

The Installation of the 20th Dean



The Installation of the Rev. Dr. Christoph Keller, III as twentieth Dean and Rector of Trinity Cathedral will take place on Sunday, December 6, 2015 at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon. A reception will follow in Morrison Hall.

Come one, come all!

Dean's Class

Sunday Mornings at 10:15 a.m. in Morrison Hall

His and Hers: Questions from a Young Couple



A Note about the Class: Not long ago, a young couple asked me to officiate at their wedding. I knew them well and was glad to be asked. I also guessed that in matters of faith they had as many questions as convictions. I asked them if they would like to bring their questions to our premarital counseling discussions. And so they did. This Sunday morning series takes up their questions.

November 29: His: I believe in Christian values and will strive to live my life in what I believe to be a Christian manner but I have struggled with achieving certainty in my belief in God. In my mind, there is just no way to really know what's truly going on. What are your thoughts on that worldview?

December 6: Hers: When you have questions about faith or religion, how do you go about trying to answer them? How do you go about exploring different concepts of faith and religion? Through books? Inner reflection? Discussion with others? Etc.

December 13: His: What questions have you thought about the most? Have you been able to reach answers?

December 20: Hers: What do you do when you disagree with something within your religion or in the Bible?

Coming Soon: Theirs: How do you suggest incorporating faith and religion, or the exploration of faith and religion, into our everyday lives?

Email Addresses Needed: Can't wait for The Message to arrive? Want to know what is happening at Trinity? Make sure we have your email address so you receive the weekly Trinity Update. It contains a brief look at the many events on the block. Send your email address to dhowe@trinitylittlerock.org and we'll make sure you are added to the update list.

2015 Advent and Christmas at the Cathedral

Sunday, November 29

Advent I
Dr. Keller preaching

Sunday, December 6

Advent II
Dr. Keller preaching

Sunday, December 13

Advent III
Rev. Susan Payne preaching

Christmas Pageant at 5:00pm
Followed by Reception in Morrison Hall

Sunday, December 20

Advent IV
Dr. Keller preaching

Christmas Lessons and Carols at 5:00pm

Thursday, December 24

Christmas Eve
Holy Eucharist at 5:00pm
Bishop Benfield preaching and presiding

Concert by Trinity Choir at 10:30pm

Holy Eucharist 11:00pm
Bishop Benfield preaching and presiding

Friday, December 25

Christmas Day
Holy Eucharist at 10:00am
Dr. Keller preaching

Sunday, December 27

First Sunday After Christmas
Dr. Keller preaching

Sunday, January 24

Vestry elections (following all 4 services)

Sunday, January 31

Annual Parish Meeting at 10:15am

Please remember Trinity Cathedral in your will.

Peter Hartstein to Share his Holocaust Experience



The Cathedral is pleased to have so many wonderful, giving and loyal members. All of us have unique experiences and much to share with each other. We are truly a House of Prayer for ALL People! Parishioner Peter Harstein will meet with the children in Level III Atria in Mitchell house at 10:00 a.m. on December 6 to share his experience as a Holocaust survivor. All are welcome to join in either of these conversations. He will speak to the EYC in January. Peter was born in January 1937 in Stuttgart Germany. His father was sent to the concentration camps two times, and was released in June 1945 when the allies arrived. Peter's father was a Jew, but his mother was a Lutheran. This mixed marriage saved Peter and his siblings from being sent to the concentration camps. However, his grandparents and his sister all lost their lives in Auschwitz. Peter and the rest of his family came to Little Rock on November 28, 1947. Peter still remembers in July 1944 when they were bombed out of Stuttgart. Everything was on fire,

however he and his family were saved by an anonymous man with a wagon who placed wet towels over them and led them to safety. We look forward to welcoming Peter to the Atria and EYC as he tells the story of his father and his family during this time.

Ring in the Rock with EYC



Trinity EYC is challenging and inviting ALL parishioners to give back this holiday season and become a Salvation Army Bell Ringer! We will be ringing the bells on Monday, December 21 from 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. at the Heights Kroger. PLEASE HELP AND JOIN US! Email Annie at annie@trinitylittlerock.org or call her at (501) 588-3663 to sign up for a 2 hour slot! This is so much fun! Bring your friends, relatives, kids and parents!

EYC December Events

December 6: NO EYC (Dr. Keller's Installation!)

December 13: NO EYC (Christmas Pageant!)

December 20: EYC 5-7: Wrapping Gifts for our Angel Families!

December 21: EYC Rings in the Rock at the Heights Kroger! Sign up for a 2 hour slot! 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Bring your friends, parents, siblings!

December 23: 8:30 a.m. Convocation Christmas Basket Delivery!

December 27: NO EYC

A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols

Sunday December 20, 2015 5:00 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Cathedral, Little Rock, Arkansas

Presented by the Cathedral Choir

Cathedral Handbell Choir

Dr. Thomas Lee, Director of Music

Join us for this beautiful service of readings and Christmas carols following the tradition established at King's College, Cambridge, and one of the splendors of Anglican Church Music.

Choral Music by Traditional English Composers: Adrian Batten, Patrick Hadley, and Gustav Holst & Sublime Choral Works by American Composers William Bradley Roberts & Martin Lauridsen.

Music for Christmas Eve

The Cathedral Choir be joined at both the 5 p.m. and 11 p.m. services by the The Little Rock String Quartet. A concert of seasonal music will be presented by the choir and strings at 10:30 p.m.



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Weekly Worship Schedule:
Sunday - 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m.,
11:15 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.
Monday - Friday
Morning Prayer at 8:30 a.m.
Wednesday
Healing Eucharist at 5:15 p.m.



You are invited to the
Cathedral Christmas Pageant

Sunday, December 13, 2015

5 p.m.

Trinity Episcopal Cathedral

310 W. 17th Street Little Rock, Arkansas

Nursery care provided.

The doors to the Cathedral will open at 4 p.m.