

Triad

Holy Trinity Episcopal Church is a welcoming congregation offering spiritual sanctuary to all, regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, age, ability, or socio-economic class; and to all persons who have felt marginalized in any way. We recognize each individual as a unique child of God. As we move forward with the work of this church, we commit ourselves to making justice and inclusivity a reality in this congregation and the world.

APRIL 2015 NEWSLETTER

HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Community Dinner

5:30 pm Fourth Wednesday

Sunday Schedule

8:00 am Holy Communion Rite I

10:30 am Holy Communion Rite II

The Reverend Thomas Kryder-Reid, *Interim Rector*

The Reverend Gretchen Weller, *Priest Associate*

William Bausano, *Choir Director*

Bob Benson, *Interim Organist*

Dick Nault, *Senior Warden*

Linda Church, *Junior Warden*

Jim Michael, *Treasurer*

Jack Southard, *Assistant Treasurer*

Barbara Ellison, *Clerk*

Gayle Shidler, *Communications*

Debra Vogt & Anita Atkinson,

Nursery

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From the Interim Rector and the Rector Search Committee

THE RECTOR SEARCH AND YOU

Your Holy Trinity rector search committee has begun meeting and now, *we need you*. We need you to join us in a process that comes right out of the playbook of the old E. F. Hutton ads: You speak, we listen.

To make the best of your speaking and our listening, we're offering this month and early next a program of mutual learning that will equip us all with understandings and vocabulary essential for a successful search. So yes, we hope you'll give heart and voice to our introductory mini-course *Holy Trinity 101*.

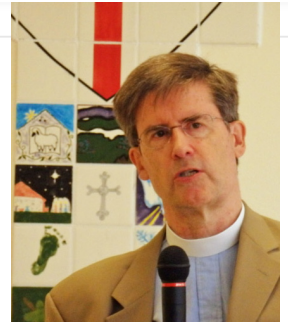
Based on the Diocese of Southern Ohio's Congregational Formation Gatherings, *Holy Trinity 101* will help us form, together, a focused, clear picture of who we are as a congregation—how we're distinct among as well as comparable to other congregations—and what we see our mission as being and becoming. Then, through summer and fall, we as the committee will continue working with smaller groups to compose a parish profile that will say to the world: Here's a prime prospect for any priest seeking a call to lead and serve a loving, dynamic congregation of leaders and servants.

God willing, come mid-to-late fall, the search will be on... And with God's continuing help guiding all our prayers and efforts, the vestry will be poised to call a new rector early next year.

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From the Interim Rector and the Rector Search Committee

For now, mark your calendars—join us in the undercroft for each of these sessions of *Holy Trinity 101*:



- Sunday, April 12, 9:15-10:00am: *Meet Your Rector Search Committee*. An informal gathering just so you can get to know us—who we are, what makes us tick, how we work as a team. Coffee served.
- Saturday, April 18, 9:00am-noon: *From One to 101—how do age groups shape who we are? And... church size matters*. Presenter: The Rev'd John Keydel, Transition Specialist. Coffee, juice, breakfast snacks served.
- Sunday, April 19, noon-1:30pm: *Wandering in the wilderness—the challenges and opportunities of life in transition*. Presenter: The Rev'd Tom Kryder-Reid, Interim Rector. Light lunch served.
- Sunday, April 26, noon-1:30pm: *Who are we, anyway—and what do we care about?* Presenter: The Rev'd Lynn Carter-Edmands, Diocesan Canon for Formation and Transitions. Light lunch served.
- Sunday, May 3, noon-1:30pm: *Mission—what's possible?* Presenters: The rector search committee. Light lunch served.

It'll be a journey of learning and discovery, and we're grateful for your prayers, participation, and support.

Karen Schilling and Bob Benson (co-chairs), Elaine Brandner, Patsy Grabach, Neil Poppendeck, Dan Pratt, Ellen Reister, Peter Sturni; the Rev'd Tom Kryder-Reid (interim rector and search consultant)

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN'S LUNCHEON ~

CALLING ALL WOMEN ... Join us **Tuesday, April 7 at Noon** at the Knolls of Oxford for Lunch and Fellowship.

INFORMAL MEN'S GET-TOGETHER, "ECM" (EPISCOPAL CHURCH MEN) You're welcome to join us **Tuesday, April 14, at 9 AM** (-ish) at Kofenya. While "two or three are gathered together" is good, it's more fun if we have a crowd! For more information, feel free to contact Glenn Julian, pipes.physics@yahoo.com

COMMUNITY DINNER

April 22, 4:30 pm ~ Hands on Healing in the Library
5:30 pm ~ Dinner in the Undercroft

Meet at Holy Trinity to have a delicious dinner and help serve to some hungry folks in our community.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER AT HOLY TRINITY

April 2, Maundy Thursday

7pm Holy Eucharist celebrating Jesus' last supper and institution of the sacrament; in the church

April 3, Good Friday

Noon, 7pm Liturgy of the Day, St. John's Passion Gospel celebrating Jesus' triumph of the cross, Holy Communion from reserved sacrament; in the church

April 4, Easter Eve: The Great Vigil of Easter

8pm One of the church's ancient liturgies: We light the New Fire of Easter outside in the courtyard, enter the church carrying candles, hear stories from scripture recounting God's mighty acts, then celebrate Jesus' resurrection in a burst of light and sound and with the first Eucharist of Eastertide

April 5, Easter Day: The Sunday of the Resurrection

8am Holy Eucharist in St. Bede's Chapel

10:30am Festival Holy Eucharist in the church with choir and organ, brass and tympani

11:45am Easter egg hunt in the courtyard, Easter brunch in the undercroft

Announcements for **Sunday Bulletins** should be dropped off or sent via email by **Monday morning** of the week preceding.

