

Update from All Saints'
Email to the Parish from The Venerable Christopher Dunn
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I don't know how things were at your place this evening for Halloween, but in our home it became a large "barkfest". On Zoe's first Halloween she discovered that ringing doorbells, and strange characters on her street, need to be barked at both loudly and continuously. Blanche placed her in the basement with me, but Zoe was so determined, she actually learned how to climb the stairs back up to the main floor (the house will never be the same again).

So this evening I have posted the video from this morning's wonderful **celebration of five Baptisms and the Eucharist** on the Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost, which also marked All Hallows Eve. The four children and the adult all behaved very well and if you did not experience Clark playing in the water it is well worth watching. You will find the video on our Parish Facebook page at this link:

www.facebook.com/allsaintswestboro/videos/206459558228481

A reminder that we will hold the **Town Hall on opening up the worship experience** allowing in more people who are all vaccinated and wearing masks. The meeting will be held on Zoom on Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m. My thanks to everyone who have already sent in their thoughts and questions on this matter. You can join us on Tuesday evening using this Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86743275929?pwd=T2htU3dtMkxtcnJxWDZ6dHVucVFqQT09> (Meeting ID: 867 4327 5929 & Passcode: 204779)

We will open up **registration for next Sunday morning's Worship** service (November 7th) when we will mark All Saints' Day and Remembrance Sunday. Following Tuesday's meeting this may mean that you will have to be fully vaccinated to attend the service but we will let you know the decision that I make after the

evening. So stay tuned but for now if you are fully vaccinated and wish to attend next Sunday at 9:30 please register using this link:

www.allsaintswestboro.com/register-for-sunday-service/

Tomorrow is All Saints' Day so a prayer for this evening:

"Eternal God, you have always taken men and women of every nation, age and colour and made them saints; like, them, transformed, like them, baptised in Jesus' name, take us to share your glory. Amen."

Welcome to a rainy November - stay safe.

Chris