



# The Trumpet

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
Jensen Beach, Florida

April 2023



*The little church on the hill with a BIG heart!*



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# FELLOWSHIP

From left to  
right: Barbara  
Lisman, Jim  
Vitale, Arpi Rajki,  
Jan Rajki,  
Barbara Vitale,  
and Katherine  
Kapple, enjoy  
fellowship  
during the  
Heritage Society  
Reception on  
March 3.  
*Photo: Wanda  
Beymer*



**WELCOME!** Speak with a Greeter or an Usher any Sunday for information about All Saints' or contact Marilyn Mawhinney, our Welcome/Hospitality Host, at 772-334-4176. If you're visiting us for the first time, the Ushers will provide you with a welcome gift.

**BAPTISMS** and pre-baptism classes are offered throughout the year. A person of any age may receive the sacrament of Holy Baptism.

**THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE** is a rite to be cherished in our historic church. We require a minimum of 120 days notice to our office, as well as premarital counseling. An initial meeting with Father Tony should be scheduled by the couple to review the process and any special circumstances before a date is scheduled. Please contact Jenny McDonald at the office, 772-334-0610, or via email, [Jennifer@allsaintsjensenbeach.org](mailto:Jennifer@allsaintsjensenbeach.org)

**FUNERAL OR MEMORIAL SERVICES** in our church may be arranged jointly with the Cemetery and Church Offices, and may include the celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

To **TRANSFER YOUR CHURCH MEMBERSHIP** to All Saints', please contact Joan Whitting, Membership Secretary, [joanwhitting@gmail.com](mailto:joanwhitting@gmail.com)

### Cover Photo:

Kathy Kapple, Wanda Beymer, and Diane Dougiello  
ham it up as women of the 1920's during the  
Annual Appreciation Dinner for  
the Heritage Society.

Read about the event on page 6.

*Photo: Elyta Watkins*





# A MESSAGE FROM THE RECTOR

My Dear Friends:

Recently, a member asked me, "Which season is more tiring for priests, Christmas or Easter?" Without hesitation, I said, "Holy Week and Easter!" His question led me to think of a Caribbean friend's comment. He said, "I have a short week next week." My response was, "Good for you, I cannot say the same!" During the Easter weekend in the Caribbean, Good Friday and Easter Monday are holidays.

Although Christmas is a joyous and well-loved season, I believe most priests would agree that they favor Holy Week and Easter Day, in spite of it being the busiest time of the year. We love Easter for its solemn, religious, and spiritual nature.



*Photo: Louise Andrews*

The Rev. Victor Osoro, of the Diocese of Toliara, Madagascar, is embraced by the Very Rev. Dr. Anthony Holder in Houg Hall after guest preaching March 19.



Easter is the most important festival and season in the Church's calendar, although it may not appear that way because of the commercialization of Christmas. While many persons, even non-Christians, celebrate Christmas, it is mostly Christians who commemorate Jesus' death on Good Friday, and the His resurrection at Easter. For Christians, Easter is our holiest and

major feast day, and is evident by attendance at worship. Easter gives Christmas it's true meaning. The fulfillment of who Christ is, and what he came to do, is more important than His birth. The basis of Christianity, the very essence of the Christian faith, revolves around Holy Week, beginning on Palm Sunday and culminating at Easter. This is why this time of the year is my favorite and that of many, if not most, clergy.

Getting back to the earlier question, "Which season is more tiring for priests, Christmas or Easter," because of the many services from Palm Sunday to Easter Sunday, clergy are exhausted when it's all finished. At All Saints', we will



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have nine services; while other churches may have less or more depending on their membership side. Each service has its own unique style.

**Palm Sunday**, also called **the Sunday of the Passion**, features the blessing and distribution of palm branches, the procession, the Palm Sunday and Passion gospels.



On **Maundy Thursday**, we celebrate the institution of the Holy Eucharist (the Lord's Supper), we engage in foot washing, the stripping of the altar, the agape meal, and the watch.

Then on **Good Friday**, we retrace Jesus' steps on his way to Calvary, called "Stations of the Cross" or "The Way of the Cross." Next, "the Good Friday Liturgy" features the Passion Gospel, Meditations, Solemn Collects, Veneration of the Cross, and the Liturgy of the Presanctified at which the communion, consecrated at the Maundy Thursday night Eucharist, is administered.

