

# all saints' carillon



*Encounter God through Christ; Be Transformed by the Holy Spirit; Proclaim Christ through Word and Action.*

August 2007

## FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK . . . . .

For once, as I write this article, I am in my office instead of on plane flying across the country. That is a very welcome change for me. In fact July has let me hang around All Saints' for the entire month except for six days. I had a trip to Eugene, and for three days of the last week in July, I will be in Fort Worth for the third annual Anglican Communion Network Council meeting. There should be some very exciting news out of that meeting.

The best news for me is that two days after returning from that meeting, Claudia and I will be heading out for our vacation. That will be very nice for us.

I do very much enjoy being able to spend as much time in the parish as I have lately. This is where my roots are. This is where the core of my ministry has been for 36 years of ordained ministry. This is where the people I love most gather together. Don't get me wrong. I do like the excitement of being able to contribute a small bit of myself to the larger cause. However, All Saints' is my home in so many ways.

Think about it, however, there is something not quite correct about my last sentence. That statement was not precise enough. All Saints' is **not** my home. The **Christian community** of All Saints' is my home. It is the Christians who are part of and do the ministry of All Saints' that constitute my home. It is you.

As we move into a time in the life of All Saints' that is a little more uncertain than we thought it would be by this time, let us all remember that the essence of All Saints' is not the building at 346 Termino Ave., but the people who worship, learn, serve, study, and witness the love of Christ there that are the reality of All Saints'.

I would prefer for us to keep the property, as would most of us. However, we must remember that as long as we have each other and as long as we are focused on Christ, we can never lose All Saints'. All Saints' is you!



## MORE LAY READERS!

Due to overwhelming demand, there will be another Lay Reader training course offered by Fr. White on three consecutive Saturdays: August 11, 18 and 25, 2007, starting at 9 am with Mass, ending by noon. Snacks will be provided.

Anyone interested who has not already contacted the church office, can still do so up until August 9.

Trainees will need to attend **all three sessions**. Make-up times for one session may be arranged with Fr. White for reasonable cause.

Current Lay Readers are invited but not required to attend any or all sessions.



## MEN'S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays, August 1-29

Eucharist — 6:00 pm • Brown Bag Dinner – 6:30 pm • Study – 7:00 to 8:30 pm

“The Book of Joshua” led by Fr. Don.

Open to all men 16 and older. Sign up on the kiosk.

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## WOMEN OF ALL SAINTS': A CONFERENCE OPPORTUNITY

Location: Honda Center, Anaheim, CA

**Date:** Friday and Saturday, September 7-9

**Time:** Pre-Conference: Friday, 9 am—3 pm

Conference: Friday, 7 pm—9:30 pm, Saturday, 9 am—5 pm

**Cost:** \$55 (10 or more) \$65 (1-9)

The highly acclaimed Women of Faith are bringing a conference to our area called the Women of Faith Amazing Freedom Conference. It is all about the boldest promise in the Bible—the promise of freedom, no matter what our circumstances. There is also a pre-conference to be led by Sheila Walsh and Dr. Henry Cloud (author of *Boundaries*) entitled “God Has a Dream for Your Life” at no extra cost.\* A box lunch is included for Saturday. I am hoping that many of us will choose to come together and take advantage of this time for some enjoyable fellowship and learning. If interested, please e-mail me at [susan.white@uia.net](mailto:susan.white@uia.net) or call the parish office at 438-3650.

Blessings in Christ, *Susan*

\*Bet me! — I’ve been hanging around with God for some time, and there’s always and “extra cost”! — *Fr. Don*

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## NEXT PARISH BAPTISM

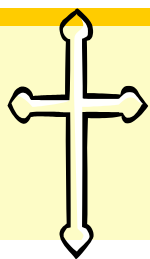
The next parish baptism: **Sunday, October 7** at 10:00 am. Mandatory pre-baptismal training sessions: 9:00 am Sunday, September 23, 30 and October 7. Sponsors and godparents encouraged to attend the final class. If you desire to be baptized or have a child baptized, or if you have any questions, please contact Fr. Thompson. Subsequent days for baptism: January 13, 2008 at 10 am, the Feast of the Baptism of our Lord Jesus Christ, and Easter Day, March 23 at 5:30 am.

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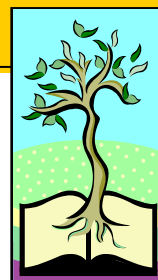
**PLEASE KINDLY REMEMBER:** before you leave on your vacation or other summer activities, please bring or mail your tithes and offerings to the church—all our ministries continue at All Saints', as do the expenses that go with them.

