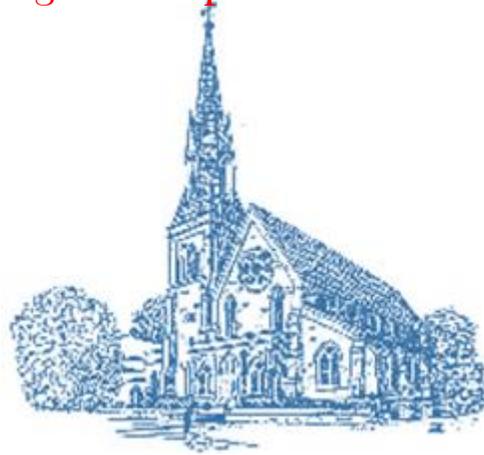




TRINITY PARISH VISITOR

August–September 2019



TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Established 1845

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Mobile, Alabama 36606
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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday
9:00 am–3:00 pm

HOLY EUCHARIST

Sundays 9:00 AM
Wednesdays 12:00 PM (Chapel)
(Nursery available on Sundays)

SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:30 am

STAFF

The Rev. Bailey Norman
(Rector)

The Rev. Terry Goff
(Deacon)

Jeremy Adcock
(Organist/Choirmaster)

Brother Jacob Luke, OSB
(Parish Administrator)

Kathie Wall
(Financial Secretary)

Amos Kidd
(Sexton)

Bob Peck
(Parish Archivist)

Kay Cruthirds
(Parish Nurse)

Anne Gill
(Director of Children's Ministries)

PARISH HEADLINES

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! PLEASE HELP! – Here at Trinity we are blessed with a beautiful nursery space and faithful employee, Jasmine, on Sunday mornings; however, Jasmine cannot tend to the children alone. This important ministry must have two adults present to ensure the very best care and attention is provided to our precious little ones.

If you would be willing to share a Sunday morning every now and again helping care for and play with our littlest members, please contact Connie Ewing at (251) 709-3044 or email Khani52@comcast.net.

Having a nursery available during our service is important to our parents of young children. Won't you please help?

Thank you.

Connie Ewing
Trinity Nursery Coordinator

FAMILY PROMISE–Family Promise will occur at All Saints from August 18-25, 2019. Volunteers are needed to serve the families. If you would like to volunteer or find out how you can help, please contact Brenda Howard at eeeks89tl@gmail.com.

BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY–Mark your calendars for a fun back to school party August 18. We will have the Blessings of the Backpacks during the 9:00 service. Immediately following the church service, we will have a picnic and water play day, out in the garden area. More information to follow!

FALL SUNDAY SCHOOL SEMESTER – The new semester of Sunday School for all ages begins Sunday, September 15th at 10:30AM.

STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN KICKOFF EVENT: On Sunday, September 15th after the Sunday Service, please join us for brunch hosted by your Stewardship Committee. It will be an opportunity to celebrate our life together and acknowledge the many wonderful blessings God has given us. Let us all look forward to enjoying fellowship and good food.

BISHOP'S VISITATION—The Bishop will be at Trinity for his Semi-Annual Visitation on Sunday October 13th. Please plan to attend this special day.

URGENT FOOD PANTRY NEEDS—Food Pantry Needs - Please help stock breakfast by donating grits, oatmeal, cereal, and granola bars. We also need small 8-oz. cans of pop-top green beans/corn/peas for our homeless bags. If you have any take-out silverware (fork and knife bags) taking up space in your drawers, please donate them for our homeless bags. Money donations are always appreciated to help buy our bulk items (cases of canned meat etc.) from the Feeding the Gulf Coast and other needs from local stores. Thank you for keeping the little red wagon full each Sunday!



YOUTH PARTICIPATE IN MAKING “LEGO BOXES”

Several of our youth participated in a mission project to help the Diocese of the Central Gulf Coast’s mission trip to Brownsville, TX. They gathered together for dinner and afterwards helped make “Lego boxes” for the children at the border. These boxes will be given to children to hold in their laps on their long bus rides to the holding centers. We are looking forward to our youth group starting back up in September! More information will be forthcoming.



