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# Sunday

7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:15 a.m., Evensong 5:00 p.m. (Beginning Sept. 8th)

# Wednesday

Healing Eucharist at 5:15 p.m. **Monday - Friday** Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m.

# THE MESSAGE

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AN EVENING OF DANCING IN HONOR OF JULIE AND CHRIS

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Thursday, October 24, 2019
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Trinity Episcopal Cathedral
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 ${\it Cocktail Buffet \cdot Live \& Silent Auction} \\ {\it All Proceeds Benefit Trinity Cathedral's Outreach Programs} \\$ 

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# **SUNDAY MORNING FORMATION**

10:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

# Complimentary Sunday Breakfast

Enjoy before or during formation hour 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. on Sunday mornings in Morrison Hall.

# The Dean's Class

Morrison Hall | 10:30 - 11:05 a.m.

## October

- **6** The Rev. Sandra Curtis: Chaplain's report on life today at Episcopal Collegiate
- 13 Reception and Celebration, honoring completion of the Needlepoint Kneeler Project under the guiding hand of Rebecca Wilson
- 20 Heritage Sunday Reception honoring and welcoming The Rt. Rev. Greg and Marti Rickel
- 27 Dr. Ann Hedge-Carruthers with readings and stories from her powerful newly published memoir of her husband Bob: In the Long Room of Our Hearts: Where Love and Memory Dwell

# Living The Questions

Conference Room

Living the Questions will complete the series entitled "The Challenge of Jesus" by John Dominic Crossan. October classes will focus on the Resurrection of Christ and whether it should be interpreted objectively. All are welcome to attend each Sunday.

# Pilgrims' Progress

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We will be using "Lesson Plans That Work", which are sponsored and written by The Episcopal Church and promoted by the Presiding Bishop. Our class will follow the Lectionary and will discuss the Bible readings from the current Sunday. Some more explanation if you just left the 9:00 service and preparation for those who are going to the 11:15.

# **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

We meet every month on the third Thursday at 7:00 a.m. We have an hour of Christian fellowship and breakfast. All men of Trinity are invited.

Location: Homer's West

Contact: George Morledge at gbmorledge@sbcglobal.net

# **SUNDAY EVENING**

5:00 p.m.

Join us for the beautiful service of Evensona

at Trinity Episcopal Cathedral, Little Rock
Each Fall Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

Come find beauty, calmness, and joy as you experience this centuries-old celebration in music and readings. The service lasts less than 45 minutes and is followed by a traditional British tea.

For more information, visit our web site trinitylittlerock.org or call 501-372-0294.

Spoken Eucharist in Pierce Chapel following Evensong.

# **WEDNESDAY EVENINGS**

Each week Holy Eucharist begins at 5:15 p.m. in Pierce Chapel.

# Dean Keller on Christian Faith and Modern Science

Wednesday nights from 6:00 to 7:00 in the Conference Room. Childcare is provided. Come and bring a friend who is curious about faith and science and wonders whether, or how, they are compatible.

# Part One

October

2: "About God, in Christian Understanding"

## Part Two

October

9: "About the Bible"

16: "About Fundamentalism"

23: "About Liberalism"

30: "Atheistic Darwinism and its Challenge"

## November

6: "Incarnation, Passion, and Evolution"

13: "Near Death Experience: Scientific & Theological Perspectives"\*

The Very Rev. Dr. Christoph Keller, III holds a Doctor of Theology (Th.D.) in Anglican Studies (2009) from General Theological Seminary. His field was systematic theology, with a focus in theology and science. His dissertation, "Darwin's Science in Chalcedonian Imagination: Barth, Double Agency and Theistic Evolution," explores and affirms compatibility between Christian faith and evolution.

# **Coming to Trinity:**



**Sunday, October 20** to preach for Heritage Sunday: The Rt. Rev. Greg Rickel, Bishop of the Diocese of Olympia, with Marti!



**Thanksgiving Day** to preach: The Honorable Frank D. Scott, Jr. Mayor of Little Rock

# **BAPTISM CLASS**

Upcoming Baptism opportunity November 3, 2019 – All Saints Sunday

Baptism is typically reserved for a few special dates a year – All Saints Sunday being one of them. "Holy Baptism is full initiation by water and the Holy Spirit into Christ's Body the Church. The bond which God establishes in Baptism is indissoluble" (Book of Common Prayer, p. 298.)

If you are interested in baptism for yourself or for your child please contact Dawn Howe at: dhowe@trinitylittlerock.org. We will take time to prepare for baptism for those being baptized, parents, and godparents as available during the 10:15 formation hour on October 6, 13, and 27 in Baker Parlor. Please contact The Rev. Dr. Lisa Corry with any questions at: lisa@trinitylittlerock.org

# **DATABASE CHANGES & UPDATES**



We have recently transitioned to a new parish database and there are a few kinks to be worked out. If your mailing address/label is incorrect, please contact Dawn

and we will make the changes required to fix the information. The ultimate goal, once we have the kinks worked out is to have an online accessible database available for the use of parishioners. If you do not receive the weekly email with parish activities and events, we also need your email address. Contact Dawn at dhowe@trinitylittlerock.org or 588-3661.

