

Trinity Times Weekly Edition

Feast of St. John, Apostle and Evangelist
Week of December 27, 2020

Holy Trinity Anglican Church & Lindisfarne Hall
Fernandina Beach, Florida



Merry Christmas

The Nativity with Donors and Saints Jerome and Leonard, Triptych by Gerard David c.1510s

On The Third Day of Christmas...

Did you know the Christmas season is 12 days long, beginning with The Nativity on December 25th and ending with The Epiphany on January 6th. Thus, this First Sunday after Christmas is only the Third Day of Christmas. For Christians Christmas is just getting started. So, keep those Christmas trees decorated, the lights on and the parties going. There are nine more days left to celebrate the birth of Christ.

The Christmas Creche on the Altar

From Advent till Epiphany, the Altar features a Creche or Manger Scene. On the First Sunday in Advent the Creche is empty, with only the animals and the shepherd present in the stable. Each week, the scene grows. On Christmas Eve the baby Jesus appears in the manger. The Creche will not be complete until the Feast of the Epiphany (January 6th) when the three wise men arrive.

The Feast of the Epiphany is Wednesday, January 6th, at 12:15 PM

Our regularly scheduled Wednesday Mass with Healing Service will also serve as our Mass for the Epiphany, or The Manifestation of Christ to the Gentiles.

First Friday Fellowship Moved to Jan. 8th Due to New Year's Holiday

Our Annual Epiphany Celebration / Crowning of the New King or Queen will take place at our monthly fellowship gathering, this time on January 8th.

Altar Guild Meeting Moved to January 9th Due to New Year's Holiday

Fr. Cunningham and Family Are On Christmas Stay-cation

Why would they go anywhere else? In case of emergency, please contact Fr. Brad on his mobile line at 904-335-7818

2021 Parish-wide Collect—A Prayer for the Impenitent

O merciful God, who wouldest not the death of a sinner, but rather that he should be converted and live, and hast revealed thyself as pardoning iniquity through thine only Son; We beseech thee to have mercy upon the impenitent and unbelieving, especially on such as may be here present. Awaken in them by thy Holy Spirit, a deep sense of their sinfulness and peril. Take from them all ignorance, hardness of heart, and contempt of thy word. Make them to know and feel that there is none other name under heaven given among men whereby they must be saved, but only the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ. And so fetch them home and number them among thy children, that they may be thine for ever; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. Amen.

CALENDAR

Sunday, December 27th

The Holy Mass Feast of St. John, Apostle & Evangelist

All Masses are Open to the Public
No Reservations Required

8:00 AM Holy Communion

Celebrant and Homilist:
Fr. Peter Joslyn

10:30 AM Holy Communion

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* Fr. Cunningham and Family are on vacation and will return next week.

Sunday, Dec. 27th, 9:20 AM

NO Sunday Bible College

SBC will resume in January

Wednesday, Dec. 30th

NO Mid-Week Eucharist

Wednesday Mass will resume
January 6th

This week, please pray for parishioners with last names beginning with S - Z, and those on our Prayer List.

Sun, Dec. 27th - Mon, Jan. 4th

Parish Office CLOSED

Saturday, Jan. 9th, 9:00 AM
Altar Guild Meeting
in the Chapel

HAPPY NEW YEAR

2021

Holy Trinity Church Thanks You for Your Financial Support

If you are unable to attend worship services in person, a contribution may be mailed to:

Holy Trinity Church
Attention: Treasurer
1830 Lake Park Drive
Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

Holy Trinity Prayer List

In Thanksgiving

Makenzie

Linda Neal

In Supplication

** 12:15 PM Mass & Wednesdays & Saturdays MP

Larry Bechan – full recovery from cancer surgery, and
Sandy Bechan – strength (dear friends of Linda Neal)

Anna Boatright – cancer (friend of the Robinsons)

Ralph Boswell – healing

Anna Boswell—strength and comfort

Elaine Bowen – comfort and peace (sister of Pat Bunch)

Frances Brothers – health (the Cunningham’s grandmother)

James Bruner – to be a good witness, inwardly & out

Pat Bunch – for health

Charlie Carter – stroke (uncle of Carolyn Hopkins)

Claire – job search; come to know Christ (friend of Chloe Cunningham)

Vangie Dorman – comfort and health (97 year old mother of Linda Neal’s BFF/Harrison’s God Mother)

John Elwell – home, recovering from Covid-19 (Mertz’s neighbor)

Amanda Evans – cancer (sister of Rebecca Raymond and Elizabeth Ryan)

Chuck Farmer – for health, and successful liver cancer treatments

Laura Farmer – for health

Thomas B. Farmer – health (cousin of Chuck Farmer)

Kathryn Figueroa – for relief of headaches

Kindra Garcia – recovery from back surgery (daughter of the Garcias)

