MONTHLY MEETINGS

Healing Service 3rd Sunday During Eu-

Food Pantry Collection 1st Sunday

Stewardship

charist

1st Monday, 7:30 pm

Health Ministries – 2nd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Investment Committee

2nd Monday of March, June, September & December

Finance Committee-

Friday before Vestry, 7:00pm

Vestry

3rd Wednesday, 7:30pm

Men's Guild

3rd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Women of Grace

3rd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Grace Church Choir

Wednesdays, 7:30pm – 9:00 pm

Communications
Last Tuesday ,6:30pm

Grace's Kitchen

Last five days of the month 11:30pm-1:00pm

PCO Board

Date and Time to be Determined

Worship Commission

1st Sunday, 12:30 pm

Youth Group

4th Sunday, 12:15 pm

Youth Choir Sings

4th Sunday, 10:30 am

THIS WEEK AT GRACE October 30- November 6,, 2016

Please also check the website, display tables, and bulletin board for more information about other activities in which you might want to participate.

Sunday, October 30 — Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

7:45 am Holy Eucharist Rite 1, *All Saints' Chapel*

10:00 am Lighthouse Chapel International, All Saints Chapel

10:30 am Sunday School *Classroom 3*

10:30 am Choral Holy Eucharist, Rite II, *Church*

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Grace Youth Choir, *Church*

4:00 pm – 9:00 pm Friendship World Outreach, *All Saints Chapel &*

Lounge

Monday, October 31 Parish Office Closed

All Hallow's Eve

11:30 am-1:00 pm Grace's Kitchen, Knickle Hall

7:30 pm – 9:00 pm AA., *Knickle Hall* 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm ESL Classes

Tuesday, November 1 Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Feast of All Saints

Wednesday, November 2 Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Feast of All Souls

7:30 pm - 9:00 ESL Classes

7:30 pm Grace Choir, *Grace Choir Room*

Thursday, November 3 Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Friday, November 4 Parish Office Closed

7:30 pm Stewardship Committee, *Grace Meeting Room*

Saturday, November 5 Parish Office Closed

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6 — TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST OBSERVATION OF FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

7:45 am Holy Eucharist Rite 1, *All Saints' Chapel*

10:00 am Lighthouse Chapel International, *All Saints Chapel*

10:30 am Sunday School *Classroom 3*

10:30 am Choral Holy Eucharist , Rite II, *Church* 12:15 pm Worship Commission, *Rector's Office*

12:30 pm - 1:30 pm Grace Youth Choir, *Church*

4:00 pm – 9:00 pm Friendship World Outreach, *All Saints Chapel &*

Lounge

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE TAKE HOME THIS BULLETIN SINCE IT HAS SOME IMPORTANT DATES AND FLYERS.

- OCTOBER IS STEWARDSHIP MONTH. PLEASE CONSIDER WHAT YOU WILL BE ABLE TO PLEDGE TO GOD FOR GRACE EPISCOPAL IN 2017
- NEXT WEEK, NOVEMBER 6 IS THE OBSERVATION OF FEAST OF ALL SAINTS.
- PLEASE RETURN THE FORM FOUND IN TODAY'S LEAFLET IN THE OFFERTORY COLLECTION AT TODAY'S MASS OR SEND IO TO THE PARISH OFFICE NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2 TO BE INCLUDED IBN NEXT WEEK'S MEMORIAL LIST.
 YOU CAN ALSO EMAIL THE NAMES TO THE PARISH ADMINISTRATOR AT office@graceplainfield.org
- PLEASE SEND ALL YOUR PERSONAL PRAYER INTENTIONS TO DEACON TED. YOU MAY USE THE FORMS ON THE TABLE FROM THE CHURCH TO THE PARISH HOUSE. YOU CAN MAIL THEM TO THE PARISH OFFICE OR FOLD IN HALF AND STAPLE SHUT & PLACE IN THE COLLECTION PLATE,
- Coffee Hour Volunteers. The Women of Grace needs volunteers to host Coffee Hour after the 10:30 a.m. Sunday service. Being a Coffee Hour host is a good way to meet other people at Grace as well as helping to enhance fellowship at Grace. If you are interested in volunteering as a host, please contact Brenda Loncke, chair of the Hospitality Committee and vice president of The Women of Grace; brenda.loncke@hlag.com or Karen Moore at kfomoore@comcast.net), president of The Women of Grace.
- Prayer List
 If you would like the name of a family member or friend to be included in the Prayer s of the

People, please send the name to the Parish Administrative Office.

