

Trinity Times Weekly Edition

First Sunday In Advent

Week of November 29, 2015

Holy Trinity Anglican Church

Altar Flowers

There are no flowers on the Altar during Advent.

Birthday and Anniversary Blessings

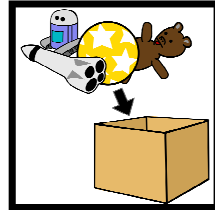
Anyone wishing to receive a prayer and blessing will be invited to the Altar. Participation is not compulsory, but all, including visitors, are welcome.

Micah's Place Toy Drive... through December 7th

Donations of new "unwrapped" toys and gift cards will be accepted by the Micah's Place Christmas Program to help provide a Christmas to families in their shelter and outreach, who otherwise may not have one.

Micah's Place is a nonprofit organization and the only certified Domestic Violence Center serving Nassau County.

NOTE: The "Box" has been moved to the entrance of Scott-King Hall.



Advent's First Friday Fellowship - Friday, December 4th at 6:00 PM

Plan now to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to mix and mingle in a casual setting. Invite your neighbors, colleagues and friends.

All are welcome! As usual, please bring finger foods - savory or sweet - enough to share. Beverages will be provided.

Altar Guild Meeting, Saturday, December 5th at 9:00 AM

Breakfast at 8:30 AM in Scott-King Hall.

Advent Wreaths for Sale

These include a brass stand and five candles: three purple, one rose and one white Christ Candle. All candles are hand dipped by the faculty of St. Andrew's Academy and are made of 100% bee's wax, collected by Christian monks in California, and are designed to last the season. Each set is \$30.00 and all proceeds benefit St. Andrew's Academy of Chester California, an Anglican boarding school for students K-12.

Estimated Tithes and Offerings

Those who plan to support Holy Trinity with their tithes and offerings next year, are asked to prayerfully complete a **2016 Estimated Tithes and Offerings** card and deposit it in the box near the baptismal font. Last year, 98 percent of our households participated in this ingathering, giving the Vestry great confidence as they prepared the parish budget.

Your participation is gratefully appreciated.

Blood Drive

Holy Trinity's current account balance is 27 Units... **If you are able, Please donate and ask that your donation be credited to Holy Trinity's Account, M-159.**

- 05 Dec — 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM - American Legion Post 54
626 S. 3rd Street, Fernandina Beach

Looking Ahead...

Parish Christmas Party, Friday, December 18th at 6:00 PM

We have invited our neighbors in Amelia Park to join Holy Trinity for a Christmas celebration. Scott-King Hall will be decorated for the Christmas holiday and the Men's Group will supply a Christmas-themed third Friday dinner with music and joy for the season.

Missions and Outreach...

Salvation Army / Hope House - The Hope House Basket is located in Scott-King Hall. Please bring in your donations of non-perishable food and new or gently used clothing — and we'll deliver.

Micah's Place - (Above) Also, a "needs" list is available in the Church office.

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On The Calendar

Sunday, Nov. 29th, 8 & 10:30 AM
First Sunday In Advent

Sunday, Nov. 29th, 9:15 AM
Sunday Bible College
in Scott-King Hall
Adults - Matthew Chapter 16
Children - Classes for
First Communion

Sunday, Nov. 29th, 12 Noon
**Christmas Pageant
Practice**

Wednesday, Dec. 2nd, 12:15 PM
Mid-week Eucharist
This week, please pray for
parishioners with last names
beginning with S - Z and
those on our Prayer List.

Friday, Dec. 4th, 6:00 PM
**Advent's First Friday
Fellowship**
in Scott-King Hall

Saturday, Dec. 5th, 9:00 AM
Altar Guild Meeting
In the Church (includes
Breakfast at 8:30 AM
in Scott-King Hall)

Looking Ahead...

Saturday, Dec. 12th, 9 AM - 5 PM
**Holiday Greening
of the Church**
Set-up in Scott-King Hall

Friday, Dec. 18th, 6:00 PM
**Parish Christmas Party
(Third Friday Fellowship)**
in Scott-King Hall

Visit Holy Trinity's
Website and Calendar
at:

holyltrinityanglican.org

The New 2016 Lectio Divina – reading the Scriptures prayerfully and contemplatively.

Week One: Begin each day by praying the Collect for the Second Sunday in Advent (BCP 121 / 1928 p.92), then read each passage listed below. Read slowly, carefully, attentively.

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| • Monday | Psalm 1 | Matthew 1 | • Thursday | Psalm 4 | Matthew 5-6 |
| • Tuesday | Psalm 2 | Matthew 2 | • Friday | Psalm 5 | Matthew 7-8 |
| • Wednesday | Psalm 3 | Matthew 3-4 | • Saturday | Psalm 6 | Matthew 9-10 |

At Holy Trinity Church, we are being challenged to a more thorough and thoughtful reading of the Holy Scriptures, and have set a plan to become well versed in the whole Bible, beginning with the New Testament. By following the reading plan, or lectionary, printed in the Trinity Times each week, we will read the entire New Testament and all the Psalms over the course of six months. What's more, the books of the Bible are laid out in four groups according to author, style, audience, and message, and each group is ordered chronologically.

