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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.

October 16, 2011, Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 45:1, 4-6; Psalm 96:1, 3-5, 7-10; 1; Thessalonians 1:1-5; Matthew 22:15-21

The First Principle and Foundation

The goal of our life is to live with God forever.
God, who loves us, gave us life.
Our own response of love allows God's life
to flow into us without limit.

All the things in this world are gifts of God,
presented to us so that we can know God more easily
and make a return of love more readily.

As a result, we appreciate and use all these gifts of God
insofar as they help us develop as loving persons.
But if any of these gifts become the center of our lives,
they displace God and so hinder our growth toward our goal.

In everyday life, then, we must hold ourselves in balance
before all of these created gifts insofar as we have a choice
and are not bound by some obligation.

We should not fix our desires on health or sickness,
wealth or poverty, success or failure, a long life or short one.
For everything has the potential of calling forth in us
a deeper response to our life in God.

Our only desire and our one choice should be this:
I want and I choose what better leads
to God's deepening his life in me.

-St. Ignatius as paraphrased by David L. Fleming SJ

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Welcome to our 10 am Mass at All Saints. Our Celebrant today is Father Wolfgang Felber SJ

Lector: Eddie McGreal • Eucharistic Ministers: Heide Doblhofer, Celso & Levina Menjares • Altar Servers:
Dylan Schmidt, Patricia Giersdorf • Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf • Hospitality: N. N.

Collection on October 16th is designated for All Saints.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance on October 9th: 71

Collection: Friends €131.37

- If you are **visiting All Saints for the first time**, please introduce yourself at the end of Mass so we can welcome you and join us for coffee and cake after Mass in the Community Hall.
- Currently, All Saints **cannot** be accessed from the **A115 Avus highway**.
- The **election to All Saints Council and the English-speaking Mission Council** will take place on Sunday, November 13, 2011. We are looking for candidates for the All Saints Council and for those who represent All Saints in the Mission Council. The list of candidates must be completed by today, 16th of October. Please contact Konrad after Mass if you would like to be a candidate.
- **A benefit concert for the Deutsche Krebshilfe** (Ronald Mc Donald House, Wedding) "Country, Blues & Broadway" will be presented at our church on Saturday, Oct. 22, 3 - 6 pm. Please support this worthy cause.
- Please visit the **New Vatican Website** launched by Pope Benedict XVI: <http://www.news.va>
- 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.

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October 23rd 10 am Mass. Our Celebrant will be Father Wolfgang Felber SJ

Lector: Ruby Schmidt • Eucharistic Ministers: Celso, Levina and Renée Menjares • Altar Servers: Dennis Loebach, Aidan and Tait Doeringer • Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf • Hospitality: Levina Menjares

Collection on October 23rd is designated for World Mission Sunday

Celebrants		Father Wolfgang Felber SJ Fathers of the Jesuit Community	
All Saints Coordinators	Altar Servers	Katharine Doeringer	03328/335725
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	Eucharistic Ministers	Heide Doblhofer	832 62 72
	Greeters, Family Group	Konrad Giersdorf	797 83 709
	Hospitality	Levina Menjares, Lupita Wilhelm	466 09 788, 305 82 45
	Lectors	Mike Hoth	354 06 724
	Music Director	Johannes Wrembek	341 31 90
	Office, Treasurer	Heide Doblhofer	832 62 72
	Rosary	Eleonora Loebach	

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 * Eddie McGreal

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Boy Scout Troop 46: All Saints is the proud Chartered Organization for Boy Scout Troop 46 "Freedom Outpost." *True to Scouting Values for Over 55 years* (www.troop46berlin.ScoutLander.com)

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: Via Clayallee (<http://berlinonline.de/citymap>). Currently, **no access** from the A115 **Avus highway**.

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