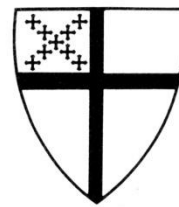




Trinity Episcopal Church

The Weekly Tidings

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The Woodlands, Texas

May 24, 2015

Weekly Services at Trinity

Sunday

7:30AM

Holy Eucharist Rite I

9:00AM

Holy Eucharist Rite II*

11:00AM

Holy Eucharist Rite II*

5:00 PM

Holy Eucharist Rite II*

Monday–Friday

10:00AM

Morning Prayer

Wednesday

10:00 AM

Holy Eucharist Rite II

*Childcare Available

Weekly Outreach at Trinity

12 Step Program

Open Meeting

Every Friday at 7:30PM
in the Atrium

Call 713.686.6300 for
information

TRINITY TOMORROW CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

It is not too late to turn in your Trinity Tomorrow pledge. Extra pledge forms and envelopes are available in the Narthex or church office. Be sure when sending in donations to write “Trinity Tomorrow” on the memo line.



THANKS FOR THE CELEBRATION

My Heart is full of gratitude for my Trinity Church family and the Staff for the outpouring of love, food, gifts and laughter at the recent Celebration of my ministry. The evening nourished the body and the soul as we gathered for a great meal complete with amazing desserts. Trinity is a loving, caring, and generous community and I'm so proud to be part of it. Thanks for the cards, the gifts, the “purse” and the circle prayer, all of which will usher me into the bliss of retirement. I'll see ya'll at church.

Love, For His sake,
Sheila Gerth

Beginning Wednesday, May 20, 2015, we will no longer offer the Wednesday 7:00 PM Healing Eucharist due to issues of attendance, clergy time, and a possible new Eucharistic opportunity in the Fall.



The altar flowers are given today in celebration of the 13th Wedding Anniversary of Colby and Sara Tate.

TRINITY WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, 5/24

Baptisms

Pentecost-All Services in Butler Fellowship Hall

7:30 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite I (BFH)
8:45 AM	Adult Sunday School Class (WR)
9:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II (BFH)*
10:15 AM	Christian Formation Hour
11:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II (BFH)*
3:00 PM	Christian Meditation Group (P)
3:30 PM	Cub Scout Pack 777 (A215)
5:00 PM	Holy Eucharist Rite II (BFH)*
6:00 PM	Family Life Group (WR)

Monday, 5/25 –OFFICE CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY

10:00 AM	Morning Prayer (P)
1:30 PM	Sit and Be Fit (BFH)
7:00 PM	Trinity Women's Book Club
7:00 PM	Troop 777 Meeting (BFH)

Tuesday, 5/26

9:30 AM	Trinity Quilters (WR)
10:00 AM	Morning Prayer (P)
7:00 PM	Trinity Tricksters (MR)

Wednesday, 5/27

10:00 AM	Morning Prayer (P)
10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II (P)*
10:30 AM	Sit and Be Fit (BFH)
1:00 PM	Prime Time Guys Bible Study (WR)
1:00 PM	Women's Bible Study (MR)
6:30 PM	TnT Mission Trip Information Meeting
7:15 PM	Trinity Choir Practice (MS)

Thursday, 5/28

10:00 AM	Morning Prayer (P)
11:00 AM	Purls and Prayers (OCR)
2:00 PM	Needlepoint Training (OCR)
5:15 PM	Zumba (BFH)
6:30 PM	EFM (L)

Friday, 5/29

6:00 AM	SonRise Men's Discussion Group (WR)
9:30 AM	Art as a Spiritual Process (A212)*
9:30 AM	Ladies Bible Study (WR)
10:00 AM	Morning Prayer (P)
6:00 PM	Thank-You Reception for Outreach Volunteers (BFH)

Saturday, 5/30

8:30 AM	Daring Greatly Workshop (WR) *
10:00 AM	Tae Kwon Do for Special Needs (BFH)

