



# Trinity Episcopal Cathedral Announcements

*Welcome! Please accept a welcome gift from the ushers as they are offered during the time of Announcements. It has information, some gifts, and a card for you to fill out if you like. We hope you will fill out the card and put it in the offering plate because it will help us know about your needs. We promise that this will not generate junk mail.*

## THE WEEK AHEAD

**MONDAY SEPTEMBER 1 LABOR DAY  
OFFICE CLOSED**

### TUESDAY 2

12Noon NA Meeting  
12:10pm Holy Eucharist  
6:00pm Centering Prayer  
6:00pm Ministry Team Dinner  
7:00pm Ministry Team Meetings

### WEDNESDAY 3

9:00am Holy Eucharist  
12Noon NA Meeting  
6:00pm Wednesday Community Dinner  
6:00pm Executive Committee

### THURSDAY 4

12Noon NA Meeting  
12Noon Centering Prayer  
2:30pm Writing Group  
6:00pm Compline  
6:15pm BCP & Bible Challenge  
7:00pm TNAC Classes  
7:00pm Celebration Choir Rehearsal

### FRIDAY 5

9:00am Holy Eucharist  
12Noon NA Meeting

### SATURDAY 6

#### SUNDAY 7 LIBRARY OPEN

7:30am Holy Eucharist  
9:00am Holy Eucharist  
**9:00am Family Service**  
10:15am Sunday School  
10:15am Newcomer's Group  
10:15am Introduction to the Church  
11:15am Holy Eucharist  
11:15am Choristers Rehearsal  
12:45pm Holy Eucharist

**Office Closed for Labor Day  
on Monday, September 1**

## CATHEDRAL BOOKSHOP

**Our collection of ancient Celtic  
items are available for Christ-  
mas special orders.**

Store hours are:

Tu-Th: 11:00am - 5:00pm;

Sun: 8:30am - 1:00pm

Contact us at 916-442-9194 or  
bookshop3@gmail.com

### Pastoral Emergencies:

Call the office: 446-2513

Evenings, weekends & holidays: 214-0382

**Parking on Sundays for those with  
disabilities** is provided behind the Great Hall.

### Lessons for September 7, 2014

*Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

Exodus 12:1-14  
Psalm 149  
Romans 13:8-14  
Matthew 18:15-20

## TODAY @ TRINITY—AUGUST 31, 2014

Activities at 10:15am

### Newcomers' Group – Cathedral

**Today the group will Tour the Cathedral. ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Everyone is welcome to be with us, especially Newcomers and visitors. If you have questions contact Randie Strike at email randie.trinity@gmail.com or 916-446-2513 or 916-203-7586

## This Week

### Ministry Team Meetings

Tuesday, September 2

Dinner—6:00pm, Meetings—7:00pm

## Thursday Night at the Cathedral

**6:00pm—Compline**

**Beginning after Compline**

**in the Conference Room is the...**

### **Bible and Book of Common Prayer Challenge**

The goal is to read one chapter in the New Testament, one Psalm, and one of the prayers in the Book of Common Prayer each day for one year to anchor each day in scripture, and to become familiar with the beauty of the prayers in the Prayer Book. Facilitators:

## New Classes

**Begin September 4 at 7:00pm**

### **Tool Pouch for Living**

Presenter: Vaughn Wolff

"Come explore Lessons in Christian Metaphysics for 12 evenings that will help us understand and adapt our habits of thinking so we can experience life with more joy, greater health and confidence in the ever present Christ. We will be using Dr. Frederick Bailes, *Basic Principles of the Science of Mind, Twelve Lesson Home Study Course*.

### **God In America — A PBS documentary**

Presenter: Susan Hotchkiss

We will watch this great history of the relationship between religion and the United States. Then on the alternate weeks we will discuss events and people involved in shaping who we are today as spiritual Americans.

### **Embracing an Alternative Orthodoxy: Richard Rohr on the Legacy of St. Francis**

Presenter: Canon Lynell Walker

Richard Rohr's exploration of what we hold to be the anchors of the Christian faith through the lens of the life and teachings of St. Francis. Rohr is always teaching us to live beyond possibility yet does so by drawing on our rich tradition. All materials will be provided.

### **Ruth-less Religion**

Presenter: Morey Lloyd

This short three act play in the Book of Ruth reveals a reformation within the Scriptures to upset even the staunchest believer by demonstrating the true nature of the Eternal One. Here we find the redeeming inclusiveness of the promise of life lived to its fullness. Drama overshadows the Dogma of what it means to love the neighbor. Life becomes a witness to the Acts of God.

## Contribution Statements Change

In order to reduce mailing costs, the standard mailing of contribution statements will be reduced from quarterly to semi annually. The next statements will go out in early December (as a final reminder to donors of the status of their pledge payments). Please contact Michi Low at low.michi@gmail.com with any questions.

