Intercessions – September 9, 2018

Parishioners are asked to pray for the people listed below. Persons prayed for will be kept on the prayer list for three weeks. If you would like to have someone put on the prayer list, or if you want them to remain on the list after three weeks, or if someone is on the list who should be removed, please notify the Church Office at 856/235-0811. The entire list is read every Thursday morning during the Eucharist and Healing Service at 10:00 a.m.

Henrietta Lavengood Doreen Derlin Dave Mike & family Olivia Demmler Jane & Herb Hale Roger Derlin Andy Niedermann Jackie & Don Moore Dan Harvey Liz Webster Brian, Chris, Jonny Alexandra **Barry Houston** & Lees, Elizabeth Cassie Rivera Jon Burnham Suzanne & Emily Lin Xavier Marian Gaston Peter Lin Maddie Jacqueline Leis McCain Family Fitzgerald Laundre Audrey King Jonathan Loeb Hilda Delgado **Bob Litsinger** Sam Ralph & family Charlene Heintz Ethan Susan Stokes Dan McDonough Steve Deva Gattinella Martin Lavengood Dorothy Blair Linda Christensen Carole Blair **Betty Beard** Jen Williams Sue Niedermann **Bob Otterstein** Michael Junetta Mehl Lauren Ehrlich Lee Bees **Jack Salmon** Lillette Pettus Ronald Schuster Buddy Norma Hopkins Kali & Barnville Ned Dempsher Frances Ernst Family Stephen Cofield Nancy Children separated Jane Ollivier Matt Brown Sheila Hollins David Connolly from their Mike Warner Lauren Elias parents at our **Braylon Daniels** Lisa Somaine borders Harold and Rebecca Ruth Councell June Fuller Alison Sprague Rieke Baize Montague Nancy & Phil Maureen Mazzucco Paulette Derlin Flanders Burnham

Those actively serving in the armed forces

Robert Kersey Douglas Sandburg II Darius Moore Justin Snyder Kevin Davis Jarred Stanley Sean Donato Matthew Menade Steven Sweet Dustin Hoogland Leah Harvey Patrick Shanley **Iason Merriweather Brandon Casey** Peter Mazzone Robert Cuthbertson Lynn Peace Nick Mazzone Jeremy Doughty Jonah Montemore Tanguy Balou

Those visited today by Lay Eucharistic Ministers Harold Montague

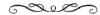
The clergy and parishioners of churches in our Diocese Christ Church [Millville] St. Barnabas' Church [Monmouth Junction] The Evergreens - Emilie Williams Chapel [Moorestown]

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 $20^{\rm th}$ 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 Director
Mrs. Christine Andonie, 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

September 9, 2018 The Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost



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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.

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 9:00 a.m. service.

Today is Parish Ministry Sunday! Please join us immediately following the 9:00 a.m. service for our Ministry Fair. Representatives of parish organizations and activities will be at tables in the Parish Hall. Each group will offer treats and an opportunity to learn more about their ministry. New this year: Pick up a ministry exploration card at any table and show your completed card at the coffee table to get a thank you gift from Trinity. Sign up for ministry involvement and renew parish acquaintances after a long summer!

Fall Coffee Hour: It's a new season for fellowship! We must have someone signed up for Coffee Hour each week so there will be coffee to welcome parishioners and guests! Sign up on the sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the old kitchen or go to the Sign-Up Genius on our website Events page.

On Tuesday, September 11th at 7:30 am, Trinity will host the 9/11 Memorial Service of the 200 Club of Burlington County. The 200 Club supports the families of fire, police, EMS, and OEM personnel who have died in the line of duty, and representatives of all those services will be present. Everyone is welcome to attend. The program includes a speaker who shares their experience of 9/11, with prayers and music. Breakfast will be served in the Parish Hall following the service.

Choirs are resuming! ~ If you like to sing, there is a choir for you to join! The Trinity Choir begins rehearsals on Thursday, September 13th at 7:30. The Cherub Choir (grades K-1) begins on Tuesday, the 18th, at 6:00 pm. The Carol Choir (grades 2-3) and Canterbury Choir (grades 4-high school) begin on Thursday the 20th at 6:00 pm. If you or your child would like to sing, please talk with Maris or Vernon Williams for more details.

First Grade Parent Meeting: There will be a meeting for all first grade parents in the chapel following the 9:00 service on 9/16. We will be providing an overview of the year and what to expect as the children prepare for their communion celebration. See you there!

Y.A.C. - G.A.S. Project (Young Adults in Church - Generous Acts of Service Project): The Trinity Y.A.C youth invite you to enjoy fellowship and service all in one. The YAC will be cooking and serving a Pancake Breakfast during Coffee Hour each month this year, and asking everyone who joins us for breakfast to donate an item to support the Keeping Families Together (KFT) program in Camden County. They provide stable housing and ongoing case management for at-risk families that are homeless or about to be homeless. For more information, please visit www.kberry.org/yac. We are asking for your support next Sunday September 16th by donating Laundry Detergent at our 10:15 am Coffee Hour Pancake Breakfast prepared by Trinity's Y.A.C. program. Bins are set up in the parish hall to receive the goods.

