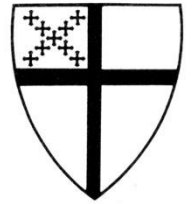




Trinity Episcopal Church

The Weekly Tidings



The Woodlands, Texas

July 27, 2014

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

7:00 PM

Holy Eucharist with Anointing

*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

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.

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 WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday-Friday Morning Prayer in the Parlor 10am

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| Sunday, 7/27 | 7 Pentecost |
| 7:30 AM | Holy Eucharist Rite I (Nave) |
| 8:45 AM | Adult Sunday School Class (WR) |
| 9:00 AM | Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave) |
| 10:15 AM | Common Lectionary Bible Study (A214) |
| 11:00 AM | Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave) |
| 3:00 PM | Christian Meditation Group (Parlor) |
| 3:00 PM | Feliz Eagle Court of Honor (BFH) |
| 5:00 PM | Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave) |
| Monday, 7/28 | |
| 10:00 AM | Morning Prayer (Parlor) |
| 1:30 PM | Indoor Walking (BFH) |
| 5:15 PM | Zumba (BFH) |
| 7:00 PM | BSA Troop 777 (BFH) |
| 7:00 PM | Taekwondo (Rotunda) |
| 7:00 PM | Trinity Women's Book Club (Parlor) |
| Tuesday, 7/29 | |
| 10:00 AM | Morning Prayer (Parlor) |
| 10:30 AM | Staff Meeting (OCR) |
| Wednesday, 7/30 | |
| 10:00 AM | Morning Prayer (Parlor) |
| 10:00 AM | Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave) |
| 1:00 PM | Community Life Weekly Meeting (OCR) |
| 7:00 PM | Healing Eucharist (Nave) |
| Thursday, 7/31 | |
| 10:00 AM | Morning Prayer (Parlor) |
| 11:00 AM | Purls and Prayers (OCR) |
| 5:15 PM | Zumba (BFH) |
| Friday, 8/1 | |
| 6:00 AM | Men's SonRise Breakfast (WR) |
| 9:00 AM | Art As a Spiritual Process (A212) |
| 10:00 AM | Morning Prayer (Parlor) |
| Saturday, 8/2 | |
| 10:00 AM | Tae Kwon Do for Children with Special Needs (BFH) |
| 6:30 PM | Vivian Orndorff's Welcome Celebration |

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

(as approved at July 15 Vestry Meeting)
Year to date financials through the end of June:
Our giving = \$696,593
Other income = \$105,931
Ministry & other expenses = \$828,229
Year to date under funded ministries = \$25,705

Other Information:

Reserve Fund Balance - \$17,455

Mortgage - \$2,224,314

Line of Credit - \$0

(decrease of \$126,400 from December 2013)

Outstanding debt - \$2,224,314

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 today are given for the Glory of God by Connie and Alan Rogers in celebration of their 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 Seveck, Rector

The Rev. Sean Steele, Associate Priest

The Rev. Robert W. Horner, Deacon

The Rev. Vivian Orndorff, Deacon

Micki Balog, Director of Music Ministry

Molly Carr, Community Life and Discipleship Minister

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

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| 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

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Follow us on Twitter at www.twitter.com/TrinityTWTexas, or

join in our discussion on LinkedIn at

www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=2004125

Dialog E-News www.epicenter.org/com

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: [http://www.epicenter.org/article/trinity-](http://www.epicenter.org/article/trinity-the-woodlands-announces-plan-to-revitalize-campus/)

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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

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| 7/06/2014 | 387 | 2013 | 425 |
| 7/13/2014 | 439 | 2013 | 462 |
| 7/20/2014 | 431 | 2013 | 437 |

SUNDAY CHRISTIAN FORMATION

*The Language of God: A Scientist Presents
Evidence for Belief*
8:45 AM (adult) — Wesley Room
Dr. Frank Handy

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

Children and Youth Sunday School
Off for the Summer
(Sign up for Children and Youth Sunday
School at Rally Day on August 24th in
Butler Fellowship Hall)

WEEKDAY CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Wednesday:

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

Friday:

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| 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 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 best-practice. 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

TRINITY WELLNESS

ZUMBA- MONDAYS AND THURSDAYS

FREE CHILDCARE ON THURSDAY'S DURING THE MONTH OF JULY.

