



# Crossways

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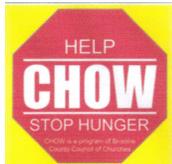
## RECTOR'S CORNER:

Mother Christine is on sabbatical until October. Fr. Geoff Doolittle will be with us alternating Saturday and Sunday services. Please see the [June-July Crossways](#) for specifics. To help Fr. Geoff with names and faces, we ask that all parishioners, please wear their name badges.



## VESTRY MEETING IN AUGUST

There will be a vestry picnic & meeting on August 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm in the library.



**CHOW Food Pantry** would like to thank everyone for continuing to donate food in the summer months. With kids out of school, we are some place that families can depend on to get the food they need. Thank you!

*Ida Taft*



## CHURCH PICNIC AND CELEBRATION OF HOLY EUCHARIST: SUNDAY, AUGUST 20<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM AT HIGHLAND PARK!

Come one, come all to All Saints' Annual, more or less, Church Picnic and celebration of Holy Eucharist on August 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am. We will be joined by Christ Church.

The day will begin with a celebration of Holy Eucharist at 10 a.m. and the picnic will follow. That way, “5 o’clockers” may attend the 5 p.m. Eucharist on Saturday and arrive at Highland Park at 11 a.m. in time fellowship and food. We’ll gather in shelter or pavilion #6—it’s handicapped drop-off—accessible. The Christ Church will provide the meat for the picnic. Please bring something to drink and a dish to pass! Please come and enjoy calm time before the bustle of the Johnson City Field Days! Town of Union pool in Highland Park is nearby, but one must bring ID and there are fees for residents and non-residents (\$1-\$4).

## RESULTS OF JUNE CHICKEN BBQ

A big Thank You to everyone that supported our June BBQ- Thanks to the Parish members who donated money to defray the cost of supplies we made a total profit of \$2,877.25. Our next fund raiser will be the JC Field Days the beginning of September and then Cabaret in November.

*Judy Horton*

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

**SEPTEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>-4<sup>TH</sup> ----**

**JOHNSON CITY FIELD DAYS!**

**ORIENTATION MEETING: SUNDAY**

**AUGUST 13<sup>TH</sup> AT 11:00 AM-ISH**

Field Days this year will be late in the summer season in comparison to earlier years. It will run from Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup> through Monday, September 4<sup>th</sup>. It is one of All Saints "other fundraisers" (other than the



the chicken barbeques and cabaret) and really needs your support. As we did for the recent chicken BBQ, we are asking the parish for donations to help defray the cost of food that we purchase to prepare, cook and sell at Field Days. Our food costs for Field Days run about \$2,500, which really cuts into the profit margin. Any help with the cost will certainly help our profit, which in turn will help our budget gap (too many expenses and not enough revenues).

Sign-up sheets are up in the Narthex! Please sign up to work. All those who work the JC Field Days must take the Broome County Health Department Online Temporary Food Safety Course and Quiz and then hand in a certificate for the course. To take the course and quiz please:

- Go to [www.gobroomecounty.com/departments](http://www.gobroomecounty.com/departments)
- Select the range G - I
- Select Health
- Scroll down the left side menu until you see Environmental Health - Select
- Scroll down and select Food Protection
- Scroll down until you see the Food Service Safety Class
- Scroll down until you see the Temporary Food Service Safety Class Training (Print Out version)
- Scroll to the next item which is the actual quiz.
- Take the quiz, enter relevant contact data and information, and print out the certificate and give to me

There will be an Orientation Meeting for those wishing to volunteer for the Field Days on Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup> after the 10 AM celebration of Holy Eucharist (11 AM-ish) in the Library. Please come if you are able. Sign-up sheets are posted at the church for each work day. We need help and support from everyone in the parish to be successful.

