



# Crossways

The Newsletter of All Saints' Episcopal Church, Johnson City, NY

August 2016  
Vol. 64 No. 6

July 27, 2016

Feast of William Reed Huntington, 1909, Priest

Dear Friends in Christ,

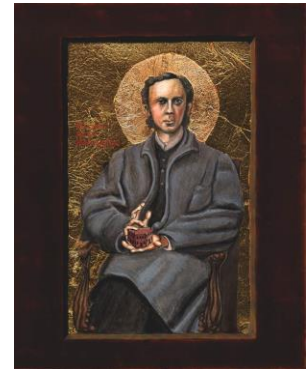
Just mention “The Chicago-Lambeth Quadrilateral 1886, 1888” and heads will start to ache. I think it is probably the name that puts people off: hyphenated and geometric sounding things often do.

Just mention hypotenuse or trapezoid at your next family dinner and see how fast the table is cleared. It was suggested that Brian’s and my married name should have been Day-Israel. That is, until someone put “Temple Beth” in front of Day-Israel.

Seriously, “The Chicago-Lambeth Quadrilateral” (“C-L Q”) at the House Bishops in Chicago in 1886 and at the 1888 Lambeth Conference was one of the first documents proposing a way forward from denominationalism to ecumenicalism—“That they all may be one.” (John 17:21) The “C-L Q” was inspired by an essay in William Reed Huntington’s 1870 book, *The Church Idea*. William Reed Huntington proposed the following markers of faith to achieve unity:

1. The Old and New Testaments contain all things necessary to salvation;
2. The Creeds (specifically, the Apostles' and Nicene Creeds), as the sufficient statement of Christian faith;
3. Two Sacraments of Our Lord: Holy Baptism and Holy Communion;
4. The historic episcopate (succession of bishops consecrating new bishops) locally adapted.

Needless to say, we have not yet achieved William Reed Huntington’s vision of a united, to quote the Nicene Creed, “holy catholic church.” But progress has been made toward that vision. There are ongoing dialogues with the Roman Catholic Church and Orthodox Churches. In 1999 the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America and the Episcopal Church entered in to full communion with “Call to Common Mission.” In 2011 the Episcopal Church and the Moravian Church entered into full communion. Meanwhile there are ongoing dialogues with the United Methodist Church and the Presbyterian Church USA. Similar dialogues are going on in the



Church of England. So nearly 150 years later, contemporary ecumenical endeavors continue the dream of William Reed Huntington and Jesus' prayer for the Church ("That they all may be one.").

Faithfully,

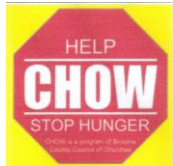


The Rev. Christine J. Day  
Rector



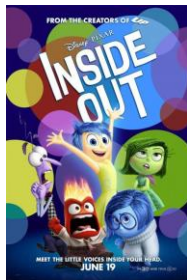
### VESTRY MEETING IN AUGUST: A PICNIC MEETING

There will be a vestry picnic & meeting on August 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm at the Rectory. Please bring a side dish, salad, drink or dessert. The Rector will provide the main course!



**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*



### FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT: *INSIDE OUT* SATURDAY, AUGUST 20<sup>TH</sup> AT 6:15 P.M./6:30 P.M.

The movie for August 20<sup>th</sup> will be *Inside Out*. *Inside Out* is a 2015 animated comedy-drama adventure film produced by Pixar Studios.

It is set in the mind of a young girl named Riley Andersen (Kaitlyn Dias), where five personified emotions—Joy (Amy Poehler), Sadness (Phyllis Smith), Anger (Lewis Black), Fear (Bill Hader), and Disgust (Mindy Kaling)—try to lead her through life as her parents (Diane Lane and Kyle MacLachlan) move from Minnesota to San Francisco and she has to adjust to her new surroundings. Snacks and pizza will be available at 6:15 pm and the movie starts at 6:30 pm.



