



Trinity Episcopal Church

The Weekly Tidings

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The Woodlands, Texas

June 5, 2016

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

Special Note:

The open 12 Step meeting on Friday nights at 7:30 has moved to Lord Of Life Lutheran Church.

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

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. Please contact Kate Lagus in the church office, or email klagus@trinitywoodlands.org with any questions.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Altar Flowers are given by Jack and San West in loving memory of our granddaughter, Virginia, and her mother, Mary Ann.

MESSAGE FROM FR. GERRY: ANTICIPATING THE NEED

Each spring I review with the congregation that our ministries do not go on vacation during the summer months. Ministries that we have during the school year continue through the summer months and, in addition, many summer ministries begin.

I mention this each year because typically the financial support for our ministries goes down during the summer. That would be manageable if fall giving was proportionally higher, but it usually isn't.

Our ministries need your financial support each week of every month. Let us, as a parish, make this the year that our giving meets those needs all year round.

ROOF UPDATE

The roofing project is moving along! The office and Trinity Kids Corner are complete, and Butler Fellowship Hall is nearly done. TEDS continues to be a work in progress due to underlying issues that were discovered when the old roof was removed. Weather permitting, we anticipate finishing ahead of schedule. Thanks to everyone for their patience and flexibility while we make these necessary improvements to our campus.

JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP & COFFEE!

Every Sunday after the 7:30 AM and 9:00 AM worship services, please join us for coffee in Butler Fellowship Hall.

Sunday, 6/5

7:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I (Nave)
 8:45 AM Adult Sunday School (WR)
 9:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*
 10:15 AM Christian Formation Time
 11:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*
 12:00 PM Junior DOK (A215)
 3:00 PM Christian Meditation Group (P)
 3:30 PM Cub Scout Pack 777 (Atrium)
 5:00 PM Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*

Monday, 6/6

10:00 AM Morning Prayer (P)
 1:30 PM Sit and Be Fit (WR)
 6:00 PM Tae Kwon Do (BFH)
 7:00 PM Troop Meeting (BFH)

Tuesday, 6/7

9:00 AM TKC Summer Program (Atrium)
 10:00 AM Morning Prayer (P)

Wednesday, 6/8

9:00 AM TKC Summer Program (Atrium)
 10:00 AM Morning Prayer (P)
 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Nave)
 10:30 AM Sit and Be Fit (WR)
 1:00 PM Prime Time Guys Bible Study (WR)
 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study (MR)
 6:30 PM NAMI* (A215)

Thursday, 6/9

9:00 AM TKC Summer Program (Atrium)
 10:00 AM Morning Prayer (P)
 11:00 AM Purls and Prayers (WR)

Friday, 6/10

10:00 AM Morning Prayer (Parlor)
 10:00 AM Silver Sneakers TKD (Atrium 215)
 10:00 AM Art as a Spiritual Process (Atrium 212)

Saturday, 6/11

10:00 AM Tae Kwon Do for Special Needs (BFH)
 11:30 AM DOK/JDOK Spring Luncheon (BFH)
 5:30 PM Kids Night Out (Atrium)*

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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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 Sevick, Rector
 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
 Kate Lagus, Membership Coordinator
 Liz Linger, Administrative Assistant to Parish Ministries
 Megan McCreedy, Communications Coordinator
 Larry Martz, Parish Accountant
 Melanie Sheffield, Admin. Asst. to the Rector
 Alyssa Stebbing, Outreach & Contemporary Music
 Rev. Sean Steele, Parish Missioner, St. Isidore

STAY CONNECTED WITH TRINITY AND DIOCESE

Weekly Email: trinitywoodlands.org/stay-informed
 Facebook: facebook.com/TrinityEpiscopalChurch
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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 request 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

Read our article and see pictures about our Trinity Tomorrow Master Plan on our website:
trinitywoodlands.org/our-future

ATTENDANCE

May 22, 2016	438	2015	501
May 29, 2016	452	2015	373

FINANCIALS AT A GLANCE

(as approved at May 17 Vestry Meeting)

Here is how our year-to-date financials through April 30, 2016

Our giving: \$572,278 Other income: \$80,657

Ministry and other expenses: \$562,987
 Reduction in Operating Liabilities: \$101,682

Balances as of April 30, 2016

Capital Campaign: \$783,927
 Reserve Fund: \$288,401
 Mortgage & LED Loans: \$2,073,923
 Operating Liabilities: \$143,921

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

TKC-Trinity Kids Corner, MR-Millspaugh Room, Atrium, BFH-Butler Fellowship Hall, C-Children's Bldg., K-Kitchen, L-Library, MS-Music Suite, OCR-Office Conference Room, 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 BFH.**

NEW TEDS DIRECTOR NAMED

Trinity Episcopal Day School (TEDS) is pleased to report the hiring of Betsy A. Delaney as the new School Director, replacing Carol Godell, who is retiring. Betsy was the founding Director of Christ Church School in Paradise Valley, Arizona, a very successful Episcopal school that enrolls about 185 students. The TEDS Board of Directors is very excited to have someone with her education, skills, and experience on board to lead TEDS. Betsy will formally take over the position July 1, 2016.

