

Intercessions – February 4, 2018

Please remember the people listed below in your prayers this week. This list is also prayed weekly at our Healing Eucharist on Thursdays at 10 am in the chapel. If you would like to add someone to our prayer list, or remove someone, please contact the church office at 856/235-0811. Our common practice is to keep people on the list for three weeks. If the need for prayer extends longer than that, or is for a chronic condition, please let us know. We appreciate updates on the condition and needs of people on our prayer list.

Shellby	Bob Fleming	Betty Beard
Carole Blair	Braylon Daniels	Jim & Deva
Randall West, Sr.	Harold & Rebecca	Gattinella
Lisa	Montague	Jen Williams
Jorge Garcia Family	Kaeson Barnville	Jack Salmon
Deacon Tom Sweeny	Nancy & Phil	Frank Souder
Rieke Baize	Flanders	Michael
Dorothy Sherrill	David Batista	Lillette Pettus
Ieshea Barnville and family	Dave Mike & family	Norma Hopkins
The victims of the California mudslides	Paulette & Doreen	Frances Ernst
Jean	Charlene & Kenneth	Al Masucci
Lauren Ehrlich	Heintz	Nancy
Dorothy Blair	Jane & Herb Hale	Matt Brown
Buddy	Dan Harvey	Nicolette Russo
Marta Small	Liz Webster	David Connolly
Bob Otterstein	Barry Houston	Olivia Demmler
Ned Dempsher	Xavier	Lauren Elias
Stephen Cofield	Peter Lin	Lisa Somaine
Jane Ollivier	Jacqueline Leis	George & Ruth
Sheila Hollins	Laundre	Council
Mike Warner	Hilda Delgado	Alison Sprague
Jackie & Don Moore	Laurie Schweinfurth	Linda Ralls
	Ethan	Maureen Mazzucco
	Dan McDonough	

Departed
Bill Beard

Those actively serving in the armed forces		
Douglas Sandburg II	Jeremy Doughty	Leah Harvey
Justin Snyder	Tanguy Balou	Brandon Casey
Sean Donato	Robert Kersey	Lynn Peace
Dustin Hoogland	Kevin Davis	Darius Moore
Jason Merriweather	Matthew Menade	Jarred Stanley
Robert Cuthbertson	Stephen Stanley	Steven Sweet

Those visited today by Lay Eucharistic Ministers
Harold Montague

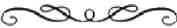
The clergy and parishioners of churches in our Diocese
St. Mary’s Church [Stone Harbor]
Trinity Church [Swedesboro]
Christ Church [Toms River]

About Trinity Church

Trinity Church was organized in 1837 by the rector and members of St. Mary’s Church, Colestown (now Cherry Hill Township). An obelisk in Colestown Cemetery marks the site of St. Mary’s church, which burned to the ground in 1899. The Moorestown congregation raised funds for a church building to be erected on our present site; it was constructed and consecrated in 1838. The rector, The Reverend Francis P. Lee, noted, “It is a beautiful structure of brownstone, with a graceful spire and a comfortable basement story for the use of the Sunday School”. The current church complex was built in 1928 and was the gift of a single benefactor, Eldridge Johnson.

Trinity Church offers many opportunities for individuals and families to serve both in the church and in the community. By becoming involved in a commission or a specific event or ministry, you will meet other parishioners and hopefully become an integral part of our church family. Volunteer opportunities include: Fellowship, Property, Christian Formation, Outreach, Health and Music Commissions just to name a few.

There are many opportunities to participate in music at Trinity Church. The Trinity Choir is the primary parish choir and sings at the 9:00 a.m. Eucharist. The choir sings a repertoire ranging from Renaissance motets to 20th century works. The Coventry Choir is a small ensemble that sings for the 11:15 a.m. service. The choir prepares its own repertoire of *a cappella* motets as well as canticles for Morning Prayer. The Canterbury Choir is for young singers in grades 4 and up; the Carol Choir is for those in grades 2 - 3; and the Cherub Choir for children in grades K-1.



