



Trinity Episcopal Church
The Weekly Tidings
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The Woodlands, Texas

August 12, 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, 8/12

- 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, 8/13

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

Tuesday, 8/14

- 7:00 p.m. DOK (L)

Wednesday, 8/15

- 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)
- 7:15 p.m. Choir Practice (MS)

Thursday, 8/16

- 11:00 a.m. Purls and Prayers (OCR)

Friday, 8/17

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

Saturday, 8/18

- 9:00 a.m. Brotherhood of St. Andrew (L)

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 9in 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)
Class resumes on September 9, 2018

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

FAMILY BINGO NIGHT

Everyone is welcome to join us to celebrate the end of summer with family Bingo night on Sunday, August 26, from 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. in Butler Fellowship Hall. Bingo cards and snacks will be provided to everyone who would like to join us. Child care is available by reservation. For questions, please contact Kate Lagus at klagus@trinitywoodlands.org or at 281.367.8113. Please join us for fun and fellowship.

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.

CROSSWAYS BIBLE STUDY

Crossways is a two-year Bible study through the entire Bible. This fall we are studying the Old Testament beginning September 10, 2018 into July 2019. We meet at church on Mondays from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Wesley Room. Tuition is \$85 for the entire set of Crossways study books. Scholarships are available. Please join us for study, fellowship, and prayer. Contact Father Frank at fsamuelson@trinitywoodlands.org, or call the church office to let us know you would like to participate.

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 Margy 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 two lunch tickets. The public can buy a lunch ticket in Butler Hall for a burger or hot dog.

ALTAR FLOWER DONATIONS

If you would like to donate for altar flowers in memory of or thanksgiving for a loved one, you can sign up in the Narthex on the date you prefer and add the text you would like to see in the Tidings. You can send your donation of \$60 to Larry Martz in the church office. You can also make your donation online at TrinityWoodlands.org/online-giving, and forward your text announcement via email to Megan McCready at mmccready@TrinityWoodlands.org.

UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION WITH THE CHURCH OFFICE

Please don't forget to let us know if you have moved or have a new cell phone number or email address.