On **Easter Sunday**, we celebrate our Lord's resurrection with the Easter Vigil, Blessing and Lighting of the Paschal Candle, Renewal of Baptismal Vows, and the Blessing of the People with Holy Water, a reminder of our baptismal promises. The children are treated to an Easter Egg Hunt.

So, there is a lot to make us tired as clergy, which is why we take a break after Easter. I hope you will attend the various services during Holy Week and Easter Day, and they would be meaningful in your life as we commemorate the Passion and Resurrection of our Lord.

May you and your loved ones have a blessed Holy Week and a joyous Eastertide.

With love and blessings!

Father  
Tony



## Holy Week & Easter Day Services 2023

**All are Welcome**

at **ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
2303 NE Seaview Drive, Jensen Beach, FL

 <b>PALM SUNDAY</b> <b>April 2</b> <b>8 a.m. &amp; *10 a.m.</b> <i>Distribution of Palms &amp; Holy Eucharist (Communion)</i>	 <b>WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK</b> <b>April 5</b> <b>10 a.m.</b> <i>Holy Eucharist (Communion) &amp; Healing Service</i>	 <b>MAUNDY THURSDAY</b> <b>April 6</b> <b>*6 p.m.</b> <i>Holy Eucharist (Communion), Agape Meal &amp; the Watch</i>	 <b>GOOD FRIDAY</b> <b>April 7</b> <b>10 a.m.</b> <i>Stations of the Cross (Outdoors)</i> <b>*12 noon</b> <i>Good Friday Liturgy</i>	 <b>EASTER SUNDAY</b> <b>April 9</b> <b>6:30 a.m.</b> <i>Sunrise Service</i> <b>8 a.m. &amp; *10 a.m.</b> <i>Holy Eucharist (Communion)</i> <i>Egg Hunt for Kids follows 10 a.m. Service</i>
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\* Livestreaming: [www.youtube.com/c/allsaintsjensenbeach](https://www.youtube.com/c/allsaintsjensenbeach) | Nursery provided on Sundays (10 a.m.)



# Deacon's Report

So much is happening at our church that I feel overwhelmed as I can't do it all. We should be very pleased about all this. Attendance and membership are increasing significantly. I think we are all proud of "the little church on the hill with a BIG heart" I feel we are a church that truly "welcomes all."

I have just completed another Kairos weekend which went extremely well. The men who attended as candidates were all so impressed with all aspects of the weekend and spoke highly of how they plan to continue with their commitments to Jesus. I feel they truly do not feel alone despite all the difficulties of their lives in the Martin Correctional Institution. All the men at my table, called the family of Luke, were very active participants in all aspects of the weekend. We start with introductions on Thursday evening. The volunteers were each assigned to one man to mentors for the entire weekend. The man assigned to me connected very closely to me, and we met individually as well. He has so many concerns about his future when he is released next year. Kairos makes a big change in all these men's lives. They are able to use the weekend to help learn to lead a life where they can make better choices.

I want to thank all members of our church who participated directly in the weekend by signing prayer slips when you pray for the men at various times of the weekend. The prayer slips are displayed on a large wheel, which is very colorful. They also displayed posters, which many of you also created. The men knew they were truly not alone when they see the posters on the walls of the chapel and study room. Many of you also donated to help cover the costs of the program — about \$8,000 to \$10,000.

This coming weekend we will go back to the prison for what we call an instructional day. We help the men plan for how they are going to be active Christians and help those interested in finding out more about Christianity. The men are taught how they can bring Christianity to others in the prison. We want them to develop their own prayer and share groups and meet regularly in their dorms.

Kairos is an ongoing program where we have reunions once a month with Kairos candidates and others who are interested in finding out more about Kairos. We had 140 men at our last reunion.

In God's love,  
Deacon Alan



## April Anniversaries of Birth

- 4 Beth Beltran
- 11 Jack Miller
- 12 Marylee Johnson
- 22 Graham Johnson
- 23 Shirley Kelly
- 25 Arpi Rajki
- 26 Steve Hatch
- 26 Marilyn Mazsa



## Anniversaries of Marriage

- 4 Clarice Northcutt and Russell Rothfeld
- 15 Janet Kempf & Fred Siddons
- 27 Rebecca & Steve Hatch
- 28 Louisa & Gary Beckett



# Heritage Society



Kudos to all who helped make March a banner month for the Endowment Board and the Heritage Society.

