

**Inspired by Christ, Trinity Episcopal Church strives to love our neighbors, do justice, and walk humbly with God.**

**All are welcome.**

**If you are a guest today,** welcome to Trinity Episcopal Church. Please complete a visitor card found in the pew rack and drop it in the offertory plate, or hand it to an usher or member of the clergy. For more information, visit us online or call the church office at (504) 522-0276.



Trinity Episcopal Church New Orleans



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## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

### COVID Protocols

The State of Louisiana and the City of New Orleans have lifted the indoor mask mandate, and as such, masking is no longer required at Trinity Church. However, we maintain an environment of love and respect for our neighbors, and encourage all who prefer to mask in public settings continue to do so.

- Communion will continue to be given by hand by the priest. Use of the common cup is still restricted.
- Virtual worship and formation opportunities will continue. Trinity will continue to livestream worship and provide online formation opportunities for those who feel safer gathering virtually.

Thank you for your continued flexibility as our protocols remain open to change based on guidance from the state, city and diocese.

## Sundays at Trinity

**Faith and Fiction** class meets at 9:15am on Zoom. For Zoom access, email Merry Toups merryparis@yahoo.com or text (504) 352-9096. New members and visitors are always welcome! This class will meet in person beginning Sunday, November 14. Details below.

**12 Steps Are for Everyone** meets 9:15am - 10:15am in Trinity's Board Room. All are welcome to come and learn more about the 12 steps. No prior knowledge necessary! For more information contact Karen Taylor at taylorks@aol.com or (203) 526-3590.

**EYC for youth in grades 6-12** meets 5:00pm - 7:00pm at Molly's House.

## Worship and Prayer

**Choral Evensong for All Souls** - A service of Choral Evensong will be sung on **Thursday, November 11 at 6:30pm** by the Trinity Choir to commemorate our loved ones who have passed away this year. An evening service of hymns, prayers, scripture and choral music, this Evensong for All Souls will be a remembrance to those in our community who have gone on to the nearer presence of God.

## Formation for All

### Children, Youth and Families

**Godly Play (Trinity's approach to children's spirituality)** - Did you know the beginning of the church year is November 28? It's the first Sunday in Advent, a time for getting ready to enter the Mystery of Christmas! And what better way to kick off the "New Year" than opening up our Godly Play classrooms and nursery and fill our church with the joyful sounds of children! Sundays at 10:30am, beginning Sunday, November 28. Please register at <https://trinitynola.com/godly-play-registration/> so that we can plan accordingly. Even if you aren't ready to return, please register anyway so that we can stay in touch.

**EYC for youth in grades 6-12** meets every Sunday 5:00pm - 7:00pm at Molly's House (2129 Coliseum Street). Questions? Contact Phoebe Guinn, Youth Coordinator, at pguinn@trinitynola.com.

**Mom's Bible Study** - Join us **Thursdays from 12:30pm -1:30pm** in the Howcott Board Room for an intimate, life-giving bible study with a group of moms committed to growing spiritually and sharing their love of Christ with one and other. We do all sorts of different things to deepen our spiritual lives. Currently we are using the African Ubuntu Bible Study method to explore how Sunday's Gospel reading connects to our daily lives. It will be the best part of your week. Email Ashley Bond at abond@trinitynola.com or just show up!

**Children's Christmas Liturgy** - Our annual Children's Christmas Liturgy will take place in the evening on Sunday, December 19, 2021. The children will show us the way to Bethlehem and then we will enjoy a little holiday cheer under a twinkling magnolia tree in the circle drive for hot cocoa and family photos with our beloved donkey, Gumdrop!

**Godly Play Training in Covington (Jan 28-30)** - Are you ready to deepen your spiritual life? Are you curious about children's spirituality and how we, as children of God, come to know God and embody religious language? Join us for a Godly Play Core Training weekend Jan 28 - 30. We will rent an Airbnb in Old Covington close to the beautiful Christ Church for those of us attending from Trinity. Anyone who works closely with children, including teachers, chaplains, clergy, youth ministers, lay leaders, formation leaders benefit from this workshop. Learn more about Godly Play at [godlyplayfoundation.org](http://godlyplayfoundation.org) and then email Ashley at [abond@trinitynola.com](mailto:abond@trinitynola.com) if you'd like to know more.