Thank you. *Tom Johnson*



**CALLING ALL TEACHERS, CALLING ALL STUDENTS, CALLING ALL HELPERS, CALLING ALL PARENTS: NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL “YEAR” BEGINS IN SEPTEMBER! DATE TO BE IN SEPTEMBER ISSUE OF *CROSSWAYS***

We average anywhere between 2 to 8 children a week. The lessons being taught for the summer are in direct correlation with the Gospel that is read for that Sunday. We are focusing on introducing the children to Jesus and His life. I am in search of a new curriculum for the upcoming church school year, one that focuses on Jesus and also ties in with the Episcopal traditions. I am also always looking for materials that can be used for crafts. (i.e.: egg cartons, tissue boxes, cereal boxes, brown paper bags, anything that you may think is craft worthy.) We want to start a new way of exiting the church for Sunday school when the official church school year begins again in September. The children will join the end of the procession line and will cut to leave through the door to the left as they get to the front of the church. I thank you for

allowing me to have the time with your children. I would like to invite anyone who feels call to help to volunteer to teach/substitute. Interested? I would like to thank Missy Avery & Nancy Grabowski for covering the class while I was away. Please use the attached registration form to sign-up your children or to volunteer to help or assist in any way. There are copies in the narthex.

*Barrilyn Polhamus*

## **WELCOME BACK PICNIC SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup> AFTER 10 AM SERVICE**



Meat & rolls and beverage will be provided. Please bring a dish to pass. For the folks that attend Saturday night service, please plan on attending the picnic about 11:30 AM on Sunday. This is a chance to catch up on friends and greet any newcomers to our parish. Any questions? Please see or call Judy Horton.

## **BOUNDARIES, BORDERS, AND BETTER RELATIONSHIPS WORKSHOPS**

Please "save the date" (that works best for you) and look for sign-up information coming soon!

Boundaries, Borders, and Better Relationships: A one-day training event for individuals and groups and home-life, work, and ministry led by The Rev. Diane Wheatley, Lutheran pastor, speaker and trainer

Four Opportunities to attend!

This one-day training will be offered in four different locations around the diocese:

- " Wednesday, July 19 at St. James, Pulaski 9:00-3:30
- " Saturday, September 9 at Zion, Rome 9:00-3:30
- " Saturday, October 14 at Ss. Peter and John, Auburn 9:00-3:30
- " Saturday, December 2 at St. Mark's, Chenango Bridge 9:00-3:30

The cost of the event is \$25 per person which includes lunch and a training manual.

Each event will be the same training. (There's no need to attend more than one of these trainings)

This training is geared toward clergy and lay: leaders of ministries, vestry members, church staff and volunteers.

Over the course of a morning and afternoon, The Rev. Diane Wheatley will help us go into depth about types of relationships that exist in parishes, how to create and maintain healthy boundaries, developing and nurturing sacred trust, vulnerability, safe spaces, verbal and non-verbal communications, and other topics like: humor, gossip, information sharing, leadership, gift-giving, and phone and internet norms.

We're offering this day-long training in 4 locations at 4 different times. Please save the date and look for sign-up information coming soon!

The Rev. Diane Wheatley is a Lutheran pastor from who has created this training out of her vast experience and readings. She has been a pastor since 1984 and has done extensive work with "safe spaces" and co-dependency. She is a nationally known workshop and retreat leader in the area of boundaries.

If you have questions, please contact:

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**MINISTRY ROSTERS FOR AUGUST, SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, 2017 ARE ON THE WEB**



Here is the link to the various months: [Assistants' Schedules](#)

It is important that changes in Ministry Assignments be [emailed](#) or phoned to the office as well as to [Gary Zurn](#) so Worship Leaders and guest clergy know who will be assisting them. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Also, if you feel the call to participate as an assistant please see Gary Zurn or Mother Chris.

**ASSISTANTS**

## Flower Fund and Sanctuary Candle Forms for July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018



[Flower Fund](#) and [Sanctuary Candle](#) Forms for July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018 are found on the website or in the narthex at church.