We started out the month with our annual reception at Houg Hall and which was open to all. This year's theme was Wills and Trusts to perpetuate our financial theme of years past. We couldn't have had a better guest speaker than John McHugh. John is a wills and trusts attorney with 30 years experience. He shared his knowledge with grace and humor that had the audience laughing up a storm and yet receiving some very useful information such as what to do with beneficiaries after a second marriage or if you are each other's beneficiary, don't forget to change that if one or the other passes. Can you imagine relating this information (very successfully) and having everyone laughing at the same time? Don't miss next year's event which will also feature

wine and nibbles and hopefully, from a speaker with as much knowledge and personality as John McHugh.

And a warm welcome to the new members of the Heritage Society. This year we added John and Patsy Westbrook, Jan Davids, James and Dorothy Ulmer, and Lee Smith. They will receive their leaves on the Tree of Life in Houg Hall very soon.



Photo: Pam Hurd

Right to Left, Vivienne and Wally Wallace arrived at the same time as Duncan Hurd and took advantage of the Photo Op with an early 20th Century Woody!

We are so happy to have them on board.

We finished off the month May 25 with the Appreciation Banquet for the Heritage Society, hosted by the Endowment Board, to recognize and celebrate those who have contributed to the endowment for All Saints. And what an evening it was.



Photo: Barbara Taylor

Wanda Beymer, Elyta Watkins, Steve Ankner, Lorraine Deveraux, and Bob Taylor, arrive at the restaurant, Philly Down South.

We broke tradition and had the event at the Elliott Museum. Our theme was "The Ashley Gang, the Saints Meet the Sinners." If you are unfamiliar with the Ashley Gang, they were



Photo: Elyta Watkins

Louisa Beckett in her "Flapper" finery shares a laugh with Tom Sinagra.

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Photo: Wanda Beymer

Tom Sinagra, Wally Wallace, Barbara and Bob Taylor, Dayna Straehley and Father Tony, enjoying the Endowment Welcome Reception.





Photo: Elyta Watkins

Father Tony, Duncan and Pam Hurd ham it up at the Sheriff's most wanted display.

theme, members dressed in their 1920s finery with costumes out of the roaring '20s and the Great Gatsby era, including feather headbands, lots of fringe and gangster suits. After a delicious dinner, we went out to the permanent exhibit on the Ashley Gang and listened to local historian, Steve Carr, who told us about the interesting side stories about the Ashley family.

Then, we had a tour of the exhibit of artwork by the Highwaymen. They were a group of African American artists who painted scenes of the local landscapes around Fort Pierce. They worked from the 1960s on and their paintings are internationally known and sell for thousands of dollars.

How are we ever going to top this evening? Join the Heritage Society and find out!

Elyta Watkins  
Chairwoman,  
Endowment Board

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a group of outlaws residing in our area who had a fondness for making moonshine and robbing banks. To show that life is not just black and white, they took some of their ill gotten gains and paid off mortgages for the local farmers — a bit of a Robin Hood group of merry men — but still criminals. To

be in keeping with the



Docent, Steve Carr, giving his presentation on the Ashley Gang.



Photo: Pam Hurd

"School Marm" Elyta Watkins leads the Endowment Board which hosted the event. No monies from the Endowment were spent on the event.

## All Saints' Sunday School

Our Sunday school children have been busy with spring break vacation!



Andrew, Graham and Owen Johnson flew to Texas, where they got to be with their great-grandma, Grami Jinny Smith, who will be celebrating her 99th birthday in June. Horseback riding, Six Flags over Texas, and Cave adventures were all part of the trip. Elise Neff has been busy going on fun daytrips with her mom and dad. The Kennedy Space Center, where they watched a real launch, the new Oceanographic Center, a day at the beach, and attending the barbecue jazz festival in Stuart were some of her spring break adventures.

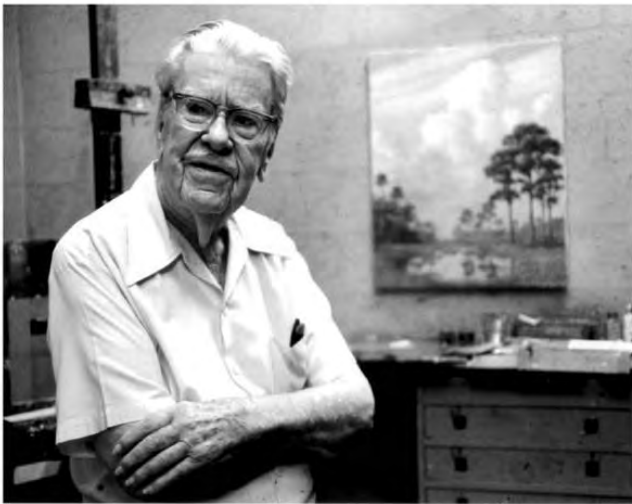
I'm sure all our children were having a fun break! And why is this worth writing about? Because Faith and Family are the building blocks for our country. Keep up the good work, parents!