TRINITY STAFF AND WARDENS

- The Reverend Emily A. Mellott, Rector
- The Reverend Leslie G. Mazzacano, Deacon
- The Reverend John F. Salmon, Jr., Assisting Priest
- Mrs. Jasmine Declet, Warden
- Mrs. Elizabeth Louie, Warden
- Mr. Vernon H. Williams, Organist and Choirmaster
- Mrs. Geri Trost, Parish Manager
- Mrs. Nancy Johnson, Preschool and Sunday School Director
- Mrs. Maris W. Williams, Director of Cherub and Carol Choirs
- Ms. Lauren Evans, Administrative Assistant
- Mr. Thomas Pitman, Sexton

Trinity Episcopal Church

Welcome



February 4, 2018
The Fifth Sunday After the Epiphany



Parish Notes

Welcome, visitors and guests! Thank you for joining us in worship today - we're glad you're here. We hope that you will find food for your spirit, and a warm community connection today. Please speak to one of the clergy, or sign the guest register in the Tower entrance, if you are looking for a church home, are in need of prayer, or have any questions.

We use two books in worship, the maroon "Hymnal 1982" (Hymns starting with S are at the front of the hymnal, other numbers follow in normal order) and the black Book of Common Prayer. All the texts you need for worship are found there and in the program in your hands. Anyone around you should be happy to help any time the book-juggling becomes confusing. Please join in with all our prayers and hymns, as your presence helps to complete our prayer.

Nursery Care. There will be nursery care today for infants to two-year olds during the 9am service.

Our open plate offering today will go to support the ministry of General Theological Seminary, preparing and supporting leaders for the church.

Today, during the 9a.m. service, parishioner Herb Thomas will be presented with an Honorary Degree from the General Theological Seminary. The Very Reverend Kurt Dunkle, Dean of General Seminary, will preach, and Bishop Klusmeyer will make the presentation on behalf of the seminary board. You are invited to a reception in the Parish Hall following the 9am service.

Herb Thomas is a cradle Episcopalian, baptized in February 1931 at Grace Church, Newark, NJ, which remained Herb's parish until he relocated to Mount Laurel in 1995. During those 64 years he held many positions both in the parish and in the Diocese of Newark.

A product of the public schools in Kearny, NJ Herb received his B.A. degree from Hobart College in 1952; was drafted into the U.S. Army in 1953 and served in an anti-aircraft unit on the West Coast until discharged in 1955. Herb joined the Fidelity Union Trust Co. (a forerunner of Wells Fargo); rose to the position of Assistant Personnel Manager (before Human Services) and left in 1958 to join the staff of the General Theological Seminary as its first Secretary for Alumni Affairs.

In the course of his 35 years at GTS Herb held many titles. He retired in 1993 as Vice-President for Operations, which meant he was responsible for the physical plant which consisted of a NYC block of buildings and three adjacent apartment buildings. While at GTS he received an M.A. from NYU in Higher Education Administration.

In 1956 Herb married Jean and in 1959 she gave birth to their only child Elizabeth. In 1995 they moved to Mount Laurel to be closer to their daughter and their only grandchild, Kristen. At Trinity Herb served on several committees both here and in the Diocese of New Jersey and on the Board of the Evergreens, and still enjoys his Thursday mornings as an office volunteer.

Be my Valentine at the Evergreens: February 10, 2018 at 10:00am. Children of all ages with their families will meet at the Evergreens and give out valentine gift bags that the Good Shepherd's Club have assembled. The residents enjoy our visits. So please sign up on the sheet posted in old kitchen or let Deacon Leslie know if you will be coming.

