

Maureen's Haven is returning to the Presbyterian Church in Southampton. They will be there one Saturday night per month. Many have volunteered to make dinners this year, and St. John's is scheduled to prepare and serve dinner on Saturday, November 11, 2023.

Below is our schedule to provide lunch or pre-packaged snacks, drinks and desserts for our friends of Maureen's Haven:

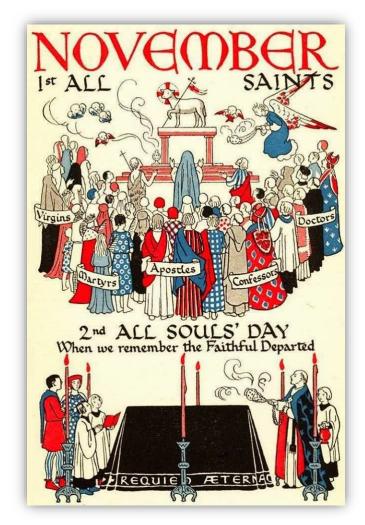
- Saturday, 11/11/23: pre-packaged dinner snacks (popcorn, chips, granola bars, pretzels, etc), dinner (a meat dish, a chicken dish, veggies, a starch and a salad), pre-packaged dessert and pre-packaged beverage (soda, juice, lemonade, iced tea)
- Saturday 12/9/23: lunches- a meat sandwich, a bottle of water or juice, fruit and snack.
- Saturday 1/13/23: pre-packaged snacks and dessert
- Saturday 3/9/23: pre-packaged beverages, pre-packaged dessert and lunches

We can meet at St. John's to pack everything up and then drop off at Presbyterian Church.

Bridgehampton Child Care and Recreational Center will also be hosting Maureen's Haven once a week for the remainder of the year. Please let Florence Rolston know if you're interested in serving dinner there too.

We thank you for your generosity and willingness to spread God's love to our neighbors in need.

St. John's Episcopal Church



The Commemoration of the Faithful Departed All Souls' Day

The Commemoration of the Faithful Departed (All Souls') November 2, 2023 7:00 PM

Welcome! Please observe silence before the service for prayer and meditation. Also, Please turn off all mobile telephones and electronic devices with audible alarms.

Opening Anthem

Officiant: I am Resurrection and I am Life, says the Lord. Whoever has faith in me shall have life, even though he die. And everyone who has life, and has committed himself to me in faith, shall not die for ever.

As for me, I know that my Redeemer lives and that at the last he will stand upon the earth. After my awaking, he will raise me up; and in my body I shall see God. I myself shall see, and my eyes behold him who is my friend and not a stranger.

For none of us has life in himself, and none becomes his own master when he dies. For if we have life, we are alive in the Lord, and if we die, we die in the Lord. So, then, whether we live or die, we are the Lord's possession.

Happy from now on are those who die in the Lord! So it is, says the Spirit, for they rest from their labors.

Officiant: The Lord be with you. *People:* **And also with you.** *Officiant:* Let us pray.

Eternal God, our maker and redeemer, grant us, with all the faithful departed, the sure benefits of your Son's saving passion and glorious resurrection that, in the last day, when you

The Commendation

People: Give rest, O Christ, to your servants with your saints, where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing, but life everlasting.

Officiant: You only are immortal, the creator and maker of mankind; and we are mortal, formed of the earth, and to earth shall we return. For so did you ordain when you created me, saying, "You are dust, and to dust you shall return." All of us go down to the dust; yet even at the grave we make our song: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

People: Give rest, O Christ, to your servants with your saints, where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing, but life everlasting.

Officiant: Into your hands, O merciful Savior, we commend your servants. Acknowledge, we humbly beseech you, sheep of your own fold, lambs of your own flock, sinners of your own redeeming. Receive them into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light. **Amen.**

Officiant: Let us go forth in the name of Christ. *People:* **Thanks be to God.**

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but pardoning our offenses, through Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. *Celebrant and People;* **AMEN.**

The Lord's Prayer

And now, as our Saviour Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say:

Celebrant and people pray together.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

CelebrantAlleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;PeopleTherefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The Invitation to Communion

This is a celebration of the Holy Eucharist in the Episcopal Church. All baptized Christians, regardless of denomination, are welcome to receive the real and living presence of Christ in this Holy Communion. To receive the Bread, extend your hands upward, palms crossed. When receiving the Wine, please guide the chalice as it is offered. If you prefer you may retain the Bread to dip into the Wine and place on your tongue. Anyone may come forward for a blessing in lieu of Communion. Please indicate your desire for a blessing by crossing your arms on your chest.

The Postcommunion Prayer

(Kneeling, say together)

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The Post-Communion Prayer

Almighty God, we thank you that in your great love you have fed us with the spiritual food and drink of the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ, and have given us a foretaste of your heavenly banquet. Grant that this Sacrament may be to us a comfort in affliction, and a pledge of our inheritance in that kingdom where there is no death, neither sorrow nor crying, but the fullness of joy with all your saints; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen. gather up all things in Christ, we may with them enjoy the fullness of your promises; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word

The Old Testament

A Reading from the Book of Wisdom

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them forever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones,

and he watches over his elect

The Word of the Lord *People:* Thanks be to God

Psalm 130

Out of the depths have I called to you, O LORD;
LORD, hear my voice; *
let your ears consider well the voice of my supplication.

- 2 If you, Lord, were to note what is done amiss, * O Lord, who could stand?
- 3 For there is forgiveness with you; * therefore you shall be feared.

