

## Witnesses Remembered

### December 21

Mary Ward, 1977

### December 22

Adele Donovan, 2003

### December 23

Myrle Pinkerton, 1998

Donald Murray, 2001

### December 24

Helen Godfrey, 1987

Helen Fellows, 2004

Richard Gibson, Jr., 2014

### December 26

Robert Bell, 1996

Katharine Thomas, 1999

### December 27

Susan Butler, 2018

Dan Mergens, 2020

*This week's altar flowers are given by Rob Williamson in honor of his and Jan's wedding anniversary and Millicent and Norman Long in honor of their 63rd wedding anniversary.*

## Worship Service Schedule

Wednesday 6:00 PM - Family Supper

Saturday 5:00 PM - Holy Eucharist Rite II

Sunday 8:00 AM - Holy Eucharist Rite I

Sunday 9:00 AM - Family Eucharist

Sunday 10:30 AM - Holy Eucharist

## Witnesses Celebrated

### December 21

Emerson Payne

### December 22

Kristen Pennewell

Jake Schneider

Jan Rowley & Rob Williamson

### December 24

Pam Barsness

Dave Prucha

Greta Vaught

### December 27

Dcn. Mark Fredrickson

Maxwell Leddy



# All Saints Episcopal Church December 21 & 22, 2024

## THE WEEK AHEAD

**Mon 12/23** - Pantry on Blondo, 10:00 AM - Noon

**Tues 12/24** - Family Christmas Eve Eucharist, 3:00 PM, Sanctuary

- Festival Eucharist Service, 5:00 PM, Sanctuary

- Christmas Eve Eucharist, 8:00 PM, Chapel

**Wed 12/25** - Christmas Eucharist Service, 10:00 AM, Chapel

**Thu 12/26** - Centering Prayer, 12:00 Noon, Parlor

**Fri 12/27** - AA Meeting, 7:30 PM, Retreat Center

**Sat 12/28** - Holy Eucharist, 5:00 PM In-person & via Facebook Live

**Sun 12/29** - Holy Eucharist, 8:00 AM, Chapel

- Family Holy Eucharist, 9:00 AM, Sanctuary

- Adult Forum, 9:45AM, Library

- Holy Eucharist, 10:30 AM, In-person & via Facebook Live

- Grief Group, 11:30 AM, Parlor

**Mon-Sat** - Morning Prayer, 8:00 AM via Zoom

**The church office will be closed from December 24th through January 5th**

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# Announcements

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## Last Weeks Attendance numbers

|                                  |    |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Wednesday Noon Eucharist:        | 8  |
| Saturday evening Eucharist:      | 28 |
| Sunday 8:00 AM Eucharist:        | 9  |
| Sunday 9:00 AM Family Eucharist: | 90 |
| Sunday 10:30 AM Eucharist:       | 67 |
| Adult Forum                      | 10 |
| Families served from Pantry:     | 95 |

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## Next Nature Walk will be January 5th at Joslyn Art Museum.

Meet at the museum at 1:45 PM or 1:15 in the church lot to carpool. Tour starts at 2:00 PM!

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**Grief group** will meet Sunday, December 29 at 11:30 AM in the parlor. Grief group is open to anyone experiencing the loss of loved ones. For questions, contact Deacon Mark Fredrickson.

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We will celebrate **Epiphany** the weekend of January 4 and 5. There will be King's Cake after the 10:30 AM service on Sunday. Take your chance to find a baby Jesus in your slice of cake!

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Mark Your Calendars! **The annual meeting will be held Sunday, January 19th at the end of the 10:30 AM worship service.** During the meeting we will review the 2024 church year, appoint new vestry members, and approve the 2025 budget

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## Participants in Liturgies December 21 and 22

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| <b>Saturday 5:00 PM Service</b>                     | <b>Sunday 8:00 AM Service</b> |
| Greeter/Usher: Terry Truax                          | Greeter/Usher: Jeanne Prucha  |
| Lector: Ron Creps                                   | Lector: Jeanne Prucha         |
| Chalice: Ardie Cowman                               | Chalice: Greg Carlin          |
| <b>Sunday 9:00 AM Service</b>                       |                               |
| Greeter/Usher: Erin Beiriger, Matt Beiriger         |                               |
| Lector: Erin Beiriger, Evan Beiriger                |                               |
| <b>Sunday 10:30 AM Service</b>                      |                               |
| Greeter/Usher: Greg Mamula, Lisa Mamula, Bruce Reid |                               |
| OT + Psalm: Sharon Jones                            |                               |
| NT + Prayers: Mary Ann Bailey                       |                               |
| Chalice: Mike Roth, Patrice Roth                    |                               |
| Tech: John Bush                                     |                               |
| Vestry Person of the Day: Rob Williamson            |                               |

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

The **2025 Chili Cook-Off and Bake-Off** will be **Sunday, January 19<sup>h</sup>** following the annual meeting. We need a variety of entries in the categories of chili and baked goods to make this event successful! You are not required to sign up in advance. Everyone is invited to taste the samplings and vote for their favorites, regardless of whether or not you submit an entry. Bring plenty of \$1 bills, as that is how the votes are cast. The entry with the most money in each category wins with all proceeds benefiting the All Saints youth programs.

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**The church office will be closed December 24th - January 5th.** There will be no Pantry on Blondo or Wednesday service at noon. For pastoral emergencies, please call the office at 402-393-8612 and select option 8.

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## Next Pantry Sunday is December 29th!

Brrr! The weather has turned cold & The Pantry on Blondo is looking for help to provide some warm clothing for our pantry guests! The Pantry Items of the Month for December will be warm clothing, such as hats, gloves, and scarves! We appreciate your help with this important ministry. Let's all stay warm!

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## Stewardship Drive and 2025 Budget

Thank you for supporting the Stewardship Campaign. We have received **22** new pledges, and repeat pledges are averaging a 7.8% increase. There are 12 pledging individuals and families from last year we have not received a pledge yet for 2025. You can submit your pledge card for 2025 by dropping it in the offering plate, mailing it in, or by emailing Cassie at [finance@allsaintsomaha.org](mailto:finance@allsaintsomaha.org). Extra pledge cards are available in the narthex, or you can contact the office to have one mailed to you. The Vestry will present the 2025 budget during the Annual Meeting on January 19th.

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## Christmas Service times

Carols and Cocoa, December 22, 9:45 AM

## Christmas Eve

3:00 PM Family Eucharist

5:00 PM Festival Eucharist

8:00 PM Christmas Eve Eucharist

## Christmas Day

10:00 AM Christmas Eucharist

## New Year's Day

No 12:00 Noon Eucharist