## **Adults**

**Faith and Fiction Class will begin meeting in-person starting on Sunday, November 14 (they currently meet on Zoom).** Gather at 9:00am in the classroom just off the Trinity School Library. Facilitators choose mostly secular short stories to discuss from a Christian perspective, looking for glimmers of the divine, illustrations of God's grace, and insights about how to live our lives in accord with the teachings of Jesus. New members and "drop-ins" are always welcome. If you would like to join the class and receive a syllabus and weekly emails, please contact Merry Touns at [merryparis@yahoo.com](mailto:merryparis@yahoo.com).

**Walking the Mourner's Path** is a Christ-centered, non-denominational grief support program. We believe grieving is not a lack of faith but a natural part of living. The next Walking the Mourner's Path workshops will begin on Tuesday, December 28 at 4:30pm. Please contact Maria Elliott for information or to register at [melliott@trinitynola.com](mailto:melliott@trinitynola.com) or call (504) 670-2535.

## **Called to Serve**

**Can you host coffee hour one Sunday this fall?** Sign up at [bit.ly/Trinity-CoffeeHost](https://bit.ly/Trinity-CoffeeHost). Trinity asks hosts to provide a (1) sweet, (2) salty, and (3) healthy snack for 75 people, at the 10:30am coffee hour. Foods may be dropped off to the church on Friday for use Sunday, but hosts are encouraged to be present on Sunday to assist with setup and connect with parishioners and visitors during coffee hour. Thank you for your generous hospitality!

**Thanksgiving Baskets for Jesus Project Ministries & the Hollygrove Neighborhood** - Trinity Loaves and Fishes (TLF), in partnership with Trinity Episcopal Church & School, needs your help creating 50 Thanksgiving baskets for our community partner, Jesus Project Ministries, in the Hollygrove neighborhood. These baskets will include everything a family needs to make a great Thanksgiving dinner, including a turkey and cold sides. Thanks to the generosity of many, these massive baskets will be delivered to families the weekend before Thanksgiving.

Below is the list of supplies parishioners are asked to donate, divided by last name. Please drop off on Sunday, November 14 during worship, or Monday, November 15 (8:30am - 4:30pm) to the church front desk, outside Trinity Treasures. Thank you!

Last name A-F: Pack of dinner rolls

Last name G-L: 1 bag of oranges

Last name M-R: 4 sweet potatoes

Last name S-Z: 2 box of cookies or a store-bought pie

## **Trinity Treasures**

We have so much for which to be thankful this year. What better way to show all who pass by than with Trinity Treasure's exclusive Tim Trapolin Thanksgiving art door hanger? Come see us in the church undercroft, 8:30am - 3:00pm, Monday - Friday, and Sundays, before and after the 10:30am service. Remember Trinity Treasures' profits go to Trinity ministries and community projects through WOTC grants.

## **Stewardship at Trinity Church**

We are deeply grateful for your gifts of support! Trinity Church offers multiple ways to make your gift:

- Trinity Church now accepts PayPal - and as a charity, we receive 100% of your gift made through PayPal (with no fees!) Give at [\*\*https://bit.ly/TrinityNOLAPayPal\*\*](https://bit.ly/TrinityNOLAPayPal)
- Donations of cash or check may be placed in the offering plate during worship, dropped off in the church offices, or mailed to Trinity Church, Attn: Stewardship Office, 1329 Jackson Ave., New Orleans, LA 70130.
- Use a credit or debit card through Online Giving [\*\*https://trinitynola.com/giving-form\*\*](https://trinitynola.com/giving-form). Our website can securely process your gift.
- Make a gift of appreciated stock - Trinity gladly accepts donations of appreciated stock and our broker, Jennifer Rigby at Morgan Stanley, can help. Call her at (504) 585-3909. Trinity's account number is 575-021402 and the DTC number is 0015.

Please contact Raina O'Neil in the Church Development Office with any questions at (504) 670-2537 or roneil@trinitynola.com.