## **CHURCH PICNIC AND CELEBRATION OF HOLY EUCHARIST: SUNDAY, AUGUST 28<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM AT HIGHLAND PARK!**

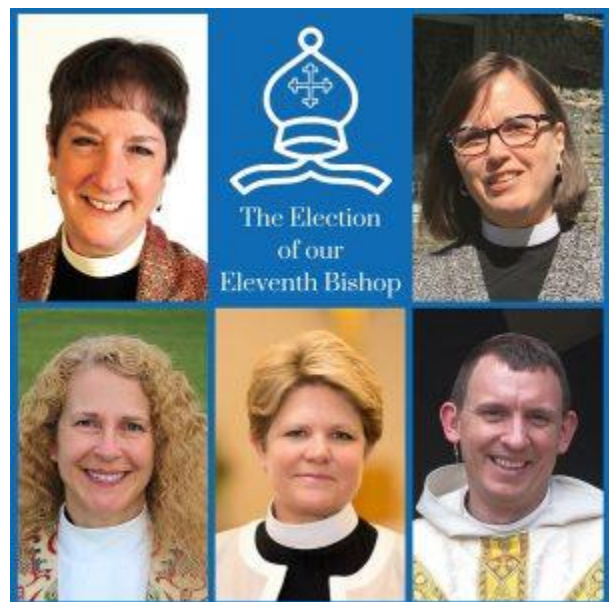
Come one, come all to All Saints' Annual, more or less, Church Picnic and celebration of Holy Eucharist on Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup> beginning at 10 a.m. at Highland Park, Endwell, NY (off of Hooper Road). The day will

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 #1—it's handicapped drop-off—accessible. The church will provide hotdogs and hamburgers. 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). Unfortunately, the Highland Park Carousel is closed for repairs.

## **ELECTION CONVENTION: SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2016 HOLIDAY INN LIVERPOOL, NY!**

The Episcopal Diocese of Central New York will hold a Special Convention to elect our eleventh Bishop on Saturday, August 6, 2016 at the Holiday Inn in Liverpool, New York. The doors will open, and registration will begin, at 7:30 a.m. The Convention will begin at 9:00 a.m.

Active members of the clergy who are unable to attend Convention should notify the bishop in writing and provide the reason for their absence.



All Saints' delegates are Judy Horton and Tom Johnson. God willing, there will be live-feed of the Electing Convention available at [bishopcny.org](http://bishopcny.org) via the Facebook page Bishop Search Episcopal Diocese of Central New York

Please visit [bishopcny.org](http://bishopcny.org) to learn more about the candidates in our Special Election to elect our Eleventh Bishop.

## ATTENTION ALL PAST AND PRESENT ALTAR GUILD MEMBERS

Please check your laundry baskets or linen closets to see if you have any purificators hiding in them. We have very few left in the Sacristy drawers. If you have any questions, please contact either Patti Donnelly or Judy Horton. Thank You.



## SOUP AND SANDWICH SATURDAYS NEWS

Soup and Sandwich Saturday continues to fulfill its mission of giving a meal to all comers. Our numbers have been down, we are not sure why, but we continue to see a mix of families, elderly, and guests who come in alone but

find a friend to sit with while they eat. I have always praised our parish for its generous giving to Soup and Sandwich. I also want to report that we have received a gift from the Universalist Unitarian Church in Binghamton and the Ahamdiya Muslim Community in Vestal.

And this is my editorial moment. Many of the good things that have been coming our way are a direct result of the people who give up a Saturday once a month to serve our neighbors. The atmosphere that is created by our teams is warm and welcoming, not only for our guests but also for those from outside our parish who join us to help. It is really something special. We have periodically received volunteers from the Universalist Unitarian Church and The Ahamdiya Muslim Community. Both groups were so impressed with what we do that they took up a special collection to benefit our program. I am so very thankful for each and everyone who comes to serve.

Another piece of good news. Soup and Sandwich has received a grant from Food Bank of the Southern Tier. This grant is specifically geared to help defray utility cost that we incur throughout the year. As anyone paying a utility bill is aware, these bills can really mount up. Many thanks are sent to the Food Bank for selecting us to receive this money.

Volunteers remain the heart of what we do. Some of our teams are getting sparse in numbers. Please consider becoming a volunteer.

*Debbie Thorpe*

## RESULTS OF JUNE CHICKEN BBQ

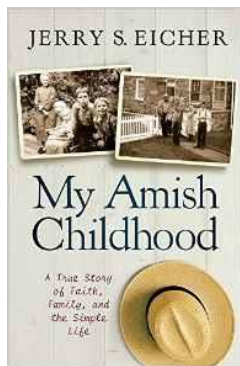
A big thank you to all who supported our June BBQ. Our Profit for the day was \$1,702. Our next big fund raisers will be our JC Fields at beginning of September and then the Cabaret coming up in November 2016.

