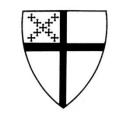


# Trinity Episcopal Church The Weekly Tidings



The Woodlands, Texas

June 22, 2014

# Welcome Newcomers!

We are delighted you have joined us to worship the Lord this day! If you are a Visitor to our church community, we open our hearts to you in the love and fellowship of our Lord Jesus Christ. Please stop by the Visitors' Table for information about Trinity Episcopal Church. After the 7:30 AM and 9:00 AM services please join us for coffee and pastries in Butler Fellowship Hall. After the 11:00 AM service, please join us in the Parlor for coffee. Please see the Newcomers' Table in the narthex for more information.

# SUMMER AT TRINITY

# **TEENS IN TRAINING (TNT) MISSION TRIP**

Teens in Training is a youth group for grades 4th-6th grade. This year our mission trip will be held August 4th-6th at Christ Church Cathedral in downtown Houston. We will be joining the Cathedral Urban Service Experience (CUSE). For more information on CUSE visit www.urbanserviceexperience.org or contact Molly Carr at mcarr@trinitywoodlands.org. Registration packets are ready in the Narthex.

# **FINE ARTS CAMP**

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## SUMMER CHOIR

During the months of June and July, Trinity Choir takes a well-deserved break from weekly rehearsals. You are invited to join with the Trinity Choir on Sundays at 10:00 AM in the music suite for Summer Choir! No commitment necessary. The music is easy, the fellowship is contagious and the benefits are out of this world.

## TRINITY WEEKI V CALENDAR

TRINITY WEEKLY CALENDAR					
	Monday-Friday Morning Prayer in the Parlor 10am				
Sunday, 6/22	2 Pentecost				
7:30 AM					
8:45 AM	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •				
	Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)				
	Welcome Series (OCR)				
	Christian Formation Hour				
	Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)				
	Weekend VBS Potluck (BFH)				
3:00 PM	Christian Meditation Group (Parlor)				
5:00 PM	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •				
6:30 PM	Connection Dinner				
Monday, 6/23					
1:30 PM	Indoor Walking (BFH)				
5:15 PM	Zumba (BFH)				
7:00 PM	BSA Troop 777 Meeting (BFH)				
7:00 PM	Tae Kwondo (Rotunda)				
7:00 PM	Trinity Women's Book Club (Parlor)				
Tuesday, 6/24					
9:30 AM	Summer Program				
9:30 AM	Trinity Quilters (WR)				
10:30 AM	Staff Meeting (OCR)				
7:00 PM	Trinity Tricksters (Millspaugh Room)				
Wednesday, 6/25					
9:30 AM	Summer Program				
10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)				
1:00 PM	PTG Bible Study (WR)				
1:00 PM					
5:00 PM	Contemporary Band Rehearsal (MS)				
7:00 PM	Healing Eucharist (Nave)				
Thursday, 6/26					
9:30 AM	Summer Program				
11:00 AM	Purls and Prayers (OCR)				
Friday, 6/27	• • •				
6:00 AM	Men's SonRise Breakfast (WR)				
9:00 AM	Art As a Spiritual Process (A212-213)				
6:00 PM	*				
Saturday, 6/28	<u> </u>				
•	Sr. High Mission Trip to Mississippi				
10:00 AM					
	*childcare provided MR-Millspaugh Room				

TKC-Trinity Kids Corner \*childcare provided MR-Millspaugh 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

## FINANCIALS AT A GLANCE

Here is how our year-to-date financials look through the end of May:

Our giving = \$575,413

Other income = \$89,652

Ministry & other expenses = \$679,050

Year to date shortfall = \$13,984

Other Information:

Reserve Fund Balance - \$17,245

Mortgage - \$2,237,089

Line of Credit - \$16,400 (decrease of \$50,000 from April)

Outstanding debt - \$2,253,489

It is only through your faithful stewardship reflecting God's generosity that our ministries will continue to flourish at Trinity!

## FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR

The flowers on the altar are given in celebration of Victor and Marjorie Lofgreen's 21st Anniversary.

## TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

3901 S. Panther Creek Drive 281. 367.8113

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

www.trinitywoodlands.org

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 Sevick, Rector The Rev. Robert W. Horner, Deacon

The Rev. Sean Steele, Curate

Micki Balog, Director of Music Ministry

Molly Carr, Community Life and Discipleship Minister

Nick Earl, Newcomers' Ministry

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

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
	5:00 PM	Holy Eucharist Rite II
M–F	10:00 AM	Morning Prayer
Wednesday	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II
•	7:00 PM	Holy Eucharist with Anointing

#### **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.

## 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 for Holy Communion

## STAY CONNECTED WITH TRINITY AND DIOCESE

Subscribe to our email lists at www.trinitywoodlands.org

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www.facebook.com/TrinityEpiscopalChurch.

Follow us on Twitter at www.twitter.com/TrinityTWTexas, or join in our discussion on Linkedin at

www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=2004125

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# MASTER PLAN ARTICLE AND PICTURES

Trinity, The Woodlands, Announces Plan to Revitalize Campus Read our article and see pictures about our Master Plan at the Diocesan website: <a href="http://www.epicenter.org/article/trinity-">http://www.epicenter.org/article/trinity-</a>

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# 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 AT TRINITY

6/01/2014	459	2013	372
6/08/2014	461	2013	472
6/15/2014	437	2013	422

# **SUNDAY** CHRISTIAN FORMATION

The Gospel According to Peanuts

8:45 AM (adult) — Wesley Room Fr. Bill Houghton & Bill Carter

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

New Members and Inquirers Class 10:15 AM (adult) —-Office Conference Room Nick Earl

Children and Youth Sunday School

Off for the Summer

# **WEEKDAY CHRISTIAN FORMATION**

Wednesday:

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

Friday:

6:00 AM SONrise Bible Study Wesley Room Jim Geiger 9:00 AM Art As A Spiritual Process\* Atrium 212 Alyssa Stebbing

\*Childcare provided by the Trinity Kids Corner

# TRINITY'S VISION

We believe Jesus Christ calls us to be His true disciples. Trinity chooses to use the unique gifts given to us by the Holy Spirit to become a shining example of God's love to each other and our community.

# TRINITY'S MISSION

Grounded in Christ's love and surrendered to the Holy Spirit, we provide a safe and positive environment for spiritual growth of all, to welcome and serve others, to reach out to those in need and to share the Gospel.

# TRINITY WELLNESS

## ZUMBA (Out until July 3)

Mondays and Thursdays in Butler Fellowship Hall-5:15-6:15 PM Cost: \$5.00 per class or \$30 for 10 classes High energy fitness that incorporates dance.

# INDOOR WALKING

Mondays from 1:30-2:15 PM in Butler Fellowship Hall

Walking and fellowship in the air conditioning.

## TAE KWON DO FOR SPECIAL NEEDS **CHILDREN AGES 3+**

TRINITY WARRIORS TAE KWON DO

Saturdays in Butler Fellowship Hall- 10:00-11:00 AM

Cost: \$35 for uniform and t-shirt/\$5 per class (first class free)

# TRINITY EPISCOPAL DAY SCHOOL

Trinity Episcopal Day School (TEDS) is a licensed and accredited school with classes for 18 month olds through Kindergarten. Preschool hours are 8:45 AM-12:00 PM and vary by day depending on age group, with an extended day until 2:00 PM available by reservation. Kindergarten hours are 8:45 AM-2:00 PM Monday through Thursday and 8:45 AM-12:00 PM on Friday. Our preschool and Kindergarten curriculum meets or exceeds the C.I.S.D. standards and bestpractice. Our website is www.tedstw.org and our e-mail address is office@tedstw.org. Please be encouraged to contact us with any questions or to schedule a tour. We would love for you and your child to join us here at TEDS. Carol Godell, TEDS Director

# PRAYER REQUESTS

#### HEALING

**Buddy Parker** Theo Gary Workman Kelsey Amanda Eads Steve O Bob Nawojski Joyce Lowry Ron Anderson Chesley Chapman Connie Lippard Anna Pirir Violet West Emma McNeise Samantha Herfurth John/Pat Horner Mary Kyle Patty Spahr George Norris Carole Ingram Claire Kruchten Elyse Giles Bubba Parker Chuck Vanderpoole Dick and Dodie William Steele **Bobby** Joseph Alfieri Jerry/Mary Holland Sarah Planeta Eddie Howard Bill Merchant **Dolores Sands** Parnell Family Sherry Kimberlin Wally Johnson Family Bea Pafford Terry Cassidy Ken