## Next Sunday

The Library is open September 7  
in the Elevator Alcove

### Family Service Changed to First Sunday

Our monthly family service is moving – it will now be on the first Sunday of every month! We invite you to our **First Sunday Family Service Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am in the Great Hall.**

After the service join us for arts and crafts, and a simple brunch. At the same time our annual **Children, Youth, and Family Ministry Fair** will help you to find out much more about these programs at Trinity: Children's Chapel, Sunday School, Episcopal Youth Fellowship, Acolytes, Confirmation, Parenting Matters, and Moms, Pops and Tots.

### Blessing of the Backpacks

As we celebrate the beginning of a new school year, all students from preschool on up are invited to bring their backpack, lunch bag, etc. for a special blessing at the **9:00 Family Service in the Great Hall, and the 11:15 service in the Cathedral.**

### Introduction to the Church

**Begins September 7** and goes until November 23. Jerry Paré will teach this Sunday morning course in Room A between the 9 and 11:15 services.

The text, *Welcome to the Episcopal Church*, is available in the Cathedral Bookshop. Although much of the course will focus on the Episcopal church, it will start with a history of the whole church. The schedule is available at the Welcome Center. Contact Jerry Paré (930-8032 or jpare@trinitycathedral.org) if you are interested.

### Trinity Name Tags

It is helpful for Newcomers and visitors if we all wear our name tag. Order your name tag at the Welcome Center for \$2.00 each.

## Ongoing

### Trinity Men's Group Breakfast

2nd Saturday at 9am in the Great Hall.  
Contact: Chris Sanft - chris@sanft.org

### Writing Group—Thursdays at 4:30pm.

Anyone who would like to write in an informal setting is welcome to drop in. Writing prompts are offered, we write for 20 minutes, then share what emerges or not, as the spirit moves. Contact: June Gillam - jgillam@wavecable.com. We meet in the Conference Room.

### Lunch Bunch—Resumes Sept. 11

### Episcopal Youth Fellowship

Welcoming youth in grades 6th-12th every 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month **during the school year**, 12:30-2:30pm, in the Assembly Area for lunch, program and activities. For more information contact Rev. Kathy Hopner at 930-8027

### Centering Prayer

**Tuesdays, 6-7pm in the East Transept  
Thursdays, Noon—1:00 in the East Transept**

Join in this receptive form of prayer that helps to quiet the mind and participate in God's presence. Contact Nancy Earl nancy.c.earl@gmail.com or Shelley Mydans smydans@gmail.com for further information.

## New Picture Directory

Sign up to get your picture taken at the table in the Great Hall after each service or on-line using the Quick Link on the right side of Trinity's home page (trinitycathedral.org). You will receive one FREE 8x10 picture and a copy of the new directory if you have your picture taken. Pictures are scheduled to be taken in September and early October. If you have questions contact Randie Strike at 916-203-7586 or email: randie.trinity@gmail.com.

## The Trinity Cathedral Choirs want you!!

Trinity Cathedral's active music program involves over seventy volunteers and part-time paid staff. With an emphasis on high quality and diversity, Trinity's music ministry speaks in many musical languages to worshipers who come to the Cathedral. With four choirs and a handbell ensemble, everything from plainchant to Bach to world and gospel music makes up the dynamic worship music at Trinity Cathedral. Truly there is "something for everybody" here!

Music is a vital part of our life at Trinity, and helps us to fulfill our vision "to make disciples who love and serve Christ and His world." Would you like to be a part of this dynamic ministry at Trinity Cathedral??

We would love to have you join us! Check out the music pages on the Cathedral website:

<http://trinitycathedral.org/worship/music>

Contact David Link, Canon for Music for details: sierracanon@gmail.com or 916-446-2513, ext 224.

## Coming Up

### Sunday School begins September 14!

We are so excited to begin a new program year! Sunday School is offered to all children and youth ages 4 through 12<sup>th</sup> grade from 10:15 to 11:15 during the school year.

### First EYF meeting of the new program year - Sunday, September 14

It's a new program year! Time to dream and plan...We have some exciting plans for this year, and would love to hear your dreams and ideas! Please join us at 12:30 for a pot luck lunch and meeting for all youth **and** their parents in grades 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> in the Assembly Area. Please bring a salad to share.

### Family Promise is Coming Sept. 28th!

Trinity will host FP families the week of **Sept. 28**. There are many ways you can help. When our guests arrive, we need volunteers to welcome and spend time with the families, cook, serve and clean up after supper and stay the night. You decide the type and extent of your commitment. Look for the sign-up sheet in the Great Hall. For more information contact Eleanor Taniguchi at ehtaniguchi@gmail.com or Deacon Steve Skiffington at deaconskiff@gmail.com.

## Altar Flower Donation

***A nice way to give thanks or to remember loved ones.***

**Send your request and contribution (make check payable to "Trinity Cathedral" with 'Flowers' on the memo line) to:  
Trinity Cathedral Flowers, 2620 Capitol Ave,  
Sacramento, 95816**

Date requested \_\_\_\_\_ (allow 2 weeks for processing).

In Thanksgiving for: \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_