

Dear Trinitarians,

Advent, Chanuka and Christmas are upon us! What a great time to be a member of Trinity. We have a full schedule of Advent events slated, and I hope you will take advantage of them.

As we move into the fourth year of my time with you, I want you to think about how Trinity can expand its mission to the community. What does Roslyn need and how can we provide it? I read an article that posits "The Episcopal Church Welcomes You" as an outdated and overworked slogan. We do a great job of welcoming people when they come, but I believe this puts the cart before the horse. I want to see us begin to say "The Episcopal Church Invites You"- the invitation to experience the community of God that we know to be Trinity.

This Advent and Christmas season is a great time to be born as Jesus was born, with a heart of God and a will toward the community. If we can take the joy of Christmas morning into the new year, we show the world what the Trinity community and Christian community look like. We are the love of Christ and a part of the community of God here in the midst of a troubled world.

Peace and All Good, George+

THURSDAY LUNCH AND LEARN

Bring your lunch!

Thurs, 12/5- at Trinity- 12:00 Thurs, 12/12- at St. Luke's- 12:00 Thurs, 12/19- at Trinity- 12:00 The Parables of Jesus:

Jewish insights into the Gospel

Lecturer: Dr. Amy Levine

MONDAY ADVENT ZOOM

Mon, Dec 9 - 7:00 pm: The Lord's Prayer

Mon, Dec 16- 7:00 pm: The Nicene Creed

Come prepared to discuss the aspects of both that intrigue you, and ask the questions you always thought you would get in trouble for asking!



	SAVE THE DATES 2024
TUES, DEC 3	BURNING BOOKS - <i>North Woods</i> by Daniel Mason. 7:30 pm via zoom (see info elsewhere in this newsletter)
THURS, DEC 5	LUNCH & LEARN - The Parables of Jesus, at <u>Trinity</u> -12:00 (byo lunch)
SAT, DEC 7	CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE, 9-2, Penson Hall
SUN, DEC 8	CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE, 12-2, Penson Hall
MON, DEC 9	ADVENT CLASS- THE LORD'S PRAYER, 7:00 pm via Zoom
THURS, DEC 12	LUNCH & LEARN- The Parables of Jesus, at St. Luke's -12:00 (byo lunch
MON, DEC 16	ADVENT CLASS- NICENE CREED, 7:00 pm via Zoom
SUN, DEC 15	AD VENT LESSONS AND CAROLS – 10:00 am
	INVITE, WELCOME, CONNECT MEETING during coffee hour
	DEADLINE FOR CHRISTMAS FLOWER MEMORIAL DONATIONS (Send in your donation with names of loved ones to be remembered)
THURS, DEC 19	LUNCH & LEARN - The Parables of Jesus, at <u>Trinity</u> -12:00 (byo lunch)
TUES, DEC 24	CHRISTMAS EVE- 8:00 pm (Choir begins at 7:45 pm)
WED, DEC 25	CHRISTMAS DAY, NO SERVICE

PARISH HAPPENINGS





HEAD OF THE CHARLES REGATTA OCTOBER 18

Dr. James Crawford was victor in the opening event of this 3-day regatta on the Charles River in Boston, MA: the Men's 70+ Singles. The HOCR is the world's largest rowing regatta and a celebration of the sport of rowing, bringing over 10,000 rowers from around the world, to compete in over 70 events of all ages, both sexes, and racing boats that include singles (1X), doubles (2X), quads (4X), fours (4+) and eights (4+). From 2012 to 2022, Jim was the 2-oar in the Dartmouth alumni men's Senior Masters 4+. In 2023, he gave up his "sweep" seat for a dressrehearsal row as a 1X in the Men's 50-69 age group event, to get to know the course. This was in anticipation of his turning 70 years old in October 2024. He was thus a "young whippersnapper" in the 70+ event this year, beating seasoned competitors (including former Olympians and national champions) who have dominated HOCR singles events over their several decades of Masters rowing. As Jim's wife, Aleta, pointed out after the race, "Next year you will be the mark to take down." Very motivating for the coming year of training!

TRINITY ANNUAL BBQ



Rick Kaye, Ann Mingorance, Alexis Alexander, Liz Kaye, Peter Fick & Rob Alexander, Sept 8

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS





Once again, Fr George took his life in his hands as he blessed the canines who attended church on Oct 6. Luckily, all were well behaved!

TRINITY'S FIRST DAY OF WELLNESS

On Saturday, September 28 the Invite Welcome Connect team held the first 'Trinity Day of Wellness'. We had a wonderful turnout of Trinity members, parishioners from Grace Whitestone, and others who came for a specific session.

Father George welcomed everyone and there were two concurrent sessions during two time blocks that attendees chose from. Ariann & Larry led a music and meditation session while Amanda Lachowicz from the local Y presented a session about sound healing using cymbals, Tibetan bowls and other instruments. Then attendees were able to choose from a yoga session with Mary Lou Minard or a session led by Irene Ross from the Diocesan Creation Care team on natural healing and how what we eat and how we interact with the environment affects our emotional and physical wellbeing.

