

# TRINITY TIDINGS

## FEBRUARY, 2020

Hello Holy Trinity!!

My name is R-J Heijmen and I am so pleased to have been called as your new Rector. Holy Trinity is a wonderful church community with a fabulous history and a bright future. It is my joy and privilege to worship and serve alongside you as we prayerfully discern where God is leading us!

In case you missed the letter that went out, I was born in Amsterdam, raised in Connecticut, New York and Washington, DC, went to college in California, seminary in Pennsylvania and spent the last 7+ years in Houston, Texas. All that is to say, I've been around a bit! I am so happy and blessed to have landed in gorgeous West Palm Beach.

Jaime, my beautiful bride of 20 years, is a California native. Although we are both graduates of the University of California, Berkeley, we met in coat-check line at a dance club in New York! Interestingly, the club was located in a former Episcopal Church. God obviously has a sense of humor.

Jaime and I have 3 sons: Jackson, 17, Spencer, 15 and (surprise!), Marshall, 3. They will be remaining in Houston until the end of the school year but popping into West Palm every so often for visits before moving to West Palm this summer.

I love the beach, snorkeling, body surfing, tennis and am a bit of a car nut, but above all I love to talk about the amazing grace of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. One of my favorite passages in the Bible comes from Paul's letter to the church in Ephesus:

*For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God— not the result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are what He has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life.*

I look forward to exploring with you the great gift that God has given us, and the good works that He has prepared for us to do.

See you on Sunday!

Gratefully,

The Rev. R-J Heijmen

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, February 17th, for Presidents' Day

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**Sunday Services**  
8 a.m. and 10 a.m.  
**Evening prayer**  
Tuesdays at 5:30pm  
**Healing Service**  
Thursdays at 10:00a.m.

Holy Trinity is called to be a witness of God's love to the people of our community and to the world through our open minds and our open hearts. All persons are welcome to receive the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. We are a community on a spiritual journey, seeking to grow in faith and service through our worship, education, and outreach programs.

# HOLY TRINITY | MINISTRY AND PROGRAM EXPENSES

January 1, 2019 – December 31, 2019

	ACTUAL (12 MONTHS)	BUDGET (12 MONTHS)
Pledges	\$388,500	\$455,000
Open Plate	\$180,184	\$120,000
Christmas   Easter	\$12,718	\$20,000
Montessori School	\$64,775	\$62,784
Facility Rental	\$16,795	\$15,000
Miscellaneous	\$13,141	0
Endowment	\$59,830	\$59,820
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	<b>\$735,942</b>	<b>\$722,604</b>

	ACTUAL (12 MONTHS)	BUDGET (12 MONTHS)
Grounds and Maintenance	\$239,151	\$212,224
Diocese Assessment	\$87,127	\$104,840
Administration   Finance	\$147,297	\$137,327
Music	\$99,957	\$102,895
Christian Education	\$53,530	\$55,633
Worship	\$73,419	\$119,669
Miscellaneous	\$24,496	\$3,965
<b>TOTAL EXPENSE</b>	<b>\$724,978</b>	<b>\$736,553</b>
<b>NET TOTAL</b>	<b>\$10,963</b>	

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT AS OF JANUARY 20, 2020

NEW	\$56,860	36 families	
INCREASE	\$159,050	30 families	Increased revenue \$32,056
DECREASE	\$27,114	11 families	Lost Revenue \$13,848
SAME	\$170,405	52 families	
	<b>\$413,429</b>	<b>129 Families</b>	
Pledged LY but not yet TY	\$87,104	38 families	
Potential	\$500,533		

**135 MEMBERS CURRENTLY ON OUR MAILING LIST DO NOT PLEDGE**

## HOLY TRINITY | 2020 MINISTRY AND PROGRAM BUDGET

January 1, 2020 – December 31, 2020

	<b>BUDGET (12 MONTHS)</b>
Pledges	\$422,886
Pledges needed to Balance 2020	\$121,611
Open Plate	\$140,000
Christmas   Easter	\$20,000
Montessori School	\$66,550
Facility Rental	\$11,000
Endowment	\$60,000
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	<b>\$842,047</b>

	<b>BUDGET (12 MONTHS)</b>
Grounds and Maintenance	\$214,495
Diocese Assessment	\$104,649
Administration   Finance	\$144,072
Music	\$99,938
Christian Education	\$56,668
Worship	\$217,695
Miscellaneous	\$4,530
<b>TOTAL EXPENSE</b>	<b>\$842,047</b>

**Please remember to keep your pledges current.** Pledge donations are used as part of the “general fund” to pay ongoing expenses necessary to maintain the church and property such as staff salaries, utilities, insurance, and church programs. With your steady and generous support we are able to answer God’s call and carry out His will.