THOSE WHO SERVE

	4 AUGUST	11 AUGUST	18 AUGUST	25 AUGUST
	Holy Eucharist Rite II	Holy Eucharist Rite II	Holy Eucharist Rite I	Morning Prayer with Holy Communion
Season	8 Pentecost	9 Pentecost	10 Pentecost	11 Pentecost
Liturgical Color	Green	Green	Green	Green
Altar Guild Team	4	1	2	3
Crucifer	Daniel Gill	Lauren Hill	Mallory Creel	Shae Street
Torch Bearers	John Gill	Natalie Hill	Bennett Pearce	Lauren Hill
	William Gill	Max Winstead	Philip Gill	Daniel Gill
Sacristan	Bob Howard	Kay Cruthirds	Brother Jacob Luke	Tommy Murray
LEMs	Florence Crawford	Steve Mussell	Jill Creel	John Goff
	Allison Castle	Nathan Mussell	Steve Flukinger	David Clothier
Lectors	Brenda Howard	Elizabeth Hill	Ben Harris, III	Jane Williamson
	Anne Gill	Florence Crawford	Betsey Wooten	Brother Jacob Luke
Intercessor	Michel Nicrosi	Janet Nodar	Mary Stewart Stephens	Kay Cruthirds
Ushers	Ricky Creel	Walt Fuller	Chris Gill	D.G. Ewing
	Doris Benson	Ann McCormick	Bryan Pearce	Connie Ewing
	Pat Rodgers	Paul McCormick	Byron Cruthirds	Bradley English
	Wilson Castle	David Arnett	Dana Burton	Tom Langley
Oblationers	Julie Castle	Brenda Howard	Martha Fuller	Anne Gill
	Dana Burton	Bob Howard	Walt Fuller	Chris Gill
Greeter	Jameson White	Martha Fuller	Pat Rodgers	Steve Flukinger
Hospitality	Becky & Roger Vance	The McCormicks	Men's Cooking Team	Florence Crawford



2019 VESTRY

OFFICERS

Anne Gill
(Senior Warden)

Pat Rodgers
(Junior Warden)

Brenda Howard
(Clerk)

Martha Jones
(Treasurer)

Ben Harris, III
(Chancellor)

MEMBERS

Bradley English
Anne Gill
Ben Harris, III
Pat Rodgers
(terms expire 2020)

David Arnett
Mary Stewart Stephens
Anna-Lisa Tessier
Jameson White
(terms expire in 2021)

Mike Cadden
Bob Howard
Daphne Marcum
Carolyn Watts-Smith
(terms expire in 2022)

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Painting Class to Begin—D.G. Ewing is once again offering his painting class which will begin on Wednesday, August 7 at 1:00pm. There are two, possibly three seats available. For more information or to sign up for the class, please contact D.G. at dg@dgewing.com or at 251-281-3286.

Hospitality Volunteers Needed—There is sign up sheet in the Great Hall for those who would like to volunteer to provide hospitality goodies after Sunday Mass. If you'd like to volunteer, please sign up in the Parish Hall or call Brother Jacob in the church office.

Parish Choir—The choir will resume rehearsals on Wednesday August 14th. If anyone is interested in joining the choir, please contact our Organist / Choirmaster, Jeremy Adcock, at trinitychurchmobile.music@gmail.com.

Food Pantry— Each week we serve our local community by providing families in need and the homeless with simple staple food supplies. Each family receives a bag of canned/boxed food, chooses breakfast items and selects fresh vegetables from the garden. We are open every Monday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (except holidays). This past May, June and July we helped 180 families (497 people). Your food and money donations continue to keep us stocked and open. A list of needed items are in the weekly parish announcements. On Sunday, please bring food/money to place in the little red wagon during the offertory, before service, or after service. Thank you to everyone for keeping the wagon full each week!