**Reminder! Our Flower and Calendar Fund forms begin on July 1st and run through June 30th of the following year. New forms are available in the narthex as well as online. The Flower Fund is found here: [Flower Fund](#) . The Sanctuary Candle form is found here: [Sanctuary Candle](#)**

### DOLLAR\$&CENTS MAY & JUNE 2017

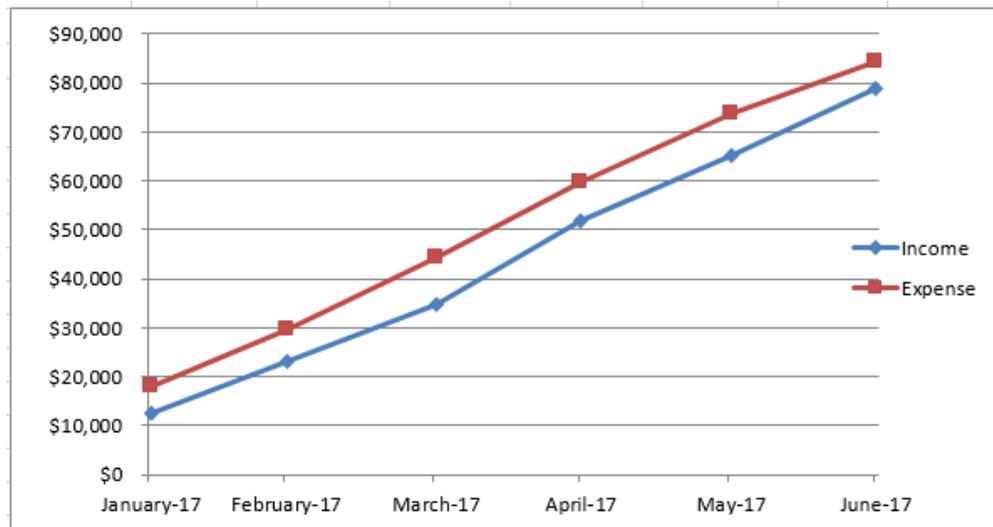
All Saints' 2017 budget is a deficit budget that will require using \$10,973 from previous years' income equity surpluses and/or special gifts to balance the budget. Some of this gap is the result of having fewer pledges: 56 pledges in 2017 and 59 pledges in 2016. The rest is due to small increases in expenses.

In 2017, a monthly income of \$ 14,702 will be necessary to meet operating expense cash flow. This will be difficult to do as the projected income is only approximately \$13,643 per month and All Saints' major fundraising events and fundraising income occur during May, June, September and November. It can be expected that the Vestry will decide to use available surplus funds from other years for cash flow.

Therefore, it will be more important than ever to keep one's pledge up-to-date and to make additional gifts if possible. Truly, with "God all things are possible" (Mt. 19:26).

|                    | Actual as of May 31, 2017 | Actual as of June 30, 2017 | Annual Budget 2017 |
|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| Offering & Pledges | \$54,345                  | \$63,886                   | \$143,504          |
| Fundraising ✘      | \$6,955                   | \$9,962                    | \$18,450           |
| Other Income       | \$3,868                   | \$4,770                    | \$9,590            |
| Faith Income       | \$100                     | \$100                      | <b>\$14,524</b>    |
| Total Income       | \$65,267                  | 78,719                     | \$186,068          |
| Total Expenses     | \$73,617                  | \$84,199                   | \$186,068          |
| Profit (Loss)      | <b>(\$8,349)</b>          | <b>(\$5,481)</b>           | \$0                |

✘Please note the fact that September (Field Days) and Cabaret (November) are still to come.



