Orientation Session
Returning and new volunteers are invited to attend this session led by Louisa Merchant, our Director of Refugee Ministries, to learn best practices for volunteers engaging in this ministry. Topics include: volunteer self-care, relating with trauma survivors, setting boundaries, and the spiritual practice of faith-engaged ministry. An experienced volunteer will also share their personal experiences of ministry.

Sunday, March 29
10:20–11:05 a.m.,
Fireplace Room, Tate Hall
For more information, contact Louisa Merchant and louisam@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Little Saints: Parents and Pastries
On your way in or out of the nursery, plan to stay for a little bit during the formation hour to enjoy pastries and coffee while getting to know the other parents that have kids in the nursery. The kids will keep playing in their rooms while you have a minute to enjoy some fellowship. See you there!

Sunday, March 29
10:20–11:05 a.m., Nursery,
1st Floor, Pritchett Children’s Center
For more information, contact Kathy Roberts at kroberts@allsaintsatlanta.org.

Holy Week and Easter Observances

Palm Sunday, April 5
8:00 a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite I, chapel
9:00 a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite II with Reading of the Passion, church
9:00 a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite II for All Ages with Reading of the Passion, Ellis Hall
11:15 a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite II with Reading of the Passion, church
5:30 p.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite II, chapel
8:00 p.m., Tenebrae, church

Monday through Wednesday, April 6–8
Holy Week Noonday Speaker Series
Monday through Wednesday, April 6–8
12:00–1:30 p.m., Ellis Hall
Register online: allsaintsatlanta.org/speaker-series

Stations of the Cross for All Ages
Wednesday, April 8
6:30–7:00 p.m., in the church

Maundy Thursday, April 9
Agape Meal with Holy Eucharist and Foot Washing
6:00–7:30 p.m., in Ellis Hall
Maundy Thursday Liturgy
7:30–8:30 p.m., in the church

Good Friday, April 10
The Good Friday Liturgy with Soloist and Organ
12:00–1:00 p.m., in the church
Midtown Stations of the Cross
1:15–2:00 p.m., meet in front of the church

Holy Saturday, April 11
In the Garden: A Vigil for the City
7:00–9:00 p.m., Clara Meer Dock at Piedmont Park

Easter Day, Sunday, April 12
6:00 a.m., Easter Vigil and Festal Holy Eucharist Rite II, church
(begins in Kennedy Courtyard)
8:00 a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite I, chapel
9:00 a.m., Festal Holy Eucharist Rite II, church
9:00 a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite II for All Ages, Ellis Hall
11:15 a.m., Festal Holy Eucharist Rite II, church
5:30 p.m., Holy Eucharist Rite II, chapel

Visit allsaintsatlanta.org/lent-2020 for details on all our offerings during Lent and through Easter Day.
**Vestry Notes**

*From the meeting on January 29, 2020*

Johnathan Stanford shared a meditation regarding his path to All Saints’ from his AME upbringing in Alabama. Ellen Hayes provided an update on the annual canvass, which is still going strong. A Stewardship Summit meeting was held in January to review data and trends across the Episcopal Church. Jill Gossett reported that Parish Life has a full calendar of upcoming events. The vestry voted to approve the allocation of the budget surplus and to approve minor changes to the 2020 budget as proposed by the Finance Committee. The church’s endowment showed strong growth performance in 2019. Todd Silliman provided an update on the impact of the Norfolk Southern development next door.

Initial expenses incurred by the church for engineering services are being covered by Norfolk Southern. There is a court hearing scheduled to hear motions related to the Goodfella’s lease. Simon Mainwaring asked all vestry members, employees, and many other volunteers who work with children to attend the updated Safeguarding God’s Children training this year. The vestry approved the nomination of David Aldridge and Lee Robinson for election to the Canterbury Court Board of Trustees.

*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.*

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**Transitions**

**Baptisms**

*Cecilia Herron Beck,* daughter of Michael Beck and Janie Coleman

*Margo McKinley Beck,* daughter of Michael Beck and Janie Coleman

*Charles Corbett Hornberger,* son of Charles and Caroline Hornberger

*Bodi David Idnani,* son of Neal Idnani and Erin Cassel

*Andrew Wells Carter,* son of Neil and Brittany Carter

*Annabelle Frances Few,* daughter of Edward and Charlotte Few

*George Oliver Gandy,* son of Grant and Laurie Gandy

*Caroline Florence Hamilton,* daughter of Matt and Sarah Hamilton

*Lois Wren Rassel-Lewis,* daughter of Trice Rassel and Blake Lewis

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**Transfers In**

*Jed, Martha, Frank and Jude Douglas* from Episcopal Church of the Epiphany, Atlanta

*Jason Hardman* from St. Peter’s Episcopal Church in Rome, Georgia

*Herald Borja*

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**Transfers Out**

*Charles Reeves Jackson* to The Cathedral of St. Philip, Atlanta

*Joel Carver* to St. Mark’s Episcopal Church in LaGrange, Georgia

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**Deaths**

*Robert “Bob” MacDonald White
* Namette Cheek Soles
* Anne Cox Chambers

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**Sunday, March 8:** SNL Big Wheel Racing, cost is $15 per person.

**Sunday, March 13:** Confirmation Field Trip to The Temple. Meet at All Saints’ upper parking lot at 5:15 p.m.

**Friday through Sunday, March 20–22:** New Beginnings 43, A Middle School Retreat at Camp Mikell. The weekend includes talks given by high school team, small groups, skits, music, and plenty of fellowship. For grades 6–8, cost is $100; register online at eycdioatl.org/calendar by March 8.

**Sunday, March 29:** SNL Rec Games at Piedmont Park – Kickball, Ultimate Football, and more! If you can help drive, contact Joel at jsmith@allsaintsatlanta.org.
Future of our Block: Next Steps

Join our rector, Simon, as we embark together on a season of ideation for the future of our block at All Saints’. We will take stock of what we have learned thus far in the process and also lay out the ways by which all of our parishioners will have numerous opportunities to lend their voice and cast their vision over the weeks to follow.

**Future of Our Block Forum**

*Sunday, March 22*

10:20–11:05 a.m., Ellis Hall,

For more information, visit futureofourblock.org or contact the Rev. Dr. Simon Mainwaring at smainwaring@allsaintsatlanta.org.