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Friday, November 4, 2022

LISA'S BLOG

There Are Angels Hovering Round ...



Beloved Friends, This week has been a wonderful reminder of not only what it means to be a part of a growing community of faith in Toledo, but also a reminder of how important our connection is to the wider Episcopal Church. I began the week at a 2-day meeting of our Midwest collection of Episcopal Dioceses, Province V, bringing together all of us

who are a part of the Network to Dismantle Racism. We had time for deep conservations ...

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Join evening Election Day Prayers online Nov. 8



November 8 - As polls begin to close on Nov. 8 for the U.S. midterm elections, all are invited to join an Election Day Prayers gathering online hosted by The Episcopal Church Office of Government Relations. Tune in from

8 p.m. to midnight EST. At the top of each hour, special guests from around the church will offer 10-15 minutes of reflection and prayer. Participants are encouraged to engage in prayerful conversation in the comments. The gathering will also feature simple video feeds from parishes throughout the U.S. ...

Pledge Drive Dashboard



Have you made your 2023 pledge? Check out our progress and help to meet our goals.

All Saints' Day Necrology



Nov. 6th - We celebrate the feast of All Saints' Day on Sunday, November 6th during which we will remember loved ones who have died. especially those who have recently passed

The Turn of the Screw



November 4-6, 2022 Actors Collaborative Toledo presents Henry James' classic ghost story reimagined by playwright Jeffrey Hatcher. The Turn of the Screw will be performed on at the Toledo Repertoire Theatre. Tickets at www.toledorep.org

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Missouri church commissions stained glass showing Jesus, other biblical figures as people of color

[Episcopal News Service] A Missouri church whose stained glass windows reflect disputed racial representations of historical Christianity and don't reflect the current makeup of the parish is commissioning a new [...]

Church of England bishops meet to discuss LGBTQ+ issues ahead of **February General Synod**

[Church of England] The College of Bishops of the Church of England has concluded its three-day meeting (Oct. 31 to Nov. 2), called to begin a process of discernment and [...]

Over 1 million people have prayed online with Church of England podcast and app

[Church of England] The number of people using the Church of England's Daily Prayer audio service has passed 1 million as the podcasting revolution begins to reshape how people worship. [...]

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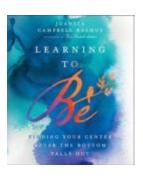
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SAME Cafe Grand Opening

Please join supporters of <u>SAME Cafe</u> on Friday, November 4 at 10:30am for remarks and a ribboncutting ceremony, after which we will serve our delicious meals to everyone who has gathered!

Time: November 4, 2022 | 10:30-11:00

Address: TLCPL Main Library - 325 N. Michigan St.

Toledo, OH 43604

Attire: Everyone is welcome at SAME Café Toledo!

Cost: Volunteer time, donate money, or give produce

in exchange for a delicious lunch!



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Saturday, November 12, 2022

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Guest Post from our Director of Music & the Arts



Tormod Tvete Vik:
Bringing a modern
harmonic language to
classic text Tormod
Tvete Vik is a
Norwegian composer.
A consummate
musician, he started
his musical pursuit at
the bright age of 6,
studying violin, and
continuing with music

composition, arranging, musicology, pedagogy and conducting. He worked professionally as a violinist in his own quartet and string orchestra before, as he states in his bio, "dedicating his career to creating music instead." With his extensive, impressive resume and catalogue of works, the world seems to be glad he did... and so are we. Vik's "Come Unto Me" was commissioned by Mark Pope for the University of Park United Methodist Church in Dallas, Texas. Written for SATB and piano, this piece begins acapella, the melody in the soprano. In his text painting in this first section, tasteful dissonances on words like "me" leave you with a certain longing, and "weary" strikes a deep discomfort, quickly releasing the suspension. The piano joins in the second section, flowing through moving eighth note figures. Voices soar melodically above these moving figures, ending with a humbling key change on the word "souls." The voices and piano then change to a slower, homophonic texture, surprising the listeners again with an F minor chord turning to an E major chord, establishing a new key on the word "light." The final section ends with a repeat of the beginning text, marrying the new key with a mirroring eighth note pattern in the piano. ... Read More ...

