



Tidings

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Saturday, February 2- Daughters of the King 10:00 am

Sunday, February 3-Morning Prayer 8:00 am

Good Book 9:30- 10:15 am

Holy Eucharist Worship Service 10:30 am

Tuesday, February 5- Food Pantry 10:00 am- 11:30 am

NA Meeting 7:30 pm

Wednesday, February 6 -AA Meeting 6:30 pm

Saturday, February 9- Daughters of the King 10:00 am

Sunday, February 10- Morning Prayer 8:00 am

Good Book 9:30- 10:15 am

Holy Eucharist Worship Service 10:30 am

Tuesday, February 12- Food Pantry 10:00 am- 11:30 am

NA Meeting 7:30 pm

Wednesday, February 13-AA Meeting 6:30 pm

Saturday, February 16- Daughters of the King 10:00 am

Sunday, February 17- Morning Prayer 8:00 am

Holy Eucharist Worship Service 10:30 am

Tuesday, February 19-NA Meeting 7:30 pm

Wednesday, February 20-AA Meeting 6:30 pm

Thursday, February 21-Trinity Fun Day 11:30 to 2:30 pm

Saturday, February 23- Daughters of the King 10:00 am

Sunday, February 24-Morning Prayer 8:00 am

Good Book 9:30- 10:15 am

Holy Eucharist Worship Service 10:30 am

Monday, February 25-Women of Trinity meeting, 11:30 am

Tuesday, February 26-NA Meeting 7:30 pm

Wednesday, February 27-AA Meeting 6:30 pm

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Lent begins Ash Wednesday,
March 6 Holy Eucharist with the
Imposition of Ashes at 7:00 p.m.

Women of Trinity

The Women of Trinity will be hosting coffee hour on the last Sunday of every month, honoring those who have had birthdays during that month. Don't forget to join the coffee hours each Sunday, but be sure to attend the one for your birthday. Also, sign up with a partner for a Sunday host . It's fun and an easy thing to do.

Our annual yard sale will be held on June 22 with a rain date of June 29. We will need help to set up and clean up. Keep a box for your donations except cloths and large appliances. More info to follow.

The Women of Trinity donated \$200 to clean and wax the Parish House floor. We have promised to continue a donation to maintain the floor. A reminder, to help us keep the shine, pick up the chairs to move them. Dragging chairs is the main problem with keeping the wax on the floors. Just a reminder.

Our Third Thursday Fun Day has been going well. With approximately 20 people playing games, it has been a social event and great way to spend a Thursday afternoon. Where else can you find a \$5.00 lunch and fun all in the same place. Join in!! All are welcome.

~Diane Hair

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**Women of Trinity
Fun Thursday,
February 21, 2019
11:30 am- 2:30 pm**

**Soup, Sweets & Drinks \$5.00.
Join us for lunch, stay for a fun
day of cards, games &
fellowship!**

Vigil Candle Sponsorship

You can sponsor the Vigil candle for a week for a donation of \$10.00. This sponsorship is to the Glory of God, and can be in memory of, or in thanksgiving for people or events in your life. Simply fill out the form in the pews and drop it in the plate or mail it to the church office, along with your donation of \$10.00.



Epiphany I Romans

The Episcopal Church has suggested this Epiphany that members of each congregation give consideration to read 'Paul's Letter to the Romans'.

Many resources are offered on the website, www.thegoodbookclub.org. Since initiation of the program began on Jan. 6 many are now available and can easily be read or browsed as time permits. But the Bible is really the only resource needed to participate in the Trinity Church discussion group.

To assist those who may have had an interest in this effort but were unable to attend scheduled evening discussions now sessions have been moved to a time more convenient for many, Sunday mornings, 9:30 - 10:15 AM, in the Parish Hall. Our first session on Feb. 3 begins with an introductory video entitled 'Paul the Person' this is the 12th and last video in the series 'Discovering Paul'. This serves to allow everyone to refresh their memory of Paul's experiences, travels, and fate.

A second Sunday morning video on Feb. 10 will be hosted by former Bishop of Durham in the Church of England, N.T. Wright, chair of New Testament and Early Christianity at the School of Divinity at the University of St. Andrew. This too is an introductory video but the focus is on Paul's Letter to the Romans with commentary by a well know Bible scholar. His suggestions offer advice on how to read Romans and give some aid to understand the more dense and challenging passages and content.

At the conclusion of the second video everyone should have a good understanding of Paul's reason and desired interest to address the Romans in a letter.

Group discussions will take place in the final two sessions on Feb. 24 and Mar. 3. We start with chapters 1-8 on Feb. 24 and finish with chapters 9-16 on Mar. 3. Nearing the end of Epiphany and on Shrove Tuesday, Mar.5, each participant should be able to say they completed a personal endeavor to refresh their understanding of Paul and/or they have gained a better understanding of why Romans is considered Paul's masterpiece.

