

Dear Trinity Members and Friends,

When we gathered last Saturday for The Renewal of Ministry with the Welcoming of a New Rector, I was very moved by the significance of the ceremony. I hope many of you were able to attend, either in person or via livestream. Installing the Reverend Jed Dearing as our new Rector was such a joyous occasion. The glorious music and prayers reverberated into the rafters!

Apart from all the preparation and rehearsals, the momentous occasion was also the result of the faith and dedication of the Trinity Community past and present.

Now we must prepare for the future of Trinity Episcopal Church. The Stewardship Campaign is our opportunity to share our gifts and financial resources to provide the money needed to support our staff, programs, and beautiful building.

At our October 2022 meeting, the Vestry adopted a new statement about the importance of stewardship for the life of Trinity. Here is the Vestry's commitment:

We, the Vestry of Trinity Episcopal Church on Capitol Square, commit to seeking and serving Christ in community. In response to the hope that God sets before us, we commit to sharing our gifts: the abundance of Spirit that is present when we worship, the talents that God endows us with, and our financial resources. We invite our fellow parishioners to join us in embracing these commitments, in joyful stewardship of this House of Prayer for All People.

I am excited about the 2024 stewardship campaign where we can each express our gratitude and commitment to Trinity's future. I hope you will join me in pledging generously, with joy and faith in our future!

Most sincerely,

Bill Forbes

Senior Warden