*Judy Horton*



## LIFE GOES ON MEETINGS FOR AUGUST

Life Goes On holds their monthly luncheon meetings on the 4th Wednesday of each month at 12:30PM at various local restaurants. For August it is August 24. Location to be announced. Life Goes On is a group for all who have lost a family member or a friend. Want to come and give it a try? Call Arlene Foley (607-785-1462; e-mail [arlenefoley@aol.com](mailto:arlenefoley@aol.com))



## BOOK CLUB MEETS NEXT ON AUGUST 24<sup>th</sup> AT 5:30PM AT THE RECTORY: *MY AMISH CHILDHOOD*

Come on Wednesday, August 24<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. to the rectory for Book Club: some fellowship and a discussion of a book—chosen by Book Club members. The Book Club started in July Jerry S. Eicher's memoir, *My Amish Childhood: A True Story of Faith, Family and the Simple Life*. Jerry Eicher is the author Amish themed novels including the *Adams County Trilogy*.

No doubt we'll continue reading and talking about *My Amish Childhood* for our August meeting on August 24<sup>th</sup>. Book Club meetings are usually on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month at 5:30 p.m.

Here's the publisher's blurb:

“Bestselling fiction author Jerry S. Eicher (nearly half a million books sold) turns his pen to a moving memoir of his life growing up Amish.

“Jerry's mother was nineteen years old and nine months married when he was born. She had received Grandfather Stoll's permission for the wedding because she agreed to help out on the farm the following year. However, with Jerry on the way, those plans failed.

“Jerry recounts his first two years of school in the Amish community of Aylmer, Ontario and his parents' decision to move to Honduras. Life in that beautiful Central American country is seen through an Amish boy's eyes—and then the dark days when the community failed and the family returned to America, much to young Jerry's regret. Jerry also tells of his struggle as a stutterer and his eventual conversion to Christ and the reasons for his departure from the childhood faith he knew.

“Here is a must-read for not just Jerry's fiction fans, but also for readers curious about Amish life.”

So pick up a copy (paperback \$11.27 and e-book \$10.99) and come on August 24<sup>th</sup>!

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

SEPTEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup> -5<sup>TH</sup> ----

JOHNSON CITY FIELD DAYS!

ORIENTATION MEETING: SUNDAY

AUGUST 14<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 2<sup>nd</sup> through Monday, September 5<sup>th</sup>. It is one of All Saints "other fundraisers" (other than the

the chicken barbeques) 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 14<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***

I must apologize for not keeping the *Crossways* up to date with the events that are happening in the Sunday school. We average anywhere between 2 to 8 children a week. We have finished with the Weaving God’s Promises Curriculum. 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? Also please use the attached registration form to sign-up your children or to volunteer to help or assist in any way.

*Barrilyn Polhamus*

**WELCOME BACK PICNIC SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 18<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.

# MINISTRY



# ASSISTANTS

## ROSTERS FOR OCTOBER, NOVEMBER, DECEMBER 2016 AND JANUARY 2017

Please notify Bob Steber, Don Thorpe or Gary Zurn of dates for which you would not be available for assignment in those upcoming months.

It is important that changes in Ministry Assignments be emailed or phoned to the office so that Mother Chris, 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.

## Flower Fund and Sanctuary Candle Forms for July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017



[Flower Fund](#) and [Sanctuary Candle](#) Forms for July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 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.](#)**

## DOLLAR\$&CENTS MAY & JUNE 2016

All Saints' 2016 budget—it is not a balanced budget. It is once again a “faith-based” budget. In other words, it will require faith to create \$14,524 more income for 2016 for operating expenses than budgeted. The need for \$ 14,524 in “Faith Income” for 2016 is primarily due to pledge income remaining flat and expenses which have increased about 6%. (Compare 2016 with 59 pledges for a total of \$129,454 to 2015 with 56 pledges for a total of \$126,226). In 2016 a monthly income of \$15,506 will be needed to balance the expenses.

