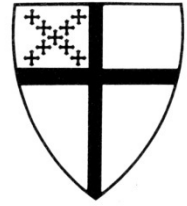




**Trinity Episcopal Church**  
**The Weekly Tidings**  
**www.TrinityWoodlands.org**



**The Woodlands, Texas**

**May 20, 2018**

**Weekly Services  
 At Trinity**

**Sunday**

7:30 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite I

9:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite II\*

11:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite II\*

5:00 p.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite II\*

**Wednesday**

10:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite II

\*Child care available

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

**ARE YOU NEW TO TRINITY?**

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](mailto:klagus@trinitywoodlands.org) with any questions.

**JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP & COFFEE**

Every Sunday, please join us for coffee after each worship service in Butler Fellowship Hall.

**TRINITY SUMMER SCHEDULE**

Beginning Trinity Sunday, May 27, we will move to a summer schedule - services will be at 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. This schedule will continue through Labor Day weekend, September 2.

**SUNDAY ADULT FORMATION CLASSES**

Beginning Sunday, May 27, the Adult Christian Formation Class studying *Spiritual Classics: Selected Readings on the Twelve Spiritual Disciplines* will meet from 9:15 - 10:15 a.m. in the Office Conference Room. The Common Lectionary Bible Study will meet at 9:15 a.m. in the Millspaugh Room.

**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

### **Sunday 5/20**

- 7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I (Nave)
- 8:45 a.m. Adult Sunday School Class (OCR)
- 9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)\*
- 10:10 a.m. Sunday School pre-K-6<sup>th</sup> (TEDS)
- 11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)\*
- 12:30 p.m. Jr. Brothers (L)
- 3:30 p.m. Evensong (Nave)
- 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)\*
- 6:30 p.m. Connections Dinner (offsite)

### **Monday, 5/21**

- 9:30 a.m. Mom's Devotional Group (L)
- 10:00 a.m. Morning Prayer (P)
- 11:30 a.m. Prime Time Guys (WR)
- 1:30 p.m. Sit & Be Fit (BFH)

### **Wednesday, 5/23**

- 10:00 am. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)
- 10:30 a.m. Sit and Be Fit (WR)
- 1:15 p.m. Prime Time Guys Bible Study (WR)
- 1:15 p.m. Ladies Bible Study (MR)
- 6:30 p.m. NAMI (MR)

### **Thursday, 5/24**

- 10:00 a.m. Morning Prayer (Nave)
- 11:00 a.m. Purls and Prayers (OCR)

### **Friday, 5/25**

- 6:30 a.m. SONrise Men's Discussion Group (OCR)
- 10:00 a.m. Morning Prayer (P)

*\* Contact Amanda Boling 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, N-Nave, WR-Wesley Room.**

**\*The Millspaugh Room, Wesley Room, Library, Kitchen and Office Conference Room are all located in BFH.**

## **TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

**3901 S. Panther Creek Drive 281.367.8113**

**Office Hours: 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Monday-Friday**

[www.TrinityWoodlands.org](http://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 Rt. Rev. Hector Monterosso, Assistant Bishop  
The Rev. Dr. Gerald Sevick, Rector  
The Rev. Frank Samuelson, Curate  
The Rev. Robert W. Horner, Deacon  
Micki Balog, Director of Music Ministry  
Amanda Boling, Kids Corner Coordinator  
Betsy Delaney, Head of School, TEDS  
Ernest Gallegos, Facilities Manager  
Kate Lagus, Membership Coordinator  
Liz Linger, Administrative Assistant to Parish Ministries  
Megan McCready, Communications Coordinator  
Larry Martz, Parish Accountant  
Melanie Sheffield, Admin Assistant to the Rector  
Alyssa Stebbing, Minister of Outreach and Youth Formation  
Rev. Sean Steele, Parish Missioner, St. Isidore

### **STAY CONNECTED WITH TRINITY AND DIOCESE**

Weekly Email: [TrinityWoodlands.org](http://TrinityWoodlands.org)

Facebook: [Facebook.com/TrinityEpiscopalChurch](https://www.facebook.com/TrinityEpiscopalChurch)

Diocesan Newsletters: <http://tinyurl.com/EDOTNews>

### **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.

### **FINANCIALS AT A GLANCE**

(As Approved at the April 17, 2018 Vestry Meeting)

Here are our year-to-date financials through March 31, 2018

Our Giving: \$297,931    Other Income: \$112,712  
Ministry and Other Operating Expenses: \$439,838  
Capital Campaign Received: \$2,155,533; Balance: \$1,532,711

Reserve Fund Cash Balance: \$12,080  
Operating Liabilities: \$165,757; YTD Increase \$22,081

Advancing Term Loan: \$235,323; Line Of Credit: \$125,000  
Mortgage: \$1,759,652; LED Loan: \$63,601

**SUNDAY**  
**CHRISTIAN FORMATION**

**8:45 a.m. (adult) – OCR**  
*Spiritual Classics: Selected Readings on the  
Twelve Spiritual Disciplines*  
**Beginning on May 27, 2018 this class  
will be meeting at 9:15 a.m.**

**Common Lectionary Bible Study**  
**10:15-10:55 a.m. (adult) –OCR**  
Lou Barron  
**Beginning on May 27, 2018 this class  
will be meeting at 9:15 a.m. in the  
Millspaugh Room.**

**Children's Liturgy of the Word**  
Children's worship during the 9:00 a.m.  
and 11:00 a.m. Sunday services, for  
children ages 3-8. If you are interested  
in helping with Children's Liturgy of the  
Word, please contact The Rev. Frank  
Samuelson in the church office.

