

Trinity Grand Ledger

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The Rev Gail Shafer

The Rev Gail Shafer will be taking over the Sunday's that Fr. Hamlin was scheduled for till the end of the year.

Thank you Rev Gail for this and our thanks to Fr. Hamlin for all that he has done for Trinity for the last three years.

Daylight Saving Time

Daylight saving time begins Sunday morning November 4, 2018. Don't forget to set your clock back one hour at 2 am.

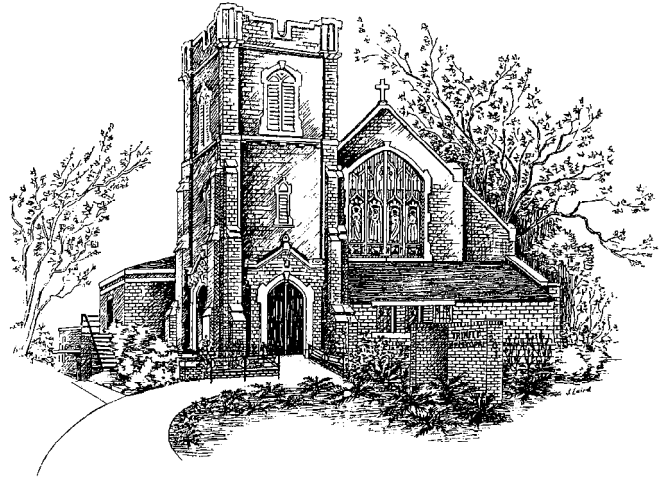
Outdoor Clean-up

Trinity's fall outdoor clean-up will take place, weather permitting, on Saturday November 10, 2018.

Clean-up will begin at 9 am. Remember to bring your work gloves, rakes, shovels and anything else you think you may need to make the grounds around the church look good.

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ECW

Trinity's Episcopal Church Women will be getting together at 10 am on Tuesday, November 13, at the church to clean up the kitchen.

As always all are encouraged to help in this endeavor, the more hands the faster it will be done.

It needs to be decided if you want to bring a sack lunch or order pizza in. Think about it and as the date gets closer a decision will be made.

Stewardship Sunday

You may ask “*What is Stewardship Sunday*”? Stewardship Sunday is the day that you are asked to fill out an *Estimate of Giving Card*. With this information the budget for next year can be made.

Stewardship Sunday will take place on November 11, 2018. There will only be one combined service that morning at 10 am. At the end of the service the cards will be handed out, after you have finished filling them out, head to the undercroft for a provided luncheon.

Kal & Marsha Smith

Kal & Marsha have made it to Texas and have moved into their new apartment.

Their new address there is:
3980 N. Major Dr. #811
Beaumont, TX 77713

Their cell phones and emails are the same. We hope to see them next summer when they are headed back to Bay View.

Blessing in a Backpack

Trinity members will be helping with Blessings in a Backpack on Wednesday, November 28 at 4:30 pm. This takes place on the third floor at Sawdon School.

Blessings provide food, each week, for students in all grades that need a little extra for the weekend.

Giving Tree

This year’s Trinity Giving Tree will again be adorned with items that can be used in the kitchen, anything from a simple can opener to pots and pans.

All items will be donated to the Food Bank for their Christmas shopping event. All donations need to be at the church by Sunday November 25, 2018.

Brass Polishing

It’s that time of the year again! The brass items on the altar need to be polished before Christmas Eve. If you are willing and able please contact Jill to see what brass item you can polish.

Christmas Decorating

The church will be decorated for Christmas following the 4th Sunday in Advent, 10am service, December 23.

If you are able to stay after the 10 am service and help that would be greatly appreciated.

Christmas Eve Service

Our Christmas Eve service will begin at 7:30 pm on Monday, December 24, 2018. Rev. Gail Shafer will be celebrating with us that night.

Hello Friends,

This month our suggestions focus completely on the upcoming holidays. Thanks so much for any help you are able to give.

THANKSGIVING BASKET SUGGESTIONS

Canned Green Beans
Cream of Mushroom Soup
French Fried Onions
Turkey Gravy
Boxed Stuffing
Canned Pumpkin
Evaporated Milk
Boxed Pie Crust
Cake and Brownie Mixes
Canned Cranberry Sauce

We will be assembling baskets November 13th and 14th to be distributed November 15th.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EVENT SUGGESTIONS

Toys, games, puzzles, dolls, trucks
Lotion Sets
Slippers/slipper socks
Throws
Kitchen Utensils, Potholders, Kitchen Towels
Tools
Flashlights
Tarps (Ollie's has a variety of sizes at very low prices)
Hats and Gloves/Mittens (all sizes)
Used Christmas music CDs
Used Christmas decorations

We will offer a shopping event (one gift per family member), free to food bank clients with the help of community church donations and a contribution from Grand Ledge Meijer. Please contact me if interested in doing a gift collection at your church. The included ideas are just

suggestions. Any practical gifts would be welcome. The shopping event will take place December 4th and 6th so donations are needed by December 3rd.

Peace and Blessings,

Cheryl Mulder
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Dates to Remember

November 4, daylight saving time begins

November 10, outdoor clean-up 9am

November 11, Stewardship Sunday 10am
Provided luncheon

November 12, ECW kitchen clean-up
10am

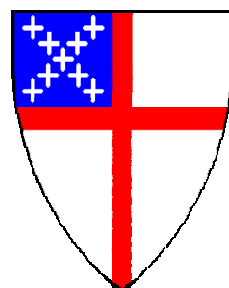
November 28, Blessing in a Backpack
4:30pm Sawdon School

December 2, First Sunday of Advent

December 23, Church decorating

December 24, Christmas Eve service
7:30pm

December 25, Christmas Day



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