

TIDINGS

APRIL 2023

Holy Week

**Palm Sunday, April 2nd
at 10:30 AM**

*Holy Eucharist and Liturgy
of the Palms*

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**Maundy Thursday, April 6th
at 7:00 PM**

Holy Eucharist & Music

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**Good Friday, April 7th
at noon**

**GEMA Ecumenical Service at
Elkton United Methodist Church**

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**Easter Sunday, April 9th
at 10:30 am**

Holy Eucharist & Special Music

Trinity Episcopal Church

105 North Bridge Street, Elkton, MD 21921

410-398-5350

Prayer List *"Our prayers are with all those who are ill, all who are caring for them and all who are striving to hear the voice of God in these challenging times. May God bless you and keep you, now and always.*

Jenn, Tim Bennett, Donald Comer, Alan Fenson, Shawnda Fenson, Brian Hubis, Dorothy Kirk, Louise McLean, Natalie Northon, Robert Powell, Hunter Smith.

Redner's Save a Tape Program When you shop at Redner's Warehouse, use your Redner's card, and save your receipt. By using this card each time you purchase merchandise at Redner's, 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!

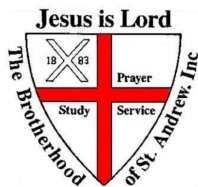


Happy Birthday April Babies

20 Hudson Situma, 27 Susan Burkholder, 28 Leslie Gorak

Happy Wedding Anniversary

April 16 Father Nicholas & Jane Sichangi April 17 Joan Marie & Larry Parker



The Brotherhood of St Andrew will meet at JoJo's Restaurant at 8:00 AM on Saturday, April 22 for a fellowship breakfast. At the end of the breakfast the Brothers will return to the Trinity Church Parish House for a business meeting at 9:00 AM and also for a walk-around inspection of buildings and grounds of the Church.

Shared Ministry service at St Stephen's

April 23 at 9:00 am. Brunch to follow.

There will be no services at Trinity that day.

Cafe Trinity, Good News, Chat Sessions, Sunday Mornings, April 30 - June 18

Join us at Cafe Trinity for Good News chat sessions on Sunday Mornings in the Parish Hall. Further details and sign up sheets are posted on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall. Thirty minute chat sessions will be available for those attending early Sunday Morning Prayer starting after the service at 9:00 AM, (Session I). Those attending Sunday Eucharist at 10:30 AM, will have the opportunity to meet prior to the service starting at 9:45 AM, Session II.

~Bill Smith

40 days of lent 40 acts of kindness

With only 7 days left in Lent, our initial tally is 85 acts of kindness!! More than doubling our goal!! Of course, our goal was really for everyone to try to do just 1 Act of Kindness each day of Lent.

Our Lenten Acts of Kindness have ranged from simple greetings to strangers on walks or in stores, to texting kind greetings each day to friends, to visiting and helping neighbors, as well as out of town relatives and friends; to donating in large and small ways. A few are highlighted below, that actually come close to our goal of 40 as many are multiple. We will post these and others with our new Acts of Kindness “barometer” in our Parish house. We would like to keep these Acts of Kindness going thru Easter and Pentecost!!



- Made text contact with 5 friends with morning greeting.
- Met 5 times with older neighbor for soup and conversation over lunch.
- Had dinner with older, widow neighbor.
- Contacted 4 relatives about death of a cousin.
- Replaced a toilet seat for a neighbor. Also assisted with constructing a storage cabinet for his patio.
- Assisted another neighbor with installing water filter in new fridge.
- Helped friend with tasks in his house and kept him company.
- Visited out of town 91 yr old cousin and took her to dinner.
- Misc. greetings to strangers during walks and in stores.
- Placed "Kindness Matters" bracelet on office entry with positive feedback from a colleague
- Doing kind acts to others and being earnestly thanked
- Donated clothing for men, women and young girls to the Family Center located at the Appoquinimink High School. Donation to less fortunate men and women at the cross-walks.
- Donated to colleague's friend for cancer treatment

Happy Easter to each and every one of you! God bless you and thanks for all that each of you do!

Sincerely,

Ross Lee

“The most visible creators I know of are those artists whose medium is life itself, the ones who express the inexpressible without brush, hammer, clay or guitar. They neither paint nor sculpt. Their medium is being. Whatever their presence touches has increased life. They see and don’t have to draw. They are the artists of being alive.”

Anonymous



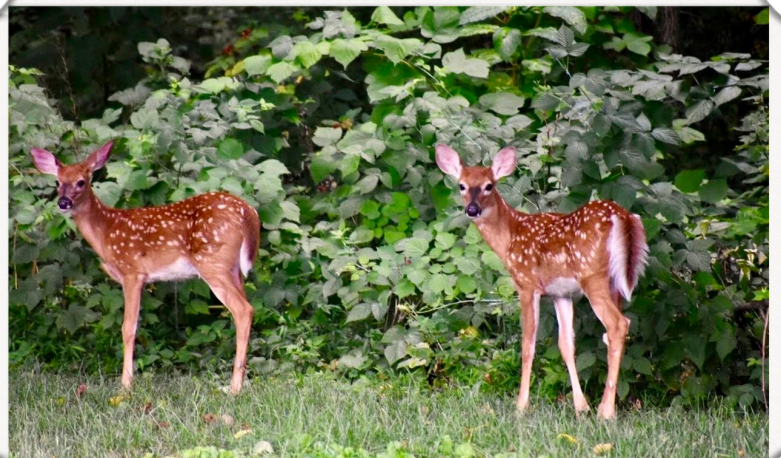
Happy Page, Grateful Page.....

Starting in May we will be publishing a page in the Tidings on things that make us happy/grateful. Please join in by sending in anything that makes YOU happy or grateful. Share with your Trinity family things that bring a smile to you face. trinityelkton@gmail.com Include your pictures, books you have read, quotes, poems, recipes, something your grandchild said, etc.



One of the things that make me happy is every night around 6 pm the deer arrive in my backyard. Last week I looked out my kitchen window and counted 18 deer. Brings me joy to watch them eat, play and feel safe.

Carol





Yard Sale

Saturday, June 17th

8:00 am to 12:00 pm

\$10.00

(You must provide your own tables)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Make checks payable to Trinity Episcopal Church, mail form with payment to

Trinity Episcopal Church, 105 North Bridge Street, Elkton, MD 21921

Return your form early so you can reserve your space. This is the only yard sale we will have this year!! RSVP before June 3. Proceeds will go to our Building Fund.

Volunteers Needed to make our yard sale a SUCCESS.

We need your help with:

- Set-up day before
- Help with making lunch
- Serve lunch
- Bake goods for bake sale. (Cookies, cupcakes, brownies, sweet breads)
- Help sell baked goods and yard sale table that day.
- Help clean up

If you are able to help with any of these tasks, please call the office 410-398-5350 or email us at trinityelkton@gmail.com