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<u>Our Mission Statement</u>: 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.

February 06, 2011 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 58:7-10 • Psalm 112:4-9 • 1 Corinthians 2:1-5 • Matthew 5:13-16

Holy Father's prayer intentions for February 2011 • General Intention: That the family may be respected by all in its identity and that its irreplaceable contribution to all of society be recognized. • Missionary Intention: That in the mission territories where the struggle against disease is most urgent, Christian communities may witness to the presence of Christ to those who suffer.

It was early spring, the tree buds were appearing and the birds enthusiastically singing as if to make up for the lost time of the cold, winter months. Children, leaving their confined apartments, were playing outdoors and enjoying the day. My wife and I were standing on a bridge watching a train approach the metro station. Suddenly, a ball, appearing from behind the bushes, swiftly began to roll down the slope toward the rails. We could not shake away a dark premonition that the ball's little owner would soon appear dashing after the ball. The scene was frightening; then unexpectedly something happened. The approaching train abruptly came to a halt. The driver got out, picked up the ball and threw it over the slope thus preventing its owner the temptation of retrieving the ball from the dangerous rails. As he returned to his engine, he looked up to see the surprised look on our faces. We lifted our folded hands as a sign of appreciation. Soon the train disappeared from our view. Without him ever knowing, this action may have saved a child's life. Looking up to the sky, we were flabbergasted to see clouds forming into the shape of a man extending his arms in a protective pose. I'm sure it was more than just our imagination.

Tamás Meggyes

February 6th 10 a.m. Mass

Celebrant: Father Herbert Gillessen Lector: Matthias Waliszewski

Servers: Johannes Giersdorf, Olivia Hrvniewska, Victoria Hiepe

Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf

Eucharistic Min: Levina & Renée Menjares, Beate Hausmann

Hospitality: Lupita Wilhelm

Collection on February 6th is designated for All Saints

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.



January 30th attendance: 75 Collection: Friends: €204.70

- 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!
- On February 6th, 1989 the Round Table Talks started in Poland, thus marking the beginning of overthrow of communism in Eastern Europe.
- Altar Servers: Marcell will be offering a brief Altar Server Training Session on February
 13th right after Mass. Please use this opportunity to "brush up" on your skills or to become a
 new Altar Server. Parents are asked to encourage their children to attend. Our Community
 greatly appreciates the Altar Servers' contribution to the Eucharist!
- There is a Taizé musical prayer evening on the last Thursday of every month in the OLD Zehlendorf Village Church (Zehlendorf-Eiche) starting at 6:30. The Taizé movement seeks to include people and traditions worldwide through music and prayers sung in many languages. The music emphasizes simple phrases, usually from Psalms or other pieces of Scripture. The next Taizé musical evening will take place on Thursday, February 24th. Everyone is always welcome to participate!
- 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. We are
 completely dependent upon your donations. 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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February 13th 10 a.m. Mass

Celebrant: Father Wolfgang Felber SJ

Lector: Mike Hoth

Servers: Cathleen Rückeis, Samantha Rückeis, Philip Rückeis

Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf

Euch Min: Beate Hausmann, Heide Doblhofer, Celso Menjares

Hospitality: Marianne Sihotang

Collection on February 13th is designated for the Catholic Schools

Celebrants		Father Wolfgang Felber SJ Fathers of the Jesuit Community	
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		Konrad Giersdorf	797 83 709
	Hospitality	Levina Menjares, Lupita Wilhelm	466 09 788, 305 82 45
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	Office, Treasurer	Heide Doblhofer	832 62 72
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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 **RECTOR ECCLESIAE**: Fr Herbert Gillessen, English-Speaking Roman Catholic Mission, Johann-Georg-Str. 8, 10709 Berlin, Tel: 8132026

BSA TROOP 46: All Saints is the proud Chartered Organization for BSA 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: A115 Avus highway, Hüttenweg exit or Clayallee (http://berlinonline.de/citymap).

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