

Intercessions – March 18, 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.

Robert & Kate Prescott	Bob Otterstein Ned Dempsher	Ethan Dan McDonough
The United States of America	Stephen Cofield Jane Ollivier	Betty Beard Jim & Deva Gattinella
Barbara McCaully	Sheila Hollins	Jen Williams
Linda Evans	Mike Warner	Jack Salmon
Raia	Jackie & Don Moore	Frank Souder
Sam	Braylon Daniels	Michael
Helen Anderson	Harold & Rebecca	Lillette Pettus
Mrs. Hall	Montague	Norma Hopkins
Denise Panter-Fixen	Barnville Family	Frances Ernst
Kathleen Sterling	Nancy & Phil Flanders	Al Masucci
Rachel Weissler	David Batista	Nancy
Nancy Froelicher	Dave Mike & family	Matt Brown
Suzanne & Emily Lin	Paulette & Doreen	Nicolette Russo
Kendall Heintz	Jane & Herb Hale	David Connolly
Charlene & Kenneth Heintz	Dan Harvey	Olivia Demmler
Steve	Liz Webster	Lauren Elias
Kirsten Souder	Barry Houston	Lisa Somaine
Dorothy Blair	Xavier	George & Ruth
Carole Blair	Peter Lin	Councell
Tom Sweeny	Jacqueline Leis	Alison Sprague
Lauren Ehrlich	Laundre	Linda Ralls
Buddy	Hilda Delgado	Maureen Mazzucco
	Laurie Schweinfurth	

Departed

Carol Hill
Dorothy Fisher
Enid Pitman

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

Edith Henderson

The clergy and parishioners of churches in our Diocese

St. John’s Church [Woodbridge]
Trinity Church [Woodbridge]
Christ Church [Woodbury]

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



March 18, 2018
The Fifth Sunday in Lent



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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.

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.

The Christian Caring Center in Browns Mills provides prayer, food, clothing and shelter to hundreds of children and adults in need. Trinity's support helps children start school with the supplies they need, and brings holiday cheer and abundance into the lives of many. Join Madelyn Sutton, Director of the Christian Caring Center in the church at 10:15 am today to learn more about who we serve and why.

Book Discussion Today: 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, today from 2-4pm in the Parish Hall. We hope many of you will be able to join us.

EXCITING CHURCH SCHOOL EVENTS:

Today - Labyrinth: Today children in grades 2 to 5 will meet in the Parish Hall after the 9 a.m. service. The Labyrinth will be set up. The object of this workshop is to help the children experience a short pilgrimage and to make a “Pilgrim Trail Mix” from food items that have symbolism for our journey through Lent.

March 25: Palm Sunday- there will be a blessing of the palms in the Parish Hall followed by a procession into the church. Children from age two through 5th grade will proceed down the center aisle and then leave at the front of the church for the chapel. During chapel the Easter Story will be read while the children make a symbolic bracelet.

March 25: Children’s Stations of the Cross in the church after the 9:00 a.m. service for all ages.

April 1: Easter Egg Hunt in the cemetery following the 9:00 a.m. service. Ages: toddler-5th grade. No Church School. Nursery at 9:00 and 11:15 services.

Offering Envelopes for Easter Flowers and Music are in the pews this morning. Please PRINT the full names of those whom you want remembered, and place the envelope in the alms basin today. Monday, March 26th, is the last day to hand in the envelopes in order to have them printed in the Easter service programs.

Maundy Thursday Vigil. A sign-up sheet for the Maundy Thursday Vigil from 9:00 p.m. until 9:00 a.m. on Good Friday is outside the Chapel today. Parishioners are asked to sign up for one hour intervals in the Chapel for prayer and meditation in response to our Lord's question in the Garden of Gethsemane, “Will you not watch with me one hour?”

Volunteer at Trinity during Holy Week: Holy Week is a time of varied and profound worship and a wonderful opportunity for new experiences in your life of faith. We encourage you to participate actively in these services and welcome new volunteers. Please fill out the volunteer form in the pews today if you would like to participate at a service during Holy Week. Put the form in the plate or hand it to an usher. You can also sign-up on our website: www.trinitymoorestown.org

Save the Date: Our annual Calendar Party will be held on April 22 at 1:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. If you would like to purchase a ticket contact Maris at Maris.w@comcast.net or call the church office.

Calling 6th-12th graders to help us make our upcoming Calendar Party a huge success again. We need youth to sign up for Saturday, April 21, from 2-4pm to help carry the baskets up from the downstairs classroom to the stage in the parish hall. We also need help during the calendar party on Sunday, April 22, from 1:00 – 5:30 pm. The youth will help the hostesses with their tables and deliver baskets to the auction winners. We need 12 or more youth to help. There is a sign up on the youth bulletin board or you can sign up on our website at <http://trinitymoorestown.org/events/calendar-party/>.

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.

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.)

Noontime Organ Recital & Soup Luncheon Series

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



March 21

Marilyn Rabbai

First Presbyterian Church, Pitman NJ



Soups by Carol Hoinsky & Barbara Gattinella

March for Our Lives: Would you like to join other Episcopalians and Lutherans from New Jersey in Washington, DC on March 24 for the “March for Our Lives”? March For Our Lives is created by, inspired by, and led by students across the country who will no longer risk their lives waiting for someone else to take a ction to stop the epidemic of mass school shootings. Lutheran Episcopal Advocacy Ministries of New Jersey is organizing busses from Marlton to DC for the event. If you are interested visit <https://www.leadnj.org/march-for-our-lives-2018>.

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

Help Wanted - Spring Rummage Sale: Our Spring Rummage Sale will be held on 4/4 (3:00 - 8:00pm), on 4/5 (9:00 am -2:00 pm), and the bag sale will be held on 4/5 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm) and the Outreach Commission needs you! We need your donations, especially gently used clothing, and your time. Volunteers are needed to help with set up (on 4/2, 4/3 and 4/4 in the morning), during the sale (4/4 and 4/5) and after the sale (8:00 p.m on 4/5). Volunteering is a great way for the youth to get Community Service Hours! Sign up on our website at www.trinitymoorestown.org/events/2018-spring-rummage-sale/.

Men’s Club Breakfast: Join the next meeting on Saturday, April 7, 2018 at 7:30am with speaker Detective Brauckmann from the Moorestown Police Department. The discussion will be focused on “Protecting Our Schools and other Community Activities from Violence”.

Community Events

Concert- Sounds of Spring: You are invited to attend a FREE Band Concert, the Sounds of Spring, presented by the Moorestown Community Band, conducted by L. Bruce Smith. The concert will be held on Friday, April 13 at 7:30pm at The William Allen Middle School. The Band will play a varied program of popular, classical, patriotic, and show music and will also feature soloists. Come out and bring your friends!