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## ***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.

## **October 14, 2012, Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Wis 7:7-11 Ps 90:11-17 Heb 4:12-13 Mk 10:17-30**

*So when they continued asking Him, He raised Himself up and said to them: “**He who is without sin among you, let him cast the first stone.**” And again he stooped down and wrote on the ground. Then those who heard it, being convicted by their conscience, departed one by one beginning with the oldest even to the last. And Jesus was left alone, and the woman standing in the midst. When Jesus had raised Himself up and saw no one but the woman, He said to her, Woman where are your accusers? Has no one condemned you?” She said, “No one, Lord.” And Jesus said to her, “Neither do I condemn you; go and sin no more.” -John 8: 3-11*

In thinking about accountability, guilt, punishment and forgiveness, we could err grievously in either of two directions: by denying innocence to anyone and shading everyone, even the child, with responsibility for the collective crimes; or, we could err on the other extreme, by scapegoating, by placing the burden entirely on one perpetrator and denying our complicity in the world we have together created, sometime by our cowardice, our silence, our fear of speaking out against evil.

Jesus does not deny or downplay the sin, just as he does not pretend that there are no actual debts to be canceled in the jubilee year: the debts are enormous, the sins profound. But he does not condemn the person, because he wants not one of his sheep to be lost; rather, he offers forgiveness.

Excerpt from *Theological Reflection on Reconciliation and Peace Building*, CPN Catholic Peacebuilding Network.

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

Lector: Eddie McGreal • Eucharistic Ministers: Heide Doblhofer, Levina and Renée Menjares • Altar Servers: Dennis Loebach, Brian Loebach & Joshua Wunder • Greeters: Hasmin Quiming, Konrad Giersdorf • Hospitality: Marianne Sihatong • The collection today is 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.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance on October 7th: 72

Collection: Friends €170.84

If you are **visiting All Saints for the first time**, please introduce yourself at the end of Mass so we can welcome you. Please join us for coffee and cake after Mass in the Community Hall! Welcome to All Saints!

### Mark your Calendars

- Our **Thanksgiving celebration** will take place on Saturday, November 24th.
- On **All Saints Day, Nov. 1st**, mass will be celebrated at 7 p.m. at St. Bernhard.

### Other Notes

- The **Hüttenweg exit** on the A115 Avus highway is open again except for the entry toward Potsdam.
- 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.
- Please visit our website at <http://www.all-saints-berlin.de>.

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

**October 21st, 10 am Mass. Our Celebrant will be Fr Wolfgang Felber SJ**

Lector: Christian Doeringer • Eucharistic Ministers: Reneé, Levina and Celso Menjares•  
Altar Servers: Karoline Stein, Dennis Loebach & Joshua Wunder• Greeters: Hasmin Quiming,  
Konrad Giersdorf • Hospitality: Loebach family • The collection on October 21st is for All Saints.

<b>Celebrants</b>		<b>Father Wolfgang Felber SJ</b>	
		<b>Fathers of the Jesuit Community</b>	
<b>All Saints Coordinators</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>	Katharine Doeringer	03328/335725
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	<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>	Eleonora Loebach	500 14 506

**ALL SAINTS COUNCIL:** Konrad Giersdorf (Co-Chair) \* Vanessa Hansen (Co-Chair) \* Rudolf Hausmann \* Nora Loebach \* Tamás Meggyes \* Marianne Sihotang

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

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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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