MINISTRIES AND FELLOWSHIP

Hospitality —Trinity is committed to fostering a parish of deep hospitality and fellowship within its walls for all who come to worship the Lord Jesus. Faithful parishioners provide a scrumptious assortment of goodies, coffee, assorted teas and water before and following the 9:00 Mass. All are encouraged to participate in providing hospitality and / or joining in these times of fellowship with one another.

Altar Flower Delivery—During most of the year, altar flowers are removed from the church after the Sunday service each Sunday by the Flower Guild and rearranged into two or more arrangements. These flowers are taken by members of the Flower Delivery Committee to parishioners in the hospital or the sick at home, for those celebrating birthdays or anniversaries, or other occasions. As there are no flowers on the altar during Advent and Lent, there is no flower delivery during those seasons. If you are interested in helping with this ministry, please call me at 470-8646. May God bless each of you. —*Doris Benson*

Weight Watchers — *Weight Watchers* has graciously approved Trinity as a new site for their meetings. Meetings are held each Monday at 5:30PM in the Library. Anyone who is interested in being a part of the group, please come to a meeting or contact Martha Jones.

McKemie Place Toiletry Ministry — Friends at Trinity, a belated but sincere thank you to each of you who contributed cosmetic bags and toiletries for my project for the

ladies at McKemie Place. The ladies were most appreciative of your kindness. Because of the success of this project, I plan to continue it and will appreciate any contributions. Thank you again for your kindness. —Jane Williamson

Handicrafters – Do you crochet? Do you knit? What about needlepoint or loom or something like it? Are you looking for a fun fellowship opportunity and conversation while working on a project? Trinity now has a handicraft group which will begin meeting on the third Friday of each month at 10:30am in the Parlor. If you are interested in attending, just bring your project and join the fun. Please, tell your friends and come join The Handicrafters of Trinity.”

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CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

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Bible Study – The Rector’s Wednesday morning Bible study meets at 11 a.m. each week. The current Bible topic to be discussed is the **Gospel of Judas**.

Wednesday Chapel Service – Fr. Bailey continues to preside at the Holy Eucharist at noon in the chapel, following the Bible Study.

Education for Ministry (EFM) – Education for Ministry (EfM) is a four-year education program that is designed to help us fulfill our call to love God with all our heart and mind, and to love our neighbors as ourselves. An EfM group at Trinity meets weekly from September through May. For more information, contact David Clothier at 623-2359 or dmclothier51@gmail.com.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd – Catechesis of the Good Shepherd will return on Sunday, **September 15th** from 10:30-11:30 am. Ages 3 - Kindergarten will meet in the Level I atrium and 1st-4th grade will meet in the Level II atrium. Through their time in a CGS atrium, children are helped to form an authentic, faithful relationship with God. The Catechesis is grounded in scriptural and liturgical study framed by Montessori’s principles of education. This allows children to hear the Gospel and absorb its message through the use of sensorially rich materials and the work of their hands. The atrium is a place of community and worship. It is a place to be with God, enjoy Him, listen to His Word, and to pray. It is designed to reflect the beauty of His creation and God’s abiding love. It is also a place to begin to learn and recognize the signs and symbols that speak of Him in the liturgy of Baptism and Eucharist. We look forward to spending this time with your child! If you have any questions, please contact Anne Gill at anne.gill@comcast.net or 251-599-3479.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

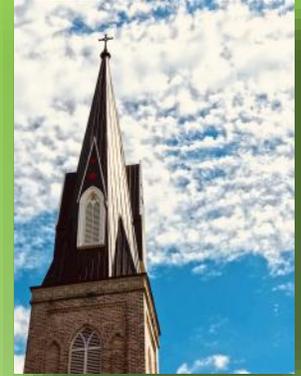
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WORSHIP ON THE WATER—On Saturday, August 24th, we will take a group of 5th-12th graders to Camp Beckwith for the 2nd Annual Worship on the Water. The event will be held from 1 pm - 5 pm and will include Eucharist on the water, kick ball, tie-dying, and an ice cream social.