**Contact Liz Johnson in the church office for questions regarding childcare.*

TKC-Trinity Kids Corner MR-Millsbaugh Room Atrium, BFH-Butler Hall, C-Children's Bldg., K-Kitchen, L-Library, MS-Music Suite, OCR-Office Conf. Rm, P-Parlor, S-Sanctuary, WR-Wesley Rm, YL-Youth Loft

PLEASE CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE

- When you are going in the hospital
- When there is a birth or death in your family
- When you would like to schedule a Lay Eucharistic visitor (LEV) for Holy Communion

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

3901 S. Panther Creek Drive 281. 367.8113

Office Hours: 8:30 AM–5:00 PM Monday–Friday

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The Rt. Rev. Andrew Doyle, Bishop
The Rt. Rev. Jeff W. Fisher, Bishop Suffragan
The Rt. Rev. Dena Harrison, Bishop Suffragan
The Rev. Dr. Gerald Seveck, Rector
The Rev. Sean Steele, Parish Missioner
The Rev. Robert W. Horner, Deacon
The Rev. Vivian Orndorff, Curate
Micki Balog, Director of Music Ministry
Molly Carr, Community Life and Discipleship Minister
Ernest Gallegos, Facilities Manager
Sheila Gerth, Pastoral Care Coordinator
Carol Godell, Day School Director
Liz Johnson, Kids Corner Coordinator
Liz Linger, Community Life and Discipleship
Melanie Sheffield, Admin. Asst. to the Rector
Alyssa Stebbing, Outreach & Contemporary Music
Sara Tate, Membership and Communications Coordinator
Larry Martz, Parish Accountant

WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday	7:30 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite I
	9:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II
	11:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II
M–F	5:00 PM	Holy Eucharist Rite II
	10:00 AM	Morning Prayer
Wednesday	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II

STAY CONNECTED WITH TRINITY AND DIOCESE

Weekly Email: trinitywoodlands.org/stay-informed
Facebook: facebook.com/TrinityEpiscopalChurch
Instagram: TrinityTWTexas
Twitter: TrinityTWTexas
Texas Episcopalian: Dialog:
epicenter.org/texas-episcopalian-dialog-archive

GLUTEN FREE WAFERS

Gluten free wafers and wine are available at the Altar Rail on the Gospel side (left side as you face the Altar). These wafers and the wine are separate from the wafers made of wheat. Please let the priest know you wish gluten free by placing your palms face down.

MASTER PLAN ARTICLE AND PICTURES

Trinity, The Woodlands, Announces Plan to Revitalize Campus
Read our article and see pictures about our Master Plan on our website: trinitywoodlands.org/about-us/master-plan

ASSISTED LISTENING SYSTEM

Please speak with an usher if you would like to use the assisted listening equipment. Please turn off the receiver and put it back into the basket after the service.

ATTENDANCE

May 10, 2015	493	2014	504
May 17, 2015	411	2014	597

SUNDAY CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Study of the Letters of John(1,2,3 John)
8:45 AM (adult) -Wesley Room
 Bill Carter

Common Lectionary Bible Study
10:15-10:55 AM (adult) -Atrium 214
 Lou Barron

A Novel Bible Study
On the 3rd Sunday of the month.
10:15-10:55 AM (adult)-Millsbaugh Room
 The Rev. Susan Gerding

Children and Youth Sunday School
BEGINNING AGAIN FALL 2015

Youth Community (Sunday Night)
BEGINNING AGAIN FALL 2015

Family Life Group
 Dinner and Faith Formation as a Family
 Dinner at 6:00 PM, Formation begins at
 6:30 PM.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Monday:

7:00-8:30 PM Crossways OCR Mtr. Vivian Orndorff
 (Not meeting the week of May 25, 2015 due to Memorial Day Holiday)

Wednesday:

1:00 PM Ladies Bible Study Library Nancy Farrell
 1:15 PM Prime Time Guys Wesley/OCR

