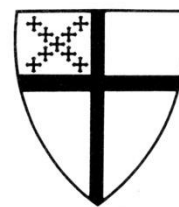




Trinity Episcopal Church

The Weekly Tidings

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The Woodlands, Texas

August 23, 2015

Weekly Services at Trinity

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*

Monday-Friday

10:00 AM

Morning Prayer

Wednesday

10:00 AM

Holy Eucharist Rite II

*Childcare Available

Weekly Outreach at Trinity

12 Step Program

Open Meeting

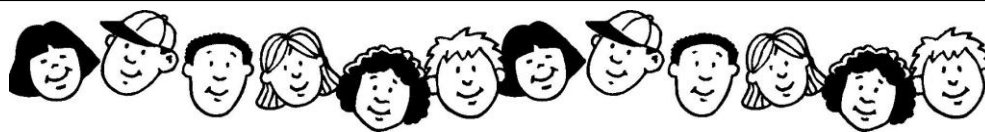
Every Friday at 7:30PM
in the Atrium

Call 713.686.6300 for
information

**Questions? Call the
church office at
281.367.8113**

RALLY DAY (MINISTRY FAIR) TODAY!

Join us for Rally Day. Our annual ministry fair will take place from 8:00-1:00 PM in Butler Fellowship Hall. Stop by and see what the many ministries available for you to participate in at Trinity. It's the perfect time to get involved with our community.



CHANGES TO OUR CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY DISCIPLESHIP PROGRAM.

We are excited to announce that beginning in the fall we will begin a new comprehensive children, youth and family discipleship program called Journey! We are asking that every family come to one of the meetings to learn about how we can partner together to raise young disciples and continue to grow in faith ourselves. Childcare will be available upon request. Please R.S.V.P. to Liz Linger at llinger@trinitywoodlands.org.

The meeting dates are:

Monday, August 31, 10:00 AM

Monday, August 31 6:30 PM

Tuesday, September 8, 6:30 PM



FATHER GERRY'S WELCOME BACK POT LUCK

Join us after the 11:00 AM service on September 6th in Butler Fellowship Hall as we welcome Father Gerry back from his sabbatical. Please bring a dish to share.

TRINITY WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, 8/23 Rally Day, Blessing of the

Backpacks/Teachers and Family Promise Week

7:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I (Nave)
9:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*
10:15 AM Christian Formation Hour
10:15 AM Vestry Information (WR)
11:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*
3:00 PM Christian Meditation Group (P)
5:00 PM Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*
6:15 PM Connecting to Trinity (Nave)

Monday, 8/24

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

Tuesday, 8/25

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

Wednesday, 8/26

10:00 AM Morning Prayer (P)
10:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*
10:30 AM Sit and Be Fit (WR)

Thursday, 8/27

10:00 AM Morning Prayer (P)
11:00 AM Purls and Prayers (OCR)

Friday, 8/28

6:00 AM SonRise Men's Discussion Group (WR)
10:00 AM Morning Prayer (P)

Saturday, 8/29

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-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

*The Millspaugh Room, Wesley Room, Library, Kitchen and Office Conference
Room are all located in Butler Fellowship Hall

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

ATTENTION KROGER SHOPPERS!

A portion of your regular shopping dollars can be credited to our General Funds budget for ongoing use to our ministries through Kroger's Community Support Program. Please go to Kroger.com, click Community, then sign in to your existing account or follow the instructions to create a new account. Trinity Episcopal Church has the organization #82379. For information, contact Susan Mayer at svmayer@yahoo.com.

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
Carol Godell, Day School Director
Liz Johnson, Kids Corner Coordinator
Liz Linger, Administrative Assistant to Parish Ministries
Melanie Sheffield, Admin. Asst. to the Rector
Alyssa Stebbing, Outreach & Contemporary Music
Sara Tate, Membership & Communications Coordinator
Larry Martz, Parish Accountant

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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.

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.

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

ATTENDANCE

August 9, 2015	438	2014	388
August 16, 2015	423	2014	471

FINANCIALS AT A GLANCE (as approved at June 21 Vestry Meeting)

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

Our giving = \$778,165

Other income = \$239,098

Ministry and other expenses = \$1,039,377

Year-to-date under funded ministries = \$22,115

OTHER INFORMATION

Reserve Fund Balance - \$16,781

Mortgage - \$2,067,521

Total Outstanding debt - \$2,210,507

LED Project Loan - \$142,986

Line of Credit - \$25,000 (decrease of \$61,000 from December 2014)

SUNDAY
CHRISTIAN FORMATION

8:45 AM (adult) –Will begin again
September 2015 contact Mr. Bill Carter
with questions.

Common Lectionary Bible Study

10:15-10:55 AM (adult) -Atrium 214
Lou Barron

Children and Youth Sunday School

Beginning September 13th

10:15-10:55 AM

1st Sundays of the Month-

Intergenerational (BFH)

2nd-4th Sundays of the Month-

Godly Play (grades K-4th) –TEDS

TnT (grades 5-6)-Atrium

Youth Community (Sunday Night)

Beginning September 13th

Open to all those in grades 7-12

Join us for dinner at 6:00 PM followed
by games, activities, and Christian
formation.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES

Monday:

9:30 AM	Mom's Group*	Library	Molly Carr
(Beginning September 14 th)			
7:00-8:30 PM	Crossways	OCR	Mtr. Vivian Orndorff

Wednesday:

1:00 PM	Ladies Bible Study	Library	Nancy Farrell
1:15 PM	Prime Time Guys	Wesley/OCR	
(Will begin again September 2015)			

Thursday: (Beginning September 10th)

1:00 PM	Rector's Bible Study	Millsbaugh	The Rev. Gerald Sevick
7:00 PM	Rector's Bible Study	Atrium 215	The Rev. Gerald Sevick

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
OCR (Office Conference Room)

PRAYER REQUESTS

HEALING

George B.	Donna C.
Bidwell D.	Jane H.
Carole I.	Mary K.
Janet L.	Linda L.
Steve O.	Nancy R.
William S.	Violet W.
Gary W.	Thomas R.
Susan	Carolyn



FOR THE DEPARTED

Mabel Florence Marshall (David Marshall's mother)
Liz Horrigan
Edna Pinson

GUIDANCE

Robert D.	Michael G.
Craig S.	Dan & Dixie
Erika S.	