Eric Grayson Sharron Zachry-Withers

Wendy Shalita Colby Herrington Rickey

Rhonda Jones **Howard Linus** 

FOR THE DEPARTED

**GUIDANCE** 

Don Nick Jason S. Terri Randy Craig Sherlock

Erika P

#### FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIANS SERVING

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

Joshua Johnson Brandon Schambach

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JUNE 22, 2014**

Look for more summer events on the front page in this Weekly Tidings.

# **OUR CHRISTIAN JOURNEY**

Ever wanted to share your faith journey with others? Ever wanted to hear others share theirs? Join us Sunday mornings, 10.15-10.50 AM in the Office Conference Room. Come to speak or come just to listen. Everyone is welcome!

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## GIFT CARDS NEEDED FOR OUTREACH

Would you like to be a part of the North Dakota Partnership? Please consider donating a gift card to help us get the supplies we need in North Dakota by July 15th. Walmart cards (for food and supplies) Visa gift cards (for food, tools, camp supplies). Thank you for your donation. Please give gift cards to Alyssa Stebbing.

# STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE SUMMER MOVIE SERIES

Trinity Summer Movie Series – "Amazing Grace" The Stewardship Committee is excited to host the first gathering of our Summer Movie Series on Friday, June 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM in Butler Fellowship Hall. We will show the movie "Amazing Grace" about the life of William Wilberforce. After the movie we will have a brief discussion on how this movie impacts our Christian lives. The movie is family friendly and more info can be found at www.amazinggracemovie.com.

# **FOURTH SUNDAY FOR THE VETS**

Sunday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> is "Fourth Sunday For the Vets". The Trinity Veterans Fellowship (TVF) will be, in front of the church, collecting your books, magazines, shaving & dental hygiene items, board games, used clothing and new socks & underwear, for the veterans at the De Bakey Veterans Hospital in Houston. Don't forget to ask your friends and neighbors if they have items to donate. The TVF green foot locker is located next to the stage in Butler Hall, to drop off items at your convenience. Thank you for supporting our veterans in need!

# **COFFEE AND GOODIES**

Sunday coffee ministry needs volunteers to bring food, help set up and clean up. If you are interested please contact Linda Lewis 281.795.1816 or greenwhale64@gmail.com

# **DID YOU KNOW?**

Trinity's family is growing, and hundreds of Episcopalians are coming to The Woodlands! Fr. Gerry is signing 3-4 requests to transfer here each week on average. Based on expansion of energy companies like Exxon Mobil and Anadarko, Bishop Doyle and Fr. Gerry have been reaching out to those relocating through videos, their home parishes and realtors to join our parish.

## TRINITY TOMORROW UPDATE

We are pleased to announce the formation of two key committees to move our building program forward. Randy Redd will chair the Capital Campaign Committee and Steve Isphording will chair the Building Committee. The Capital Campaign Committee is tasked with all fundraising activities while the Building Committee will oversee all design and construction activities. The two chairs are currently forming their respective committees and preparing to execute their assigned tasks. If you have specific questions in either of these areas, please contact the Chair. For general questions regarding Trinity Tomorrow, contact Stoney Cox, Senior Warden 713.471.7600. Randy Redd 832.494.8321. Steve Isphording 281.210.6926 at elevatorman04@sbcglobal.net.

# **CAN CARE - Fighting Cancer With Hope**

- Matches you with a survivor of the same or similar type of cancer that you have.
- Allows you to talk freely and openly about experiences, side effects and concerns.
- Is available to patients with any type and stage of cancer
- Matches your loved ones to our experienced caregivers.
- Helps you find Hope after a diagnosis of cancer
- Is free and confidential.

One Call to 1.888.461.0028 or 713.461.0028 will begin the process of matching you to a trained volunteer. You can also contact Curt Hammock 832.515.3946 here at Trinity with questions. Pick up a brochure in the narthex.