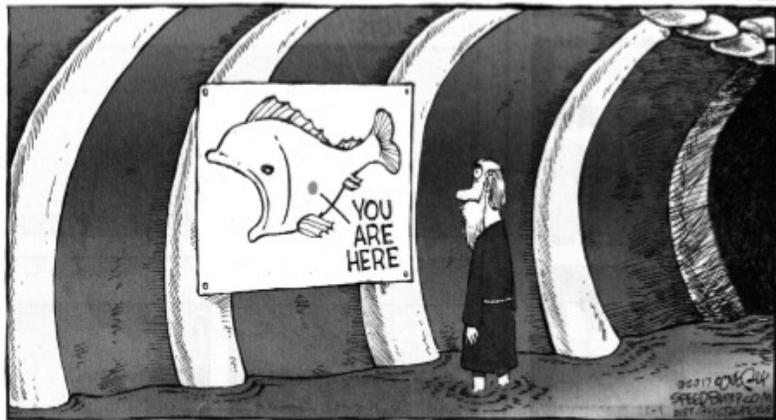
|   | As of May 31,<br>2017 | Total<br>May<br>2017 | As of June 30,<br>2017 | Total<br>June 2017 |
|---|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>            |                       |                      |                        |                    |
| Petty Cash                                  | \$400                 |                      | \$400                  |                    |
| <u>All Saints' Checking</u>                 | <u>\$4,491</u>        |                      | <u>\$4,287</u>         |                    |
| Total Cash and Cash<br>Equivalents          | \$4,891               |                      | \$4,687                |                    |
| <b>Savings Accounts</b>                     |                       |                      |                        |                    |
| Soup & Sandwiches Savings                   | \$4,974               |                      | \$4,974                |                    |
| Designated Funds                            | \$9,868               |                      | \$9,868                |                    |
| <u>Rebuilding All Saints'*</u>              | <u>\$4,128</u>        |                      | <u>\$4,128</u>         |                    |
| Total Savings                               | \$18,970              |                      | \$18,970               |                    |
| <b>Total Cash &amp; Savings</b>             |                       | <b>\$23,861</b>      |                        | <b>\$23,657</b>    |
| UIF Investment Funds*                       | \$27,933              |                      | \$28,161               |                    |
| <b>Total Cash, Savings,<br/>Investments</b> |                       | <b>\$51,794</b>      |                        | <b>\$51,818</b>    |



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## PRAYER LIST BEGINNING AUGUST



Policy reminder: Submitted names are placed on the short-term list for four weeks and then moved to long term by request of the person submitting the name, or by need known by the Rector.

**Short Term:** Chuck Holmes, David Pierce, Ida Taft, Mary Kille, Ann Day, Patrick Cooney, Bonnie and John Mando, Justin Avery, Angelina NeNovellis, Mitties DeChamplain, Patti Donnelly, Eileen Patch, Ceil Cwikla, Janis Ross, Jim Coyle, Aunt Doris, Christine, Marilyn Doersam, Gina Rea, Wilma Nauerz, Karla & Dennis Cole, Billy Blackman, Cheyanne Rae, Cindy Anderson, Doris Brink, Libby, Cooper, Ruth Furman, Betty McCurry, Jim Isaminger, Elizabeth Holt, Ryan Lane, and Sarah Harrison-Pautard

**Long Term:** Mother Joelle Szachara, Father Don Mathews, Louise Pierce, Nan Grabowski, Lucy & Lee Grabowski, Chieyann Grabowski, Bella LaMaine, Joy Kasmarcik, Phillip Kasmarcik, Jayden Kasmarcik, Louise Rogers, Sam McMullen, David Pierce, Luther Chergosky, Eli Pierce, Jessica Mc Bride, Lori Szwalla, Tony Szwalla, Ralph Holloway, Bob Gillmer, Clark Byarley, Nanette McIntosh



**Military:** Ben Holbus, Curtis Sholtes, Robert Preston, Joe Gentile, Steven Serbun, Justin Gillmer, and Michael Lake

## **CELEBRATIONS IN AUGUST**



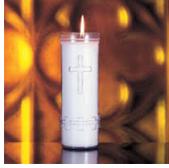
### **Birthdays**

05 Betty McCurry  
06 Kim Trowbridge  
07 Colleen Labosky  
10 Paul Donnelly  
11 Brittany Bardo  
12 Allen Motsko  
15 Ida Taft  
19 Rebekah Heden  
26 Tom Johnson  
28 Clark Byarley  
30 Gary Barkman  
Nancy Kiley



### **Anniversaries**

04 William & Margaret Vollrath  
08 Richard & Cheryl Escott  
09 Allen & Carol Motsko  
16 Dennis & Cindy Cole  
21 Don & Debbie Thorpe



## AUGUST SANCTUARY CANDLE

**The Candle on August 6** is given by Allen and Carol Motsko in memory of his father, William Motsko.

**The Candle on August 13** is given by Marilyn Doersam in memory of her aunt, Helen Feldman and in memory of Mary Howard Doersam, her mother-in-law

**The Candle on August 20** is given by Paul Labosky in memory of his wife, Caroline.

**The Candle on August 27** is given by Allen Motsko in thanksgiving for all the parishioners of All Saints' Church and given by Arleen Foley in memory of her husband, John Foley.