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*)

PRAYER REQUESTS

HEALING

| | | |
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| Buddy Parker | Theo | Gary Workman |
| Kelsey | Amanda Eads | Steve O |
| Joyce Lowry | Ron Anderson | Bob Nawojski |
| Connie Lippard | Anna Pirir | Tom Wall |
| Violet West | Emma McNeise | Samantha Herfurth |
| John/Pat Horner | Mary Kyle | Patty Spahr |
| George Norris | Carole Ingram | Claire Kruchten |
| Elyse Giles | Marty Massey | Susan Keith |
| Dick and Dodie | William Steele | Bobby |
| Jerry/Mary Holland | Sarah Planeta | Joseph Alfieri |
| Dolores Sands | Bill Merchant | Jennifer |
| Sherry Kimberlin | Gary Darby | Jane |
| Terry Cassidy | Lawrence Homer | Erika P. |
| Eric Grayson | Rickey | Colby Herrington |
| Rhonda Jones | Carol Godell | Crystal Fretz |

FOR THE DEPARTED

Fran White

GUIDANCE

| | | |
|---------------|-------|----------------|
| Don | Nick | Pam Massey |
| Terri | Randy | Craig Sherlock |
| Greg & Brandi | | |

FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIANS SERVING

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| 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 | Lynn Irwin | Andrew Thornbury |
| Matthew Wagner | Dimitri Thomas | Andres Seminario |
| Joshua Johnson | Brandon Schambach | |

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JULY 27, 2014

TRINITY DATABASE UPDATE

We want to communicate with you. If any of your information has changed such as address, home phone, cell phone, email address or your name; please email the changes and or additions to Melanie Sheffield at msheffield@trinitywoodlands.org.

DEACON VIVIAN ORNDORFF WELCOME CELEBRATION-POTLUCK AND POUNDING

Please join us as we welcome Deacon Vivian Orndorff and her family to Trinity on Saturday, August 2nd from 6:30-8:00 PM in Butler Fellowship Hall. Please bring a potluck dish to share. We will also have a "Pounding." "Pounding" dates back to the age of the original Quakers. The custom was established to welcome a new clergy and his family into a congregation. The idea was to give the family a pound of pantry staples. It was a sign of hospitality and welcome. Please bring your "pound" to the stage on August 2nd. Volunteers are needed to help set up, clear food, and clean up. Please contact Liz Linger at llinger@trinitywoodlands.org if you can help out. Childcare is available, contact Liz Johnson at ljohnson@trinitywoodlands.org.

FOURTH SUNDAY FOR THE VETS

Sunday, July 27 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 your support!

BAPTISMS-AUGUST 17TH

If you or someone in your family would like to be baptized please call Sheila Gerth in the office or email sgerth@trinitywoodlands.org

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 available on our website.

3RD ANNUAL TRINITY ART SHOW

Calling all artists. The 2014 Trinity Art Show is September 26th thru 28th. Entry forms will be available September 1st. Deadline for submissions is September 21st. Please pick up entry forms in the church office or contact Alyssa Stebbing at 281.367.8113.

8:45 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

The 8:45 AM Sunday School Class will be starting a new series on August 3rd. We will begin a study of Francis Collins' book titled, *The Language of God: A Scientist Presents Evidence for Belief*. The author is a scientist with impeccable credentials and a devout Christian. He is currently the director of the Human Genome Project. In this book Collins seeks to bring his credibility in both scientific and spiritual circles to bear in an attempt to achieve harmonious synthesis between science and faith. The study will be led by our own respected scientist, Dr. Frank Handy. Please plan on joining us for this exciting study. The class meets every Sunday in the Wesley Room for prayer, fellowship, and study.

FAMILY PROMISE DONATIONS NEEDED

Family Promise is a program for area families facing homelessness, helping them achieve sustainability and restore personal dignity. Trinity hosts several families for a week, four times each year. We provide shelter, meals, transportation and compassion. We are in need of the following items; please drop them off in the Narthex: baby food, diapers, baby wipes, travel sizes soap/shampoo, women's sanitary napkins, hand sanitizer, travel size toothpaste/mouthwash, travel size deodorant, basic first aid equipment/medicines

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR FAMILY PROMISE

Sunday August 24th through August 31st, Family Promise is in need of volunteers. Family Promise is a program for area families facing homelessness, helping them achieve sustainability and restore personal dignity. Trinity hosts several families for a week, four times each year. We provide shelter, meals, transportation and compassion. The program provides that extra little push to help many local families get back on their feet. It is a great opportunity to share in God's love, and we welcome your help in this rewarding ministry. We are in serious need of volunteers - preparing and serving an evening meal, staying over a night as a chaperone, or driving the van to and from the family day center in Conroe. For more information, contact Hillary Delacerda at 832-326-9042 or Joanne Welker at 281-419-6237.

RALLY DAY-SAVE THE DATE

Do you want to find out more about Trinity and all of the ministries that are offered? Would you like to sign up for a Weekly Bible Study? Do you need to sign up your child or yourself for Sunday School? Rally Day is the day to do all of this and more! A ministry representative from each of the ministries will gather in Butler Fellowship Hall on Sunday, August 24th from 8:00 AM-1:00 PM. If you are a ministry leader and need to reserve a table, please contact Liz Linger by August 10th at llinger@trinitywoodlands.org with the number of chairs you need (space is limited to 2 chairs max).