



Trinity Tidings

May 20, 2022

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Sundays at Trinity

- Eucharist (7:30am, 9am, 11:15am, 7pm)
- Children's Chapel (9am & 11:15am)
- Sunday School for children and adults ~ August - June
- Nursery 9am-12:30pm

Ongoing Events

Thrift Shop: Monday 10am-Noon, Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-1pm

Wednesday 11am: Bible Study is meeting on Zoom and would love for you to join us [here](#). The lesson for next Wednesday is Acts 16:16-34. We will be taking a summer break this year. Our last meeting will be May 25. We will resume August 17.

Wednesday 4:30pm Children's Choir Rehearsal (Zoom, contact [Brett](#))

Wednesday 6pm: Trinity Wednesday [6pm Zoom](#)

Wednesday 7pm: 11:15am Choir Rehearsal

Thursday 7:30pm: 9am Choir Rehearsal

Sunday 10:30am: Sunday School for Adults in person and on Zoom. Click [here](#) for Zoom.

Prayer List - to submit a prayer request click [here](#).

Altar Dedications - if you would like to dedicate altar flowers or candles click [here](#).



Sunday School

Sunday school for adults continues this Sunday with our study of Jesus's "I Am" statements in the Gospel of John. This week we will be looking at Jesus's statement, "I am the resurrection and the life." Come and find out what it means for us in our daily lives—there may even be a slide of a dog (though Mtr. Libby says she can't make any promises!). Please join us in the Parish Hall at 10:30.

If you're not able to attend in person, you can attend on Zoom [here](#).

Padre Francisco

A recording of the May 15 Sunday School led by Padre Francisco Midence is [here](#). Padre Francisco's presentation offer a true window into life in Honduras, what people there want and need, and why many choose to seek refuge in the United States. Donations to support the padre's work ministering to the poorest of the poor in his country are welcome; please mark your contribution "Honduras."

Thrift Shop

Trinity Thrift Shop will be closed beginning May 23 for construction and repair work. No donations will be accepted while the thrift shop is closed. We hope to re-open at the end of June.

Prayer Vigil

You are invited to a contemplative prayer vigil on May 24 at 6pm in the church, hosted by our newly forming Prince of Peace Chapter of the Daughters of the King. With the conflict in Ukraine especially in mind, we will pray together for peace in our world. For information email [Kathy Sheehan](#) or call her at 916.501.8853.

Feast of the Ascension ~ Thursday, May 26

We will observe the Feast of the Ascension on Thursday, May 26 at noon with a Eucharist in the church. To learn more about the Ascension, click [here](#).

Youth Group

Middle and high school youth group is meeting for a movie night at 5pm in the Parish Hall on Sunday, May 29. We'll have pizza for dinner, and feel free to wear your PJs and bring

pillows and blankets. Contact our Director of Youth Ministries [Anna Wiley](#) for more information.

Powerhouse Dinners

One week every month, teams of Trinitarians head over to the Powerhouse Ministries' Women & Children's Center, a residential facility for women and children escaping homelessness, violence, and addiction, and prepare dinners for the residents. It's a great way to love your neighbor, and they love having us – they say our week is the best week of dinners! During the pandemic, we weren't able to go over there and cook (all food must be cooked at the center to comply with residential facility regulations), but it's open again and we are back in their kitchen. If you would like more information or are interested in volunteering, contact [Karen Harvey](#).

Mission: JOY Showing at Trinity

Deeply moving and laugh-out-loud funny, His Holiness the Dalai Lama and Archbishop Desmond Tutu share science-backed wisdom of how to live with joy in troubled times in *Mission: JOY*. This documentary film is a companion to *The Book of Joy*, which was a Trinity Wednesdays book choice a while back. Join us to watch the film and enjoy a brief discussion followed by *Compline* on Wednesday, June 15, at 6pm in the Parish Hall. For information, contact [Mtr. Anne](#).

Music Notes ~ Bigger is always better on the pipe organ!

This week we focus on the keyboards of the organ. The keyboards on the organ are called 'manuals.' Trinity's current organ has three manuals, plus a pedal keyboard. A modern keyboard on the organ has 61 notes at the most, and 32 notes on the pedalboard. The lowest note on both the manuals for the hands and the pedals is C. Mechanical action organs sometimes have only 56-58 notes on the manuals and 30 notes on the pedals. During Johann Sebastian Bach's time, the organs typically had even fewer, with 49 notes on the manuals and 27 notes in the pedals. Depending on the piece and the organ that one would play, this means that there might not be enough notes to play the music as the composer wrote it! This can create real challenges when an organist meets a new organ. Fortunately, because we have a modern organ with the greatest number of keys, this is not an issue. However, for a composition that calls for four manuals for the hands, I would have to adjust it to accommodate Trinity's three. This happens routinely but hopefully no one realizes it. It may make the performer go a little crazy in the process of trying to figure it out. Or a performer might just decide not to play a piece requiring that many manuals since it can be difficult to adjust! ~ Dr. Brett Judson, Director of Music

Trinity Wednesdays

Our discussion of *The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry* by Rachel Joyce continues on May 25 at 6pm on Zoom; use this [link](#) to join the meeting. For May 25, we'll focus on chapters 18-24. Discussion questions are [here](#).