As *Crossways* goes to press before the most recent monthly bank statements and parish financial statements are prepared, “Dollars & Cents” provides information for the previous month: in this case May and June 2016 for the August issue of *Crossways*. Please try to keep up your pledges during the summer. All Saints' expenses do not go on vacation. It really helps All Saints' cash

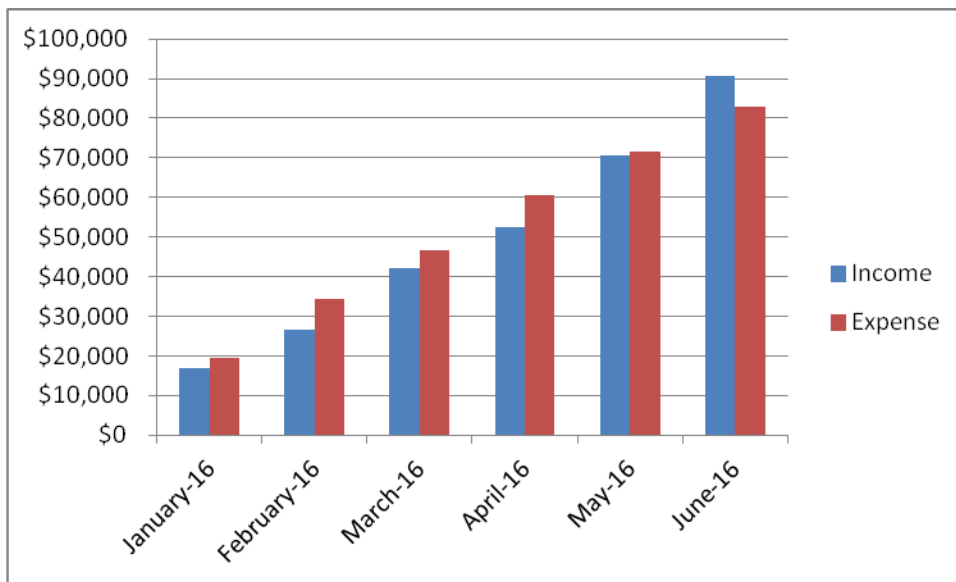


flow. Better yet, make a gift to “faith income!” Truly, with “God all things are possible” (Mt. 19:26)

	Actual as of May 31, 2016	Actual as of June 30, 2016	Annual Budget 2016
Offering & Pledges	\$54,942	\$65,910	\$143,504
Fundraising †	\$5,647	\$8,616	\$18,450
Other Income	\$10,145	\$16,056	\$9,590
Faith Income	\$0	\$0	<b>\$14,524</b>
Total Income	\$70,734	\$90,582	\$186,068
Total Expenses	\$71,486	\$82,842	\$186,068
Profit (Loss)	(\$752)	\$7,740	\$0

‡Please note that in 2016 the gross income, not net is included on this line. Also, the fact that September (Field Days) and Cabaret (November) are still to come.

†Expenses include quarterly payments for insurance, etc.



As of May 31, 2016	Total May 2016	As of June 30, 2016	Total June 2016
\$70,734	\$90,582	\$90,582	\$186,068
\$71,486	\$82,842	\$82,842	\$186,068
(\$752)	\$7,740	\$7,740	\$0

Cash and Cash Equivalents		
Petty Cash	\$400	\$400
<u>All Saints' Checking</u>	<u>\$11,768</u>	<u>\$17,180</u>
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$12,168	\$17,580
Savings Accounts		
Soup & Sandwiches Savings	\$2,849	\$2,849
Designated Funds	\$9,954	9954
<u>Rebuilding All Saints'*</u>	<u>\$43</u>	<u>43</u>
Total Savings	\$12,846	\$12,846
Total Cash & Savings	\$25,014	\$30,426
UIF Investment Funds*	\$26,607	26607
Total Cash, Savings, Investments	\$51,621	\$57,033

## 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:** Suzanne and the Edwards family, Jim and the Keough Family, Costello family, Jill Whitley, Bonnie & John Mando, Colby & Jim Vollrath, Hank Scott, Betty & Robert McCurry, Peg Fuller, Don Bennett, David Pierce, Ruth Furman, Tom Tinder, Jim Isaminger, Ryan Lane, Gloria, Denny & Jason Diaferio, Sandra Perry, Laura Harmon, Rev. Joell Szachara, Jane Chomyszak, Eloise Lowe, Joseph Dotolo, and Sarah Harrison-Pautard  
**Long Term:** Phillip LaMaine, Joy Kasmarcik, Alicia LaMaine, Jaden Kasmarcik, Bella LaMaine,

