

## Welcome to Trinity Church

Whether you have worshiped here for years or are visiting our Episcopal Church for the first time, we are glad you are with us. We invite all to enter fully into worship and to explore the variety of learning, small group, and service opportunities that are part of our life together. To learn more, visit [trinitychurchboston.org](http://trinitychurchboston.org) and click on **New to Trinity**, or contact Mark Kharas, at [mkharas@trinitychurchboston.org](mailto:mkharas@trinitychurchboston.org), 617-536-0944 x360.



## TRINITY BOSTON FOUNDATION

### Support TEEP with a T-Shirt

Sundays, 7/1 - 7/29, Commons,  
11:15 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Parishioners will be selling TEEP t-shirts to support the fundraising efforts of Team Trinity's five TEEP alums who are bicycling in September's Rodman Ride for Kids. These special edition shirts honor Ken Starr, long-time parish receptionist and great friend to TEEP. Each shirt is \$20; all proceeds go to support Trinity Boston Foundation's **Trinity Education for Excellence Program** which empowers students to achieve excellence through our tuition-free character and leadership development programs.

## HIGHLIGHTS

### Summer Sunday Worship Schedule

Our Summer Sunday Worship Schedule offers Worship services at 7:45 a.m., 10 a.m., and 6 p.m. The 9 & 11:15 a.m. services will return on Sun. Sept. 9.

### State House Rally to Pass Hands-Free Legislation

Weds., 7/11, 12:30 p.m., *Mass State House, 24 Beacon Street*

TEEP students will be participating in the "Pass Hands-Free Massachusetts" rally to encourage the ban of using handheld devices while driving, and invites interested parishioners to join with them and TextLessLiveMore and Safe Roads Alliance. The Rally seeks to end distracted driving and the loss of life and serious injuries it causes to motorists, passengers, pedestrians, and bicyclists. For more info, visit [textlesslivemore.org](http://textlesslivemore.org), or contact Anna Cheshire Levitan, [anna@textlesslivemore.org](mailto:anna@textlesslivemore.org)

## MUSIC

### Sing with the Summer Choirs!

Through 9/2

The Summer Choir is the ideal time to give singing in the Trinity Choir a try.

Wonderful music, sparkling company and a different perspective on worship—these blessings may be yours! We ask only that you have some music-reading ability, some choral experience, and a commitment to punctuality.

Contact Marissa Hall, Music Administrator, [mhall@trinitychurchboston.org](mailto:mhall@trinitychurchboston.org)



## STEWARDSHIP

### We're Almost There!

Deepest thanks to more than 700 households who have made their financial commitment to support Trinity's life in 2018! We are less than \$150,000 from our annual pledging goal of \$3 million. If each one of us pledges (or increases our pledge) what we can, together we can fully fund our ministries for 2018. To make your pledge today, visit [trinitychurchboston.org/2018-annual-pledge](http://trinitychurchboston.org/2018-annual-pledge), or fill out a pledge card in the pews or at the entrances to the church. Contact Adam Dawkins, [adawkins@trinitychurchboston.org](mailto:adawkins@trinitychurchboston.org), 617-536-0944

### Prayers for the Rector Search

Have you picked up the new brochure of prayers to guide our search for Trinity's new Rector? Prayer brochures are available in the church narthex and other locations throughout Trinity, and online at [bit.ly/TrinityRectorSearch](http://bit.ly/TrinityRectorSearch)



*Children's Homily and Childcare offered during 10 a.m. service. Childcare is available for infants and pre-schoolers in the Nursery located on the second floor of the Parish House in Tapestry Hall. Children in K-5th grades worship with their families; they may leave before the sermon for the Children's Homily and return at the Peace.*

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

We invite you to share your God-given gifts with the parish, the city, and beyond, by participating in one of Trinity's many ministries. You may find that lives—including your own—will be changed for the better. For a full list and calendar of opportunities, please visit [trinitychurchboston.org/serve](http://trinitychurchboston.org/serve)

