



Trinity Episcopal Church
The Weekly Tidings
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The Woodlands, Texas

October 28, 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.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Jack and San West have given the altar flowers to the glory of God in thanksgiving for 51 years of marriage, in loving memory of Mary Ann, in thanksgiving for Caroline, Annie, and Violet, and in thanksgiving for the new Daughters of the King being installed on Sunday, October 28.

ADOPT A ROOM IN THE CHILDREN'S MINISTRY BUILDING

With the new building more than 90% complete, we are working on furnishings for the classrooms with an "Adopt-a-Room" campaign. This is a sponsorship program that allows parishioners and church ministries to help fund the furnishings for the six classrooms in the building. These classrooms will for TKC weekday program use, but also for our other children's ministries such as Jr. Daughters, Jr. Brothers, TNT, Sunday school, Children's Chapel here at Trinity. This building will be used nearly every day of the week.

Groups can choose to adopt a whole classroom, half a classroom or just a piece of furniture. A ministry may even choose to combine efforts with another group. The sponsors will have a plaque engraved with their name or ministry group and it will be hung in the new children's building. This is a great way to honor a family member, a loved one, or even a child who will get to be a part of this incredible facility.

If you or your ministry group are interested in adopting a classroom, sponsorship forms will be available at the Fall Festival. There will also be lists available to see some of the items that are necessary for the function of each classroom and to aid in the development of our programs. Contact Amanda Boling in the church office for more information.

TRINITY WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, 10/28

- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I (Nave)
- 9:15 a.m. Adult Sunday School Class (OCR)
- 9:00 a.m. The Way of Love (WR)
- 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*
- 11:30 a.m. Children's Ministry Building walkthru
- 3:00 p.m. Christian Meditation Group (P)
- 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Nave)*

Monday, 10/29

- 9:30 a.m. Trinity Moms* (L)
- 1:30 p.m. Sit and Be Fit (WR)
- 7:00 p.m. Crossways Bible Study (WR)

Tuesday, 10/30

- 9:00 a.m. TKC JAM (TKC)

Wednesday, 10/31

- 9:00 a.m. TKC Jam (TKC)
- 10:00 a.m. 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)

Thursday, 11/1

- 11:00 a.m. Purls and Prayers (OCR)
- 1:00 p.m. Rector's Bible Study (WR)
- 7:00 p.m. Rector's Bible Study (WR)

Friday, 11/2

- 7:00 a.m. SONrise Men's Discussion Group (WR)
- 9:00 a.m. TKC Fun Fridays (TKC)
- 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study (WR)

Saturday, 11/3

- 8:30 a.m. Youth Mental Health Workshop (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 & 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 of September 30, 2018

As approved at the October 2018 Vestry meeting

Status of -	Revenue	Expenditures
Operating Funds	\$ 1,052,539	\$1,176,308
Ministry Designated Funds	\$ 247,428	\$ 180,590
Capital Campaign	\$ 2,322,664	\$2,041,223
Reserve Fund	\$ 39,776	

Outstanding debt as of August 31, 2018 -

Operating	\$ 68,446
Line of Credit	\$ 25,000
LED Loan	\$ - 0 -
Advancing Term Loan	\$ 14,373
Mortgage	\$1,710,096

SUNDAY
CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Adult Classes

The Way of Love (WR)

9:00 a.m.

Alyssa Stebbing
(does not meet November 11,
or November 25)

9:15 Sunday School Class (OCR)

*Spiritual Classics, Selected Readings on the
Twelve Spiritual Disciplines,
led by Bill Carter*

Common Lectionary Bible Study (MR)

9:15 a.m.

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.

Sunday School

Session 2

What is Advent:

November 4 and 11

9:00 a.m. Pre-K's – 6th Grade meets in
TEDS Building

9:00 a.m. – Adult Class meets at the
same time.

Contact Fr. Frank for more information

Youth Community Groups

7th-12th graders join us for Community
Sunday nights in Butler Fellowship Hall
from 6-8:00 p.m.

WEEKLY CHRISTIAN FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES

Adults

Monday

7:00 p.m. Crossways Bible Study WR Fr. Frank Samuelson

Wednesday

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

Thursday

1:00 p.m. Rector's Bible Study WR Fr. Gerry Sevick
7:00 p.m. Rector's Bible Study WR Fr. Gerry Sevick

Friday

7:00 a.m. SONRise Bible Study WR Bob Wolfe
9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study WR San West

*Child care provided by the Trinity Kids Corner

Youth - 7-12th Grade

Wednesday

5:00 p.m. Study of James Starbucks Panther Creek Donna Cox

PRAYER REQUESTS

HEALING

Kandice	Curt	Craig S.	Donna H.	George B.
Luke	Ray S.	Violet	Rachel	Roy S.
Lynn S.	Star	David	Dick	Paul
Pam D.	Catherine	Baby Kyra	Randy K.	Dane

THANKSGIVINGS

Fr. Frank Samuelson
New construction

GUIDANCE

Ryan K. David S. Pam D.

FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIANS SERVING

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

FOR THE DEPARTED

*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

TRINITY VETERANS CUSTARD SALE

The Trinity Veterans Fellowship is preselling Culvers Frozen Custard each morning service on Sunday, October 28. Pick up will be Sunday, November 4 in Butler Hall. You will get 2 quarts of vanilla and one each of chocolate and strawberry for \$20.00. All proceeds will go to the Veterans Mental Health Program sponsored by Tri County Behavioral Healthcare.

TEDS POINSETTIA SALES

The holidays are upon us and it's time for poinsettias! Please help support Trinity Episcopal Day School by purchasing your holiday poinsettias. Poinsettias will be on sale after church services during the month of November. Red and white poinsettias are available for \$12 each. Your order will be available for pick-up in early December. Thank you for your support!

YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID

Please join us on Saturday, November 3, 2018, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in Butler Fellowship Hall for a Mental Health First Aid training course sponsored by the Episcopal Health Foundation. The training is FREE and lunch will be provided. Please be sure to RSVP soon as space is limited. call the church office and RSVP to Liz Linger.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SESSION 2

Sunday School Session 2, "What is Advent?" will be on November 4 and 11, 9:00 a.m. Pre-K's – 6th grade meets in TEDS Building; 9:00 a.m. Adult Class meets at the same time. Contact Fr. Frank for more information.

CHORAL EVENSONG

On Sunday, November 4, 2018, the Trinity MadriGals will lead Choral Evensong at the 5:00 p.m. service. Evensong is a solemn service and is one of the most beautiful in the Anglican tradition. The ladies will sing the prayers, chant the Psalm, and offer the two Canticles: Magnificat and Nunc dimittis by Sarah MacDonald. In addition the ladies will offer three anthems, *Will There Really Be a "Morning"* by Craig Hella Johnson, *I am the Gentle Light* by Paul Mealar, and *Steal Away* arranged by Malcolm Archer. Please join us.

VETERANS DAY SERVICE

The Trinity Veterans Fellowship and Lord of Life Lutheran Veterans will have the annual Veterans Day service on Thursday November 8 at 7:00 PM. The service will be held at Lord of Life Lutheran Church, 3501 Panther Creek, The Woodlands. The offering is designated for the Veterans Mental Health Program sponsored by Tri County Behavioral Healthcare. Everyone is welcome. Questions or information, contact George Nami at 713.444.9130 or gnami@sbcglobal.net.

FAITHSTOGETHER THANKSGIVING OBSERVANCE

"Embracing All - Past, Present and Future". Bring your family to the 20th Anniversary of the inter-religious Thanksgiving observance on Tuesday Evening,

November 13, 2018, 7:00 p.m., hosted this year at The Woodlands Community Presbyterian Church, 4881 West Panther Creek Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77381. Volunteers are needed in various areas and appreciated. Call Sherri Duchin at 832-545-7782. Please bring a can of food to donate to those in need.

THIRD GRADE BIBLES

As a tradition each year, Trinity Episcopal Church presents the third graders of our congregation with Bibles. This year we will be presenting them on Sunday, November 11, at the 10:00 a.m. service. If you would like your child to receive a Bible, please email Liz Linger by Sunday, October 7 to Liz Linger.

OUTDOOR CLEANUP DAY

Please plan to come help with Trinity's outdoor clean up days, Saturday, November 17 and Saturday, April 13. 8:00-11:00am. Bring any lawn tools you wish or just come! We need your assistance in trimming shrubs, trees, pulling weeds, raking leaves, and maybe even cleaning windows. Contact Tana Key at tanagkey@icloud.com if you have questions or prefer to sign up ahead for a certain area.

CHURCH FAMILY THANKSGIVING

Not able to be with family for Thanksgiving this year? Come join members of your church family at Bev and Randy Redd's home, 10406 Cromdale Manor Ct, Spring 77379, at 2:00 p.m. on Thanksgiving Day, November 22. Bring a side dish and the Redds will provide the turkey. Call or text 610-304-6630 or email bevvredd@gmail.com to let them know you are coming and what you will bring.

NEW MEMBER CLASS

The next New Member Class is Saturday, December 1 at 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Wesley Room. Child care is available by reservation to Amanda Boling. Confirmation is on Sunday, December 9 at the 10:00 a.m. service with Bishop Doyle. This is a class in which you can ask questions and carry on discussion in a setting where there will also be information provided on: Episcopal Identity and Authority – who are we and how do we approach the issues of theology and Church authority; Use of Holy Scripture in daily life, Sunday worship, and faith formation: What are the Holy Sacraments and how do we understand them; Christian life and Christian community. There is no obligation to join the parish or be confirmed in attending. This can also just be an educational time or a refresher course for confirmed members. Coffee and lunch will be provided.

BLESSING AND DEDICATION OF NEW BUILDING

Join us on Sunday, December 9, at 9:15 a.m. as Bishop Doyle blesses the new Children's Ministry Building, and we celebrate this incredible milestone in our community life.