The children are looking forward to Easter! They have been filling their mite boxes with coins to donate toward a church project. The children will be coming to church Easter Sunday, April 9, at 9:40 a.m. to decorate the Easter cross with flowers and place their mite boxes beneath the Easter cross. After the 10 a.m. service, all children will hunt for Easter eggs! So, make sure the children come to church on Easter Sunday with their Easter baskets! (And their mite boxes!) A big thank you goes out to Paul Neff for teaching Sunday School while I was in Texas. You did a great job!

Respectfully submitted,  
Karen Neff

# All Saints' Cemetery

In All Saints' Cemetery office, sometimes it is helpful to know *who isn't buried here*; case in point: A.E. "Beanie" Backus. Several weeks ago, a gentleman came in asking if Beanie was buried here as he noticed several Backus grave markers.



A.E. "Beanie" Backus' memorial page on [www.findagrave](http://www.findagrave) tells us he was "Cremated, Ashes scattered. Specifically: He was cremated and his ashes were scattered by plane over the backcountry of Adams Ranch in Ft. Pierce,

where he created many of his paintings."

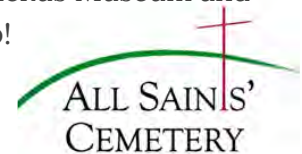
Previously, I had called the Backus Museum to verify this fact is valid.

The Backus family in our cemetery might be related, but they are not part of Beanie's nuclear family. His young wife, Patricia Nell (née Hutchinson) Backus preceded him in death; she was cremated in Philadelphia and the final resting place of her ashes are unknown.



For those of you not familiar with this name, read from Fort Lauderdale's South Florida Sun Sentinel published June 8, 1990 or go to Fort Pierce and visit the A.E. Backus Museum and Gallery. It's worth the trip!

Joyce Fletcher Menard  
President



## Albert Backus, landscape artist

The Associated Press

FORT PIERCE — Albert Ernest "Beanie" Backus, an artist who captured Florida on canvas and whose paintings hang in the White House and Florida governor's mansion, died of an apparent heart attack. He was 84.

Mr. Backus had a history of heart trouble. He died Wednesday night at Lawnwood Regional

Medical Center in Fort Pierce.

U.S. Sen. Bob Graham said Mr. Backus was "the best known representational artist in the state."

Mr. Backus' paintings of Florida scenes and tropical trees also hang in the Metro-Dade Commission chambers, the Lyndon B. Johnson Library in Austin, Texas, and in art schools and private homes throughout the world.

Mr. Backus discovered his tal-

ent when his mother gave him a set of watercolors when he was 6. At 17, he sold his first painting for \$1.

"A whole school of Florida artists have been influenced by Backus," said Al Burt, an author who chronicles Florida in his books. "His approach will live on in Florida for a long time in the work of other artists."



## Women's Fellowship

Our Women's Fellowship meeting March 18 began with a presentation by our own Dayna Straehley on a wonderful outreach called LAHIA, for Love and Hope in Action.

LAHIA, founded in 2007, is in Stuart. Its mission is to reach the hungry, homeless and hurting through the ministry meeting basic human needs to all those who come through their doors. This is one of the nonprofit organizations to which the Women's Fellowship donates.

Also, thank you to all those who donated towards the plastic eggs and candy for the

children's Easter egg hunt.

At our next meeting, Saturday, April 15, we will be voting on the donating of our funds. If you have a nonprofit organization that you support or are familiar with, please bring it to the table for all our consideration.

In May we will be having elections for new officers for Women's Fellowship. We hope there will be volunteers who would like to take over as president, vice president, and secretary. Please let me know if you are interested in these worthwhile positions.

Our next Women's Fellowship meeting will be at 9:30 a.m. on April 15 in Houg Hall. Hope to see everyone there!

Respectfully submitted,  
Karen Neff  
President



*Photo: Elyta Watkins*

From left to right: Guest Speaker, John McHugh, Steve Ankner, and Endowment Board Chair, Elyta Watkins, at the Heritage Society Reception.