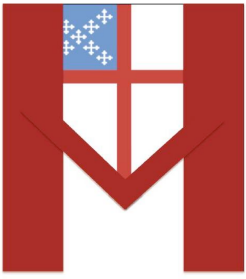
Articles and announcements for the **TRIAD** should be submitted by the **20th** of **each month**.

Thanks! Gayle Shidler
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EASTER OFFERING ~ This year's Easter offering will go to the Family Resource Center, Planned Parenthood, and the Community Counseling and Crisis Center. These agencies provide for the financial, physical, and mental health of our community. We are so grateful for the abundant generosity of the Holy Trinity community through the years and thank you in advance for your continued support.

NAACP ANNUAL FREEDOM FUND BANQUET ~ Sunday, April 12, 5 pm, Miami University Shriver Center. Tickets are available at \$45 each from Sarah Michael. If you do not plan to attend, but wish to contribute, a \$20 donation will get you listed as a patron in the program. Or you can buy a ticket for a scholarship student. Please contact Sarah at 523-3129 or sk65michael@gmail.com for more information to support this important community event.



MIAMI EPISCOPAL STUDENT MINISTRY
HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

UPCOMING EVENTS

COMMUNITY DINNER: April 22, 5 pm.

Meet at Holy T to have a delicious dinner and help serve to some hungry folks in our community.

Miami College Students are welcome to attend all events at Holy Trinity!

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

April Birthdays

- 2 Stephanie McCabe
- 4 Cynthia May
Ginger Smith
Will Taylor
Patsy Grabach
- 7 Grace Kryder-Reid
- 17 Bonnie Mason
- 18 Elizabeth Taylor
- 21 Katie Michael
- 17 Caitlin Bausano
- 22 Lynn Stahr
- 23 Parker Moore
- 25 Nicholas Dahlman
- 27 Jim Michael

April Anniversaries

- 3 Chris and Linda Church



Did we miss your important date?
Please let us know by calling the
office at 513-523-7559
or email holytooffice@gmail.com
Would you like to celebrate by
offering the Altar Flowers?

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

APRIL LAY MINISTERS	APRIL 5 EASTER SUNDAY	APRIL 12	APRIL 19	APRIL 26
Eucharistic Minister(8am)	Luke Hall	Alan Lindsey	Rich Bement	Kathleen Carels
Eucharistic Minister I	Marilyn Kinzler	Peter Williams	Marilyn Kinzler	Rich Bement
Eucharistic Minister II	Bill Bausano	Rich Bement	Peter Williams	Bill Bausano
OT Lector (1st reading)	Dick Nault	Stephanie Nowak	Ellen Reister	Karen Schilling
NT Lector (2nd reading)	Sharon Seidel	Ginger Smith	Diana Uhlman	Kevin Williams
Lector (Prayers)	Peter Williams	Rosalyn Benson	Kathleen Carels	Mary Cayton
Acolyte (Crucifer)	Martin Ganev Stephanie McCabe	Jillian Hassel	Hannah Kempf	James Stokes
Acolyte (Altar)	James Stokes	Alex Atkinson	Mercy Patterson	Martin Ganev
Acolyte (Torchbearer)	Nina Stahr	Morgan Stahr	Maren Patterson	Marshall Patterson
Greeter/ Oblationist	Dick & Anne Lodge Elaine Brandner	Bonnie & Joe Kretschmer Phyllis Hollenbaugh	Dick Nault Jack Southard	Phyllis Hollenbaugh Dick & Anne Lodge
Healing Minister	Lila Mason	Kathleen Carels	Kathleen Carels	Lila Mason
Coffee	Jack and Sally Southard	Karen Schilling Kathleen Carels	Peter Williams Mary Cayton	Glenn & Betty Julian
Flowers	Jack & Sally Southard	Frank Jordan	Mary Cayton	Bob & Rosalyn Benson
Ushers	~	Sharon Seidel	Jack Heitsman	~
Altar Guild	Dick & Ginger Smith	Betty & Glenn Julian	Betty & Glenn Julian	Betty & Glenn Julian

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 if there is time. Thank you!**

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

MAY LAY MINISTERS	MAY 3	MAY 10	MAY 17	MAY 24	MAY 31
Eucharistic Minister(8am)	Judy Evans	Luke Hall	Alan Lindsey	Rich Bement	Kathleen Carels
Eucharistic Minister I	Marilyn Kinzler	Peter Williams	Rich Bement	Marilyn Kinzler	Peter Williams
Eucharistic Minister II	Rich Bement	Marilyn Kinzler	Peter Williams	Bill Bausano	Rich Bement
OT Lector (1st reading)	Chris Church	Ken Grabach	Kat Hayes	Glenn Julian	Jim Michael
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Healing Minister	Lila Mason	Kathleen Carels	Lila Mason	Kathleen Carels	Lila Mason
Coffee	Marilyn & Kurt Kinzler	Chris & Linda Church	Judi Nelson Emily Murphree	Neil & Mary Poppendeck	Dick & Ginger Smith
Flowers	Sharon Seidel Phyllis Hollenbaugh	Diana Uhlman	Dave & Judy Evans	Peter Williams	Karen Schilling
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