

Trinity Times // April 2017

Guided by Christ, we will serve the Lord and all people with open arms, minds, and hearts.
Come share with us the pathway of faith.

From Your Priest-in-Charge:

Dear Friends,

"He is risen! The Lord is risen indeed!"
This ancient greeting marks the news that not even death was victorious over Jesus the Christ. Our Easter Eucharist will begin with these words, and many of us will greet one another with these words on April 16. We also celebrate not just Easter Sunday as the day of Jesus' victory, but every Sunday, each of which is a little Easter. The Good News of Jesus' victory cannot be contained in one day, or even 52 Sundays, so basic is this Resurrection to our faith.

"He is risen! The Lord is risen indeed!"

Faithfully, your friend,

+Bill



- 4/12 12:00 noon Eucharist
7:00 Tenebrae - This is an ancient service focusing on readings, Psalms, and light. The Lenten book study will follow.
- 4/13 Maundy Thursday. We will celebrate the Passover Meal (Seder Dinner) at 6:00 pm, followed by the Holy Eucharist and Preparation of the Altar and church at 7:15.
- 4/14 The Good Friday Liturgy with Communion from the Reserved Sacrament will be celebrated at 12 noon and 7:00 p.m.
- 4/16 Easter Sunday - The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m.

Forums for April

The "Discovery Course," a review of our faith as Episcopalians, will continue on alternate Sundays at 9:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall. On April 2 we will talk about the Church Year and the Confirmation Liturgy, which will be held on June 10 at Trinity. On April 9 and the alternating weeks we will study the Scripture readings for the coming Sunday.

On Easter Sunday we will gather in the church at 9:00 a.m. for "A Theological Tour of Trinity Church." Feel free to join us!



Worship Opportunities

- 4/2 Women of Trinity meet following the service.
- 4/7 1:00 - Join Altar Guild to make palm crosses.
- 4/8 10:30 - Episcopal Women's Ministries Eucharist and luncheon, Columbus, IN
- 4/12 12:00 - Isabel Luncheon @ Harter House. Tickets \$15
- 4/12 7:00 p.m. Tenebrae
- 4/13 6:00 - Seder Dinner
7:15 - Maundy Thursday Eucharist
- 4/14 Good Friday services, 12 noon, 7:00 pm
- 4/15 1:00 p.m. Children's Easter Party
- 4/18 5:30 p.m. OPUS at Sahn's
- 4/22 10:30 - Celebration for Bishop Cate, St. Christopher's, Carmel
- 4/24 6:30 Vestry
- 4/29 10:30 Consecration for our new bishop, Rev. Jennifer Baskerville-Burrows, Clowes Hall, Butler University
- 4/26 5:00 pm Meal @ Alternatives, Inc.

Service Schedule

- Sunday Eucharist 10:00 a.m.
- Wednesday Eucharist 12 Noon
- 4/13 7:30 Maundy Thursday Eucharist
- 4/14 12 noon and 7:00 pm Good Friday services

Choir Practice

Choir practice is every Thursday at 6:30. Come join us!
All are welcome.

Lenten Madness

Are you following? Lenten Madness is a competition in which people around the Church cast a vote by computer each day for their choice between 2 saints. Those choices continue daily through Holy Week until 4 saints reach the "Faithful Four," and then one of them receives the "Golden Halo." This is a great way to learn about our history and heritage and have fun while doing this! Sainly Scorecards are available. Go online to vote at www.lentenmadness.org



Operation Rice Bowl A Lenten discipline for us

Operation Rice Bowl is continuing. You are asked to fast or eat a simple, sacrificial meal one day a week, and put the money you save by doing this into a paper rice bowl we provide. Then, bring this money to Trinity each Sunday at our worship. The monies collected will go to United Faith Housing here in Anderson.



What is the Seder Meal? At this traditional Jewish Passover meal, the story of the Exodus (haggadah) is read and ritual actions are performed. The seder today consists of fourteen elements: 1) Kiddush, the blessing of wine and the day, 2) Urehatz, washing of hands, 3) Karpas, eating green herbs, 4) Yachatz, breaking the middle matzo, 5) Maggid, the Passover story, 6) Rahatz, washing of hands, 7) Motzee-Matzo, blessing the unleavened bread, 8) Maror, eating bitter herb, 9) Korekh, eating bitter herb and matzo together, 10) Shulhan Orekh, the Passover meal, 11) Tzafun, the afikomen (finding a piece of matzo hidden for the children), 12) Berakah, grace after the meal, 13) Hallel, recital of the Hallelujah psalms, and 14) Neertzta, the conclusion of the seder. It is unclear how much of this order was in place in the first century, but it was at a meal similar to this that Jesus celebrated the Passover.

We will celebrate our Seder Meal on Maundy Thursday, April 13 at 6:00. Reservations are due by Palm Sunday. \$9.00 for adults; \$25 for family of 4; 5 yrs. and under free. Holy Eucharist will follow the meal.

Women of Trinity

- 4/2 Meeting after church in lounge
- 4/8 ECW luncheon w/ Bishop Cate in Columbus - \$20. Each parish will nominate an Honored Woman. Trinity will be nominating Florence Caylor.
- 5/7 Meeting after church in lounge
- 5/19 Annual Salad Bowl Luncheon

OPUS

(Old People Up to Something)

OPUS will meet on Tuesday, April 18 at 5:30 for dinner at Sahn's in Pendleton. All are welcome!

