

Update from All Saints'

Email to the Parish from The Venerable Christopher Dunn

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Today, I am sure that many of us have been watching the change in Washington as a new President begins and new hope returns. As with most Canadians, we join together in prayer and express our best wishes for all our “southern” neighbours (or as they say neighbors).

Jarrett Carty has prepared an **Evening Prayer Service** for today. He begins by explaining what the tradition includes and why it is important for all of us. He leads the prayers and shares a reflection on the readings. Please note that he did have some Audio issues when preparing the video, so the volume is very quiet—stick with it though. You will find the Evening Prayer Service on our Facebook page at this link: www.facebook.com/allsaintswestboro/videos/407257487223771

This week is the **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity**. Unfortunately, we will not be able to hold our annual joint service and Potluck with First United that is always so much fun. I do invite you to pray for the unity of all Christians as we gather together as disciples and followers of Jesus the Christ. Here is a prayer for the week of Prayer for Christian Unity:

Lord Jesus, who prayed that we might all be one, we pray to You for the unity of Christians, according to Your will, according to Your means. May Your Spirit enable us to experience the suffering caused by division, to see our sin, and to hope beyond all hope. Amen.

All the best

Chris