Next Sunday's Readings Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Observation of Feast of All Saints

1st Lesson: Daniel 7:1-3,15-18 Response: Psalm 149

2nd Lesson: Ephesians 1:11-23 Gospel: Luke 6:20-31

IN MEMORIAM

-Remember your loved ones who have died Sunday, November 6, 2016 **Feast of All Saints**







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Please return form in the collection basket at Sunday Eucharist on October 16, 23, 30 or return to the Parish Office NO LATER THAN NOVEMBER 2, 2016

Grace Church Financial Results Summary September Year To date

DESCRIPTION	Actual	Budget	B / (W)
			Budget
Pledges	61,193	71,625	(10,432)
Other Member Giving	20,761	21,195	(434)
Investment/Trust Income	18,984	20,222	(1,238)
Other Income	23,386	17,267	6,119
Total Income	124,324	130,309	(5,985)
Total Expenses	196,996	212,088	15,092
Endowment Transfers	60,000	-	60,000
Net Income (Loss)	(12,672)	(81,779)	69,107

<u>* Legend:</u> B - Better than budget (W) - Worse than budget

Note: The above statistics will be updated monthly after the approval of the vestry.

All Saints' Day, also known as All Hallows' Day, Hallowmas, Feast of All Saints, or Solemnity of All Saints, is a Christian festival celebrated in honour of all the saints, known and unknown. It occurs on on 1 November. Christians who celebrate All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day do so in the fundamental belief that there is a prayerful spiritual bond between those in heaven (the "Church triumphant"), and the living (the "Church militant"). In Catholic theology, the day commemorates all those who have attained the beatific vision in Heaven. All Saints Day revolves around "giving God solemn thanks for the lives and deaths of his saints", including those who are "famous or obscure". As such, individuals throughout the Church Universal are honoured, such as Paul the Apostle, Augustine of Hippo and John Wesley, in addition to individuals who have personally led one to faith in Jesus, such as one's grandmother or friend.

In the British Isles, it is known that churches were already celebrating All Saints on 1 November at the beginning of the 8th century to coincide or replace the Celtic festival of Samhain. James Frazer suggests that 1 November was chosen because it was the date of the Celtic festival of the dead (Samhain) – the Celts had influenced their English neighbours, and English missionaries had influenced the Germans.

In Christianity, **All Souls' Day** commemorates the faithful departed, in particular (but not exclusively) one's relatives. [2][3] In Western Christianity the annual celebration is now held on 2 November and is associated with the three days of Allhallowtide, including All Saints' Day (1 November) and its vigil, Halloween (31 October). [4] In the liturgical books of the western Catholic Church (the Latin Church) it is called the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (Latin: Commemoratio omnium Fidelium Defunctorum), and is celebrated annually on 2 November.

In the Anglican Communion, All Souls' Day is known liturgically as the Commemoration of All Faithful Departed, and is seen as "an extension of All Saints' Day", the latter of which marks the second day of Allhallowtide. Historically and at present, several Anglican churches are dedicated to All Souls. During the English Reformation, the observance of All Souls' Day lapsed, although a new Anglican theological understanding of the day has "led to a widespread acceptance of this commemoration among Anglicans". Patricia Bays, with regard to the Anglican view of All Souls' Day, wrote that: *All Souls Day (November 2) is a time when we particularly remember those who have died. The prayers appointed for that day remind us that we are joined with the Communion of Saints, that great group of Christians who have finished their earthly life and with who we share the hope of resurrection from the dead. As such, Anglican parishes "now commemorate all the faithful departed in the context of the All Saints' Day celebration", in keeping with this fresh perspective.*

Walking the Walk

November 12 @ 8:30 am - 3:30 pm

Anti-Racism Commission Conference: Walking the Walk

Come enrich your faith to practice your beliefs in combating racism.

Leader: Heidi Kim, Missioner for Racial Reconciliation for The Episcopal Church

As the Missioner for Racial Reconciliation for the Episcopal Church, Heidi Kim is responsible for facilitating the establishment and growth of networks in the Church that confront structural issues of racism in society and the church. Her approach begins with accountability to our Baptismal Covenant's call to "seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself" and to "strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being." She believes that true reconciliation involves lovingly embracing the vast diversity of background, belief, and experience found in the Body of Christ, and focusing on our common ministry. Spanish interpretation will be available.

Cost

\$20, lunch provided. Scholarships available.

Registration

Register by Tuesday November 1 online or contact Mary Anne Clisham, 609 394-5281, ext. 10.

Contact

Canon Noreen Duncan, 646 932-9515

Heidi Kim has an extensive background in both secondary and higher education. She served as a Diversity Director for a Jesuit high school for six years, and taught courses at the college level in Sociology, Anthropology, Women's/Gender Studies, American Studies, and Ethnic Studies. She also has extensive experience as a professional classical soprano, having sung with several of the nation's top professional chamber choirs. She currently serves as the soprano section leader for the critically acclaimed ensemble, Seattle Pro Musica, and is in demand as a soloist with other choirs and festivals.

Heidi is a graduate of Brown University, holds an MA in Sociology from UCLA, and is currently completing an Ed.D. in Educational Leadership at Seattle University. She is married to Dr. Alec Campbell, and has two teenage daughters, Fiona and Kiera. She attends St. Mark's Episcopal Cathedral in Scattle, where she is a member of the Cathedral Choir.

Details

November 12

Time:

8:30 am - 3:30 pm

Event Category:

Ministry Institute

Venue

St. David's, Cranbury 90 South Main St. Cranbury, NJ 08512 United States + Google

Map

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