OPEN ENROLLMENT NOW AVAILABLE AT TRINITY EPISCOPAL DAY SCHOOL (TEDS)

TEDS is an excellent Episcopal faith based preschool that offers an academic focus with developmentally appropriate Math and Reading, enhanced by Science and Social Studies, and exceeds CISD benchmarks. Designed for 18 months to 5 year olds, the curriculum includes enrichment programs with Spanish, Art, music, and movement, plus daily Chapel. Students per teacher class ratio is small: 7 to 1 (pre-kinder, 4 year olds and 3 year olds), 5 to 1 (2 year olds), 4 to 1 (18 months). Register online: <http://www.tedstw.org/forms-and-downloads/> Call 281-367-5148 or contact Carol Godell at office@tedstw.org.

TKC SUMMER PROGRAM

The TKC Summer program begins this Tuesday, June 7, at 9:00 AM. Due to the roofing project and damage from the flood, it has been moved to the Atrium. Contact Liz Johnson in the church office or send her an email at ljohnson@trinitywoodlands.org with any questions.

FATHER'S DAY B-B-Q DINNER

The Holy Smokers will once again give families a chance to give Dad the day off. Order your B-B-Q Dinners in the Narthex by June 12, pick them up after church in Butler Fellowship Hall on Father's Day, June 19. Adult take-out plates—\$10. Choice of ribs, chicken or combo. All plates come with sausage, beans, potato salad, bread and dessert. Children's take-out plates—\$5. All plates come with 1 chicken leg, potato salad, beans and dessert. **Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex Only- Deadline: 6/12.**

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (CLOTW)

We are looking for a few great men or women to help out with CLOTW at both the 9am and 11am service. We need assistants to help with the kids. For more details contact Molly Carr mcarr@trinitywoodlands.org

GIVING TREE TO HELP SUPPORT OUTREACH

For the month of June the Giving Tree sticky notes will contain items that our outreach program needs for camps and service through the summer. Please take a sticky note with an item written on it from the tree in the Narthex and bring the item back to the Narthex or church office by June 27, 2016.

KITS 4 KIDZ SCHOOL SUPPLY PROGRAM

Interfaith of The Woodlands is providing assistance with school supplies for children whose families are experiencing financial difficulties. Students in Pre-K through high school in south Montgomery County and north Harris County are eligible to receive their school supplies, a new backpack, and a clothing voucher for the new school year. For more information, contact Robert Reyes at 832.615.8229 or rreyes@woodlandsinterfaith.org.

LECTIO DIVINA

Lectio Divina is an ancient art at one time practiced by all Christians. It is an unhurried contemplation of the Scriptures through which we discover an increasing ability 1) to listen more deeply to the "still small voice of God"; 2) offer more of ourselves to the Father; and 3) to accept the embrace of God continuously extended to us in the person of His son Jesus Christ. Beginning Friday, June 10, for 6 weeks, a morning session will be held on Fridays from 10:30 AM -12:00 PM in the Parlor. It is important to attend the first session for initial instructions. For information contact Jonny Yaden at jonlynnyaden@yahoo.com) or 281.804.0090.

COMMON TABLE FOR SENIORS

The 3rd Tuesday of every month "The Common Table for Seniors," a partnership with Lord of Life Lutheran, will meet for social hour from 5:00 – 7:00 PM. On June 21st we will gather at P.F. Chang's Bistro at The Woodlands Mall. For more information, contact Liz Linger in the church office or email her at llinger@trinitywoodlands.org.

CANCARE VOLUNTEER TRAINING

The mission of CanCare is to improve the quality of life for cancer patients and their families. If you are a cancer survivor, consider becoming a CanCare volunteer. You'll support an individual with the same diagnosis, or make hospital visits. CanCare volunteer training is scheduled in our area June 24-26, 2016. You can find more information and register for the training session at www.CanCare.org or call 713-461-0028.

THANK YOU

A big THANK YOU to all those who descended on the flooded Biggerstaff home on May 31 to help in removing wet carpet/padding so they could begin the recovery process. This will be a slow journey needing our prayers and assistance.