# **COMMUNITY NEWS**

Central Convocation All Saints' Day Eucharist November 1 at 7:00 p.m. Christ Church, Little Rock

All churches in the central convocation of the Episcopal Church in Arkansas are cordially invited to celebrate All Saints' Day at Christ Church on Friday, November 1 at 7:00 p.m. The Christ Church Choir will sing Maurice Durufle's Requiem. A reception follows, and childcare will be available. Please note that incense will be used at this service. Contact Kate Alexander, kalexander@christchurchlr.org.

# DEEPER INTO SILENCE

WITH SUSAN SIMS SMITH
SUNDAY OCT 13 1-4 PM
COST \$20
ALL FAITHS INVITED



How can we take our meditation practice to the next level? How can we hold onto that silence to keep our mind more silent during the day when we are not sitting in prayer? What is Mauna? A form of more pervading silence? These are the questions that will be addressed in this 3 hour workshop. During the workshop practices will be taught to help move the spiritual seeker towards their next step on their journey of quietening the mind. Time in the House of Prayer will be included as well as time outside on walking prayer path and labyrinth.

Taught by the Rev. Susan Sims Smith. Susan was a Jungian oriented psychotherapist for 25 years. She is a long term practitioner of meditation as well as dream work. She has been an Episcopal priest for 20 years and helped found the Arkansas House of Prayer and the Interfaith Center. Currently she is working with others to found an interfaith prayer center in Mongolia and she is day dreaming with others about one in Atlanta. Silence in her belief system is a fast road to the Divine. Come and bring a friend.

This workshop is open and relevant to people of all faiths. Sponsored by Arkansas House of Prayer and The Interfaith Center.

Join us on Sunday, October 13 from 1-4 p.m. in the Parish Hall of St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, 20900 Chenal Parkway, Little Rock, AR 72223. Click here to purchase tickets. If you have any questions or wish to pay by check, please contact Rev. Stephanie Fox at arkansashouseofprayer@gmail.com or 501-681-3934.

# OCTOBER 2019

\*M-F Morning Prayer 9:00 a.m. Pierce Chapel \*\*MWF Alanon 12:05 p.m. Lower Mitchell House

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# CHAMBER CONCERT

Thursday, October 10th | 7:00 p.m.

Join us as we welcome again to Trinity Cathedral violinist Kiril Laskarov, vocalist Stephanie Smittle, and pianist Carl Anthony. Kiril will present a number of violin favorites composed for famous violinists by composers from Sibelius to John Williams. Stephanie joins the program for a vocal tour-de-force with a four-song cycle of art songs by British composer Gustav Holst. Admission is \$10 per person at the door, free to students with I.D. Many of your favorite violin solos you recall Kiril having shared with us at Trinity over the years: they're on this program. Stephanie's phenomenal voice singing Holst! Mark your calendars! A reception in Morrison Hall will follow this fantastic program.

# OUR BETTER ANGELS: ARTS AT CHRIST CHURCH

Friday, October 11th | 5:00-7:30 p.m. | Christ Church You are invited to attend the opening night reception of Christ Episcopal Church's new art exhibit featuring local artist Jane F. Hankins. Jane's exhibit, entitled "Our Better Angels," will showcase her whimsical creativity and will be displayed in the Parish House Gallery. There will also be artworks created by Jericho Way clients on display in the church's parlor.

The two exhibits will be on display and available for purchase from October II through December

# KNEELER DEDICATION

Sunday, October 13 | 9:00 a.m.

Join us at the 9:00 a.m. service to dedicate 20 beautiful kneelers in honor and in memory offamily, friends and loved ones. 15 years later, our design and stitching project of 447 kneelers is complete due to the tireless efforts of our stitchers (young and old, male and female) and the generosity of parishioners and other community members who sponsored the kneelers. The kneeler designs are coordinated throughout the church based on our beautiful stained- glass windows, history and lituraical themes.

# LUNCH & LEARN:

Tuesday, October 22nd | 12:00 p.m.

Conference Room / BYOL (Bring your own lunch)
We'll continue to discuss The Time Is Now: A Call
to Uncommon Courage by Joan Chittister, with a
focus on chapters 7-12. Come if you've read! Come
if you're interested in thoughtful and intentional
discussion! Contact The Rev. Dr. Lisa M. Corry at
lisa@trinitylittlerock.org with questions.