THANKSGIVINGS

FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIANS SERVING

Samantha B.
Zeb P.

If you or a loved one would like to be added to our prayer list, or a correction is needed please contact Mother Vivian Orndorff at vorndorff@trinitywoodlands.org or call the church office.

PRAYERS FOR FATHER GERRY DURING HIS SABBATICAL

On Father Gerry's last Sunday before his Sabbatical began he lit a candle and said: "I leave you this candle. Light it when you gather for worship each Sunday and when you meet. Pray for me while I am gone." Let us each pray for him while he is away whenever we gather on Sunday and Wednesday for Holy Communion.



The Flowers on the Altar this week are given to the glory of God

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR AUGUST 23, 2015

VESTRY SELECTION & DISCERNMENT

Trinity has passed the mid-point of the 2015 Vestry year, and the Search Committee has begun the process of recruiting our 2016 members. If you are interested in serving on Vestry or have been put forward as a potential Vestry candidate, please plan to attend an information session in the Wesley Room from 10:15-11:00 AM on August 30 or September 6. Elections will be held on October 18 in Butler Fellowship Hall. In the interim, if you have questions, interest or would like more information please contact one of the Search Committee - Stoney Cox, David Marshall, Mike Thomson, Jack West, Dana Horton or Scarlett Stokes.

JUNIOR DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

Who are the Junior Daughters of the King? At Trinity, they are girls, ages 7 thru 13, who want to grow in their relationship to Jesus through Bible study, prayer and service to their church and community. Mark your calendar. There will be an Introductory Meeting for interested young girls and their parents on Sunday, August 30, following the 11:00 AM service in the Wesley Room. We will start our preparation course with a Candle Light service on September 20 at the 11:00 AM service. For more information, contact Judy Isphording at 281.364.1559 or at bridgenana@sbcglobal.net.

TRINITY GUYS IN FELLOWSHIP (TGIF) ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Join the TGIF Ministry at their annual TGIF Golf Tournament, Saturday, September 12th at High Meadow Ranch Golf Club located at 37300 Golf Club Trail Magnolia, Texas 77355. Registration begins at 7:30 AM, shotgun start at 8:30 AM, and lunch to follow at 12:30 PM. Registration forms are available in the narthex. Payments will be accepted in advance or the day of the tournament, but registration forms are due by Sunday, August 30th. Questions? Contact Jason Johnson at 832.657.3283 or via email at jjohnson@jensenhughes.com.

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. Table Talk will meet Sundays at 10:15 AM in the Millspaugh Room. This five week series will begin on Sunday, September 6th with Introductions and a discussion on our personal Christian journey. All are welcome to attend! Contact Sara Tate at state@trinitywoodlands.org or call the church office for more information.

TRINITY OFFICE CLOSED-LABOR DAY

The Trinity Church office will be closed, Monday, September 7th for the Labor Day Holiday. The office will reopen at 8:30 AM on Tuesday, September 8th.

LABOR DAY MINORITY YOUTH BENEFIT- BATTLE OF THE HOLY GRILL

Our own James Barron will compete with another master griller for the title of King of the Grill in a Labor Day barbecue cook-off at Grace Episcopal Church, Houston, Monday, September 7th from 11-4 PM. Proceeds will fund minority youth participation and leadership opportunities at diocesan events. More than mouth-watering barbecue, there will be fun for the entire family with music, carnival games, face painting, food concessions, and a moonwalk. For ticket information or questions, please contact James Barron at 281.252.8287.

JUNIOR FORUM BINGO LUNCH

Attention Trinity Seniors! You are invited to the Cypress Woodlands Junior Forum Bingo, Entertainment and Lunch on Thursday, September 10th from 9:30-12:00 PM. The theme is American Pride. Can't attend this month? That's okay, Junior Forum Bingo Lunch are scheduled for the 2nd Thursday of each month. Questions? Contact Karol Kleinenbroich at 281.507.3032.

RECTOR'S BIBLE STUDY

Fr. Gerry's Bible Study for the Fall will be on the Book of Common Prayer beginning September 10th. Classes will be offered on Thursday afternoons at 1:00 PM in A215 and on Thursday evenings at 7:00 PM in the Wesley Room. You may sign-up beginning on Rally Day in Butler Fellowship Hall on Sunday, August 23rd. If you have any questions, please contact Melanie in the church office at 281.367.8113 or at msheffield@trinitywoodlands.org.

ST. ANNE'S GUILD

St. Anne's Guild is a group of ladies who gather for the purpose of Christian fellowship, service to the church and community outreach. We invite all women of Trinity to come join us on the third Tuesday of the month. We will not gather for the month of August. Our next meeting is on September 15th at 11:30AM in the Wesley Room. Sara Tate the Membership and Communications Coordinator for Trinity will present our program. For additional information about St. Anne's Guild, contact Kathy Brumbaugh at 281.205.7189.

TRINITY ART SHOW INFORMATION

The Fourth Annual Trinity Art Show is September 25th -27th. We encourage all Trinity artist and artists from our community to enter their work. The show is for artists of all levels. For more information, questions, or entry forms please contact Alyssa Stebbing in the church office or by email at astebbing@trinitywoodlands.org.