## Altar Flowers AUGUST ALTAR FLOWERS

**The flowers on August 6** are given by Carol & Allen Motsko in thanksgiving for the 37<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Allen & Carol Motsko; given by Allen Motsko in memory of his father, William Motsko; given by Debbie and Donald Thorpe in memory of Teresa Van Dervoot; given by Marilyn Doersam in thanksgiving of the birthday of Laurie Wolfinger, her granddaughter; given by Patti and Paul Donnelly in thanksgiving of her granddaughter's birthday, Madelyn Pease; are given by Marilyn Doersam in thanksgiving of the birthday of Lenny Jago; and are given by Patti Donnelly in thanksgiving for Paul Donnelly's birthday.

**The flowers on August 13** are given by David & Lonna Pierce in thanksgiving for the birthday of their son, Anthony McKeon; and for the 2nd birthday of their granddaughter, Leona McKeon.

**The flowers on August 20** are given by Donald and Debbie Thorpe in memory of Marilyn Thorpe; are given by Donald and Debbie Thorpe in thanksgiving of their anniversary; are given by Marilyn Doersam in thanksgiving for the birthday of her granddaughter, Angela Gasdaska.

**The flowers on August 27** are given by Ceil Cwikla in memory of her granddaughter, Erica Jamgochian; are given by Lonna and David Pierce in thanksgiving for the 7th birthday of their granddaughter, Ava Sophia McKeon and are given by Linda Barkman in thanksgiving of her son's birthday, Gary Barkman.

# All Saints' Christian Education Registration Form

## Child Information

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade for 2016-2017 School Year or Toddler: \_\_\_\_\_  
Any allergies All Saints' should be aware of?  
What? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade for 2016-2017 School Year: \_\_\_\_\_  
Any allergies All Saints' should be aware of?  
What? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade for 2016-2017 School Year or Toddler: \_\_\_\_\_  
Any allergies All Saints' should be aware of?  
What? \_\_\_\_\_



## Parents or Other Relative\* Information

\*Please indicate if parent or other relation (write in relationship, grandmother, aunt, cousin, sister, guardian etc.)

Mother's\* Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Home Phone Number: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's\* Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Home Phone Number: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I/We would like to help by teaching, assisting, crafts or refreshments? (circle choice)

| Sunday  | Monday                              | Tuesday  | Wednesday             | Thursday           | Friday  | Saturday   |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--------------------|---|--|
| <h1>August 2017</h1>  |                                     |  |                       |                    |    |  |
|   |                                     | 1  | 2                     | 3                  | 4   | 5<br>5:00pm HE<br>Fr. Geoff<br>Doolittle         |
| 6 <b>The Transfiguration</b><br>10:00am MP –<br>Judy Horton   | 7                                   | 8<br>Christ Church<br>Stewardship<br>Round Table<br>7:00pm | 9<br>6:30pm<br>Vestry | 10                 | 11  | 12<br>5:00pm EP -<br>Deacon<br>Dorothy<br>Pierce |
| 13 <b>Pentecost 10</b><br>10:00am HE<br>Fr. Geoff<br>Doolittle and<br>Deacon Dorothy<br>Pierce<br><br>Bridgewater<br>2:30pm | 14                                  | 15   | 16                    | 17                 | 18  | 19<br>5:00pm HE<br>Fr. Geoff<br>Doolittle        |
| 20 <b>Pentecost 11</b><br>10:00am HE<br><br>Church Picnic<br>Highland Park<br>#6  | 21<br><b>Crossways<br/>Deadline</b> | 22   | 23                    | 24                 | 25  | 26<br>5:00pm EP –<br>Sue Mahon                   |
| 27 <b>Pentecost 12</b><br>10:00am HE<br>Fr. Geoff<br>Doolittle  | 28                                  | 29   | 30                    | 31<br>Ideal 2:30pm | †By a date indicates that the Rector is away for all or part of the day<br><b>Office Hours: 9:00am to 3:00pm<br/>Tuesday – Thursday</b><br><br><i>Please phone ahead during summer months if you need office help. We do not post vacations on calendars for building security.</i> |  |