# STEWARDSHIP INGATHERING

Sunday, October 27th

The ingathering of pledge cards will occur on October 27th. Whatever your motivation or capability for giving may be, every pledge is gratefully received. Returned pledge cards are placed in the plate, offered up, and blessed to the glory of God and for the ministry of Trinity Cathedral.

The Month Ahead:

November

1: All Saints Service @ Christ Church

7: ECEP Zoo Day

7: Requiem

| 11:Veterans Day - Offices Closed

15: Faure "Requiem"

19: Vestry

21: Men's Breakfast

21: Presbyterian Village Eucharist

27-29: ECEP Closed

**28:** Thanksgiving Day Service at 10:00 a.m. (Offices Closed)

29: Offices Closed

# SAVE THE DATE: FAURE "REQUIEM"

Friday, November 15th | 7:00 p.m.

Music of Gabriel Faure including his famous "Requiem" as sung by the Cathedral Choir with members of the Arkansas Symphony. November 15, 2019 7 p.m. in the Cathedral. Free and open to the public.

# **STEWARDSHIP**

We are at a very important time at Trinity Cathedral. Dean Keller is retiring in January of 2020 and our search committee is working hard preparing to call our new Dean. Dean Keller and his team have done a magnificent job guiding us the last several years and it's important that we keep the wind in our sails. The 2020 pledge goal is \$1,300,000, which represents a 6.7% increase from the \$1,218,000 pledged this year.

If you have not received a pledge card please call the office at 501-372-0294 to receive one by mail or feel free to pick one up from the table at the back of the Cathedral, the office, or the financial office.



Scott Tabor, 2019 Every Member Canvas Chair



# **CHILDREN & FAMILY FORMATION NEWS**



"The atrium is an environment which is carefully prepared to foster the religious life of the child. The materials and images placed there help the child to concentrate and reflect; thus, they nurture the child's natural capacity for contemplation."

Gianna Gobbi

Our atria have been beautifully redone after our leaking roof last year. We have new paint, ceilings, and carpets. Our lessons have been carefully sorted and placed in our sacred space. We want to thank all the hands that had a part in this: the workers, the parents who helped pack our supplies, and the catechists who carefully unpacked and organized everything.

We have started our class year and look forward to working with your children. If you have questions about the program or anything your children talk about, please feel free to ask. We love to share what we learn in the atrium.

# Other upcoming activities:

**Sunday, October 6** – The Blessing of the Animals – 4:30 p.m. in the Garth. A brief service honoring St. Francis of Assisi and the blessing of our pets. Refreshments will be served. We have invited the Pulaski County Humane Society to bring some adoptable animals and we will be taking up a collection of dog food, toys, leashes, collars etc. for them.

**Sunday, October 27** – Trunk or Treat – 5:30 p.m. in the Parking Lot and Garth. We are making plans for a spooktacular evening. Trunks and candy galore, carnival games, food (hot dogs) and spooky organ music. If you can help (provide a trunk, bring candy, man a game so parents can enjoy with their children etc). please contact Sarah Bennings (sbennings@polkstanleywilcox.com) or Denise Albert (deni500@aol.com) or Dawn (dhowe@trinitylittlerock.org or 588-3661). There is also a volunteer link on the website.

# **MUSIC NOTES**



# Trinity Cathedral Choir headed to the UK

We are pleased to announce that Trinity Episcopal Cathedral Choir will be choir-in-residence at Gloucester Cathedral in the United Kingdom August 2020. Plans are to fly to Heathrow on August 8 and sing all services at Gloucester August 11 through the 16th. Singers and non-singers from around the diocese of Arkansas are invited to travel with us. If you are interested in singing or just going with the choir, please contact victoria@trinitylittlerock.org for more information.

# **YOUTH NEWS**



Last month the EYC kicked off a new semester with icecream, food trucks, and zip-lining. All 6th through 12th graders are welcome. For more information, contact Olivia Goza: ogoza@trinitylittlerock.org.

# **EYC** in October:

6 - EYC in Mitchell House

13 - No EYC (Fall Break)

**18-20** - AYE at Camp Mitchell

27 - Trunk-or-Treat



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The Cathedral is open for visitation, prayer, and meditation weekdays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.





The ECEP kids enjoyed visiting with Clifford at our annual Book Fair Pancake Breakfast.

# Coming in October:

- Blessing of the Stuffed Animals
- Play by the Arkansas Arts Center's Childrens Theatre
- Trunk-or-Treat
- Fall Fun Week

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# **BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS**

Sunday, October 6th | 4:30 p.m. | Garth



Bring your cats, dogs, snakes, gerbils, hamsters, ducks... whatever you consider a pet to be blessed as we celebrate the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. Refreshments following.

We will be collecting items for the Humane Society of Pulaski County (used towels, blankets, pet food, toys, leashes, collars etc.). You may bring them to the service. Volunteers from the Humane Society have been invited to bring adoptable pets!