SPOTLIGHT ON MINSITRY

INTERCESSORS



Intercessory prayer is a way of praying for the needs, cares and concerns of others in the world around us, within our lives and our families, and to pray for the church. We can engage in intercessory prayer at home in our private prayers as well as on behalf of the church in the Mass each Sunday. Each week, a person ascends to the lectern from the congregation and reads the “Prayers of the People” on behalf of the congregation. This ministry is fulfilled on behalf of the church for the church and the world, and those who have asked us to pray for them by name. If you would like to be a part of the special and wonderful ministry, please contact Fr. Bailey or Br. Jacob Luke in the church office.

—Brother Jacob



LITURGICS

DID YOU KNOW?

“Liturgical Colors” in Episcopal worship signify our place in the Church Year:

WHITE, the color of Jesus’ burial garments, for Christmas, Easter, and other ‘feasts’ or festival days, as well as marriages and funerals.

PURPLE/VIOLET for Advent (or **ROYAL BLUE**) & Lent (or **UN-BLEACHED LINEN**).

RED is used in Holy Week, the Day of Pentecost, and at ordinations.

GREEN is used during Epiphany and the ‘Ordinary Time’ after Pentecost Sunday.

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Source:

An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 24
1:00 PM - 5:00PM
BECKWITH

Annual Worship on the Water for youth in grades 6 - 12
(adult chaperones requested)

Event is free.

Suggested donation of school supplies to support Panama City schools.

Full details/schedule at www.diocgc.org/worship-on-the-water



RSVP to event coordinators:

Jill Showers-Chow - jshowers@southalabama.edu | Jenn Johnson - jenn@diocgc.org



23rd Annual Jonathan Myrick Daniels
& All Alabama Martyrs Pilgrimage
August 10th @ 11AM - Hayneville, AL



SCRIPTURE

EUCCHARISTIC READINGS

4 AUGUST—PROPER 13

Hosea 11:1-11
Psalm 107:1-9, 43
Colossians 3:1-11
Luke 12:13-21

11 AUGUST—PROPER 14

Isaiah 1:1, 10-20
Psalm 50:1-8, 23-24
Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16
Luke 12:32-40

18 AUGUST—PROPER 15

Isaiah 5:1-7
Psalm 80:1-2, 8-18
Hebrews 11:29-12:2
Luke 12:49-56

25 AUGUST—PROPER 16

Jeremiah 1:4-10
Psalm 71:1-6
Hebrews 12:18-29
Luke 13:10-17

1 SEPTEMBER—PROPER 17

Jeremiah 2:4-13
Psalm 81:1, 10-16
Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16
Luke 14:1, 7-14

8 SEPTEMBER—PROPER 18

Jeremiah 18:1-11
Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17
Philemon 1-21
Luke 14:25-33

15 SEPTEMBER—PROPER 19

Jeremiah 4:11-12, 22-28
Psalm 14
1 Timothy 1:12-17
Luke 15:1-10

22 SEPTEMBER—PROPER 20

Jeremiah 8:18-9:1
Psalm 79:1-9
1 Timothy 2:1-7
Luke 16:1-13

29 SEPTEMBER—PROPER 21

Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15
Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16
1 Timothy 6:6-19
Luke 16:19-31



CALENDAR

Sunday, 4 August
Inquirer's Class Begins

Sunday, 18 August
Parish Back to School Party on the Lawn
(following Mass)

18-25 August
Family Promise (All Saints)

Tuesday, 20 August
6PM—Finance

Tuesday, 27 August
6PM—Vestry

Sunday, 1 September
Holy Baptism

Monday, 2 September
Labor Day
(Parish Office Closed)

Sunday, 8 September
Ministry Fair
(more information forthcoming)

Sunday, 15 September
First Day of Sunday School
Stewardship Kickoff

Tuesday, 17 September
Finance

Tuesday, 24 September
Vestry

PARISH PRAYER LIST

“Brethren, pray for us.”
— 1 Thessalonians 5:25

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We should all pray for one another without ceasing. The prayers of one person for another is a beautiful gift. Prayers of intercession are understood as prayers that “brings before God the needs of others” (BCP, *Catechism*, 857). The Trinity Parish Prayer List is below. Please take a few moments and remember your brothers and sisters in Christ in prayer.