Altar Guild notes:

If you would like to have flowers on the altar for Easter Sunday, please contact the office or Bev Badgley.

Mother's Day

A Mother's Day breakfast will be served by the men of the parish after the 10:00 service on May 14. All women and girls are invited.

Financial Report - February 28

Revenues to date: \$19, 530.64

Expenses to date: \$21, 670.92

Pledges to date: \$12,569.00

Outreach Report - February 28

Donations: \$324.00

Expenses to date: \$706.68

Meals served through mid-March: 1361

Coffee Hour Volunteers

Can you help? Coffee Hour after the 10:00 am service is a tradition that everyone in the congregation enjoys each week! It's a time to relax after the service, enjoy some refreshment, and catch up with friends after a busy week. It's a vital part of our fellowship here at Trinity. Volunteers are needed to serve, bring snacks to share (if you wish), and help clean-up.

Diocesan Events

4/22 A Liturgy to Celebrate the Life and Ministry of Bishop Catherine Waynick @ St. Christopher's, Carmel, 11 a.m.

Farewell party for Bishop Cate @ Indiana State Museum, 1:30-4:30 p.m. with substantial appetizers and sweet treats for all ages.

4/29 Ordination/Consecration of the 11th Bishop, Rev. Jennifer Baskerville-Burrows @ Clowes Memorial Hall, Butler University, Indianapolis at 11 a.m.

(See the back of our calendar for more info.)

Upcoming Events

- 5/14 Mother's Day breakfast
- 5/19 Annual Salad Bowl Luncheon
- 6/10 Confirmation at Trinity
- 6/11 Trinity Sunday Church Picnic at Harter House
- 6/18 Father's Day breakfast

April Birthdays

- 4/4 Marty Godleski
- 4/8 Bishop Smalley
- 4/9 Don Phillippe
- 4/11 Mike Godleski
- 4/12 Beverly Mills
- 4/21 Ben Long
- 4/25 Isabelle Titus



Servicemen & Women

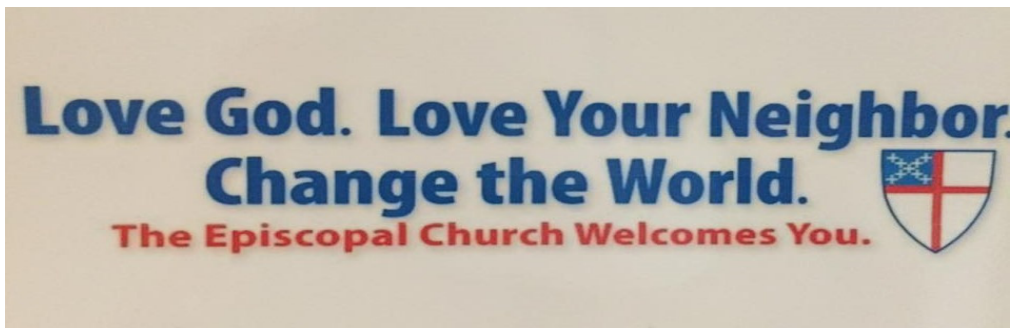
Audrey McMillan-Cole, Corey & Tyler Greenlee, Jessica Halladay, Brandon Hallowell, Greg, Chaz Hulett, Chris Kahl, Brian Kasper, Melissa Payne, Kaitlyn Woodruff, Summer Woodruff.

Convalescent Centers

Mavorine Bitner, Florence Caylor, Teddy Fatta, Anna Mae Gillette, Dotti Graves, Catherine Holtzleiter, Betsy Hyde, Barbara Moffitt, Judy Reynolds.

Others in need of God's strength

Our Nation and its leadership, children of the world, the people serving our country overseas, especially in war zones; Linda & Jim Anderson, Andy, Angela, Nancy & Bill Ashley, Ashley, Austin, Judith Austin, Marilyn Austin, Sharra Badgley, Ken Ballinger, Tammy Barrett, Beth, Deacon Jim Carter, Carter Castor, Stacy Castor, Carole, Joe Clark, Judy Coale, Patrick Cole, Louis Cote, China and Oliver D., Clifford D., Deloris, Diana, Tim Duncan, Dustin, Greg Eichhorn, Patricia Ellsworth, Evelyn, Dan Faust, Yakha Lyalya Flitt, Jan Foster, Michael G., Barbara Haas, Victor Hasstedt, Brenda Henderson, Genon Hensley, Lyn Hileman, Fran Hogue, Amy Hornbeck, Don Hunt, Jan, Jason, Jordan, Jane Loose, John MacGilvray, Dennis Maxey, Diane McAvoy-Kelley, Jennifer McCoy, Kandi McPhearson, Michael, Jim, Rev. Norm Morford, Elva Mullen, Nancy, Helen Nicholson, Deb O'Brien, Pat, Scott, Tony Quinones, Joan Randolph, John Ratzlaff, Hailey Richman, Bud Riley, Amy Foster-Robertson, Eric Rushton, Pat Schroeder, Linda Shepard, Jerry Shine, Bishop Smalley, Dr. Mark Stinson, Beth Tabor, Jeanne Tessier, Becky Wages, Jane Warfel, Martha Waynick, Jack & Betty Weist, Elizabeth Wepler, Phyllis Wilkinson, Pat.



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