*Photos: Father Tony*

Some of the over 40 members who attended the Heritage Society Dinner in their honor on March 25. Historian, Steve Carr (right) shares the history of the Highwaymen Art Exhibition.

To the right is a history of the Highwaymen.





## Outreach



### ATTENTION SNOW BIRDS

When you return north and empty your pantry, please consider donating unopened and unexpired items to the food bank.

All donations are greatly appreciated. Pasta, rice, and peanut butter are always needed.

Donations can be brought to Church campus and placed in Houg Hall.

For more information, or if you have a lot of stuff, contact George Mazsa, our coordinator, at 484-602-3594 or [gtmazsa@aol.com](mailto:gtmazsa@aol.com) to arrange pick-up.

Thank you for your consistent support for this important ministry.



George Mazsa



### DONATE YOUR POP TABS

All Saints' parishioner, Tom Sinagra, has started a collection of pop tabs to help Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central Florida.

Pop tabs are the little aluminum tabs from all kinds of cans, including soda, some pet food, beer, canned fruits and vegetables.

By collecting them, we keep that much aluminum out of the landfills and practice stewardship of God's natural resources. We also help Ronald McDonald House Charities care for families of children needing critical care and keep families close to their children receiving medical care.

Once the pop tabs are collected, they are taken to be recycled in exchange for money to support the children and families served at Ronald McDonald Houses.

There is a basket with a bag of pop tabs in Houg Hall left of the door as you enter. Please collect bags of them at home to bring to church.





# Houg Hall

Hello All Saints' Saints,

Coffee Hour is a great time for Fellowship in Houg Hall – to meet our newer members and guests and to welcome them to All Saints' coupled with a “light snack” together as part of Fellowship. Several “snow birds” spoke to me on Sunday about heading back north, graciously thanked me for coffee hour and said they would be back with us in December.

Please forgive me for not submitting a monthly report for the Trumpet in a more timely manner. I always have good intentions but the time just slips by as we have had so many events this season in Houg Hall which includes Sunday Coffee Hour.

Since January, Houg Hall has coordinated these events: Annual Parish Meeting, Musical Bingo, Jane Mills Funeral Reception, High Tea, Pancake Supper, Heritage Society Reception, DOK Reception after Lenten Quiet Study, Concert Reception.

Upcoming Events are: Agape Meal, Men's BBQ & Antique Car Show, Scholarship Sunday, Jewelry Party, Wedding Vow Renewal Reception, Christina Bliven Celebration of Life Reception.

As you know, two important facets of every event is

preparation and cleanup. So for Sunday Coffee Hour, I



**Coffee Fellowship**

must thank Lorraine Devereaux who comes in every Saturday from 9 – noon to help prepare for our Sunday Coffee Hour.

Additionally, a huge thank you also goes to our “faithful and diligent” clean up crew who work after the 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. coffee hours. They are: Steve Ankner, Wanda Beymer, Eva Capparelli, Lorraine

Devereaux, Dara Hart, Kim Kelly, Tina Kelly, Len Mausteller, George Mazsa, Sandy Miller, Jerry Walters, and Natalie Walters. We could not have two coffee hours every Sunday without the support of these persons.

How can YOU help? Did you know you are welcome to bring in goodies for coffee hour? There is a sign up sheet for any Sunday you are available to provide a special treat for everyone or provide needed coffee hour items. These members often contribute to our coffee hour menu:

Jan Davids – deviled eggs  
Desne Townsend – coffee  
Dorothy Bree – deviled eggs  
Ritchie Menard – coffee, cheese, salami  
Lelah Marzi – deviled eggs  
Tom Sinagra – croissant rolls



Photo: Louise Andrews

Musician Fiadanana Joseph and the Rev. Victor Osoro, both of the Diocese of Toliara, Madagascar; Joyce Menard; and the Rev. Dr. Todd Cederberg, retired rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Stuart, are pictured at Coffee Hour on March 19.

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# Daughters of the King



*"But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."* Matthew 6:33

Our All Saints' Daughters of the King Chapter sponsored a Lenten Quiet Morning with meditations and quiet time for reflection and prayer on March 11. It was a time to be still and to know that God is with us. Thirty-five people attended, including a few from neighboring churches. Afterward, a light lunch was hosted by the DOK.

On Sunday, March 12, Priscilla Stuber was admitted to The Order at the 10 a.m. service. We now have 19 members in our chapter.

