



Trinity Events

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2019

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 and click on **New to Trinity**, or contact Mark Kharas, at mkharas@trinitychurchboston.org, 617-536-0944 x372.

PARISH LIFE

Trinity to Host—and Present —at CEEP Conference

The annual conference of CEEP (formerly known as the Consortium of Endowed Episcopal Parishes), one of the largest yearly gatherings in the Episcopal Church, is drawing more than 700 clergy and lay people to Boston for days of learning and sharing of best practices. Four Trinity staff members will be featured speakers in their areas of expertise: **Rebecca Jackson** from Trinity Boston Foundation (Racial equity/social justice), **Adam Dawkins** (Stewardship), **Colin Lynch** and **Richard Webster** (Music). Parishioner **Libby Roberts** will also be presenting a Stewardship session, and Trinity's restoration architect, **Jean Carroon**, will be giving a special tour. Nearly 35 parishioners and friends have signed up to be hospitality volunteers. And dozens of us will be involved in the opening liturgy to take place here. Thank you, everyone, for sharing your talents and time, and for representing Trinity!



Children's Homily and Childcare offered during 9 & 11:15 a.m. services. 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.

TODAY

February Forum Series • St. Paul: Passionate, Problematic, Profound

Sundays in Feb., 10:15 a.m., Forum

Join us for a deep dive into Paul: his person and his profound impact on Christianity. This week, the Rev. Bill Rich guides us through Paul and his impact on Christianity through the Cross and Resurrection. And next week, we wrap up the series with Paul and the struggles and joys of living in Christian community.

Memory Book for Rainey

During a.m. Coffee Hours & before 6 p.m. service, Commons

All are invited to share a favorite memory, photo, or message of gratitude for the ministry of **the Rev. Rainey Dankel**, to be presented to her upon her retirement on Sun. March 3. To contribute to the Memory Book, stop by the table in the Commons, or mail to phurley@trinitychurchboston.org. Deadline is Sun., Feb. 24.

THIS WEEK

2019 Slate of Nominees is Posted

After reviewing many candidates submitted for consideration, the Nominating Committee has selected a slate of eleven parishioners to be elected to parish leadership positions at the Annual Meeting on Sunday, March 24.

The parish will elect a Senior Warden, Junior Warden, members of the Vestry, delegates to the Diocesan Convention and to our region of the Diocese—the Boston Harbor Deanery—as well as to the Episcopal City Mission. This slate, bios, and photos were posted as of Thurs., Feb. 14 in the Parish House lobby and at trinitychurchboston.org/news

Fridays at Trinity Organ Concerts *Fridays, 12:15 p.m., Church*

Enjoy this weekly series of midday organ concerts featuring innovative programs by recitalists from across the United States and abroad. There is no charge for admission, but we invite a donation of \$10. This week, we welcome Janet Yieh, Associate Organist at Trinity Wall Street. For more info **contact** Marissa Hall, mhall@trinitychurchboston.org

STEWARDSHIP

Thank You for Your Stewardship of Trinity Church!

Many thanks to all who have made their pledge commitment to Trinity Church for 2019! Through the prayerful generosity of more than 635 households, we have reached 91% of our pledge goal. Please check the list of those who have pledged in the Undercroft to ensure your name is correct.

If you haven't pledged yet, help our new rector, the Rev. Morgan Allen, begin his ministry with a fully funded budget. You may make your pledge commitment via our secure website at trinitychurchboston.org/2019-annual-pledge or you may fill out a pledge card. **Questions?** **Contact** Adam Dawkins, adawkins@trinitychurchboston.org, 617-536-0944 x342 or Mark Kharas, mkharas@trinitychurchboston.org, 617-536-0944 x372.

LOOKING AHEAD

White Fragility: Theological Reflection

Sun., 2/24, 12:30-2 p.m., Ferris Library

If you have been inspired by the recent Anti-Racism Team Book Discussion to engage in further dialogue and reflection around *White Fragility* by Robin DiAngelo, join us for a theological reflection and discussion around the theme of white fragility, offered by Trinity Outreach. **Contact** Katie Day, kday@trinity-churchboston.org or 617-536-0944 x329



Ash Wednesday

Wed., 3/6, 7:30 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 7 p.m., Church

Join us for one of three Ash Wednesday Holy Eucharist services. There is no Evensong on this day.

White Fragility: Journaling and Discussion

Sun., 3/10, 12:30-1:30 p.m., Ferris Library

Due to the interest in Robin D'Angelo's book, *White Fragility*, the Anti Racism Team will continue examining the book with a twist. On a monthly basis, we invite parishioners to join us in a journaling project regarding *White Fragility*. During our monthly meetings, a "prompt" or quote from the book will be given and attendees will have approximately twenty minutes to write their thoughts and reactions. Reading the book is helpful, but not necessary for participation. We want to provide an ongoing opportunity for parishioners to "go deeper" and share what they feel comfortable offering to the group. Please feel free to **contact** Janis Pryor, JPCamb@aol.com, with the subject line White Fragility if you have any questions.

New Rector Welcome Committee Seeks Members

Calling all welcomers! The "Team Allen" welcome committee is eager to welcome YOU to our shared work. If you'd like to be part of the team to welcome Morgan, Missy, Michael and Ginna to Boston and to Trinity, please sign up! **Contact** Lonsdale Koester at trinitywelcomesteamallen@gmail.com

MILESTONES



Godspeed, Bernard Minter!

Our Facilities Manager, Bernard, has moved on to a wonderful opportunity at Northeastern University, his alma mater. Many know him as a constant helpful presence on Sunday mornings and throughout the week. Farewell, Bernard!

Share your milestones and births, weddings, funerals, honors, and other life-changing events with the parish in the weekly email, Trinity Community Update. Send your submissions to trinityevents@trinitychurchboston.org.

Winter Storms and Closing Announcements

It is rare for Trinity Church to close, but in times of extreme weather, the decision is made to cancel or postpone programming and close our buildings for the safety of parishioners, visitors and staff.

Closing announcements are made as soon as possible after the Rector's decision to close.

When there is a storm anticipated, and in cases where conditions deteriorate during the day due to a worsening storm, updates will be posted here:

- trinitychurchboston.org homepage
- facebook.com/trinitychurchboston
- instagram.com/trinitychurchboston
- Listings on TV (Sundays only):
Channels 4 WBZ, 5 WCVB, 7 WHDH & 25 WFXT
- Call 617-536-0944



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

Pine Street Inn Feeding Team

Tues., 2/19, 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, 617-304-0627

Prepare and Serve Dinner at Rosie's Place

Weds., 2/27; 4-7:15 p.m.; 889 Harrison Ave., Boston

Join our team of novice and expert chefs and servers to prepare and serve an evening meal at Rosie's Place, a shelter for women and their children. Youth (15+) are very welcome. **RSVP** to Joan Horgan, horgan.joan@gmail.com

NEW TO TRINITY?

1. Meet a clergyperson after the 9 & 11:15 a.m. services 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 a service.
4. Fill out a welcome card (in the pew rack) and put it in the offering plate. **We look forward to getting to know you!**

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