CATECHISM CORNER

Q. Who is the Holy Spirit?

A. *The Holy Spirit is the Third Person of the Trinity, God at work in the world and in the Church even now.*

Q. How is the Holy Spirit revealed in the Old Covenant?

A. *The Holy Spirit is revealed in the Old Covenant as the giver of life, the One who spoke through the prophets.*

Q. How is the Holy Spirit revealed in the New Covenant?

A. *The Holy Spirit is revealed as the Lord who leads us into all truth and enables us to grow in the likeness of Christ.*

Q. How do we recognize the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives?

A. *We recognize the presence of the Holy Spirit when we confess Jesus Christ as Lord and are brought into love and harmony with God, with ourselves, with our neighbors, and with all creation.*

Q. How do we recognize the truths taught by the Holy Spirit?

A. *We recognize truths to be taught by the Holy Spirit when they are in accord with the Scriptures.*

—The Book of Common Prayer, 852-3

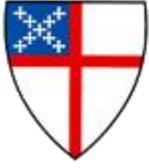
Each edition of *The Parish Visitor* features a question and answer from the “An Outline of Faith, commonly called the Catechism.” It is a good and joyful thing to remind ourselves from time to time of the beliefs and values we hold dear as members of the Episcopal Church.

We ask your prayers for these members of our Parish Family: Don Langham, Caroline Curenton, Luther Creel, Keith Mull, Byron Cruthirds, Peter Pearce, Barbara Duhé, Esther Howell, Elizabeth Kennington, Louise Beck, June Williams, Phyllis Creel, Jessie Beaty, Nancy Arnett, Graham Loper, Margaret Platt, Nettie Robertson, Ricky Creel, Deborah Lamb, Laney Lau, Shae Street, Bill Duhé, Katherine Galanos Vickers, Juanita Faith, Janelle Odom, John McLean, Kerry Senne Logan, Heather Loper, Caroline Curenton, Bootsie Laffre, Gay Price, Libby Powell, Dottie Gill, Vickie McCormick, Sara Spottswood, Ruth Wimberly, Catherine Hall, the Diocese of the Dominican Republic, and St. George’s Baghdad.

Also keep in your prayers: Anne Berry Wichterman, Sharon Hollingsworth, Jordan Cole, Emily Hodge, Gwen Adkerson, Ernest Johnston, Jacob Wilson, Bud McLean, Robert Clothier, Jr., Glenda Evans, Ruthie Anthony, Chris & Lynette Gregory, Carrie & Pam Young and Family, Sally Morresette, Sandy Teresa Davis, Charlotte Algood, Robert Schwandt, Philip Tapia, Audra Warren, Jennifer McIntyre, Rebecca Ritz, Deanna Lord, Ernestine Hart, Ralph Harrington, Wanda DiMario, Janet Hartlove, John Stevens, Helen Ramsey, Jimmy Boothe, Robert Durrant, Marsha Parham Butler, The Helmer Family, Leigh Jackson, Steve Miller, Lawton, Pree Middleton, Rick Miller, Karen Andrews, The Rev. Edward Scully

For the departed:

And for those currently serving in the Armed Forces: Ericka Williams, Owen Taylor, Jennings DePriest, Travis Amsbaugh, Matthew Anderson, Arielle Weaver, Thomas Ishee, Noah Weaver, Scott Rye, Kevin O’Rourke



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