**WEEKLY CHRISTIAN FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES**

**Monday**

9:00-11:30 a.m. Mom's Group\*                      Library                      Tracy Atkins

**Wednesday**

1:15 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study                      MR                      Nancy Farrell  
1:15 p.m. Prime Time Guys Bible Study                      WR                      Fr. Bill Houghton

**Friday**

6:30 a.m. SONRise Bible Study                      WR                      Bob Wolfe

\*Childcare provided by the Trinity Kids Corner

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**HEALING**

Susan D.	Delleen	Kandice	John D.	Curt
Sweetie	Mary P.	Dan V.	Mark B.	Craig S.,
Dolores	Donna H.	George B.	Greg G.	Luke
P.J. H.	Ray S.	Violet	David P.	Peachie
Peyton				

**THANKSGIVINGS**

Amanda Boling  
New construction

**GUIDANCE**

Ryan K.	Erika	Jason	David S.	Robert S.
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**FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIANS SERVING**

Samantha B.	Matthew S.	Zeb P.	Tyler M.
Waldo I.			

**FOR THE DEPARTED**

Paul Millspaugh  
Alan Rogers

*May their souls and the souls of all the departed rest in peace and may light  
perpetual shine upon them. Amen.*

***If you or a loved one would like to be added to our prayer list, or a correction is needed,  
please call the church office.***

**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  
Change in address or contact information

### **THANK YOU FROM MTR. VIVIAN**

Thank you for the outpouring of cards, gifts and love over the past few weeks. Please continue to pray for me and my family as we make this transition. Trinity will forever hold a special place in my heart. Blessings on you all. I will miss you! In Christ, Vivian+

### **PRIME TIME GUYS**

At our next meeting, Monday, May 21, we will have a delicious meal served from the Abundant Harvest Food Truck. Donations will be accepted for this lunch. The truck will be parked in front of the church office entrance where we will have lunch followed by our meeting. Molly Carr will give a talk on the function and activities of the truck and her team. As usual, plan to arrive at 11:00 a.m. for fellowship with program and lunch to follow. This would be a good time to invite a guest(s). Please consider inviting a friend or neighbor. Everyone is welcome!

### **CHOIR PILGRIMAGE**

On May 22, several members of the Trinity Choir, along with Choristers from St. James-Conroe and St. Peter's-Brenham will be traveling to England where they will be the "Choir-in-Residence" at Wells Cathedral for 3 days. In addition, we will sing Evensong at Gloucester Cathedral and offer music in the morning service on Trinity Sunday. While there, we will visit the historic city of Oxford and rehearse in the Chapel at St. Magdalene College. Rounding out our trip will be a visit to Windsor Castle and a day in London.

### **BEAM SIGNING CELEBRATION**

The parish will have a Beam Signing Celebration after the 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist on Trinity Sunday, May 27. We will gather around 11:30 a.m. Everyone is encouraged to sign their name, write a prayer, and/or quote a Bible verse on the beams of the Children's Building before the walls start to go up.

### **THE GIVING GARDEN**

Please pick a flower from our Giving Garden, located in the Narthex, to help support the Trinity Kids Corner, MADD Camp, and the Parish Life Summer Pilgrimages. Please bring the item or gift card back to the Narthex or Church Office by May 27. Thank you for supporting the Trinity Kids and Youth!

### **MADD WEEK AT TRINITY**

Trinity Episcopal Church presents Music, Arts, Dance, and Drama Week (MADD WEEK) for incoming 2nd through 6th graders, July 23 – 27, 2018, from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. This year's theme is "All Creatures Great and Small." The students will learn a Broadway kids musical, as well as learn about staging, choreography, and attend an art class! Registration forms are due back to the church office or to Micki Balog by June 15.

### **DAUGHTERS OF THE KING (DOK)**

Daughters of the King is a religious order of Episcopal women who, after the discernment period and training, take on the order's Rules of Life. The mission of the order is the extension of Christ's kingdom through prayer, service, and evangelism. Training will consist of eight sessions and will begin in June. If interested in the discernment process of becoming a Daughter of the King, contact Vickie Frnka at [jerome\\_frnka@att.net](mailto:jerome_frnka@att.net) or Debbie Williams at [tigers\\_Lsu1981@yahoo.com](mailto:tigers_Lsu1981@yahoo.com)

### **EPISCOPAL NIGHT AT THE ASTROS**

Episcopal Night at the Astros with Trinity on Friday, July 13! Please call Liz Linger or Alyssa Stebbing to reserve your spot by Friday, June 1. Tickets are \$17 each for the game only, or \$27 for a ticket and van ride to the game. A limited number of tickets will be sold on a first come, first served basis. The game is at 7:00 p.m. The van will depart Trinity at 5:30 p.m.

### **WORLD REFUGEE DAY PANEL DISCUSSION**

On Wednesday, June 20, the Bilingual Education Institute will host a panel discussion on World Refugee Day on the theme "Houston for Refugees." Trinity's own Alyssa Stebbing will participate on the panel. The event will be from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the Museum of Fine Arts Houston in the Brown Auditorium Theater. For more information, call the Bilingual Education Institute at 713.789.4555.

### **FURNITURE NEEDED FOR REFUGEE FAMILY**

Looking for apartment furniture for two refugee families with children. Need living room and bedroom furniture. Please contact Alyssa Stebbing or Kim Moore at 713.817.5500.