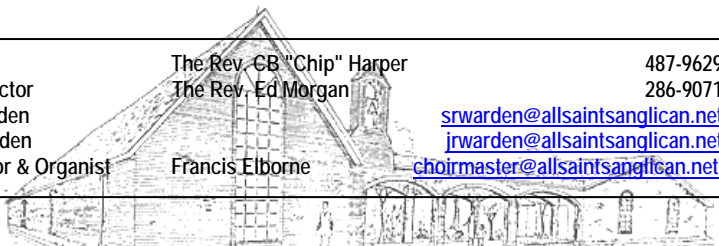


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*~The Collect for Easter Sunday—prayed every day this week~
 Almighty God, who through thine only-begotten Son Jesus Christ has overcome death, and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life; We humbly beseech thee that, as by thy special grace preventing us thou dost put into our minds good desires, so by thy continual help we may bring the same to good effect; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost ever, one God, world without end. Amen.*

-Today's Liturgy Lesson-
 Today is Easter Sunday, a term derived from the old Anglo-Saxon word Eostre, which designated the month of April, in which this 40-day feast most commonly begins and on which we celebrate three great facts. First, our Lord's divinity—for while others were raised from the dead, He arose by His own inherent power, gaining victory over death for us all. Next, it established the immortality of our spirits, which before the Resurrection was only a matter of speculation. Finally, His Resurrection underscored God's seal of approval—and validated everything Christ claimed and taught. Easter is, then, rightly the queen of all Christian festivals and is the hinge point of our faith. No wonder St. Paul wrote, "...if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins. Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ are lost. If only for this life we have hope in Christ, we are to be pitied more than all men. But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep." He is risen ... He is risen, indeed—our Hope of Glory—alleluia!!

Ancient... Classical... Scriptural... Spirit-led

**April 4, 2010
 Easter Sunday
 ~ Holy Communion~**

Our Mission
Be an authentic, orthodox, and Scripturally-faithful Anglican Christian parish, providing for victorious Christian living through vigorous, Spirit-led ministry in Word, Liturgy, Sacrament, and outreach to the unchurched, out of church, and unsaved.

All Saints Anglican Church is a Christ-centered, Bible-believing and Spirit-led parish using the 1928 Book of Common Prayer in liturgy. We welcome visiting baptized Christians from all backgrounds to His Table and proclaim our wonderful Lord to those who don't know Him.

~Order of Worship~
April 4, 2010

Easter Day
Blessing of the Paschal Candle and Holy Communion

SOUNDING OF THE SHOFAR
CALL TO WORSHIP*

Mr Henry Rios

LIGHTING AND
PROCESSION OF THE PASCHAL CANDLE*

**11:00am service only*

Introit: *I Am risen and am still with thee, Alleluia.*

Opening prayer

V. The Lord be with you.
R. *And with thy spirit*
V. Let us pray.

Rejoice, now, all ye heavenly hosts of angels, for the King who cometh with victory let the trumpet proclaim salvation.

Sing with joy, O earth, illumined with celestial splendor, and the glory of the eternal King, for the darkness of the world has now been put away.

Be joyful, O Church, adorned with the radiancy of so great a light, and let your holy courts resound in praise, with the voices of thy people.

Wherefore, beloved brethren, all ye who seek this heavenly brightness, I beseech you to pray God Almighty, that He would show forth His mercy towards us, through our Lord Jesus Christ, His only Son, who liveth and reigneth with Him, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, ever, one God, world without end, **AMEN.**

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS!

Welcome, Visitors! Please drop a completed "Visitor" card in the offering plate & sign our Guest Book in the Narthex..
After worship, join us in Ballard Hall for coffee & Christian fellowship

Please join us in Ballard Hall for a reception following the service

THIS WEEK:

- + Tonight:
NO Koinonia or Youth Group
- + Wednesday:
NO Wednesday Night Supper Club, worship service, or choir practice
- + Thursday:
NO Men's Group
- + Saturday:
8:30 AM Morning Prayer
9:00 AM Beth Moore Bible Study

The parish office will be closed until Saturday, April 10th.

There will be Morning Prayer at 8:00 AM but NO 9:00 AM service or Sunday School/Children's Church next Sunday, then the regular schedule will resume beginning with the 11:15 AM service.