The next event the Daughters will host is the Agape Meal on Maundy Thursday, April 6, after the Maundy Thursday service, which begins at 6 p.m. This meal is reminiscent of the kinds of foods Jesus and His disciples had at The Last Supper. We will serve bread, olive oil with herbs, olives, cheese, different nuts, fruit, wine and water.

Please sign up after services on Sunday at the table in the breezeway or let Jenny in the



*Photo: Dayna Strahley*

Priscilla Stuber, center, is admitted to the Order of the Daughters of the King by Father Tony. She is accompanied by All Saints' Chapter President Sandy Miller, left, and Diocesan DOK President Margaret Dunstan.

church office know if you plan to attend so that we can plan the food accordingly. We hope you will attend this time of fellowship during Holy Week as the Lenten Season draws to a close.

Respectfully Submitted  
For His Sake,  
Sandy Miller, *President*

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Sandy Miller – pigs in a blanket  
Carolyn Hanna – sweet breads  
OR you can make a donation for the purchase



*Photo: Louise Andrews*

Cynthia Bredeck, Katherine Kapple, Diane Dougiello, Marilyn Mawhinney and Iris Langran, enjoy fellowship during Coffee Hour on March 19.

of coffee hour menu items.

Easter Sunday is always a day to celebrate Jesus' resurrection with family and friends with a celebratory meal. So it is with our Sunday Coffee Hour crew. There will be NO Sunday coffee hour this Easter Sunday. And looking ahead for the summer – during the months of June, July and August, there will only be one coffee hour between the two services from 9 to 10 a.m.

Thanks for your support and understanding.

Louise Andrews,  
Houg Hall Manager



ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

JENSEN BEACH, FL.



**Bar-B-Que**

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**ANTIQUE CAR SHOW**



**ADMISSION: Free**

**Saturday**

**Bar-B-Que Meal: \$15**

**APR. 22**

**Children (12 & under): Free**

**Pork Bar-B-Que,**

**Beans, Potato Salad,**

**Cole Slaw, Ice Tea,**

**11 a.m.— 2:30 p.m.**

**Lemonade, Dessert**

**2303 NE Seaview Drive, Jensen Beach, FL**



# THE THRIFT SHOP



We are happy to report that the Thrift Shop is thriving, and sales are increasing!

We had a great February, over \$2,200, and so far for March we have blown past that. In February, we had a group of 30 to 40 people from a 55-and-over

development somewhere up in Fort Pierce about a half hour away. It seems one Thursday every month this group goes thrift shopping and usually goes

to two different shops. Half go to one shop, the other half goes to the other, and then they switch. The woman who organized it had come into the shop one day and was so impressed with our little shop that she set up the group visit with me. It was a huge success. We sold \$500 worth of merchandise just through that group.

As you may already know, we now have a credit card machine, which has made a big difference as more young people are now shopping with us. We have been receiving a lot of donations on a steady basis, which has helped us keep up with inventory. We

recycle items that have been hanging around a little too long without selling even after being reduced. Those items are now going to poor families in Haiti thanks to my landscaper. He and his wife sponsor 40 families in Haiti and ship much needed items there through



their church. They recently brought several people here and have found or given them jobs in their business. So, we are delighted to help these families.

The bathroom upstairs in Bethany got a much needed facelift. Now we are able to allow customers to use that bathroom as well as the downstairs one to try on clothes.

The area to the right of the entrance to the shop has been transformed into a garden making our entrance a little more welcoming. The rotted fence out front has been

## Peering Into the Past



As you may have read in Father Tony's updates, the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration preparations are being developed.

People identified in the photo collection from the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration who still attend All Saints' are Janet Kempf, Priscilla Stuber, Iris Langran and Dara Hart. If I've missed anyone, **please let me know.**

People identified who are still in the area Bob & Gayle Schneider and their grown daughter, Patti Kupp. The Rev. Mary Charlotte Alvarez Rosendahl, daughter of our former rector, is now retired from active parish ministry, residing in Vero Beach. The Chapdelaine family is still in the area. The Chapdelaines' church home is unknown.

Former children of All Saints' who are being reached are the Chase girls, the Fulton kids, Rhonda Cumpsty, the Hostetter kids, Timmy Oulette, Connie Haire's daughter, Debbie, and others. We want to say "Welcome Home — Come celebrate 125 years with us!"

If you know of other former All Saints' members to whom we should invite and how to reach them, please let me know. Contact Joyce Menard at 906-201-1328 or [19florida77@gmail.com](mailto:19florida77@gmail.com).