Should you have any questions about stewardship, please contact Beth Walton at 561-655-1919 or [bethwalton@palmbeachunitedway.com](mailto:bethwalton@palmbeachunitedway.com).

## **A LADIES' RETREAT: *LEANING IN***

**Featuring the Rev. Dr. Heather P. Wright**

The women of Holy Trinity are cordially invited to a retreat on Monday, February 10th, from 9am to 12 noon at Royal Poinciana Fellowship Hall in Palm Beach. The conversation will center on how to improve our lives of love, meaning and connection in order to grow closer to others and to God.

Please RSVP to [womenatthewellpb@gmail.com](mailto:womenatthewellpb@gmail.com) and include your name, email address and names of any guests attending.

A donation of \$20.00 would be appreciated

## INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE

**Friday, February 7th at 5:30pm**

**Holy Trinity Episcopal Church**

The Right Reverend Peter Eaton, Bishop of Southeast Florida, and Mr. Russell Rook, the Executive Director of the International Community of the Holy Sepulchre, invite you to a reception to meet the Very Reverend Hosam Naoum, Dean of St. George's Cathedral, Jerusalem, and to hear about the work of the international community.

**ALL ARE WELCOME**

**RSVP to [Kelly@icohs.org](mailto:Kelly@icohs.org)**

## CALLING ALL NEWCOMERS AND NEW MEMBERS



On Sunday, February 2nd, our Newcomer Ministry will conduct a tour of Holy Trinity's impressive campus at 11:30 am. The tour will begin in the sanctuary.

This is an opportunity to learn more about our very historic church and to have questions answered about our life and ministries. There is even a chance that you will be allowed to visit our secret passages!

## Souper Bowl of Caring

**February 2nd, 2020**



The Souper Bowl of Caring started with a simple prayer: "Lord, even as we enjoy this Super Bowl game, help us to be mindful of those who are without a bowl of soup to eat."

On Sunday, February 2nd, a large soup pot will be put out during our services to collect your donations. Please consider donating to this important local cause.

Here are some good reasons to participate in 2020 and be part of the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary campaign.

It's FREE and SIMPLE for our church to collect funds needed in our local neighborhood.

We decide where to send 100% of our collection each year. Our collection goes directly to Saint George's Feeding Mission in Riviera Beach, just a 17-minute drive from our beautiful campus.

Over 40 million Americans are hungry today. Over 11 million American children are hungry today.

We can use the energy of the Big Game, when Americans spend over \$5 billion for food and snacks, to care for our neighbors in need.

Over \$153 million has been collected for local hunger relief through this campaign.

Please see Elizabeth Brown if you have questions.

# FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS



1  
Elizabeth Donn  
C.J. Rhody  
Georgia Mae Rhody  
2  
Courtney Lambert  
3  
Ifunanya Isiugo  
5  
Kirsten Tenore  
7  
Eileen Brown  
Nicholas Hernandez  
8  
Diana Merriam

8  
Cindy Nehemias  
Kelly Vives  
Katie Hartig  
Mei Lin O'Malley  
9  
Tim Hulett  
10  
John Deese  
11  
James Shields  
George Mackey  
Tim Prescott  
Craig Evans  
Karsen Hartig

12  
Deidre McGurk  
Joe Heilner  
13  
Barbara Alker  
Julian Davies  
Alicia White  
14  
Chaunce Wallace  
Berkley Forbes

*If your name has inadvertently been omitted from this list, please call the Church Office and accept our apologies.*

## WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Monday, February 17th, 2020

Selection: *Summer of '69*

Author: Elin Hildebran

Hostess: Andrea Thomas

RSVP: 561-236-6456



Monday, March 16th, 2020

Selection: *The One in a Million Boy*

Author: Monica Wood

Hostess: Deidre McGurk

RSVP: 561- 586-6331

Obtain books through the library, the bookstore, or at Amazon.com.

