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November 7th, 2018

ONLINE CALENDAR

MESSAGE FROM LISA

ONLINE GIVING

SERMONS



Sunday 9:00 Breakfast & Conversation 9:00 Choir Rehearsal 10:00 Worship 11:15 Adult Formation 7:00 2nd Sundays Game Night Wednesday

12:10 worship Saturday 9:00 Men's & Women's Bible Study



Please and Thank You



Beloved Friends, "Never forget to say please and thank you." I suspect Kim and I are not at all unique as parents when we think back on the number of times this simple phrase became a mantra for trying to teach our daughter the value of living

from a place of deep gratitude. As I [...]

The post <u>Please and Thank You</u> appeared first on <u>Trinity Episcopal</u> <u>Church in Downtown Toledo</u>.

UPCOMING EVENTS - CLICK FOR MORE INFO

Men's Bible Study



November 10, 9:00am Join us for a monthly men's Bible study. We meet on the second Saturday of each month at 9:00am at Rick's City Diner, 5333 Monroe St. in west Toledo (near the corner of Monroe St. and Nantuckett Dr.). Our discussion starts with the gospel reading appointed for the next day. This Bible [...]

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Annual Giving Celebration Potluck



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Game Night at the Black Cloister



Sunday, November 11, 7-9pm Join us for a different sort of church! We're meeting up on the second Sunday night of each month at 7pm at the Black Cloister Brewing Company (619 Monroe St. at Erie St., downtown) for an entertaining and relaxing game night. Bring your friends, family, and favorite tabletop games for an [...]

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Art Loop: Ballroom Dancing at Trinity



Thursday November 15th, 5:30-10:00pm Welcome to the Ballroom at Trinity! Trinity Episcopal opens its doors for an evening of ballroom dancing in its beautiful sanctuary. Please join us for this very special evening of dancing in one of Toledo's most inspiring and unique spaces. Detailed Schedule: 6:30-7pm, waltz lesson, taught by Gil Aromas and Kristin [...]

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Newcomer Welcome Brunch



Sunday November 18 11:30am- Trinity's first "Welcome Brunch"– a time for those relatively new to the parish to come and learn about the ministry we are eager to share with you, as well as a time to make new connections. We will eat a meal together and then the staff and ministry leaders will introduce themselves [...]

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Greening of the Church

Saturday December 1st, 9am Join us as we prepare for the advent season. Many hands help the process go quickly. Projects for all ages and abilities.

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Advent Retreat-Exploring Your Yes



Saturday, December 8, 9:00am-12:00pm Location: 577 Foundation in Perrysburg (577 East Front Street) Annunciation: Exploring Your Yes One of the scripture passages that we often hear this time of year is Luke 1:26-38, when God sends Gabriel to tell Mary about God's plan for her. The most important part of this story is Mary's consent [...]

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PARISH NEWS

Are We There Yet?

This is a question we are all asking about getting the front doors of our church open again. It has been a long journey and we write now to share the good news that we believe we are sneaking up on the last major turn in this part of the project which will allow us to reopen the "fishbowl" area, the attached doors leading out on to Adams street and the garage door giving access to parking off Adams as well. We have completed the initial first stage of the project which replaced all of the drainage off My Brother's Place and are now getting close to the completion of the work that will lay a new membrane to fix water damage problems over the front entryway. We have learned a lot through this part of this project and once these doors are open and the entrance is restored we will turn our attention to the bigger project of designing and planning for a major makeover for the rest of the Plaza area.

Please feel free to direct any questions to our Chair of the Property Committee, Dennis Degnan.



Bishop Mark Hollingsworth Visit



Sunday December 2nd

Mark your calendars for Bishop Mark's visit. If you are interested in being confirmed or received into the Episcopal church please contact Lisa now to make those arrangements. It will be a festive day and we encourage all the people of Trinity to attend and support those who will be making that commitment to the church.

Baptism of Charlie Devine Jones

On this past Sunday November 4th Trinity celebrated the baptism of Charlie Devine Jones. It is always a joyous day when we can celebrate new life and remember our own baptismal vows. Big sister Eleanor also a great day helping Lisa!





Annual Giving Campaign Update

This Sunday November 11th is the final Sunday in our Annual Giving campaign of Radical Generosity. We are at 35 of 71 anticipated pledges returned. Thank you to those who have made their commitment to the ministry of Trinity! We will be blessing all pledges during the service, if you have not brought your card back this is your Sunday! If you will not

be able to attend please consider using our online form. All Trinity folks should plan on joining us for our celebration Potluck after the service in My Brother's Place. Bring a dish of your choice to share.

Online Pledge Form

Transgender Day of Awareness 2018 Tuesday November 20th, 7pm

Transgender day of remembrance 2018. Space provided by Trinity

Episcopal Church. The service will be held in the St. Mark's chapel from 7pm to 9pm. Service will include a reading of the names of those who were take from transgender community, as well as a few words from Maeve Leroux from Toledo's Joy of all Who Sorrow Universalist Orthodox Church.

MINISTRY PARTNERS & SERVING

Quarterly Outreach Update

October 24th an enthusiastic group of Trinity members, staff and ministry partners gathered in My Brother's Place to explore the path of Outreach for 2019. Trinity will be focusing on 5 ministry partners to serve, support and grow relationship with in 2019. They include:

Next to New Food For Thought Toledo Streets Newspaper Open Table Toledo (More info coming soon!) Toledo Campus Ministry

Service projects, community building oppurtunities and other exciting new partnerships were discussed as we launch into 2019. The Next to New Service day was our first successful jump into this new path. Stay tuned for more ways to become involved and learn more about these organizations.