If you prefer the more traditional Lectionary, it can be found in the front matter of the Book of Common Prayer.

Below are the groupings as we will read them through the months ahead:

The Gospel according to St. Matthew

Hebrews, James

The Gospel according to St. Mark

1 and 2 Peter, St. Jude

The Gospel according to St. Luke

Acts, 1 Thessalonians, 2 Thessalonians, Galatians, Philippians, Philemon, 1 Corinthians, 2 Corinthians, Romans, 1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, Titus, Colossians, Ephesians

The Gospel according to St. John

3 Epistles of St. John, The Apocalypse (A.K.A. The Revelation to John)



Holy Trinity Prayer List

- Vesper Aschenbach** – for salvation and relief of omnipresent headaches (daughter of Martin Teaster)
- Marlo Thomas-Bailey** – healing after back surgery (friend of Fatima Bowen)
- Kaye Blackmon** – spinal cancer (friend of Bev Mertz)
- Frances Brothers** – for health (Cunningham's great grandmother)
- Gail Bunch** – cancer (cousin of Jan Figueroa)
- James Bunch** – for health
- Amber Burch** – for health (daughter of Martin Teaster)
- Martha Copeland** – cancer (the Bunch's neighbor)
- Lisa** – for recovery (daughter of Angela & Ed Crisp)
- Greg Critser** – inoperable brain tumor (cousin of Patrick Lanaghan)
- David** – teenager with chronic illnesses: connective tissue disorder and heart condition
- Wesley Duran** – congestive heart failure (friend of Chuck & Laura Farmer)
- Dale Evans** – vision health (brother-in-law of Tom and Rebecca Raymond)
- Elizabeth** – for healing (friend of Jane & Pat)
- Marcia Fellows** – COPD
- Jane Fields** – bone cancer (friend of Bev Mertz)
- Charlie Greene** – dialysis (friend of Linda Neal)
- Melissa Hall** – cancer (friend of Ansley Acree)
- Jean Harmon** – kidney failure; AFib heart condition (sister-in-law of Linda Neal)
- Jon Hiland** – cancer / heart condition
- Vivian & Jim Holler** – Vivian, Parkinsons Disease, at St. Mary's Senior Care in Georgia
- Wally & Katherine Holmberg** – dialysis (Wally) (friends of the Constants and Webers)
- Barbara Kirkpatrick** – brain tumor (friend of Lois Laing)
- Judy Kreutz** – successful recovery after brain surgery (cousin of David Turner)
- Wayne Leach** – cancer (Weber family friend)
- Paula Leubke** – for health (friend of Lois Laing)
- Kim Masisali-Leyva** – breast cancer (co-worker of Darci Lanaghan)

- Leslie** – blood disorder (daughter of Marshalls)
- Marie MacDonald** – to know peace in Christ (friend of Robin Bogosh)
- Harold McCart** – recovery from major surgery
- Beverly Mertz** – for health (and, patience!)
- Shirolyn Moffitt** – cancer (cousin of Jan Figueroa)
- Greg Myer** – for health; stage 4 cancer (brother-in-law of Darci Lanaghan)
- Terri Pirtle** – cancer (friend of the Lyles)
- Ludine** – colon cancer & recovery from surgery, and
- Nicole** – seizures (wife & daughter of Alvin Pinkney)
- Don & Myra Rhoades** – long term care
- Suzi Rishir** – cancer (cousin of John Scarboro)
- Molly** – at home (sister of Penny Robinson)
- Nancy Roeser** – myeloma cancer / chemo treatments (friend of Tom & Rebecca Raymond)
- Valerie Scarsberry** – recovery from surgery (friend of Howard Bunch)
- Frances Scarboro** – for health
- Mec Shuler** – for health
- Wes Shuler** – at St. Augustine Veteran's Home
- Ivy** – brain tumor (granddaughter of Mec Shuler)
- Gregg Shy** – acute myeloid leukemia (a dear friend of the Turner family)
- Martha Skirven** – for health and strength
- Herb & Nancy Smith** – (friends of Elizabeth Ryan)
- Alice** – for health (friend of Rebecca & Tom Raymond)
- Duc Tang** – for health and strength (a very dear friend of Chuck & Laura Farmer)
- Daniel Teaster** – to know peace in Christ
- Stephen Thomas** – for health (severe diabetes) ("Best Man" at Chuck & Laura Farmer's wedding)
- Karen Weber** – recovery from surgery
- Kelly Whitton** – cancer (friend of David & Jane Turner)
- Vickie Winsor** – ocular melanoma (sister-in-law of Bev Mertz)
- Linda Winters** – cancer (sister of Sharon Hallman)

*Members names are underlined.
Please send requests to the Parish Office.
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