

Intercessions – February 25, 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.

the victims of the school shooting in Florida, and all victims of gun violence	Lauren Ehrlich Buddy Bob Otterstein Ned Dempsher Stephen Cofield Jane Ollivier Sheila Hollins Mike Warner Jackie & Don Moore Bob Fleming Braylon Daniels Harold & Rebecca Montague Barnville Family Nancy & Phil Flanders David Batista Dave Mike & family Paulette & Doreen Jane & Herb Hale Dan Harvey Liz Webster Barry Houston Xavier Peter Lin Jacqueline Leis Laundre Hilda Delgado	Laurie Schweinfurth Ethan Dan McDonough Betty Beard Jim & Deva Gattinella Jen Williams Jack Salmon Frank Souder Michael Lillette Pettus Norma Hopkins Frances Ernst Al Masucci Nancy Matt Brown Nicolette Russo David Connolly Olivia Demmler Lauren Elias Lisa Somaine George & Ruth Cuncell Alison Sprague Linda Ralls Maureen Mazzucco
Len Carber Angelina Messa Nancy Froelicher Sue Sipusich Elvy Williams Alberta Fuller Joanne D'Ambrosio Robin McComb Derrick Dighton Leslie F Lane Suzanne & Emily Lin Kendall Heintz Charlene & Kenneth Heintz Steve Lora Marni Wayne Johnson Kirsten Souder Dorothy Blair Carole Blair Tom Sweeny		

Those actively serving in the armed forces

Douglas Sandburg II Justin Snyder Sean Donato Dustin Hoogland Jason Merriweather Robert Cuthbertson	Jeremy Doughty Tanguy Balou Robert Kersey Kevin Davis Matthew Menade Stephen Stanley	Leah Harvey Brandon Casey Lynn Peace Darius Moore Jarred Stanley Steven Sweet
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Those visited today by Lay Eucharistic Ministers

Dorothy Blair	Rieke Baize
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The clergy and parishioners of churches in our Diocese

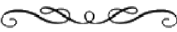
- St. Barnabas'-by-the-Bay [Villas]
- Trinity Church [Vincentown]
- Church of St. Michael the Archangel [Wall]

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 25, 2018
The Second Sunday in Lent



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.

In worship this season we use the maroon “Hymnal 1982” (Hymns starting with S are at the front of the hymnal, other numbers follow in normal order) and the “Holy Eucharist” booklet found in the pew racks. 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.

Today, we are happy to welcome the Reverend Dr. J.R. Norwood who will deliver the sermon at our 7:45 and 9AM services. Dr. Norwood was raised in Moorestown and graduated from Moorestown High School where he was an active member of the student body and President of the African American Club. Dr. Norwood earned a Bachelors Degree in Philosophy from Howard University, a Master's Degree in Philosophy from Princeton Theological Seminary, and a Doctorate in Missiology (the study of missions) from Northwest University, Potchefstroom, South Africa. Having been ordained a Methodist in the mid-1980s, Dr. Norwood subsequently became part of the World Reformed Fellowship. Pastor Norwood has been in ordained ministry for thirty-four years and a pastor for thirty years, serving as a church pastor as well as a college, military, and correctional chaplain. He has a passion for both learning and teaching, having served as a field supervisor for both Princeton Theological Seminary and the New Brunswick Theological Seminary, and also as a member of the faculty of the Eastern School of Christian Ministry of Palmer Seminary.

In addition to his pastoral duties, Dr. Norwood currently serves as Principal Supreme Court Justice of the Nanticoke Lenni-Lenape Tribal Nation. He has written numerous articles and books about the history of Native American People and has worked arduously to preserve their history and culture. Dr. Norwood is also a pastoral volunteer to the Christian Prayer Circle of the Nanticoke Lenni-Lenape American Tribal Nation. Currently Reverend Dr. Norwood serves as the pastor of Ujima Village Christian Church in Ewing, New Jersey. He and his beloved wife and partner in ministry, Tanya, have three children and three grandchildren.

Jerusalem Marketplace: Children grades 2-5 are to report to the Godly Play room for a short lesson. Mother Emily will join the group and together will write prayers for Youth Sunday (March 4th).

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.

Interfaith Hospitality Network of Burlington County is an interfaith ministry providing transitional housing, meals, and assistance to homeless families while they seek housing and employment. Shelter and meal services are hosted by churches from across Burlington County. **Join Pat Lususkys from IHN in the Parish Hall at 10:15 am today to learn more about who we serve and why.** You can support Project Interaction today using the Outreach envelope in your pews.

At 3PM today, we 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.

Organ Recital and Soup Luncheon—Join us at 12:00pm on Wednesday, February 28th with Erik Meyer from St. Martin-in-the-Fields in Philadelphia, PA. The Lenten Soup Luncheon will follow at 12:30pm in the Parish Hall. We are still in need of volunteers to make soup or bring desserts. If you are interested in helping, please sign up on the sheet 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 what Jesus and scripture have to say about money, on the ways money affects us, and on the ways we can use our economic lives to grow closer to God. Please bring a journal, or let the office know you’d like us to provide one to use for the class. (If you’re only able to come for one session, or don't know if you can come, don't worry! We'll have extra paper.)

Men’s Club Breakfast. Please join us on March 3, 2018 at 7:30am with speaker Dr. William Rudolph, who has been a parishioner at Trinity for the past 25 years. The presentation will be on the mission and workings of Shriners Hospitals International.

Noontime Organ Recital & Soup Luncheon Series

Wednesdays in Lent from 12:00 noon to 12:30
followed by homemade soup luncheon



February 28

Erik Meyer

St. Martin-in-the-Fields, Philadelphia



Soups by Gerry Steinberg and Nancy Matthews

Next Sunday, March 4, 2018 will be Youth Sunday. The youth of the parish will be reading the lessons, leading the Psalm and Prayers of the People. Andrew Chojnacki will be preaching at all three services. Youth who have signed up to participate, please make sure that you let me know what day you will be coming to rehearse: Wednesday, March 28 from 4-6 pm or Thursday, March 1 from 4-6 pm. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the youth who have stepped up to participate. We have some new and younger youth participating and I am so proud of all our youth here at Trinity. Deacon Leslie.

Scholastic Book Fair: On Sunday, March 11 after the 9:00 service, visit the preschool wing for our Spring Scholastic Book Fair.

Book Discussion: As part of our observance of Women's History Month this year, the members of the God's Diversity Committee invite you to participate in a discussion of the book, “Hidden Figures” by Margot Lee Shetterly, on Sunday, March 18th from 2-4pm in the Parish Hall. We hope many of you will be able to join us.

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.