



# Trinity Topics

## From the Rector's Desk . . .

### By the Reverend Sherry Deets

Dear Friends,

September is upon us once again, bringing with it the cooler, crisper breezes and evenings. With September comes our annual "Rally Day" as we transition into a new church calendar year. I encourage you all to attend our special outdoor service on Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. The time is 10:30 a.m. in order to move from the service into enjoying a tasty lunch and fun activities. (Details found later in this newsletter).

As we slowly emerge from the pandemic lifestyle, it is heartwarming to experience the physical presence of more and more Trinity Church attendees. As I wrote last month, we are a sacramental people and receiving Christ in the outward and visible signs of bread and/or wine is a meaningful one. That we do this together as a church community also holds meaning. The quote, "We're all just walking each other home" is a beautiful way of saying that we need each other. We are created and designed to live in community.

So, friends, come. Come to our Trinity Rally Day and simply be present and enjoy a delicious meal. There will be activities this year that you may enjoy, but there is no pressure to do so. Just come.

Blessings on this month of September and enjoy the gentle, cooler breezes of Fall as they arrive. Imagine them carrying words of our Creator God, whispering to you, "you are My child, and you are deeply loved".

God's peace,  
 Sherry+

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## **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.

## **Family Service with Contemporary Music Sunday, September 4 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!

## **Veterans Brunch – September 25**

We hope to hold our monthly Veterans brunch again on the last Sunday of the month, September 25<sup>th</sup>, serving the Veterans at 12:30 p.m. in our social hall. Last month there were several factors that prevented it from happening, but we are looking for things to come together at the end of September. Speak with Joe Kirkner about volunteer opportunities!

## **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 am. 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 Lee 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.

## Ministry Opportunities

As we enter into the new church calendar year, why not consider becoming involved in various ministry opportunities at Trinity. You may have a gift that the church is looking for, so don't be afraid to offer your own ideas! Some ministry areas that are looking for additional people:

Altar Guild

Christian Education

Youth and Children

Grounds Beautification

Family Service Musicians (drums, guitars, vocals)

## Diocesan Convention Deputies

Diocesan Convention is scheduled for Saturday October 22 (Friday evening is opening Eucharist) at the Philadelphia Cathedral. We usually have 3 elected delegates, but 2 are not able to attend this year. If you have an interest in representing Trinity at Diocesan convention this year, please see Pastor Sherry.

## FUNDRAISING

Ladies and Gentlemen, *START YOUR ENGINES!!!!*

That's right, on Sat, Sep 17, the City of Coatesville will once again be hosting the Annual Coatesville Invitational Vintage Grand Prix! The fun begins at 9am as the beauties of years past fly down Lincoln Highway towards the Finish Line. And where can you find a better vantage point to watch and hear it all than on the lawn of Trinity!

As in previous years, we'll be setting up early to grill those "signature Ball Park hot dogs" which we'll be selling along with Philly Pretzels, chips, drinks and desserts, with all proceeds going to our church. Want to be a part of this fundraising effort? Just let Pat Kirkner, Rev. Sherry or myself know.....we'd love to have you on the team. And we welcome some of those yummy baked goods some of you are so known for!!!

***VROOM! VROOM! VROOM!***

See you there!

-Vic Shanley, Chmn., Fundraising Comm.

## TRINITY RALLY DAY AT RUNNYMEDE!

Once again, we are happy to say that a "new season" at Trinity will kick off with Trinity Rally Day at Runnymede! Thanks to the most gracious and generous hospitality of the Bentley family, the venue will be at their beautiful home, Runnymede.

The date is Sun, Sep 18, and like last year, Service will begin at 10.30am in an outdoor setting (weather permitting), followed by a bountiful picnic on the grounds catered by our friends at Triple Fresh Market. And at the suggestion of our host, we'll have some fun activities following the picnic such as corn hole contests, Jai Alai, outdoor Jenga, and even a hayride around the property which will end at the barn housing the Bentley stablemates and a brief talk about the horses.

Now, if you attended last year's Rally Day, you know that it attracted many of our members, present and past, whom we hadn't seen since perhaps pre-pandemic. And I'm confident that we'll see even more enjoying this special day this year. That said, we'd like to get a handle on the headcount as soon as possible to allow the caterer to ramp up with adequate amounts, as well as to give the Bentleys and their great team, headed up by Joe Cassidy and Jake Kuhns, the time to stage the area to accommodate the number of attendees.

Here's what we ask.....

- If you're planning to join your fellow Trinity members and friends on Sep 18, *PLEASE* let either the church office, Rev. Sherry or myself know, including how many will be there.
- If you're in need of transportation.....same as above.....let us know and we'll make the arrangements.
- If you're in need of directions to Runnymede.....same as above.....let us know and we'll send them to you.
- If you prefer to drive yourself but would like to follow others who know the way.....yep, you know the drill.

This day was an idea that became a vision that turned out to be a very special day on the Trinity calendar. We are most fortunate to be able to plan on, and even expand upon, it again this year thanks to Greg, Caroline and Andrew. And what a wonderful way to celebrate our weekly Service in a refreshing, warm outdoor setting.

Come join us!

Peace, Vic



<b>Erika Haak</b>	<b>2-Sep</b>
<b>Michael Thompson</b>	<b>10-Sep</b>
<b>Alexander Kirwin</b>	<b>13-Sep</b>
<b>Jennine Bush</b>	<b>21-Sep</b>
<b>Curt Jennings</b>	<b>29-Sep</b>
<b>Dana Harvey</b>	<b>30-Sep</b>



<b>Peter &amp; Paula Jennings</b>	<b>28-Sep</b>
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# September 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
				Noon Healing Service Via Zoom		SH Rented
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
Family Service 11:15 AM	Labor Day Office Closed			Noon Healing Service Via Zoom		SH Rented
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
				Noon Healing Service Via Zoom		Grand Prix
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
Rally Day 1030am Service @ Bentley's				Noon Healing Service Via Zoom		
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	
Veteran's Brunch				Noon Healing Service Via Zoom		



## Readers, Servers and Greeters for September 2022

Date	Readers	Psalm	Prayers
9/4	Minnie Kirwin	Bill Terry	Betty Sullivan
9/11	Seth Haak	Vic Shanley	Greg Bentley
9/18	Erika Haak	Tom Swett	Chris Haak
9/25	TBD	TBD	TBD

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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**