



**\*OPENING MUSIC**

**\*INVOCATION**

**\*COVENANT**

Love is the spirit of this church; and service is its law.  
This is our great covenant: to dwell together in peace, to seek the truth in love, and to help one another.

**\*CELEBRATION MUSIC**

**INTRODUCTION**

**OFFERTORY**

This morning's offering will go to  
Oklahoma Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice (OKRCRC).\*\*  
To give by text message: text LOVEBB PLATE to 73256.

**MUSIC**

*Hannukah Dance* —Stocker  
*Women in Song*  
Caitlin Norton, Director

**PRAYER**

**PRAYER RESPONSE**

**MUSIC**

**SERMON**

*God Is Trans*  
Dr. Willie Parker, Guest Speaker

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**MUSIC**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

David B. Smith, Executive Director of Worship | Matt Edwards, Drums

*"I refuse to participate in a system that would deny women the same agency and the same right to make decisions about their life that I have as a man."*

—Dr. Willie Parker

**DECEMBER AT ALL SOULS**

**Tree Trimming and Hanging of the Greens**

Monday, December 3 | 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. | Dinner: \$5 adults, \$3 for children

**Holiday Memorial Chapel | Honor Loved Ones Passed**

Wednesday, December 12 | 6:30 to 7:15 p.m.

If you would like the name of your loved one to be read during the service, please call the church office at (918) 743-2363 or email [officeadmin@allsoulschurch.org](mailto:officeadmin@allsoulschurch.org).

**All Choir Holiday Concert**

Sunday, December 16 | 4:00 p.m. | Reception following in Emerson Hall

**Christmas Eve Candlelight Services**

Monday, December 24 | 4:30 p.m. | 6:00 p.m. | 7:30 p.m.

*An epic past.  
A bright future.*



Operating Campaign



Capital Campaign



Legacy Campaign

Make your pledge today! | [allsoulschurch.org/give](http://allsoulschurch.org/give)

**Become a Member of  
All Souls on Joining Sundays!**

*First & second Sundays of the month.*

December 2 | 9 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.  
December 9 | 12:30 p.m.

**BeyondBelief**

Stories about our free-faith  
curated from the heartland.

**[beyondbelief.online](http://beyondbelief.online)**

**Welcome  
Guests!**

**All Souls Meet and Greet**

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\*Congregation may stand in body or in spirit. | \*\*Please designate contributions to the church on your check or by placing in an offering envelope. All undesigned monies will go to the outreach offering.

\*\*\*Late seating - please go forward on the outside aisles to find a seat. | Space for wheelchairs and scooters is located in the back of the sanctuary.

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#### Art for the Soul: Group Art Show & Artist Reception

Today | 1:30 p.m.

A visual treat to feed your soul! Twenty percent of sales will benefit All Souls.

#### Tree Trimming and Hanging of the Greens

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Enjoy dinner, ornament-making, tree trimming, and caroling with family and friends. Bring cookies to share and non-perishable foods for the CRB pantry.

#### Beneath a Heretic's Wings Discussion & Book Signing

Wednesday, December 5 | Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Members Cassandra McClellan-Austin and Dr. Teresa Reed co-authors tell their story and share powerful lessons in faith, loss, family, forgiveness, and inclusive love.

#### Shawl Ministry | All skill levels welcome!

Friday, December 7 | 1:00 p.m. | Panera on 41st | 1st Friday

Creating prayers shawls is a practice which offers comfort and solace.

#### Spanish Conversation Circles | All skill levels welcome!

Sunday, December 9 | 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. | 2nd Sundays

Speak Spanish with other Spanish speakers in a circle of mutual trust and respect.

#### All Souls History Tour

Sunday, December 9 | 2:00 p.m. | Register on [myAllSouls.org](http://myAllSouls.org)

Travel through Tulsa as you hear stories about All Souls 97-year history.

#### The Big Potluck with the Supper Club

Sunday, December 9 | 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. | Register on [myAllSouls.org](http://myAllSouls.org)

Bring a meal that warms your heart and try foods that are special to others.

#### All Souls Reads with Rev. Gerald Davis

Sunday, December 9, 1:30 p.m. | Wednesday, December 12, 7:00 p.m.

December's Book: *There There* by Tommy Orange

#### Living Beyond the Loss of a Spouse

Tuesday, December 11 | 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. | 2nd Tuesdays

Join others who are learning to live beyond their losses.

#### American Hate: Survivors Speak Out with author Arjun Singh Sethi

Wednesday, December 12 | 7:00 p.m.

This event is in partnership with B'Nai Emunah's Khalid Jabara Tikkun Olam Memorial Library, All Souls, and Booksmart Tulsa.

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*"Our church is an embodiment and celebration  
of the world as we hope it will one day become."*

—Vision 2021 Excerpt

December 2, 2018  
11:30 a.m. Contemporary Service