**Long Term:** Lucy & Lee Grabowski, Nancy Grabowski, Chieyann Grabowski, LaVonne Zdimal, Sam McMullen, Eli Pierce, Dreux Cook, Louise Rogers, Jessica Mc Bride, Lorie Szwalla, Luther Chergosky, Tony Szwalla, Dick Kimble, Kayleigh Mahon, Ralph Holloway Patricia Holloway, Connie Whalen, Bob Gillmer, Clark Byarley, Nanette McIntosh and Megan Gillmer



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

## **CELEBRATIONS IN AUGUST**

### **Birthdays**

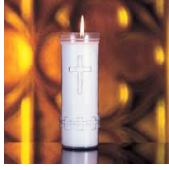


04 Donovan Hollenbeck  
Sabrina Sholtes  
05 Betty McCurry  
06 Kim Trowbridge  
07 Colleen Labosky  
Michael Saleeby  
10 Paul Donnelly  
11 Brittany Bardo  
12 Allen Motsko  
15 Ida Taft  
19 Rebekah Heden  
25 Alan Sholtes  
26 Tom Johnson  
28 Clark Byarley  
30 Gary Barkman  
Nancy Kiley



### **Anniversaries**

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



## AUGUST SANCTUARY CANDLE

**The Candle on August 7** is given by Allen Motsko in memory of his father, William Motsko.

**The Candle on August 14** 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 21** is given by Paul Labosky in memory of his wife, Caroline.

**The Candle on August 28** is given by Allen Motsko in thanksgiving for all the parishioners of All Saints' Church.



Altar Flowers

## AUGUST ALTAR FLOWERS

**The flowers on August 7** are given by Carol & Allen Motsko in thanksgiving for the 36<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 14** are given by David & Lonna Pierce in thanksgiving for the birthday of their son, Anthony McKeon; and are given by David & Lonna Pierce in thanksgiving for the 1<sup>st</sup> birthday of Leona McKeon, their granddaughter.

**The flowers on August 21** are given by David & Lonna Pierce in thanksgiving for the wedding anniversaries of Ramon & Aria Jimenez and Finian & Yvonne McKeon; 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; and are given in thanksgiving of the Baptism of their grandson William Ryan Hickey, by Nancy & Larry Kiley.

**The flowers on August 28** are given by Ceil Cwikla in memory of her granddaughter, Erica Jamgochian; are given by Lonna and David Pierce in thanksgiving for the birthday of their granddaughter, Ava Sophia McKeon and are given by Linda Barkman in thanksgiving of her son's birthday, Gary Barkman.

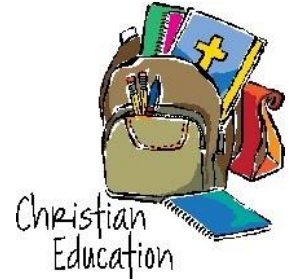
# All Saints' Christian Education Registration Form

## 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, 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 2016</h1>						
	1	2 6:30pm - PB&B	3 10:00am HE	4	5 †	6† <b>Electing Convention</b> 12:00 Noon Soup & Sandwich Lunch <b>5:00pm EP</b>
7 <b>Pentecost 8</b> 10:00am HE EOW	8 †	9	10 † 10:00am HE 6:30pm Vestry Meeting picnic @ rectory	11	12	13 † 12:00 Noon Soup & Sandwich Lunch <b>5:00pm EP</b>
14 <b>Pentecost 9</b> †10:00am HE  lemonade on the lawn after church  2:30pm HE @ Susquehanna Nursing	15	16 †	17 † 10:00am HE	18	19	20 12:00 Noon Soup & Sandwich Lunch 5:00pm HE 6:15pm Movie night
21 <b>Pentecost 10</b> 10:00am Hickey Family Baptism and HE Rite II	22	23 †	24 10:00am HE 12:30pm Life Goes On 5:30pm Book Club	25	26	27 12:00 Noon Soup & Sandwich Lunch 5:00pm HE
28 <b>Pentecost 11</b> †10:00am HE EOW @ Highland Park Endwell followed by church picnic  2:30pm HE @ Susquehanna Nursing	29	30	31 10:00am HE	<p><b>Office Hours:</b> Tues-Thurs. 9-3 † By a date indicates that the Rector is away.</p> <p><b>Vacations</b> are not marked on this bulletin for security purposes. Phone ahead if coming to the office Monday–Thursday to make sure someone is here.</p> <p><b>If you have a pastoral emergency,</b> please phone the numbers provided on bulletins &amp; in this issue.</p>		