



Trinity Episcopal Church
The Weekly Tidings
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The Woodlands, Texas

August 5, 2018

**Weekly Services
At Trinity**

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite I

10:00 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 with any questions.

ATTENTION KROGER SHOPPERS!

It is that time of year again when we need to renew our Community Rewards choice on our Kroger Plus cards. Over the last year, 25 Trinity families contributed about \$900 to our General Fund account, just by adding Trinity Episcopal Church as a recipient of the Community Rewards program offered through Kroger. Each time they shop, Trinity benefits! What could be easier than that? To renew your commitment (which has to be done every August) or to add Trinity to your card, please go Kroger.com and follow the instructions under the Community Rewards tab. That's all you have to do and every 3 months Kroger sends a check to Larry Martz for the General Fund. If you have any questions, please contact Susan Mayer at svmayer@yahoo.com or 832.488.6644.

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, 8/5

- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I (Nave)
- 9:15 a.m. Common Lectionary Bible Study (MR)
- 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*
- 11:30 a.m. God and Life Study (OCR)
- 3:00 p.m. Christian Meditation Group (P)
- 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*

Monday, 8/6

- 1:30 p.m. Sit and Be Fit (WR)

Tuesday, 8/7

- 8:30 a.m. TKC Summer Program (TKC)

Wednesday, 8/8

- 8:30 a.m. TKC Summer Program (TKC)
- 10:00 am. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)
- 10:45 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 (Milspaugh Room)

Thursday, 8/9

- 8:30 a.m. TKC Summer Program (TKC)
- 11:00 a.m. Purls and Prayers (OCR)

Friday, 8/10

- 6:30 a.m. SONrise Men's Discussion Group (WR)

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

3901 S. Panther Creek Drive 281.367.8113

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. 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 Rt. Rev. Hector Monterosso, Assistant Bishop
- The Very 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
- The Rev. Sean Steele, Parish Missioner, St. Isidore

STAY CONNECTED WITH TRINITY AND DIOCESE

Weekly Email: TrinityWoodlands.org

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

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

** 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.**

FINANCIALS-AT-A-GLANCE

Year-to-date financials as June 30, 2018

As approved at the July 17, 2018 Vestry meeting.

Status of -	Revenue	Expenditures
Operating Funds	\$696,271	\$748,370
Ministry Designated Funds	\$195,062	\$133,918
Capital Campaign	\$2,244,700	\$1,197,987
Reserve Fund	\$12,630	\$ - 0 -

Outstanding debt as of June 30, 2018 -

Operating	\$ 42,636
Line of Credit	\$ - 0 -
LED Loan	\$55,912
Advancing Term Loan	\$224,909
Mortgage	\$1,735,024

**SUNDAY
CHRISTIAN FORMATION**

9:15 Sunday School Class (OCR)
(formerly 8:45 Sunday School Class)
will meet the 2nd Sunday in August

Common Lectionary Bible Study

9:15 a.m. (adult) – MR
Lou Barron

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's worship during the 10:00
a.m. Sunday service, 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

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	Paul	Michael L.	Mason	Rachel
Roy S.	Lynn S.	Pam	Dan	Dixie
Jason	Diane	Star		

THANKSGIVINGS

Ernest Gallegos
New construction

GUIDANCE

Ryan K.	Erika	Jason	David S.	Robert S.
Brandi	Rose	Pam	Ned & Jen W.	

FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIANS SERVING

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

FOR THE DEPARTED

Susan Darby
Jim Browne

*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

FILL THE GAP FUNDRAISER WITH KEN GAINES

Ken Gaines will perform to raise money for Fill the Gap at Millbend Coffee House on Saturday, August 11, at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$20. Childcare available on request. Advance tickets can be purchased at www.millbend.org. "Ken's music brings an audience up.... Strong guitar playing and overflowing charisma allow Gaines to own the stage..." was Kathleen Hudson's assessment in the Kerrville Daily Times. Fill the Gap helps end homelessness for some individuals and families by paying rent and/or utility deposits for people without a place to live or at risk of becoming homeless. A person with a job to pay rent may not have the additional money for deposits and thus be unable to move into a permanent residence. Often there is money to help with the first month's rent and some other expenses, but few organizations pay deposits.