Family Valentine's Day Party - Come and share the love together during an afternoon of games, crafts, and snacks on Saturday, February 10th from 4 - 5:30pm. All Trinity families are welcome - bring a friend. Please RSVP via Sign-Up Genius on the events page of our website. Please contact Sarah Senno at 609-678-8992 or sennofamily@gmail.com with any questions.

CHORAL EVENSONG

with
The Canterbury Choir
Erik Meyer, guest organist

Sunday, February 11, 2018 at 4:00 PM

Reception follows ~ Food & fellowship

Mark your calendars for our annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper this Tuesday, February 13th, from 5 to 7 p.m.

Ronald McDonald House: On February 18th, the Senior Youth will be making dinner for the residents at the Ronald McDonald House in Camden. We will be making a meat chili and a meatless chili along with corn bread and salad. Please let Deacon Leslie know if you will be coming or sign up on youth bulletin board.

Soup Luncheon Sign up – We are still in need of volunteers to make soup, bring desserts, and otherwise help with the Wednesday Lenten Soup Luncheons which begin February 21. The sign up sheet is in the Old Kitchen.

On Wednesday evenings in Lent at 7:30pm (2/21 through 3/21), join Mother Emily for a series on the Spirituality of Money. Money is an unavoidable part of our lives: our needs and wants about money, and how we choose to use what we have, are expressions of our values and our spiritual selves; and our experiences of money can shape our relationship with God, for good or ill. We'll take time for reflection on the ways money affects us and shapes our world and our spirits, and on the ways we can use our economic lives to grow closer to God.

Love God, Love Your Neighbor. Our love for God, and God's love for us, finds expression in the ways we know our neighbors and meet their needs. Learn from five different organizations that Trinity supports about the lives and needs of people all around us in South Jersey, and about how we are making a difference in the world around us. Sundays at 10:15 am, February 18 - March 18.

Save the Date: On Sunday, February 25, at 3pm, Trinity will welcome Mr. Samuel C. Still III who will share the story of his illustrious family. He will tell us about several of his ancestors, beginning with Levin and Charity Still, both born into slavery, who through perseverance and courage became freed people and who eventually settled in Burlington County, and several of their children, including William Still, a Philadelphia abolitionist known as the "Father of the Underground Railroad," and Dr. James Still, known as the "Doctor of the Pines." Please join us for Mr. Still's slide presentation in the church at 3PM. Light refreshments will be served in the Parish Hall following the presentation. A free will offering will be taken.

Spring Rummage Sale: If you have Christmas gifts or other items that you don't plan to use, please consider donating them for the April 4-5 Rummage Sale (\$ for Outreach) or the April 22 Calendar Party baskets (\$ for Trinity).

Calling all Scouts! Would you like to earn the Cub Scout Religious Knot (or similar award)? Mother Emily will be sponsoring the Religion Knot program in early 2018. Please contact Sarah Senno at 609-678-8992 or sennofamily@gmail.com if you are interested.

Scholarship for High School Seniors. Submit your application for the 2018 VanDuzer Scholarship. ALL applications MUST be submitted electronically by April 1 (no paper applications will be accepted). Apply at www.dioceseofnj.org or www.newjerseyyouth.org.

Community Events

AARP volunteers are offering free assistance to low and middle-income taxpayers, with special attention to those 60 and older, with the preparation of their tax returns. You do not have to be a member of AARP or a senior to use the program. Certified volunteers assist with Federal tax returns, State Tax returns, Homestead Rebate applications and Property Tax Reimbursement applications. The counseling will take place every Friday from February 2nd through April 13th at the Hope Community Church. Appointments are required. To sign up, call the Moorestown Clerk's office at 856-235-0912, extension 3002 during normal business hours.

Good Luck to the Philadelphia Eagles!

**Fly Eagles Fly, on the road to victory
Fly Eagles Fly, score a touchdown 1, 2, 3
Hit'em low, Hit'em high, and watch our eagles fly
Fly Eagles Fly, on the road to victory.
E-A-G-L-E-S Eagles!**