



Trinity Topics

From the Rector's Desk . . .

By the Reverend Sherry Deets

Dear Friends,

We had a good Vestry Retreat in July that was filled with lots of discussion about the faith community that is Trinity Church. Please know that the leadership of the church is serious about offering ways in which we might engage our youth and also engage the community that is watching via our livestream. Let **US** know **your** thoughts. How might we provide opportunities for youth to come together? What would that look like? We are being thoughtful about our offerings to youth and children.

We Episcopalians are a sacramental people and gathering in community is an important part of who we are. It is a beautiful thing for me to see how Trinity's members walk with each other through tough times and also through joyful times. Together. In our church community we wrestle with larger questions as they apply to us as we walk through difficulties and share in joys in each other's lives, trying to help each other put God, put Christ, in the center.

As Episcopalians, we believe that Christ is somehow present for us in the Eucharist. A sacrament is a rite in which God is uniquely active. We believe it is "a visible sign of an invisible reality or inward grace." We come with our hands open asking for Christ.

Our Trinity community is an amazing one. We are here to love one another and walk with one another and support one another on this journey called life.

God's peace,
Sherry+

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Family Service with Contemporary Music

Sunday, August 7 at 11:15 a.m.

In person and live-streamed

Join us for a different style of service on the first Sunday of each month at 11:15 a.m. It is our Family Service with Contemporary Music. The service is informal and family/child friendly. The music is the contemporary Christian music that you hear on the radio now.

Like our regular Sunday worship service, the service is in person and live-streamed and the videos will find a home on our Trinity Facebook page and YouTube channel for you to check out later. This is one way we are seeking to reach new people who may prefer a different style of music. Look for this to happen on the first Sunday of each month. Check it out! Let your friends know!

Healing Service via Zoom

Thursdays at Noon

We continue to offer a Healing Service via Zoom on Thursdays at Noon. The Zoom link is emailed via our Constant Contact email service on Wednesdays along with a copy of the order of service for the week. The order of service is also shared on the screen during the service itself. We commemorate a “saint” from the Episcopal Church utilizing the resource ‘A Great Cloud of Witnesses’ and share a little healing music from a variety of sources.

Community Engagement Coordinator Hired!

We have a new Trinity Community Engagement Coordinator! Liz Hulse has come forward and accepted the creative position as our community engagement coordinator. She will be helping to us to “bring church to the community”. She will be reaching out to the various organizations and people in Coatesville to let them know that Trinity and its members are interested in partnerships and opportunities that benefit the larger Coatesville community. You may send an email to Liz Hulse’s attention to trinitycoates@aol.com or leave a message for her through the church number 610-384-4771. Welcome Liz!

Veterans Brunch – August 28

Our monthly Veterans brunch will be happening again on the last Sunday of the month, August 28th, serving the Veterans at 12:30 p.m. in our social hall! We are thrilled to be able to welcome our Veterans from ‘up on the hill’ back for an in-person, home-style meal. Speak with Joe Kirkner about volunteer opportunities!

Rally Day – Sunday, September 18th
Worship Service at 10:30 a.m. at the Bentley's

This year we will hold our annual “Rally Day” on Sunday, September 18th at the Bentleys. Many of you will recall the wonderful experience we had last year worshipping outdoors and enjoying the food and fellowship afterwards. This year we hope to add a few events to keep the fellowship active. Such ideas as a Ministry Fair, a hayride around the property, outdoor Jenga and Cornhole have surfaced! The Worship Service will begin at the Bentley property at **10:30 a.m.** and we will move directly into our picnic lunch following the service. There will be a tented area for dining and in the event of rain, the service will happen under tent as well. Transportation can be arranged, please do not hesitate to contact the church office (610-384-4771) for transportation needs and/or directions to the Bentley property or email Vic Shanley at vjs3brpaws@aol.com.

Coatesville Invitational Vintage Grand Prix Returns
Saturday, September 17th

The Coatesville Invitational Vintage Grand Prix is returning to Coatesville on Saturday, September 17th! Trinity will once again be fundraising at this fun event by selling our traditional hotdogs and soft pretzels. You'll have a great vantage point from Trinity's front lawn. Come out and watch and/or help us sell food.

Youth Sunday – October 2 – 9:30 a.m. Service

We are delighted to be planning our first quarterly Youth Sunday on October 2! The regular 9:30 a.m. service and 11:15 a.m. service will be combined into one service at 9:30 a.m. which will be led mainly by our Youth and children. If you know of any young people (neighbors, extended family) who might be interested in offering their musical talents, vocal talents, etc. for this service, please contact the church office, Pastor Sherry or Rachel Anemone (our organist and choir director). We are open to creative ways and ideas that our youth can offer their presence and talents for a wonderful worship experience.

Chicken Barbeque



12Noon until 4:00 P.M.

Price: \$16 per meal

(Half a chicken, Baked Potato, Corn on the cob, Coleslaw, Roll, Butter)

Saturday August 20, 2022

Take-out only

Curbside pickup available!

You are encouraged to order in advance

To order in advance:

Call the church office 610-384-4771

OR

Visit our website <https://www.trinitycoatesville.org>

and click the “Chicken BBQ” box



Barbara Chatman-Royce	1-Aug
John Petura	5-Aug
Susan Petura	7-Aug
Maureen Evans	16-Aug
Ashlyn Saylor	17-Aug
Marie Price	19-Aug
Abrielle Butler	23-Aug
Caroline Bentley	24-Aug
Jacqueline Heston	24-Aug
Cheryl Robinson	29-Aug

Joseph & Patricia Kirkner	6-Aug
William & Kathy Terry	8-Aug

August 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
				Noon Healing Service Via Zoom	Kitchen Rented	SH Rented
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Family Service 11:15 AM				Noon Healing Service Via Zoom	Kitchen Rented	SH Rented
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
				Noon Healing Service Via Zoom		Chicken BBQ
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
SH Rented				Noon Healing Service Via Zoom		
28	29	30	31			
Vet Brunch 1230pm						



Readers, Servers and Greeters for August 2022

Date	Readers	Psalm	Prayers
8/7	Tom Swett	Chris Haak	Erika Haak
8/14	Bill Terry	Betty Sullivan	Minnie Kirwin
8/21	Vic Shanley	Greg Bentley	Seth Haak
8/28	Chris Haak	Erika Haak	Tom Swett

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Mission Statement

Church of the Trinity is a congregation rooted in the faith and love of Christ, unified in diversity, seeking to grow and nourish the Trinity family and our Coatesville community.

Service Schedule

Holy Eucharist

Sundays 9:30 AM

Thursdays 12:00 PM

**Jamoca Harkins,
Parish Administrator**

Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Friday: 5:30-7:30pm

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Church School

Sundays: 9:15 AM