



August 23 2020

The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

Morning Prayer 9 am

Ministers of the Liturgy

The Rev. Dr. Judith Lee

Members of the Altar Guild

Mary-Ellen Yaroshefski, Allison Kee,

Lisa Ruggiero, Mary Torian

Musicians: Randolph Bloom, Jeff Lukas

I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God-- what is good and acceptable and perfect.

[Romans 12:1-2]

This Weekend at Trinity:

Sunday 9 AM Morning Prayer via ZOOM

The link is in our weekly e-news and on our website. Join Zoom Meeting: Go to zoom.us. In the upper right corner click on "Join a Meeting."

Meeting ID – 822-5682-7302

Password: 546896

If you cannot access by computer you may join by telephone: **Telephone: 929-205-6099**

This Week at Trinity

Magee will be in the office on Monday and Thursday 10am-3pm. Mother Judith is working remotely and is available online and by phone, and she will check phone messages regularly. **The office is not open to the public until further notice**

Wednesday 10 am

ZOOM Morning Prayer & Fellowship

Meeting ID: 831-6113-8171 Password: 497792

Telephone: 929-205-6099

We will begin Friday Bible Study again on Friday September 18th.

We will resume our Zoom Chats, Family Game Night, and Bingo in September. Watch for specific dates.

We will again open the sanctuary for private prayer the week of the week of September 20th.

Next Steps: Trinity in Stage 2:

At the meeting on August 10th the Vestry approved a new Building Use Agreement and Building Use Policy. In the coming weeks, we will review these documents with groups who wish to meet in our building. We are applying for a Peer Review of a plan to re-open the building for community and parish groups. Thank you to Dwight Kee and Paul Sweet for preparing the Lane Chapel for small-group meetings.

The Public Health Inspector visited our kitchen and advised us on the protocols necessary to prepare takeout meals for our neighbors. Pending Vestry approval and a diocesan Peer Review, we plan to prepare Community Meals on the last Thursday of each month beginning in the fall.

The Search: Moving Forward

September 12th Canon Simpson will meet with the Vestry, Search, and Profile Committees to review the results of the CAT and to advise them on beginning work on the Profile.

October-November The Profile committee will hold parish meetings via Zoom to discuss future plans for new ministry with your next Rector.

Sacred Ground:

A Film-Based Dialogue Series on Race & Faith Beginning on September 26th:

We have scheduled the first 5 sessions: we will hold two opportunities for each session every other week: **Sundays at 5 pm and Tuesdays at 7 pm, September 26th – November 22.** *Sacred Ground* is a film- and readings-based series on race, grounded in faith. Small groups will walk through chapters of America's history of race and racism, while weaving in threads of family story, economic class, and political and regional

identity. This program designed by the Episcopal Church has 10 sessions. Mary Johnson and Mother Judith will lead the program for Trinity and our group will include emembers of other congregations. To learn more see <https://episcopalchurch.org/sacred-ground>. Please contact either Mary or Mother Judith to register.

Community Dinners

Meals will be delivered to Whitcomb House and we will distribute Grab-n-Go meals prepared by Oliva's on this coming Thursday **August 27th**. We have received a grant from the Milford Community Health Network (CHNA) to distribute meals prepared at local restaurants every week, September through November. Please contact Glen Peterson or Mother Judith if you are able to volunteer.

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[The office is closed to the public until further notice]

Our Mission Statement:

*Sharing the Grace of God, the Light of Christ
and the Power of the Holy Spirit,
through worship, ministry and fellowship.*

**The Ministers of Trinity Episcopal Church
are
THE PEOPLE OF
HIS PARISH**
led by

The Reverend Dr. Judith Lee, Interim Priest
Randy Bloom, Minister of Music
Rachel Carpenter, Sunday School Coordinator
Magee Lambert, Church Secretary
Paul Del Molino, Sexton
Ginny Starkis, Senior Warden;
Susan Edmondson, Junior Warden
and the Treasurers, Clerk and Vestry of Trinity
Episcopal Church.

We serve our Lord as a part of the Diocese of
Western Massachusetts
led by
The Rt. Rev. Doug Fisher, Bishop of Western
Massachusetts

Our Prayers Are Offered For:

Parish Members & Friends: the Quinlivan Family & Friends; Matt & Lois Roth; Liz Gienger; Cathy Poch; Samantha Guzman; Pat & Amy O'Connor; Amuthavalli Ulaganayagi; Patty Souder; David Stochaj; Rose Marie Moore; David Gillis; Mary Torian, Bob Bloomberg; Brad Gustavesen; Arlene Person; Sharon Manoogian; Sal & Vas Ferreira; Jean Conway; Lisa Wilson; Sandra Arbogast; Len Baird; Judy Shea; Robin Rowe; Skye Bayleigh Plaisted; Alex; Alisha Starkis Weddeke; Chrissy & Mark; Thomas Scano; the Canali Family; Heidi Donnelly; Sherel & Lou Frere; Craig Silverman; Justin Perkin; Dr. Stephen Janko; Tom Childs; Nancy Sharoogian; Bob Mezzadri; all those serving in the military and the Peace Corps, especially Avary DeRagon; Dan Consigli; Drew Beauchamp; Charles; Laura; Elena; Brendan Wood; Danielle & Joel Marsh; Tom Bento; Joel Joudrey; Justin Woessner; Chris Ketcham and their families.

Homebound Parishioners: Betty Henneberry; Verna Parente, and Wayne Morey.

Deceased: Anna Quinlivan

Our Partner Dioceses: Kumasi and Asante-Mampong in Ghana

Those celebrating birthdays this week: Touie Jackson; Dean Harrison; Chris Lloyd; Amanda Ellis; Penelope Woods; Brigid Mullen-Richards; Harrison Phillips; Summer Baisley; Izabella Kelly; Sis Hensel; Ed Cormier; Rachel Carey; Shane O'Neill; Lorenzo Morese; Turk Chambless; Colin Chambless; Brian O'Toole; Theresa McCallum; Scott Anzalone; Sarah Hennessy; Shannon Hennessy; Natalie Molinari; Robert Littleton, Jr.; Jesse Schoaf; Ethan Warren; & Anthony Ruggiero.