COMING UP:

- + **Worship Next Sunday:** Morning Prayer 8 AM Holy Communion 11:15; **NO 9:00 Service or Sunday School;** Koinonia at 6 PM
- + **Intercessory Prayer Training:** Intercessory Prayer training will be conducted on May 1st. Please purchase a copy of *The Sword of the Spirit* prior to attending training.
- + **Is your membership info correct?** We are trying to update new membership software. To add info or correct errors, e-mail admin@allsaintsanglican.net

OPPORTUNITIES:

- + **Ready to join our parish family?** Please complete the membership form on the Web site or in the narthex to be added to our roster.
- + **Need Personal Ministry?** For healing, private confession, spiritual counseling, house blessing, or a Pastoral visit, call the parish office at 344-1920.
- + **Ready to serve?** *hospitality, teacher, nursery, greeter, helper, flower guild, altar guild, intercessor, layreader, acolyte!* Complete time & talent survey or call office at 344-1920

SPECIAL (AND BLESSED) OCCASIONS ON OUR CALENDAR:

Happy Birthday to: Emily Pratt (April 9th) and Nkechi Okolo (April 9th)
May the Lord bless them with many more years, & in our parish family!

***Healing Prayers: (between Sunday services or anytime requested)**
Parish offices: OPEN Wed-Sat 10AM-5PM / CLOSED Mon. & Tue.
For more information, visit www.allsaintsanglican.net
or call 210-344-1920

Let us know if you need a pastoral call or visit

V. The Lord be with you.
 R. *And with thy spirit*
 V. Lift up your hearts.
 R. *We lift them up unto the Lord.*
 V. let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
 R. *It is meet and right so to do.*

It is very meet, right and our bounden duty, that we should at all times and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Father Almighty, invisible God, and to thine only begotten Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; for this is the Paschal Feast wherein the true Lamb is slain, who by His death hath destroyed death, and by His rising to life again hath restored us to everlasting life. This is the time wherein thou didst send forth our fathers, the children of Israel, out of Egypt, making them pass over the Red Sea on dry land. This is the time, wherein all who believe in Christ are delivered from the shadow of death, and are renewed unto grace and made partakers of everlasting life. This is the time, wherein Christ loosed the bonds of Hell, and from the grave did rise victorious over sin and death. How wonderful thou art, O God, in thy loving-kindness unto us, that to redeem a servant, thou didst give up thine only Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **AMEN.**

(The Priest shall light the Paschal Candle. And from its light shall all the other candles and lights in the church be illuminated. After that, the Priest continues)

We therefore pray thee, O Lord, that thou wouldest direct, sanctify, and govern us thy servants, and all thy faithful family, with thy continual grace, that we may pass our time in peace and gladness, in the festival of our redemption; through Jesus Christ, thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, ever, one God, world without end. **AMEN.**

V. The Light of Christ
 R. *Thanks be to God.*

THE PROCESSION BEGINS

stand Hymn: [85 Jesus Christ is Risen Today](#)

~HOLY COMMUNION~

Kneel	Collect for Purity		P. 67
	Decalogue	<i>Missa Sancta Maria Magdalena : Healey Willan</i>	P. 69
	<u>Collect of the Day</u>		P. 163
sit	The Epistle	<u>Colossians iii.1-4</u>	P. 164
stand	Alleluia	Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us. Alleluia.	
	Gloria Tibi/Laus Tibi	730	P. 70
	The Holy Gospel	<u>St. John xx.1-10</u>	P. 164
	Nicene Creed		P. 71
sit	Announcements		
sit	Flowering of the Cross-11am only	<i>This Joyful Eastertide : traditional</i>	
	Homily — Father Chip Harper		
sit	Offertory Sentences		P. 72
sit	Offertory	<i>Alleluia : Handel</i>	
kneel	Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church		P. 74
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	Agnus Dei	<i>Missa Sancta Maria Magdalena : Healey Willan</i>	
	<i>Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ our Passover is Sacrificed for Us!</i>		
	People: Therefore, Let Us Keep the Feast—Alleluia!		
	HOLY COMMUNION		
	Anthem	<i>An Awakening : Walker Robson</i>	
	Communion Hymns	<u>95(2) Christ the Lord is Risen Today</u> <u>197 Let all Mortal Flesh</u>	
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stand	Gloria in Excelsis	739	P. 84
kneel	Blessing		P. 84
stand	Recessional Hymn	<u>91 The Strife is O'er</u>	
kneel	Closing Prayer		
	The Dismissal (after candles are out)		

Let Us Go Forth in JOY to Love and Serve the Lord —
Thanks Be to God! Alleluia!