Fr. John Gibson (ret) – for full recovery from stroke

Valerie Gosnell – strength; & her son, **Tim Gosnell** – angiosarcoma (friends of Bev Mertz)

Arnold Hansen – Alzheimer’s (brother-in-law of Lois Laing)

Brien Hansen – Alzheimer’s (nephew of Lois Laing)

** 8:00 AM Mass & Monday * & Thursdays MP*

Sharon Hallman – chronic pain; deepening faith

Tracy Hiers – stage 1 colon cancer (friend of C. Hopkins)

James Holler IV – complete recovery from surgery (son of Jim Holler)

Greg Hopkins – for salvation and emotional healing (son of the Hopkins), and
Britney Marvin, safe and healthy pregnancy

The Family of Robert Kershner – for peace & comfort in the loss of their father/grandfather

Barbara Kirkpatrick – brain tumor (friend of Lois Laing)

Brien Kirkpatrick – Stage 3 kidney failure (son of Cindy McLaughlin, grandson of Lois Laing)

Ron Knauss – for peace; loss of his daughter (friend of Jim Holler and HTAC)

Ernie Kowalchuk – cont’d recovery (the Farmer’s daughter’s uncle-in-law)

Kim Laing – for health

Lois Laing – health, comfort and peace; successful heart surgery (January 4th)

Bishop Bob & Emily – for health and strength

Chris Luoma – lung cancer (brother of Emily Loiselle)

Jackie McKinney – healing (friend of Fatima Bowen)

Mary McLaughlin – Alzheimer’s (friend of Cindy & Lanny McLaughlin)

Jay Manson – 18-year old in an auto accident; paralyzed from waist down (friend of Mary Kay Young)

Al Nicolai – recover from pancreatitis (father of Lindisfarne Hall student)

Steve Novak—cancer and surgery (Friend of Robinsons)

Mary Nuttall – osteoporosis (friend of Mary Aiello and HTAC)

Gunner Nyholm – inoperable heart blockage (cousin of Lois Laing)

Steve Ochs & Family – for peace & comfort in the loss of Steve’s mother, Norma.

Alyce Parmer – to discern God’s will

Pam Peterson – for health

Samantha Raymond – CRPS, granddaughter of Cindy McLaughlin, great granddaughter of Lois Laing)

Chad Renfroe – critically ill; and his wife, **Katlen** – for strength

Nancy Roeser – courage, peace & wisdom (friend of the Raymonds & Nasrallahs)

Elizabeth Ryan – for health and strength

**10:30 AM Mass & Tuesdays & Fridays MP

Sara Katherine – health

John Schoendorf – health

Lois Stanley Stapleton –RA lung deterioration (friend of Mary Kay Young)

Duc Tang – cancer; (dear friend of the Farmers)

Daniel Teaster – to know peace in Christ

Martin Teaster – for health

Family of Martin Teaster – salvation, health & healing, especially Ariana

Susan Wagner – cancer

Andrew Weber – peace and health (grandson of the Webers)

Jeff Weber – vertigo (son of the Webers)

Jacob Wilkins & Family – 5-yr old on heart transplant list (friends of the Haistens)

Richie Williams – cancer (Curt & Melodie Winston)

Ramon Winston – cancer (Curt & Melodie Winston)

Wilma Winters – for health, recovery from surgery (mother of Sharon Hallman)

Brenda Yale – surgery 12/8/2020 (friend of Carolyn Hopkins)

Eric Young – kidney cancer (husband of Mary Kay)

All Homeless and Poor of Amelia Island and Nassau County

The Ministries of: Hope House and Micah’s Place

Our Anglican Missions in Haiti, Ecuador, India and the Philippines

Lindisfarne Hall - the mission, faculty and students

All doctors, nurses, and health care providers

Also, please add to your daily prayers: the Collect “In Time of Great Sickness” BCP, page 45; and, Travel mercies for all our Parishioners traveling this Christmas holiday.

Rest In Peace

Robert Kershner

*Members’ names are underlined.
Please send requests to the parish office by Wednesday.
Last updated 12 - 24 - 2020.*

The Lectio Divina (Divine Reading) for 2020

FEAST OF ST. JOHN, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST

Monday Psalm 8; Jeremiah 31:1-6; St. Matt. 18:1-14

Tuesday Psalm 27; Isaiah 56:1-8; 1 St. John 1

Wednesday Psalm 33; Isaiah 59:1-3; 1 St. John 2:1-17

Thursday Psalm 147; Isaiah 62; 1 St. John 2:18

Friday Psalm 103; Deut. 30:1-10; Ephesians 2:11

Saturday Psalm 37:26; Isaiah 63:7-14; 1 St. John 3:1-11

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS Psalm 65; Micah 4:1-5 & 5:2-4; St. Luke 2:21-32