For questions, call Andrea Thomas at 561-236-6456

# Jesus Teaches About Prayer



Ask

Seek

Knock

For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened. Luke 11:10 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Luke 11:1-9 (NIV).

P R A Y Y B S L E F X E B P H  
 U K I N G D O M L T S P D Q A  
 A Y Z A U B Q Q S E E E R X L  
 U Q B S B U R W F Z A A E G L  
 O R R K P U J I U R Z D C K O  
 O N E O L F N P I P I A Q H W  
 T A A P X A A F V I X E M M E  
 E M D E D M F T W T F S N U D  
 M E C N H R D O H N L F B D W  
 P P K K R N E G R E S M Y Y U  
 A V N I I Q I C C G R T C D Y  
 T N O F U N J C E S I N S A O  
 I J C W D K S D G I J V Q I A  
 O Q K I F B E K P I V J E L A  
 N M M W N M J J P V W E M Y P

FIND SEEK MIDNIGHT SINS	PRAY FATHER DAILY KINGDOM	OPEN NAME TEACH HALLOWED	TEMPATION KNOCK LEAD FORGIVE	FRIEND RECEIVE BREAD ASK
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**PARISH REGISTER  
FUNERALS**

Ratus Kelly 01-25-220

Charles Lee 02-01-2020

**BAPTISMS**

Nora Noelle Parker 01-12-2020

Jack Michael Belyeu 01-12-2020

**CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY OF PALM BEACH**

**IS COMING TO HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**

**ON FEBRUARY 13TH, AT 7:00PM**

Performance by

Benjamin Beilman and Andrew Tyson

Violin and piano

For more information or to purchase tickets, please call 561-379-6773 or email [infocmspb.org](mailto:infocmspb.org)

# FEBRUARY DUTY ROSTER

*If you cannot serve, please find a substitute*

SUNDAY	February 2	February 9	February 16	February 23
LECTORS	8:00am-SJones* 10:00am-SHammell, BWeaver,* BDeviney	8:00am-MMcConnell* 10:00am-TSimmons*, BHadsell, LNaom	8:00am-JLansing* 10:00am-JRichards, ELee* KAdams	8:00am-CWilson* 10:00am-KChamblee, WLeavitt*, NLordi
CHALISTS	8:00am-SJones, ADean 10:00am-LWarner, SBates, BWeaver	8:00am-MMcCampbell, CDorsey 10:00am-TSimmons, KDrew, LNaom	8:00am-JLansing, DVarella 10:00am-JLewis, SAdams, ELee	8:00am-RBuck, SJones 10:00am-NDrum, NLordi, JKjos
GREETERS	8:00am-PFiore, 10:00am-KCarroll, BCramer, TDickens, BWeaver	8:00am-RBuck, ADean 10:00am-JSturgis, KDrew, MBell	8:00am-MJohnson, BWalton 10:00am-BSmith, JSlater, PFuller	8:00am-CWilson, EKinsella 10:00am-JMaddaford, LWarner, EBrown
TELLERS	TEAM I	TEAM II	TEAM III	TEAM IV
ACOLYTES	TO'Malley,NVives, THadsell, LVives, ISadler  Parent helper:Vives	NKjos, KaJette, CDickens, CeJette ,CaJette  Parent Helper: Jette	NWard, GCannon, Sward, MKjos, LCannon  Parent Helper:Cannon	LGibson, OSt.Antoine, TDickens, EKjos, ASt.Antoine  Parent Helper: Kjos
USHERS	TEAM I	TEAM II	TEAM III	TEAM IV

## DUTY ROSTER FOR ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH

7:00 AM - Reader - Jack Lansing

Chalice Bearer - Jack Lansing

12:00 NOON - Readers – Bonnie Weaver, Missy Rovinelli, Nancy Drum\*

Chalice Bearers – Bonnie Weaver, Missy Rovinelli, Kitty Drew

6:00 PM - Readers: Wendy Leavitt, Thomas Simmons\*, Avonelle Forbes

Chalice: Carole Dorsey, Thomas Simmons, Laura Warner

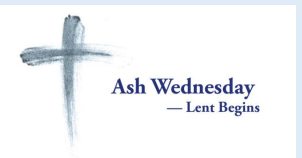
Those lectors with an asterisk behind their name will read the Prayers of the People.

## ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES

**7:00 AM**

**12:00 NOON**

**6:00 PM**



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**We're on the Web!**

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