Friday:

6:00 AM SonRise Bible Study Wesley Room Jim Geiger
 9:00 AM Art As A Spiritual Process* Atrium 212 Alyssa Stebbing
 9:30 AM Ladies Bible Study Wesley Room San West

*Childcare provided by the Trinity Kids Corner
 OCR (Office Conference Room)

JUNE AT TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Junior High Mission Trip: June 7th-11th Canyon Lake, Texas

Trinity Kids Corner Summer Program: June 9th-August 13th
(Contact Liz Johnson in the church office)

Senior High Mission trip: June 13th-21st Crownpoint, New Mexico

Vacation Bible School: June 26th-28th Trinity Episcopal Church
(grades Kindergarten-4th grade as of September 1, 2015)

North Dakota Family Partnership: June 28th-July 4th
(Contact Alyssa Stebbing for more information)

PRAYER REQUESTS

HEALING

Buddy Parker	Gary Workman	Phyllis Decker
Kelsey	Amanda Eads	Steve O
Joyce Lowry	Ron Anderson	Nancy Lanford
Connie Lippard	Anna Pirir	Tom Wall
Violet West	Joe	John/Pat Horner
Mary Kyle	George Burrell	George Norris
Carole Ingram	Claire Kruchten	Dick and Dodie
William Steele	Bill Presslar	Mary Holland
Nancy Rainwater	Peyton	Dolores Sands
Lillian Matthews	Bidwell Drake	Jane Horner
Jennifer Cardillo	Emily	Judy McCall
Craig Clearwater	Kyle	Crystal Fretz
Traci	Barbara Miller	Ron Higgins
Pam Burrows	Jason	Collins Family
Jeanette/Roy	Scott Marble	Craig Clearwater

FOR THE DEPARTED

Jerry Holland
 Charlotte Scott

GUIDANCE

Craig Sherlock	Randy	Michael
Robert	Erika P.	Forrest
Vicky R.	Jason S.	Ryan
Robin		

FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIANS SERVING

Lance	Michael Daigle	David Flaherty
Misty	Travis Bassett	Brandon Schambach
Gilbert	Stephen Jones	Brandon McCord
Marlo Baguyos	Zeb Perciful	Ted Limmer
Amanda Brooks	Cameron Brooks	Brandon Cox
Quincy Simpson	John Collins	Jason Green
Tom Babbitt	Christian Imle	Vincent Geiger
Ryan Workman	Michael Corbin	Jessica Watson
Jim Watson	Nicholas Babbitt	William Shumate Jr
Jacob Fernandez	Lynn Irwin	Andrew Thornbury
Matthew Wagner	Dimitri Thomas	Andres Seminario
Joshua Johnson	Lee Cain	



ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MAY 24, 2015

SERVICE LOCATION CHANGES

Let there be light! The installation of the new lights in the nave has begun! All Eucharistic services TODAY will be held in Butler Fellowship Hall.

OFFICE CLOSED-MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY

The Trinity Church Office will be closed Monday, May 25th in observance of the Memorial Day Holiday. We will reopen on Tuesday, May 26th at 8:30 AM.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL INFO

Registration for our weekend VBS "Heaven's Kitchen" has begun. Registration is first come, first serve with very limited availability. Registration forms can be returned to Liz Johnson in the church office. VBS will take place Friday and Saturday, June 26th and June 27th from 6:00 - 8:30 PM.

EPISCOPAL NIGHT AT THE ASTROS!

Save the date for the upcoming Episcopal Night with the Astros on Friday, June 12 at 7:10 p.m. as they take on the Seattle Mariners at Minute Maid Park. This is a great time, fireworks included. The event will require advanced purchase of tickets. Please contact Rev. Sean Steele in the church office or at ssteele@trinitywoodlands.org for more information or to RSVP. Please RSVP by Wednesday, May 27th.