Sunday Handicrafts Group

The Sunday evening Handicrafts Group will meet on May 29 from 5:30 to 6:30pm in the Vestry room in the Annex (at 802 Mormon St.). Hook- and needle-wielders, bring your project and enjoy some pleasant company and encouragement while you work.

Lay Leaders: Required-Training Opportunity

All parish leaders are required by the diocese have racial reconciliation training every five years. On June 4, a rarely available one-day workshop will be offered at Faith Episcopal Church in Cameron Park, from 9:30am to 4pm. During the workshop you will have the opportunity to renew your Baptismal Covenant as we learn about forms of historic and contemporary racism and how to engage in ministry with sensitivity and respect for all. Anyone is welcome to take this training; lay leaders and ministers are encouraged to register for this workshop. Register [here](#).

Daughters of the King Chapter Forming

Stop by the Parish Hall after services on Sunday where a founding member of our Prince of Peace chapter of the Daughters of the King will be present to answer your questions and note your interest in joining. Members of the Order of the Daughters of the King® are Christian women and girls who desire a closer walk with the Lord. Members adopt a Rule of Life and supported each other with their companionship. No matter where we are on our sacred journeys, our primary goal is the same: to know Jesus Christ and to make Him known to others. Reaffirming the promises made at Baptism, Daughters pledges themselves to prayer, service and evangelism in solidarity with one another. More information about DOK is also available at [website](#).

VBS Registration & Volunteer Opportunities



Vacation Bible School is back this summer! VBS will be offered at Trinity the week of June 27th – July 1st from 9am until noon and is open to children who will be entering kindergarten through 6th grade in the fall. This year's theme is Great Big Beautiful World, where kids will explore, celebrate and

care for God's good creation during a week filled with art projects, games, science explorations, Bible stories, music, and more.

To register, please fill out the online form [here](#). Donations are welcome, but there is no cost for participation. We can accommodate 40 children in the program, so sign up early to secure a spot.

It takes many hands to make this week a success, so there are lots of volunteer opportunities for adults and teens. Youth entering 7th-8th grade are also invited to be leaders-in-training, where they will be paired up with another leader to assist. There are lots of ways to help: being a small group leader, helping at an activity station, preparing snacks, and many more. If you would like to join the team for a fun-filled week, please fill out a volunteer interest form [here](#) and tell us about how you would like to help.

For more information about VBS, contact [Karen Van Winkle](#), Director of Children's Ministries.

New Children & Youth Position

Earlier this spring, we announced that both our Director of Youth Ministry, Anna Wiley, and our Director of Children's Ministries, Karen Van Winkle, will be leaving their staff positions at Trinity this summer. Karen and Anna have both done marvelous work leading our programs, even in the most challenging of times. We want to see our children and youth programs continue to grow and develop, and the vestry is making this a priority. We have decided to combine these two part-time positions into one full-time staff position, and have begun advertising the position across the nation. We are able to make this position full-time possible because of the strong financial support y'all consistently provide for this parish through your annual pledges, and as always, we are grateful for it. See the job posting [here](#).

Bunco Cancelled

The Bunco night scheduled for Saturday, May 21, has been cancelled due to insufficient numbers. Bunco will be back September 17!

Ukraine Humanitarian Relief

Giving to Episcopal Relief & Development is one way you can donate to humanitarian relief efforts in Ukraine. You can make a donation to the Ukraine Crisis Relief campaign [here](#).

Candle & Flower Dedications

If you would like to honor someone, living or dead, or some event like a birth, a baptism, a graduation, or an anniversary, you can dedicate the altar flowers, altar candles, or the sanctuary lamp in their honor on a Sunday. The dedication will appear in the Sunday bulletin; they were on the back of the bulletin, but we've moved them to the first page of the liturgy so that more people will see them and will include the person or event in their prayers that morning. The suggested donation for altar flowers is \$75. The suggested donation for altar candles is \$35. The suggested donation for the sanctuary lamp is \$25. As you might expect, donations for flowers go to the Flower Guild, and donations for candles to the Altar Guild, but if you're writing a check, make it out to Trinity Folsom with a memo for flowers or candles. The dedication form is [online](#) or [e-mail](#).

Word of the Week

Our word of the week is [Ascension](#). The Ascension is the occasion on which the risen Christ was taken into heaven after appearing to his followers for forty days (Acts 1:1-11, Mk 16:19). The Ascension marks the conclusion of Jesus's post-resurrection appearances. It is the final elevation of his human nature to divine glory and the near presence of God. We celebrate the Ascension on the fortieth day of the Easter season (always a Thursday!). At Trinity, we will celebrate this principal feast of the church year with Holy Eucharist at 12pm on May 26.

Online Offerings

We broadcast the 9am and 11:15am Sunday morning services [here](#).
You can find the 9am Sunday bulletin [here](#).
You can find the 11:15am Sunday bulletin [here](#).
We say Compline on Wednesdays at 8pm [here](#).
You can find the Compline bulletin [here](#).

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