The Epistle

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

A Reading from the First Letter of Saint Peter to the Thessalonians

But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died. For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage one another with these words.

The Word of the Lord *People:* **Thanks be to God**

The GospelJohn 5:24–27The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint JohnPeople Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Very truly, I tell you, anyone who hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life, and does not come under judgment, but has passed from death to life. "Very truly, I tell you, the hour is coming, and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live. For just as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself; and he has given him authority to execute judgment, because he is the Son of Man.

The Gospel of the Lord *People* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Celebrant: All glory be to thee, Almighty God, our heavenly Father, for that thou, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks, he brake it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, 'Drink ye all of this; for this is my Blood of the New Testament, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, according to the institution of thy dearly beloved Son our Savior Jesus Christ, we, thy humble servants, do celebrate and make here before thy divine Majesty, with these thy holy gifts, which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; rendering unto thee most hearty thanks for the innumerable benefits procured unto us by the same.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us; and, of thy almighty goodness, vouchsafe to bless and sanctify, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, these thy gifts and creatures of bread and wine; that we, receiving them according to thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; most humbly beseeching thee to grant that, by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in his blood, we, and all thy whole Church, may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion.

And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee; humbly beseeching thee that we, and all others who shall be partakers of this Holy Communion, may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction, and made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him.

And although we are unworthy, through our manifold sins, to offer unto thee any sacrifice, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits,

Grant to them eternal rest. Let light perpetual shine upon them. May the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

The Peace

CelebrantThe Peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd with thy spirit.The Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

The Liturgy of the Table

The Offertory

All things come of Thee, O Lord, and of Thine own have we given Thee. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

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Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	And with thy spirit.
Celebrant	Lift up your hearts.
People	We lift them up unto the Lord.
Celebrant	Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
People	It is meet and right so to do.
Celebrant proceed	ds

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who rose victorious from the dead, and doth comfort us with the blessed hope of everlasting life; for to thy faithful people, O Lord, life is changed, not ended; and when our mortal body doth lie in death, there is prepared for us a dwelling place eternal in the heavens. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

Sanctus and Benedictus qui venit

CelebrantHoly, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:and PeopleHeaven and earth are full of thy glory.Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.Hosanna in the highest.

Sermon

The Rev'd W. Patrick Edwards

Apostles' Creed

Officiant: In the assurance of eternal life given at Baptism, let us proclaim our faith and say,

Officiant and People: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

Officiant: For our dearly departed, let us pray to our Lord Jesus Christ who said, "I am Resurrection and I am Life."

Officiant: Lord, you consoled Martha and Mary in their distress; draw near to us who mourn, and dry the tears of those who weep. *People:* Hear us, Lord.

Officiant: You wept at the grave of Lazarus, your friend; comfort us in our sorrow. *People:* Hear us, Lord.

Officiant: You raised the dead to life; give to our departed eternal life. *People:* **Hear us, Lord.**

Officiant: You promised paradise to the thief who repented; bring them to the joys of heaven. *People:* Hear us, Lord.

Officiant: They were washed in Baptism and anointed with the Holy Spirit; give them fellowship with all your saints. *People:* Hear us, Lord.

Officiant: they were nourished them with your Body and Blood; grant them a place at the table in your heavenly kingdom. *People:* **Hear us, Lord.**

Officiant: Comfort us in our sorrows at the death of our beloveds, let our faith be our consolation, and eternal life our hope.

Officiant:

Father of all, we pray to you for all those whom we love but see no longer, remembering especially:

Sefton Abbott Jean Abbott Fr. Steven Peay Ruth Lord Coupie Lord Fr. Charles Stewart Deacon Richard Campbell Cat MacRue Colleen Frankenbach Julia Dyett William Frankenbach Susan Frances Herman Sam Price Ben Griffith Fred Kelling **Rick Kelling** Ora Kelling Phillip Holme & Loved Ones Mark Caldwell Marc Dimon of the Holme Family Kim & Maria Kirsten Will Kirsten Frederic Postle Warren Hamer Donald Keck Carroll Moulton Eva Mae Hulsey Charles Moulton John Klemuk Eddie Foy Patty McBride Zelda Hammock Larry Moran Marinder Tuli Ward Murphy Barbara Jean Doberty Joyce Stengel Kyoko Sato William F. McCoy Jr. Paul Seymour Gayle Gary John Shimkus Gladys Walsham Brigid Lee Lisman Rosie Eriacho A. Brean Murrey Bruce Hackett Ethel Lee Helen Rowar John Rowar Cecil Eriacho Stephen Fraser Johnson Claudette Gabriel Karabey Viola Lee Jarl Rudolph Trapp

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Angeline Lee Tom Ortiz Edwin Kayonnie Eddie Kayonnie Art Soderberg Edward Ireton John L. Griffin Steve Marcin Portia & Irl Flanagan Jean & Robert Esposit Carol Jack Grimm Frances & Jay Rogers Bob Blum Jav Blum Eugene Scanlon Lillian Scanlon Louis Willumsen Florence Willumsen Forrest D. Graham Roy & Marjorie Bonsness William Greaves John Leo Reilly Ken & Vanette Chambers Ken & Emma Gillespie Doris Meidinger Christopher Pilaro Peter Lucas "Moon" Vahradian Irene Vahradian Maurice Gutierrez Anastasia Joseph Jeannie Strudas George Slaughter Scott Slaughter Bill & Marlene Warner Jimmy Ferrer Cecilie Hurley