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# Garden Happenings!

## **Salama!**

After the hub-bub of the day, one can often find our little garden party of friends re-hashing the recent events in and around All Saint's Episcopal Church. Sometimes, it is just chit-chat and other times I hear a profound message. But as with the game "whisper down the alley", their conversation reflects their own perspective, and often faulty hearing. This usually results in an amusing twist in their stories or observations. Come with me and "listen."

"Salama! Greta, Salama! Groggy." Buzz-buzz, Salama, to all" said Bea, the rose colored bee. Groggy replied: "Salami? Yes please, I do love that meat; and would enjoy some right about now."

A rather indignant Bea responded: "No Groggy, I said 'Salama!' Did you not listen to the sermon this morning? Father Victor, from Madagascar, started off his sermon with a teaching us how to greet one another in Malagasy: Salama is that word. So I was saying "hello" by saying Salama!"

"Hello Bea, I'm so glad you came back to talk with us this evening" Greta replied, attempting to smooth things over. "I did not understand all that Father Victor said this morning, but I did get this; with Jesus, there is always transformation, a change that occurs."

"Buzz-Buzz, Greta, I thought he said: "...for us an encounter with Jesus will bring about a change." Bea repeated what she heard during the morning sermon.

Jack interrupted the conversation: "I know Father Victor said both of those things, but I got tangled up trying to repeat: 'da roun da two poh'. Well, it was something like that, I think."

"I liked when we all repeated "Amen!" after he said those words. It was like we were agreeing

with him." Little One added.

*I found myself nodding my head in agreement, how strange to find I was agreeing with this assembly of friends. But then I broke-up their happy gathering...*

"Oh, I thought I heard someone talking about making salami roses" added Freddy.

"Salami Roses? Freddy, where were you today? Swimming in the pond with your head underwater?"

*Bea was indignant, and let Freddy know; but it was Freddy's response that just cracked me up.*

"In the words of the wise Winnie the Pooh: "People say nothing is impossible, but I do nothing every day." [1]

*I just could not contain myself. Laughter erupted from me. Followed quickly by a splash as Freddy dove into the pond and all was very quiet in the garden. So I wished them all a good night and left for home thinking I needed to be back in the garden the following week – just to meditate and listen to this band of friends!*

THE NEXT WEEK: *I sat waiting for the critters to wake up. They did not disappoint me.*

"Oh Wow! I just love a good rendition of 'American in Paris.' That Kaveh did a great job conducting the orchestra." Groggy was quite vocal as he continued: "We need to have more music around here. Mister Mike used to come by and practice the hymns for a Sunday and often would get to playing something else just for fun. It was great to listen, I miss him."

*All was quiet for a few minutes... and then the whispering began.*

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"Greta, is Groggy alright? Kavah's concert was last Sunday." Bea voiced her concern.

Greta replied: "Ah, good he is sleeping again. All week he has been humming 'American in Paris' by the composer George Gershwin. He loves to insert the honk of the taxi cabs too – much to the chagrin of the neighbors, I'm sure."

"I like Mr. Gershwin's 'Rhapsody in Blue' much better, but that man Kaveh played Rachmaninoff pieces too, I just don't recall which ones," Draco the May Fly called out from up in the tree.

"Oh dear; are they both stuck in last week? Worried Bea."

"Harrumph! Who are you calling a stick in the mud, Miss Bea? Groggy replied. "I thought Father Tony was spot on today!"

*He apparently was not really napping. Little One began to giggle and Greta; well she stammered a bit.*

"Well, ah, yes, you are right Groggy; Father Tony had a great sermon this morning. I thought his story about the experienced lady putting the whipper snapper lawyer in his place was great!"

"I thought the sermon was about dealing with disappointments in life" stated Jack, as he joined the conversation.

Groggy countered with his own thoughts: "God has ways of using life scenarios to teach us. Recall in this week's Gospel lesson: 'This illness



Jackson, Little One and Freddy heading down the sidewalk on their way thto see the Thrift Shop. Bea is keeping watch overhead!

does not lead to death; rather it is for God's glory, so that the Son of God may be glorified through it.' [2] We all know God is in control; more so than we can comprehend. This is what makes our relationship with God so important to us individually. We don't know what will happen next but we need to trust and a have faith ... God knows what he will do."

Bea buzzed in with: "Jesus being divine knows what God has planned." I think Father Tony said that on Sunday too.