Bill Smith

INVITE*WELCOME*CONNECT

One aspect of the ministry of INVITE*WELCOME*CONNECT is the desire to allow transformation to take place. Mary Parker, originator of the ministry states "we can change the narrative and culture of the Episcopal Church to move from maintenance to mission". This change in thinking is also expressed by the former Bishop of the Diocese of Texas, Claude Payne, who has spoken many times in early 2000 in similar terms and published the book "Reclaiming the Great Commission in 2000 and more recently "Reclaiming Christianity" in 2018.

A change in perspective is generally recognized to serve as some form of transformation. This change can be attributed to the culmination of many factors that impact an individual. Our Presiding Bishop Michael B. Curry who addressed the first annual Summit of INVITE*WELCOME*CONNECT said this "the way of Love, the way of Jesus, is a game changer, and to Invite Welcome Connect is to create space for God to do God's game-changing work."

We at Trinity Church will continue with this game-changing work. We welcome your continued participation in this endeavor in 2019.
Bill Smith

Ignite the Way 2019 Conference

Loving through Discipleship, Evangelism & Mission
Saturday, March 2, 2019 9 AM - 3:30 PM
Hyatt Regency Chesapeake Bay Resort
Cambridge, Maryland www.ignitetheway2019.com

Redner's Save a Tape

When you shop at Redner's Warehouse, use your pump perks card, and save your receipt. By using this card each time you purchase merchandise at Redners, your receipt will be designated as a Save-A-Tape customer receipt. Bring your tapes into the Parish House and place them in the envelope on the bulletin board. Trinity will receive 1% of you total. Thank You in advance!!

Happy Birthday

February 2 Mary Huber

February 19 Matt Cugini





Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper Gene Clay Memorial

March 5, 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm Trinity Episcopal Church

There is no charge for the supper, but a Free Will Offering will be accepted to continue the work of The Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

Prayers are asked for

Eli
Hamid Basil
Bob Boulden
Pam Boulden
Susan Burkholder
Marion Conner
Goldie Cook
Tim Coudon
Jesse Cugini

the Most Rev.
Michael Curry
Ronnie Davis
Alan Fenson
Shawnda Fenson
George Gibson
Bill Gilbert
Dan Graham
Margaret Graham
Bill Jackson
Kathy Koslak
Regina Lane

Margaret Long
Victoria Marsh
John McLean
George Miller
Mary Morrison
Rose Perrone
Rev. Christopher Porteus
Janice Potts
Jane Sichangi
Betsy Spina
Beverly Tozer

At our Trinity Annual meeting last month, there appeared to be a renewed interest in Trinity Church history. The next two pages are the treasure's report and vestry minutes from 1902.

Report of Treasurer for quarter ending May 31st		
Cash from J. S. Wirt	\$176.66	175.66
April 6, Collection	13.28	
April 13, do	21.08	
April 20, do	14.34	
April 27, do	14.97	
April 29, Interest on Mackall mortgage	75.	
May 4, Collection,	16.16	
May 9, Interest on Sharp mortgage,	30.	
May 11, Collection	18.10	
May 18, do	15.37	
May 26, do	10.60	
May 26, Collection for convention fund	18.70	
May 26, Collection from St. Andrews	19.	
	\$442.26	
Disbursements		
J. S. Wirt	& .07	
St. Andrews	.25	
Water rent two quarters	11.50	
Sexton one month	7.	
April 25, Wm. Lawton candles	1.70	
April 25, R. Reese, envelopes	1.50	
April 25, Tax on Sharp mortgage,	2.40	
Keys & Miller Lumber Co. for rectory	3.74	
R. B. Frazer paint and oil rectory	5.55	
C. B. Parker paper & painting rectory	38.33	
Wm. Brown work on grounds	2.50	
May 2, Geo. McCauley rectory	1.25	
May 17, Mitchell, Fletcher & Co. wine,	5.	
May 17, Express on wine,	.35	
May 19, Jas. Camlin, sexton, one month	7.	
May 29, Rector's salary to June 1st	240.	
May 30, Jos. Hinchliffe, gas to Jan. 1 1902	33.64	
Balance,	80.48	
	\$442.26	

May 31, 1902.

The regular Quarterly Meeting of the Vestry of Trinity Parish held at the Rectory on the evening of May 31st, 1902. Present: the Rector, Messrs. W. H. Mackall, John S. Wirt, George McQuilkin, Alfred Wetherill, Victor R. Bennett, and Ricketts Nelson. In the absence of Registrar Richard Reese the Rector appointed Ricketts Nelson to act as Secretary.

The minutes of the last regular Quarterly Meeting held on March 3rd, 1902 together with the minutes of a Special Meeting held on May 19th, 1902 were read, corrected and approved.

The Treasurer submitted his regular quarterly statement and a statement for the ^{Storran} General Convention of the total receipts and expenditures for the year as follows:

(Insert two reports.)

Mr. Wirt reported he had drawn and had executed proper papers for the purchase of the two lots of grounds adjoining St. Andrews' Church, Andora, and the consideration paid for said lots was \$600. The action of Mr. Wirt was approved.

Upon motion the Treasurer was instructed to pay gas bill, coal bill and the Convention assessment.

Mr. Wirt made a statement as to the arrangements which had been perfected for the entertainment of the delegates to the Convention.