Next to New Happenings

Were you one of the 17 volunteers who joined us for the service day on November 3rd? If so a BIG thank you from the Next to New Crew! Merchandise was moved and fun was had by all. The store is now fully ready for the holiday season thanks to you. If you missed this day we will be having more in the months ahead, stay tuned!

Next to New will be open for Art Loop Thursday evenings, 5:30pm November 15th & December 20th. This is a great opportunity for those who can't make it to the shop during their normal weekly hours. Head downtown for Art Loop with friends and come by the shop. We love to see Trinity faces!

Next to New is currently looking for donations of: Men's ties







Lipstick Irons Towels Crock pots

Donation bins are near the choir door entrance and by the elevator on the first floor. All of your donations go to supporting this ministry and the greater Toledo area through our outreach efforts. Thank you for your support of this vital ministry of Trinity!



Open Table Toledo - Autumn Soup Social Sunday November 11th, 4pm

We are delighted to announce that Open Table Toledo will be one of four presenters hoping to win a microgrant at the

Toledo SOUP Autumn Social. Please consider attending this Nov. 11 event to cast your vote for one of our parish's ministries! Click for more information on their <u>Facebook Event</u> page.

Save the Date- Hats, Mittens & Scarves Project

Sundays November 18 & 25 we will be having our annual sale and donation drive to benefit our partner schools. Be gathering new hats, mittens & scarves or come ready to purchase from our selection to add to the donation pile.





Toledo Street Scenes Wednesday November 14th, 6pm

In the summer of 2018 Vendors from Toledo Streets Newspaper hit the streets armed with disposable cameras and in search of images/scenes that captured Toledo and spoke to their experience in our City.

Those cameras were collected and the photographs voted upon. The results is a beautiful collection of artwork that both affirms and challenges our community.

Join them on November 14th to see the artwork revealed, hear from the artists, learn more about our organization, and discover ways to support our vision and mission. See their <u>Facebook Event</u> for further details.

FORMATION

Exploring Your Yes- Advent Retreat Saturday December 8th



One of the scripture passages that we often hear this time of year is Luke 1:26-38, when God sends Gabriel to tell Mary about God's plan for her. The most important part of this story is Mary's consent to take part. Without her yes, the world would be a very different place. While angels are rarely involved these days, God has not stopped inviting people to

participate in God's action in the world. This quiet morning has been structured to help you explore your yes to partner with God in God's mission.

Join us the morning of Saturday, December 8, for a combination of guided activities and independent quiet time (prayer, journaling, coloring, walking outside, etc.).

8:30 am Continental breakfast9:00 am Retreat opens12:00 pm Retreat closes with soup and salad lunchLocation: 577 Foundation in Perrysburg (577 East Front Street)

Click for Registration & Information

MUSIC & THE ARTS



Jon Foster: Jobst High School Scholar Program

Jonathan Foster is a Junior at Toledo School for the Arts where he majors in Theatre and Dance. He has performed in many shows with TSA and other local theaters. Recent roles include The Music Man (Tommy Djilas) and Catch Me if You Can (Agent Branton/ Frank Abagnale Jr. (u/s)). He enjoys dancing, singing, and acting and hopes to travel as a dancer or actor in a company. Jon loves meeting new people and socializing.

Meet David: Jobst Choral Scholar Program

David Breen spent early childhood in southern Illinois and moved to Ohio after second grade. He lived in Akron until leaving to attend Case Western for college and eventually transferring to Bowling Green State University. At BGSU, David studied with Doug Wayland for two months before he passed. He studied with Lance Ashmore for the rest of his time there. David has been singing barbershop for twelve years, competing in the barbershop international contests during this time. Currently he is



actively singing in two barbershop quartets, two barbershop choruses, Clarence Smith's community choir, Vocaledo, and the Lancaster Chorale.



Bring a Friend to Choir Night! Thursday November 15th, 7pm

All choir members are encouraged to invite a friend to spend an evening at Trinity choir rehearsal. All Trinity members this includes you, you definitely have a friend in choir, consider this your invitation! Anyone with a desire to make a joyful noise are invited!. There are many exciting things happening in our music program and we'd love to expand our group to include YOU!

PERFORMING ARTIST SERIES EVENTS

Performing Artist Series: TSA Chamber Music Concert



Sunday November 11, 2pm All in the community are invited to a free chamber music concert by the students of Toledo School for the Arts. Come for a afternoon of music from the talented youth of Toledo!

The post <u>Performing Artist Series: TSA Chamber Music Concert</u> appeared first on <u>Trinity Episcopal Church in Downtown Toledo</u>.

Performing Artist Series: TSA Choir & Piano Concert



Tuesday November 20th, 7pm All in the community are invited to choir & piano concert by the students of Toledo School for the Arts. Come for a afternoon of music from the talented youth of Toledo! Tickets: \$7 adults, \$5 students/seniors. They can be pre-purchased here.

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Trinity Jingle and Mingle: Featuring music from Kim Buehler



Sunday December 9th, 6pm Paula Brown Pub, 912 Monroe St Come enjoy a cozy evening with Trinity's own Resident Educator Kim Buehler. Kim will be singing Jazz standards and Christmas tunes. Cash bar will be available and Trinity will provide appetizers. A great night to spend a relaxing evening of holiday cheer with your Trinity [...]

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