Greta continued: "God is working all things out for the good." [3] "You are so right Groggy, when I stop to

think about it; I just find it amazing how much God loves us."

"Well I think that was Father Tony's sermon – the short version!" [4] Jackson boomed and then continued: "Who wants to go on an adventure?"

"OH, I do!" piped up Little One.

"Me too" said Freddy. "Where are you going?" asked Bea.

"Well, I want to cross the street and check out the friends at the Thrift Store. We might need your help, Bea. If you could fly along and make sure there are no dogs



It was a long trip, but Freddy hopped right up on the Easter Car while Jackson and Little One look on, bemused.

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about and no cars or trucks coming in the road – that would be mighty helpful.” Jackson said looking very hopefully at Bea.

With a groan, Groggy answered: “that is too much adventure for me. I’m taking a nap.”

What do you think we will find over there? Do they have a pond?” Freddy asked excitedly.

“I don’t know, but I heard someone say the Thrift Store has a nice garden set up with Thrift Store friends. So I want to visit!” Jackson sounded like he was trying to convince himself.

But if they were going to the Thrift Store, I knew would have to vacate my spot or they would never get there scrambling past my toes – I scare Freddy too much. So I whispered “safe travels” and left the garden. I hope to see all of you in the coming weeks. I can’t wait to hear about their adventures!



Freddy visits Calvin outside the Thrift Shop.

### The Garden Whisperer

[1] While God's Holy Word is infinitely more important; A.A. Milne's Winnie the Pooh stories have given us many quotes that like The Bible transcends the times.

[2] Holy Bible, Gospel of John 11:4

[3] Father Tony's sermon; Sunday March 26, 2023

[4] All Saint's JB; services with Father Tony's sermons are available for viewing on YouTube.

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removed, and six plants have been planted in its place. They will eventually grow into a hedge to match the other side of the front of the building.

We hope to have a new post and sign out near the road. Our own Don Swartwood is building a new thrift shop sign for over our front window to replace the one there now

that has rotted. Our own in-house Artiste Lee Smith will paint it and add the script before it is treated to protect it from the elements. The Vestry has had our “Buddy’s Boutique” sign made to hang in the thrift shop next to his portrait. It



Photo: Father Tony

DOK President, Sandy Miller (l) and Thrift Shop Director, Diane Dougiello (r) outside the Thrift Shop.

will be hung soon. So as you can see we have been very busy. Our sales are continually increasing, averaging more than \$2,200 to \$2,500 a month, and so far for March we have already met that and may total closer to \$3,000. We are very appreciative of all your support, and hope if you haven't been in the shop in a while that you will come and visit, and shop.

From all of us at the thrift shop, we wish our All Saints family, a very blessed and happy Easter!

Diane Dougiello  
Thrift Shop Director

# Bible Word Search

## CROSS, TOMB, & RESURRECTION

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JESUS  
REDEMPTION  
SALVATION  
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# MARK *your* CALENDARS!

- + **Palm Sunday, April 2.** Holy Eucharist at 8 and 10 a.m.
- + **Monday, April 3.** Men's Fellowship at 5 p.m. in Houg Hall.
- + **Wednesday in Holy Week, April 5.** Holy Eucharist and Healing Service at 10 a.m. Bible Study at 6 p.m.
- + **Thursday, April 6 – Agape Meal on Maundy Thursday and the Watch.** After 6 p.m. Holy Eucharist.
- + **Good Friday, April 7.** Stations of the Cross at 10 a.m. outdoors; Good Friday Liturgy at noon.
- + **Easter Sunday, April 9.** Holy Eucharist at 8 and 10 a.m. with flowering of the cross by children at 9:40 a.m. and egg hunt for children after the 10 a.m. service.
- + **Every Wednesday.** Holy Eucharist and Healing Service at 10 a.m.
- + **Saturday, April 15 – Women's Fellowship** at 9:30 a.m. in Houg Hall.
- + **Saturday, April 22 – Bar-B-Q and Antique Car Show** in the Church Campus and Houg Hall.



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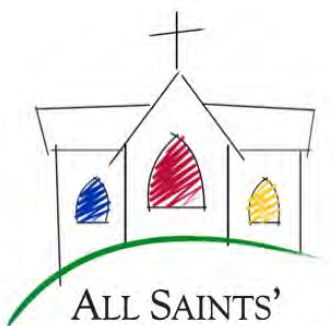
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