We were happy to have Mother Joanne lead Labyrinth tours in the choir room! Attendees said they wished they could have attended everything! We might offer fewer sessions in future events or have one session at a time on Saturday mornings in 2025.





Kathy Mendall

OCTOBER 'BABIES'



On Oct 13, we celebrated all those born in Oct (Missing: Larry Arnold & Jim Crawford)

ADDITIONS TO THE SHERRILL FAMILY



These 4yr old Borzoi rescues (siblings) were picked up by Fr George & brought home from Verona, NY We can't wait to meet them!

DEDICATION



On Nov 17, the Mingorance family dedicated the beautiful new doors leading to the Cloister Garden in memory of Manuel Ruiz Mingorance and his legacy of "wit, wisdom, courage and compassion".

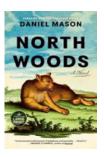


Parishioner Paula Johnson (right) and her daughter Kristin at a recent B'way showing of Water for Elephants



Trinity ladies at Honey's Bistro, Glen Head. If you would like to join us, please email Lisa deBruin at lisapr18@gmail.com for info on our next meetup.

BURNING BOOKS



The next Burning Books meeting is December 3 via Zoom, discussing *North Woods* by Daniel Mason, "a sweeping novel about a single house in the woods of New England, told through the lives of those who inhabit it across the centuries."

Following that is *James*, by Percival Everett, the retelling *of Huckleberry Finn* from the point of view of his enslaved companion, Jim, which just won the National Book Award. Other upcoming selections include *Remarkably Bright Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt, *The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store* by James McBride, *Tom Lake* by Ann Patchett, and more.

Just email us at any time if interested in joining us: johnplatt@optonline.net.



Paula Johnson's show dog, Fiadh, was recently included in the September/October SHORTHAIR JOURNAL. Fiadh's show name is Claddagh's Wild and Wynsom. Claddagh is the name of the sire's kennel, and Wynsom is the name of the dam's kennel. The name seems to be very appropriate!

OUTREACH

Blessing Bags for the Homeless:

Our next collection and distribution will be on Saturday, **December 16** at 11:00. In November we brought hot dogs and hot chocolate which was much appreciated! Please join us.

Food Pantry Collection:

Please remember we have an ongoing food drive for Faith Mission. Suggested items: cereal, oatmeal, pasta, peanut butter, macaroni and cheese, canned vegetables, rice and basically any other non-perishable foods. Also needed are diapers, wipes, and feminine products. Collection bin will be in the back of the church.

Invite Welcome Connect:

Meetings will be held every third Sunday of the month during coffee hour. Next meeting is Dec. 15. Contact Kathy Mendall at kat1228@verizon.net for more information.

Holiday Tree and Menorah Lighting Ceremony:

Come join us on Monday, December 2nd at the Clock Tower in Roslyn Village (5:30 pm) to sing Christmas carols and usher in the season.

RMM (Rural Migrant Ministries- A Toy Drive and Concert was held at St John's, Cold Spring Harbor on Dec 1. Thanks to all who contributed gifts or attended the concert (or both)!



CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE

Sat, Dec 7, 9-2 Sun, Dec 8, 12-2

We are collecting clothing, jewelry, pocketbooks, seasonal items, housewares & other new or lightly used articles. Please leave your donations in Penson Hall.

Volunteers needed for set up and sale days!

Please contact Alexis at alexis@robaudio.com (All proceeds to benefit local charities)

RUGELACH



You will not regret making these!

1 c butter (2 sticks), softened

1 c. sour cream

2 c. flour

Mix above ingredients together, place in wax paper & refrigerate <u>overnight</u>.

Mix together:

1 c. nuts

½ c. brown sugar

½ c. white sugar

1 tsp. cinnamon

Raisins (optional)

Divide refrigerated dough into 4 equal parts. Leave 3 parts in fridge. Work on one part at a time.

Sprinkle approx. ½ cup of sugar mixture onto very lightly-floured board. Press down the one part dough onto sugar mixture and turn over & over, pressing (rolling, if desired) until dough is about the size of a luncheon plate (9-10"). Divide into 12 pie portions with a knife. Place 2-3 raisins on each, if desired. Roll like crescent rolls (going from wide edge to narrow edge) & bend into a half moon or crescent shape.

Place 12 rugelachs seam-down on an ungreased cookie sheet & bake at 350 for 20-25 min.

Repeat above with remaining parts of dough & bake as above.

Remove while still warm.

Makes 4 dozen. Enjoy!

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SOME SUGGESTIONS:

SPORTS EQUIPMENT: (BASKETBALL & SOCCER ITEMS PREFERRED)

DOLLS, BOOKS,

BOARD GAMES

TOYS, CRAFTS, ETC.

GIFT CARDS (\$ 10-\$ 20)

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BEAUTY AND DIVERSITY OF OUR
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