### Pine Street Inn Feeding Team

Tues., 7/17, 4:30 p.m., 444 Harrison Ave., Boston

Join us on the third Tuesday of each month to serve dinner at the Women's Inn and the Men's Inn. **Contact** Matthew VanWinkle, [mvanwinkle88@gmail.com](mailto:mvanwinkle88@gmail.com), 617-304-0627

### Prepare and Serve Dinner at Rosie's Place

Weds., 7/25, and Tues., 7/31,  
4 p.m., 889 Harrison Ave., Boston

Join our team to prepare and serve an evening meal at Rosie's Place, a shelter for women and their children. **RSVP** to Joan Horgan, [horgan.joan@gmail.com](mailto:horgan.joan@gmail.com)

### Habitat for Humanity

Sat., 7/28, 8:15 a.m.-3:30 p.m., meet at Trinity

Help build a home through Habitat for Humanity. Meet at the church at 8:15, wear your work clothes, and prepare to help a family attain the dream of a their own home. For further information, **contact** Pam Waterman, [pamwaterman@gmail.com](mailto:pamwaterman@gmail.com)

### We Need You for the Worship Volunteer Team

Have you ever thought about serving as a member of the Altar Guild? Or as a Lay Eucharistic Minister (chalice bearer)? New members are always welcome but this Summer into Fall is an excellent time to investigate, shadow, and try it out as these ministries recruit and reenergize. **Contact** Derby Swanson, [dswanson@trinitychurchboston.org](mailto:dswanson@trinitychurchboston.org), or at church on a Sunday, to discuss how you might be called.

### Community Bike Ride with Team Trinity

Sat., 8/11, 9 a.m., Trinity Church

Join us for the August Community Bike Ride as Trinity Boston Foundation's Team Trinity prepares for the Rodman Ride on Sept. 22! Whether you register as a team member for the 25-, 50- or 100-mile Rodman Ride event, this community ride will prepare you and help raise funds for TEEP, the character development program for middle and high school students. Each Rider must raise a minimum of \$1,500. **Contact** Donna Desilus, [ddesilus@trinityinspires.org](mailto:ddesilus@trinityinspires.org), 617-536-0944

## NEW TO TRINITY?

1. Meet a clergyperson after the 10 a.m. service in front of the Baptistry (front-right side of the church).
2. Stop by the Welcome Desk in the Narthex (by the front doors) on Sunday mornings.
3. Look for a Welcome Minister wearing a green button before or after any service.
4. Join us for Lemonade Hour on the Clarendon Porch after the 6 p.m. service. **We look forward to getting to know you!**

## LOOKING AHEAD

### Book Discussion Part 2: *Tears We Cannot Stop*

Sunday, 8/5, 11:30 a.m., Ferris Library

After a lively and important initial conversation on Michael Eric Dyson's powerful book *Tears We Cannot Stop: A Sermon to White America*, it became clear that more was needed. The depth of sharing, the questions offered, and the urgency of the times we live in served as catalysts to convene a second session on a book Toni Morrison describes as "guidance for moral redemption." Join us on August 5 to discuss Dyson's sermon in light of sermons and other actions that speak to us as people of faith. **For further info, contact** Linda Trum, [lindatrum@gmail.com](mailto:lindatrum@gmail.com)

### Exploring Faith Matters

Wednesdays beginning 9/5, 6-8:30 p.m., Parish House

What does it mean to develop a personal faith? What does it mean to discern God's call in your life? What do the Scriptures really say? If you like to learn in community and if you like good questions better than easy answers, then you may want to join Education for Ministry. We are now beginning registration for the Fall 2018. **For more info,** [EfMTrinityBoston@gmail.com](mailto:EfMTrinityBoston@gmail.com) or call Susan at 978-912-1990.



Parishioners enjoyed a weekend of campfire, fellowship and faith on June 8-10 at Barbara C. Harris Camp & Conference Center in Greenfield, NH.



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