AUGUST SECOND SUNDAY BRUNCH

The Holy Smokers Second Sunday Brunch will be on August 12 in the Library. The first brunch was in July and it was a big hit. Please join us for a delicious meal. The cost is \$7.00. The menu is mac and cheese, sausage casserole, roast beef tortas with mushrooms and Swiss cheese, and gluten-free quiche Lorraine, as well as non-alcoholic fruit mimosas, tea, water, and lemonade. We serve from 9 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

MINISTRY FAIR

Our Annual Ministry Fair will be held on Sunday, August 12, from 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Butler Fellowship Hall. This is a fantastic opportunity to see the ministries that Trinity has to offer. Please come check out the displays. Ministry Leaders please let Liz Linger know by Monday, August 5, if you would like a spot (llinger@trinitywoodlands.org). Set up will be Friday, August 10, from 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. or Sunday 8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

BLESSING OF TEACHERS AND BACKPACKS

The Clergy will bless backpacks and the children and youth who carry them as they begin yet another year of school. They will bless those in the ministry of teaching future generations as they embark on a new school year. We invite you to any of our three services on Sunday, August 12, 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., or 5:00 p.m.

BACK TO SCHOOL POTLUCK AND GAME NIGHT

Join us Sunday, August 26, from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. in Butler Fellowship Hall for Back to School Bingo, to celebrate the kids being back in school. Bring a dish to share, something easy, this is a no stress, fun, family event. All ages are welcome to play. Child care is available in the Trinity Kids Corner. RSVP for child care to Amanda Boling at aboling@trinitywoodlands.org by August 19.

FALL SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School is coming back! Our first session of Sunday School will be September 9 to October 14 for Pre-K's to 6th graders. We will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the TEDS building, and there will be an adult class running at the same time. Be sure to sign up at the Ministry Fair on Sunday, August 12. Registration is required for participation. For more information, questions, or to volunteer, please contact Fr. Frank at fsamuelson@trinitywoodlands.org.

VESTRY INFORMATION MEETINGS

The Vestry Nominating Committee will hold two information meetings on Sunday, September 9 at 9:15 a.m. and Sunday, September 16 at 9:15 a.m. If you have ever considered serving on the vestry, the members of the committee will be available in these meetings to answer questions and provide information on the requirements, as well as share their own experience of serving and how it has changed their faith. If you are interested, please see one of the members of the Nominating Committee: Scott Frnka, Richard Bosley, Ann Herbek, Curt Hammock, or Bob Bremer.

ST. ANNE'S GUILD

St. Anne's Guild will not meet the month of August. Come to the meeting on September 18, 2018 at 11:30 a.m. in the Wesley Room and bring a salad for the potluck luncheon. Sheila Gerth will be our speaker. The topic will be spiritual formation. Come learn some ideas to enhance or improve your spiritual side of life. For additional information about St. Anne's Guild contact Margo Keaton, 936.273.0267.

CALL TO ARTISTS FOR TRINITY ART SHOW

Calling all Trinity and community artists! The Annual Trinity Art Show is Friday, September 28 through Sunday, September 30. We welcome all artists of all levels. Sign up in the Narthex or contact Alyssa Stebbing at astebbing@TrinityWoodlands.org.

TRINITY ANNUAL CAR SHOW

The Brotherhood of Trinity Episcopal Church presents its 10th Annual Car Show in the parking lot of Trinity, on October 6, 2018, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., benefitting community Scouting and youth programs. The Brotherhood welcomes the public to view the cars at no cost. Should you want to show a car, the cost is \$25.00 if you pre-register, and \$30.00 at the gate. If you have an additional car to show, the cost is only \$10.00. This includes 2 lunch tickets. The public can buy a lunch ticket in Butler Hall for a burger or hot dog.