TnT MISSION TRIP INFORMATION MEETING

The Information meeting for those wanting to know more about the TnT Mission Trip will be Wednesday, May 27th at 6:30 PM in Butler Hall. This trip is for students who are incoming 4th graders to outgoing 6th graders. More information on the trip can be found at www.trinitywoodlands.org.

RECEPTION FOR OUTREACH VOLUNTEERS

A Thank-You Reception for Outreach volunteers will be Friday, May 29th, from 6:00 until 8:00 PM in Butler Hall. Please join us in celebrating another year of Outreach Ministry at Trinity. All are welcome.

YOUTH, TKC, AND VBS GIVING TREE

Our annual Youth, TKC, and VBS Giving Tree has been set-up in the Narthex. Donated items are needed in the church office by Sunday, May 31st.

STAFF CHANGES AND INFORMATION

With the recent retirement of Sheila Gerth please note the following changes in staff contacts:

- * All Pastoral Care Concerns: Mother Vivian Orndorff
- * Baptisms and Confirmations: Melanie Sheffield
- * Office Volunteers: Melanie Sheffield
- * All Membership Concerns: Sara Tate

You can contact any of them in the church office at 281.367.8113.

FINE ARTS CAMP 2015-AUDITION INFORMATION!

Calling all student actors! Fine Arts Camp will take place the week of July 27-31 for kids who have completed grades 1-5. There are several leading roles for kids in grades 3-5, as well as supporting roles for those in grades 1-5. Auditions for lead roles will take place on Sunday, May 31, at 2:00 PM in the Music Suite. Auditions for supporting roles will take place during Fine Arts Camp. For more information or to register, contact Micki Balog at mbalog@trinitywoodlands.org.

TABLE TALK

Whether you are new to Trinity or have been a member for years this series will help you get connected to God, to our ministries, and to our community. Sunday, May 31st Mother Vivian Orndorff will be presenting information on Christian Formation and Discipleship. Join us in the Office Conference Room at 10:15 AM to participate. All are welcome to attend. Please contact Sara Tate in the church office for more information.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION SCHOOL ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

If you are called to listen to others on their spiritual paths or simply to work on the transformation of your soul, then apply with FIND, the diocesan school for spiritual formation. FIND offers programs in spiritual direction training and spiritual formation. Deadline for applications is June 30. See <http://www.epicenter.org/the-episcopal-faith/spirituality/spiritual-direction-find/> for more information.

FAQ-FATHER GERRY'S SUMMER SABBATICAL

Father Gerry will begin his Rector's Sabbatical on June 1, 2015. He has developed a FAQ to help answer your questions. Please check our website, our Facebook page, or pick up a copy in the Narthex if you would like more information.

EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY (EfM)

EfM is a four-year extension program for lay people developed by the University of the South School of Theology. This weekly seminar group meets on Thursday evenings. Participants study scripture, church history, and theology, as well as engage in the process of theological reflection. A new year of EfM begins in September, and the commitment is for one year at a time. No bible or theological experience is necessary-only a desire to learn. Please contact one of the co-Mentors Kay Seveck at 832.671.2652 or Jan Alexander at 281.682.2093 for more information.

RECEPTION FOR HOSPITALITY VOLUNTEERS

A Thank-You Reception for our Hospitality volunteers will be Sunday, June 7th, at 10:15 AM in the Millsbaugh Room. Please join us in celebrating these volunteers and all that they do to help welcome our newest members every week. All are welcome to attend.

VOLUNTEER BOOKKEEPER AND ACCOUNTANT NEEDED FOR TEDS

Trinity Episcopal Day School (TEDS) is looking for a volunteer to take over the bookkeeping and accountant duties of the school. This volunteer position takes approximately 10 hours per month. For more information please contact Carol Godell at 281.367.5148 or Paul Cloud, TEDS Board Chairman at 281.989.4478.

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HEALING AND ANOINTING AVAILABLE

If you are in need of healing and anointing, please know that this service is available with any clergy member after any service.