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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.

June 12, 2011 Pentecost Sunday

Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9 • Daniel 3:52-56 • 2 Corinthians 13:11-13 • John 3:16-18

The Paschal Mystery is composed of four inter-related components: the **suffering and death**; the **resurrection**; the **ascension**; and the **sending of the Spirit**. The resurrection states that the crucified Jesus is alive and the ascension proclaims that the risen and living Jesus has entered into close communion with his father thus opening the door to the ministry of the Holy Spirit. The feast of the Ascension does not commemorate a departure, but rather celebrates the living and lasting presence of Jesus in his Church. The following short story illustrates the relationship between God's presence and absence.

Years ago, a fishing fleet went out from a small harbor on the east coast of Newfoundland. In the afternoon there came a great storm. When night settled down, not a single vessel of all the fleet had found its way into the port. All night long, wives, mothers, children and sweethearts paced up and down the beach, wringing their hands and calling on God to save their loved ones. To add to the horror of the situation, one of the cottages caught fire. Since the men were all away, it was impossible to save the home. When the morning broke, to the joy of all, the entire fleet found safe harbor in the bay. But there was one face with a picture of despair – the wife of the man whose home had been destroyed. Meeting her husband as he landed, she cried "Oh, husband, we are ruined. Our home and all it contained was destroyed by fire." But the man exclaimed, "Thank God for the fire. It was the light of our burning cottage that guided the whole fleet into port." (Fr. Eugene Lobo, SJ, http:msjnov.wordpress.com)

The interplay between presence and absence may not be understood at the beginning of the story, but as the story progresses, the presence of the Spirit becomes clear similar to the history of humanity and the Church.

Fr. Wolfgang Felber SJ

June 12th 10 a.m. Mass

Celebrant: Father Wolfgang Felber SJ

Lector: Cathleen Rückeis

Servers: Isabella Gneist, Victoria Hiepe, Tait Doeringer

Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf Euch. Min.: Celso, Levina & Renée Menjares

Hospitality: Levina Menjares

Collection on June 12th is designated for Renovabis

All Saints Summer Barbeque after Mass on June 19th



June 5th attendance: 107 Collection: Friends: €235.80

- 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!
- Marcell will be organizing an Altar Server Pizza Session & Training on Saturday June 18th at 1 pm. New Altar Servers are welcome. Please let Marcell know your availability during the summer vacation (spanke@hotmail.de) by June 15th.
- The Theresienschule Choir conducted by Johannes Wrembeck will sing at Mass on June 19th. Please bring side dishes for the All Saints BBQ which will take place after Mass.
- **Ben Hammond** would like to help with mentally handicapped adults. Please contact him (ben.hammond@gmail.com, 0152/030 77 020) if you know about a relevant institute in Berlin.
- 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!

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June 19th 10 a.m. Mass

Celebrant: Father Wolfgang Felber SJ

Lector: Matthias Waliszewski

Servers: Niels Waliszewski, Dennis Loebach, Samantha Rückeis

Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf

Euch. Min.: Levina & Renée Menjares, Beate Hausmann

Hospitality: Hansen Family

Collection on June 19th is designated for Caritas

Celebrants		Father Wolfgang Felber SJ Fathers of the Jesuit Community	
	Altar Servers	Marcell Meggyes	811 06 33
All Saints Coordinators	Bulletin, Website	Tamás Meggyes, Vanessa Hansen	811 06 33; 0157 78 95 9845
	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	Miriam	

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* (<u>www.troop46berlin.ScoutLander.com</u>)

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 (only from Potsdam) or Clayallee (http://berlinonline.de/citymap).

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