CHORAL EVENSONG

with

The Chamber Choir In honor of The Rev. Richard Say's 90th Birthday

Sunday, September 23, 2018 at 4:00 PM

Reception follows ~ Food & fellowship

Reminder: The deadline for the Rite 13/J2A retreat on September 28, 29, 30 is September 17. We need confirmation if you will be participating. More information will be mailed soon. This will be a great time of fellowship, fun and growing experience for you. Our goal is to provide a fun, safe way to get to know each other and to strengthen relationships as you all go on this spiritual journey leading to confirmation. We hope you will make this a priority and commit to having fun! Please contact Deacon Leslie if you plan on going or if any youth need scholarship money for this trip.

Men's Breakfast Club: Join us on October 6 from 7:30am - 9am in the Parish Hall for breakfast and conversation. Our speakers, Tom Dodd and Bob Holston, will be talking about space with topics on Large Liquid Propellant Rocket Engines and the Lunar Communication Relay Unit.

Save the Date - Bingo night will be Friday, October 19th. This year all proceeds will benefit the Outreach Commission. Please contact Sarah Senno (sennofamily@gmail.com or 609-678-8992) if you are interested in reserving a table or simply would like to attend. We almost sold out last year! If you would like to donate a gift card as one of the prizes, please drop it off at the church office. High School Students - We need volunteers at the event and this is a great way to earn service hours. Let Sarah know if you are interested. Thank you for your generous support of this fun event.

Volunteers are needed to serve breakfast on the third Sunday of each month to the hungry and homeless at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Camden. If you are interested in giving 3 to 4 hours of your time on a Sunday morning contact Denise Dempsher at (856) 231-0867 for more information.

The Bishop George E. Councell Memorial Golf Tournament will be held on Monday, October 8th for the 14th Annual outing at Mercer Oaks-West GC, Village Rd., West Windsor, NJ. This event over these past years has produced over \$300,000 for the work undertaken by Trinity Cathedral. The fee per player remains \$175: Dinner, only, \$35. If interested, pick up a registration form in the church office.

The Outreach Commission is asking for your support for Project Interaction, a group of diligent volunteers and clergy that was founded by our own Canon Bruce Weatherly. Based at Saint Paul's Church in Camden, Project Interaction ensures that those who are struggling or homeless can enjoy a free hot breakfast every Sunday thanks to donations gathered here at Trinity as well as surrounding churches. Trinity Church sends several volunteers every six weeks to help cook, serve and clean up while enjoying the feeling of giving back. Please consider placing a donation in the outreach envelope found in the pew to help support this grass roots group who are helping others one breakfast at a time.

Pledge Income News. We are happy to note that our year-to-date estimate of giving income thru July was almost \$3,000 over budget and \$38,000 over last year. Thank you, Trinity, for the spiritual strength and generosity that you have kept vital and growing throughout the year! Because so many parishioners vacation in August, our year-to-date numbers dropped below budget by about \$10,000. We are still ahead of last year by \$41,000 - and you have a chance to catch up this month and continue to encourage and build up Trinity and your own spiritual life. Let's finish September and start the fall with giving we can be proud of. Thank you for helping make Consecration Sunday a success its first year, and for the spiritual vitality and commitment you are showing God and your fellow Trinitarians!

How do you want your religious faith and practice accommodated in the public square? Which rights prevail when there is a conflict between anti-discrimination laws protecting same-sex couples and the free exercise of religious beliefs of vendors who refuse to serve them? Last June, the United States Supreme Court was asked to reconcile these competing rights in the Masterpiece Cakeshop case. Please join Mother Emily, Anne Dalesandro and the members of the God's Diversity Committee to discuss these issues and how the Supreme Court addressed them during coffee hour on September 30. We welcome your views and hope many of you will be able to participate.

Community Events

Burlington District ECW Meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 11th at St. Mary's Episcopal Church (Burlington, NJ). 10am Morning Prayer in the Guildhouse Library and the meeting, program, and luncheon will follow.

Volunteer Chaplain Aides are needed at Virtua Memorial Hospital in Mount Holly. The 18-hour Training Course will be offered at Virtua Memorial Hospital (Mount Holly) on October 12&13, from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. For more information please call Chaplain Marge McGinley at 609/914-6365 or email your name and address to mmcginley@virtua.org.

Holy Land Tour: *Tours with a Difference* is hosting a tour to the Holy Land on January 12-24, 2019. For more information contact the tour leader, Ruth Stotsenburg, at (856) 220-1602 or email her at rstots@gmail.com.