

Serving Berlin's English-speaking Catholic Community since 1957



## ***Catholic Community***

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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.

## **May 17, 2015 Seventh Sunday of Easter**

**Readings (*Missalette* p 97 et seqq.): Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 • Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20 •  
1 Jn 4:11-16 • Jn 17:11b-19**

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

Lector: Rachel Rückeis • Eucharistic Ministers: Jennifer Evans, Beate Hausmann, Heide Doblhofer •

Greeter: Buck Chisolm • Altar servers: Conrad Chisolm, Samantha Rückeis, Madeleine Rückeis •

Hospitality: Rose Oruga • Designated collection: All Saints

### **A Prayer of Reconciliation**

Lord Christ, help us to see what it is  
that joins us together, not what separates us.  
For when we see only what it is that makes us different,  
we too often become aware of what is wrong with others.  
We see only their faults and weaknesses,  
interpreting their actions as flowing from  
malice or hatred rather than fear.  
Even when confronted with evil, Lord,  
you forgave and sacrificed yourself  
rather than sought revenge.  
Teach us to do the same by the power of your Spirit.

**-William Breault SJ**

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## **Today we have Children's Liturgy.**

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance on May 10: 90

Collections: Friends €152.40

**Visiting All Saints for the first time?** Please introduce yourself and tell us where you are from at the end of Mass so we can welcome you and join us after Mass for coffee and cake in the Community Hall!

**Fehler! Verweisquelle konnte nicht gefunden werden.**

The **Family Bazaar** provided a revenue of 1043€ plus coffee, cakes, milk and juices for the coming weeks. Thank you to all the helpers, especially to the scouts.

## UPCOMING DATES

### **First Holy Communion at All Saints**

All Saints will be offering English-language sacramental preparation for First Holy Communion starting in September 2015. First Holy Communion will be celebrated in May 2016. Parents who would like to pre-register their children are invited to contact Jenny Gebhardt ([jgebhar@yahoo.de](mailto:jgebhar@yahoo.de)) or Vanessa Hansen ([vhansen980@hotmail.com](mailto:vhansen980@hotmail.com)) to receive a pre-registration form. We are also taking a poll of families interested in Confirmation classes starting in September 2015. Please contact one of us, if you are interested.

### **Next Children's Liturgy on Sunday May 31st**

**THANK YOU!** The first 200 euro donation has been transferred from our Bildungsspender fundraising account!

Please **CONTINUE** to support **All Saints Community Life** through our fundraising site at [www.bildungsspender.de/all-saints-berlin](http://www.bildungsspender.de/all-saints-berlin) at no extra cost. It's easy! Shop at one of more than 1500 online shops through this website, and All Saints receives a **DONATION** from the online shop for every transaction you make.

**HOSPITALITY** - Hospitality takes place after Mass on Sundays thanks to the volunteers who make it happen! It is an important element of community life. Please consider volunteering for this special ministry as an individual or as a family one Sunday per semester. We need your help!

**Pilgrimage to Rome - October 2015!** Please see Buck or Vanessa for more info. Reserve your tickets for the audience with Pope Francis! Tickets are limited and going fast!

**"Designated collections"** are for special purposes in the Archdiocese of Berlin and are transferred in full. However, in agreement with the Archdiocese, the All Saints Catholic Community receives no financial support, so 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 written below. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

**Friends of All Saints e.V.** IBAN: DE15 3706 0193 6001 6690 18, BIC: GENODED1PAX

**Directions 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 110 or 623: 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>)