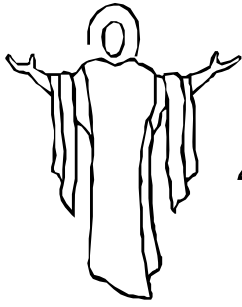


Serving Berlin's English-speaking Catholic Community since 1957



# ALL SAINTS

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**Our Mission Statement:** *The All Saints Catholic Community is a fully integrated, multicultural community with English as its unifying language. It is an open, warm, welcoming, inclusive community that prays together and celebrates its unity in diversity.*

## March 6, 2011 Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deuteronomy 11:18, 26-28, 32 • Psalm 31:2-4, 17, 25 • Romans 3:21-25, 28 • Matthew 7:21-27

**Holy Father's prayer intentions for March 2011 • *General Intention:*** That the nations of Latin America may walk in fidelity to the Gospel and be bountiful in social justice and peace. • ***Missionary Intention:*** That the Holy Spirit may give light and strength to the Christian communities and the faithful who are persecuted or discriminated against because of the Gospel.

**Saint Thomas Aquinas** is the Church's greatest theologian and philosopher. He was born in Aquino, Italy, in 1225 and died in Fossanova on March 7, 1274. He was the founder of natural theology which is based on reason and ordinary experience. His influence on Western thought is considerable, and much of modern philosophy was conceived as a reaction against, or as an agreement with his ideas, particularly in the areas of ethics, political theory and natural law (whose content is set by nature and uses reason to analyze human nature and deduce binding rules of moral behavior). His most fundamental works are "Summa theologica" and "Summa contra gentiles". Due to his achievements in philosophy he is often called Doctor Angelicus, Doctor Communis or Doctor Universalis. He is not only the patron saint of those called Thomas but also of students and universities. Pope Saint Pius X said: "The capital theses in the philosophy of St. Thomas are ... the foundations upon which the whole science of natural and divine things is based."

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thomas\\_Aquinas](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thomas_Aquinas),

[http://www.catholic.org/saints/saint.php?saint\\_id=2530](http://www.catholic.org/saints/saint.php?saint_id=2530),

<http://plato.stanford.edu/entries/aquinas/>

### **March 6th 10 a.m. Mass**

Celebrant: Father Herbert Gillissen

Lector: Anna Berger

Servers: Isabella Gneist, Niels Waliszewski, Justin Oruga

Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf

Eucharistic Ministers: Celso, Levina & Renée Menjares

Hospitality: Lupita Wilhelm

**Collection on March 6th  
is designated for Caritas**

**OUR COMMUNITY:** The All Saints Catholic Community is based on the principle that we, the Community, willingly take on all the responsibilities of running our own Community and supporting our Celebrants. The All Saints Coordinators, whose contact telephone numbers are shown overleaf, guide groups of volunteers in meeting our needs and those of our Celebrants. Please volunteer to help that group to which you feel you can most contribute. Contact the All Saints Coordinator responsible for the group.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

February 27th attendance: 87

Collection: Friends: €151.76

- If you are **visiting All Saints for the first time**, please introduce yourself at the end of Mass so we can welcome you! And please join us for coffee and cake after Mass in the Community Hall. We look forward to meeting you!
- **St. Patrick's Day's** potluck dinner will take place on March 26th.
- Jennifer Attah, the **Rosary Coordinator**, has moved overseas. We are looking for a new coordinator who would like to lead the monthly group which meets on the first Sunday of every month. Please contact Konrad if you can help.
- Please visit our website at <http://www.all-saints-berlin.de>
- All food donations in the **wicker basket** at the entrance to church go to families in need and to the Soup Kitchen of the Sisters of Charity in Kreuzberg. Thank you for your generosity.
- Many of the **designated collections** are for special purposes of the Archdiocese of Berlin. All Saints supports these initiatives and transfers this money in full. However, in agreement with the Archdiocese, All Saints receives no financial support from the Archdiocese. We are completely **dependent** upon your donations. Please continue to donate to All Saints by using the **white envelopes** stamped **ALL SAINTS FUND** and/or transferring your donation to the Pax-Bank account printed below. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

**Please take this copy of the bulletin and use it to spread the word about All Saints.**

**Friends of All Saints Verein:** Bank Account No.: 6001669018, BLZ 370 601 93, Pax-Bank eG

**March 13th 10 a.m. Mass**

Celebrant: Father Wolfgang Felber SJ  
 Lector: Howard Eyth  
 Servers: Cathleen Rückeis, Samantha Rückeis, Philip Rückeis  
 Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf  
 Euch Min: Levina & Renée Menjares, Beate Hausmann  
 Hospitality: Rückeis family

**Collection on March 13th  
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Celebrants		Father Wolfgang Felber SJ Fathers of the Jesuit Community	
<b>All Saints Coordinators</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>	Marcell Meggyes	811 06 33
	<b>Bulletin, Website</b>	Tamás Meggyes, Vanessa Hansen	811 06 33; 0179 95 98 363
	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Heide Doblhofer	832 62 72
	<b>Greeters, Family Group</b>	Konrad Giersdorf	797 83 709
	<b>Hospitality</b>	Levina Menjares, Lupita Wilhelm	466 09 788, 305 82 45
	<b>Lectors</b>	Mike Hoth	354 06 724
	<b>Music Director</b>	Johannes Wrembek	341 31 90
	<b>Office, Treasurer</b>	Heide Doblhofer	832 62 72
	<b>Rosary</b>	N. N.	

**ALL SAINTS COUNCIL:** Konrad Giersdorf chair \* Vanessa Hansen \* Rudolf Hausmann \* Tamás Meggyes \* Grey Okute \* Marianne Sihotang

**FRIENDS OF ALL SAINTS ASSOCIATION:** Howard Eyth \* Mike Hoth \* Lupita Wilhelm \* Heide Doblhofer

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**Access to All Saints:**

**Subway:** U 3, Oskar-Helene-Heim (10 min. walk) or S 1, Zehlendorf, then bus.

**Bus:** Bus 285: stop Am Waldfriedhof (last stop 2 min. walk); Bus M11: stop Oskar-Helene-Heim (10 min. walk) or Bus 115: stop Hüttenweg (5 min. walk),

**Car:** A115 Avus highway, Hüttenweg exit or Clayallee (<http://berlinonline.de/citymap>).

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