# ALL SAINTS' – AUGUST 2007

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 10 am Women's AA 6 pm Mass 6:30 pm Men's Summer Dinner & Bible Study 6:45 pm Prayer Bible Study 7:30 pm House Church— Albright	2 10 am Mass 6:30 pm Greek Class 7:30 pm Choir	3 9 am Mass 8 pm AA	4 9 am Mass 9:30 am Altar Guild  Fr. Thompson vacation 8/4-18
Fr. Thompson at ACN meetings 7/29–8/1						
5 7:30 am Mass 8:30 am Breakfast Club 9 am Adult Christian Ed. 9-9:20 am Children's Worship 9:25-10:25 am Children's Summer Church School 10 am Mass 10:45 am Children join parents	6 THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD 10 am Mass 6 pm Nicotine Anon.	7 6:30 am Mass 6 pm House Church— Howats 7 pm South Bay Home Fellowship 7 pm N Long Beach House Church	8 10 am Women's AA 6 pm Mass 6:30 pm Men's Summer Dinner & Bible Study 6:45 pm Prayer Bible Study 7:30 pm House Church— Albright	9 10 am Mass 6:30 pm Greek Class 7:30 pm Choir	10 9 am Mass 8 pm AA	11 9 am Mass 9:30 am–Noon Lay Reader Training
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26 7:30 am Mass 8:30 am Breakfast Club 9 am Christian Education for all ages 10 am Family Chapel 10 am Mass	27 10 am Mass 6 pm Nicotine Anon.	28 6:30 am Mass 9 am Carillon mailing 6:30 pm Women's Council 7 pm South Bay Home Fellowship 7 pm N Long Beach House Church	29 10 am Women's AA 6 pm Mass 6:30 pm Men's Summer Dinner & Bible Study concludes 6:45 pm Prayer Bible Study 7:30 pm House Church— Albright	30 10 am Mass 6:30 pm Greek Class 7:30 pm Choir	31 9 am Mass 8 pm AA	
Fr. Thompson in Africa 8/27–9/5						



# AUGUST EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES



## HOLY DAYS IN AUGUST

**August 6**

Feast of the  
Transfiguration  
of our Lord  
Mass at 10:00 am

**August 15**

Feast of the St.  
Mary, the Virgin  
Mass at 6:00 pm

**August 24**

Feast of  
St. Bartholomew,  
the Apostle  
Mass at 9:00 am

## SUNDAY SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR AUGUST

August 5	August 12	August 19	August 26
10 Pentecost	11 Pentecost	12 Pentecost	13 Pentecost
Psalms 49	Psalms 33	Psalms 82	Psalms 46
Ecclesiastes 1:12-14; 2:1-23	Genesis 15:1-6	Jeremiah 23:23-29	Isaiah 28:14-22
Colossians 3:5-17	Hebrews 11:1-16	Hebrews 12:1-14	Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-29
Luke 12:13-21	Luke 12:32-40	Luke 12:49-56	Luke 13:22-30

## MEN



**August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29**

6:30 pm

Men's Brown Bag Dinner and Bible Study  
Parish Hall

## YOUTH AND CHILDREN



**Now thru Sept 2 –  
Sundays  
Summer Church  
School**

## WOMEN



**August 28 –  
Tuesday  
6:30 pm  
Women's  
Council  
Rectory**

**Aug 13-17**

9am–12pm

**Vacation  
Bible  
School**

**August 26 – Sunday**

8:30 am

Breakfast Club

9 am

Church School

10 am

Family Chapel

**Sundays – August 5, 12, 19**

8:30 am

Breakfast Club

**Beginning July 8:**

**9-9:20am**

"Kinetic" worship in the parish hall:  
creative movement and  
interactive worship music

**9:25-10:25am**

Classroom

**10:25-10:45am**

Prayer and Worship in the  
Children's Chapel to prepare  
children for Communion

**10:45-11:30am**

Children join parents for Eucharist

## I WANT TO DO THIS !

**Sundays**

8:30 am

Breakfast Club

**Wednesdays**

6:45 pm

Prayer Bible Study  
Parish Hall

**August 18 – Saturday**

11:30 am

Outreach Meal

**Sundays**

9 am

Adult Christian Ed.  
Josh Williams' "Walk  
Thru the Bible" series

**LOOKING AHEAD:**

**Sept 9 – Sunday**

Parish Family Picnic

**LOOKING AHEAD:**

**Sept 1-3**

Labor Day Weekend

**Sept 9 – Sunday**

Parish Family Picnic

**Sept 9 – Sunday**

Regular Church School begins

## All Saints' Church

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### Clergy

Rector:  
Fr. William A. Thompson  
Associate Rector:  
Fr. Donald K. White  
Assistant Priest:  
Fr. Elias Eniade  
Associate Rector Emeritus:  
Fr. Robert C. Woodfield  
Assisting Priests:  
Fr. Dale Smith  
Fr. Earl Heverly

### Staff

Youth Pastor:  
Donna Foster  
Pastor of Lay Ministry  
Development:  
Susan White  
Treasurer: Joe Bayley  
Assistant to the Treasurer:  
Randi Thornburg  
Administrator: Ruth Norman  
Chancellor: Lynn Moyer  
Choral Director: Cindy Drennan

### Parish Vestry

Senior Warden:  
Jim DiGiovanna  
Junior Warden:  
Todd Jones  
Clerk:  
Jenna Vazquez

Vestry Members:  
Chris Carreon  
Bill Davidson  
Don Eriksen  
Suzann Farrell  
Laurel Howat  
Valerie Kamikubo  
Margaret Lovett  
David Thornburg  
Joshua Williams  
Tom Winfrey

### Schedule of Services

Sundays.....7:30 & 10 am  
Mondays.....10:00 am  
Tuesdays.....6:30 am  
Wednesdays.....6:00 pm  
Thursdays.....10:00 am  
Fridays.....9:00 am  
Saturdays.....9:00 am

Morning Prayer:  
15 minutes before  
Eucharist on  
weekdays;  
7:10 Sundays  
Evening Prayer:  
5:45 or 15 minutes  
before Eucharist,  
Monday through  
Friday.

# **Avalanche Ranch!**

## **Vacation Bible School**

**Mark your calendar, & join us**

**August 13-17**

**Monday-Friday, 9am-noon**

**For children PreK-5th grade**

**Teen and Adult Ranch Hands also needed to  
sign on.**

**Invite your friends and sign up!**

Get ready  
for a wild ride through  
God's Word...at  
Avalanche Ranch!