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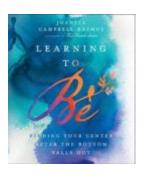
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A deep bow of gratitude to all who participated in this year's Annual Pledge Drive. We have exceeding both our financial and pledge number goals. During

this past season we leaned into our theme for this year "Imagine...More Than Enough" and heard and celebrated how Trinity changes lives, serves others in the community and continues to grow in courage, hope and love. Thank you for being a part of this amazing community!

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EPISCOPAL NEWS SERVICE

Ballot measures supported by dioceses in Oregon and Tennessee pass

[Episcopal News Service] Two ballot measures endorsed by four Episcopal dioceses passed in the United States midterm elections on Nov. 8: one enacting stricter gun control in Oregon and one [...]

Anglican bishops anoint and consecrate new Zulu king

[Anglican Church of Southern Africa] In a service reflecting the long history of relations between the Anglican Church and the Zulu Royal Family, three bishops of the Church conducted a [...]

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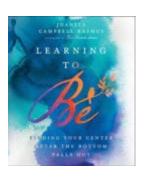
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God of All Creation



Beloved Friends This Sunday, November 20th, is National Transgender Day of Remembrance. In 1999, transgender advocate Gwendolyn Ann Smith held a small vigil in the Castro District in San

Francisco to honor Rita Hester, a transgender woman who was killed in 1998. Over the years, others have joined in on this day, not with parades but instead in holding candle-light vigils to remember those who have who have lost their lives in acts of anti-Trans violence. The 2022 Annual Report of the Human Right Campaigns shared last week that at least 32 transgender and nonconforming people have been killed in the United States this year. This statistic is both horrifying and deeply troubling as we continue to live in a time when our trans siblings need not only advocacy but support and places of sanctuary. Trinity continues to strive to be one of those places and filled with people who understand and embrace ...

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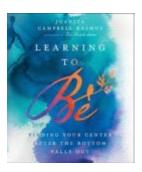
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November 20th. Every year in November, across the country, transgender and gender-nonconforming communities come together to mourn those who have been taken from us due to

anti-transgender violence. We have lost far too many people. We must find a way to come together, pay our respects to those we have lost and reconnect with our community. Together we will find strength, and together we will find peace. This tradition began in 1998 ...

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Central Florida's canon prohibiting same-sex marriage becomes issue in bishop election

[Episcopal News Service] The Diocese of Central Florida forbids weddings of same-sex couples. It also allows them. At the root of that contradiction is a diocesan canon restricting marriage to [...]

Marking slave history at a Rhode Island church

[Episcopal Diocese of Rhode Island] Bishop W. Nicholas Knisely and the Rev. Timothy J. Watt, rector of Trinity Church, Newport, led a service of word and song to mark the [...]

Massachusetts diocese creates reparations fund with \$11.1 million goal

[Diocese of Massachusetts] In a vote described as historic by many in attendance, the 237th annual convention of the Diocese of Massachusetts, meeting Oct. 28-29 in Danvers, approved the creation [...]

War memorial service held at Anglican church in Moscow, Russia

[Diocese in Europe, Church of England] Dignitaries from 37 embassies around the world attended a Remembrance Sunday service at St. Andrew's in Moscow on Nov. 13. The congregation, including a [...]

Oklahoma bishop signs letter opposing capital punishment as state resumes executions

[Episcopal News Service] Oklahoma Bishop Poulson Reed has signed on to a statement with other Christian leaders in the state opposing a state court's decision to set execution dates for [...]

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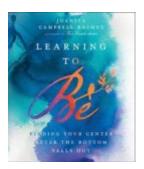


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There's Room for Every Story



Beloved Friends- This Sunday we turn the page in our church calendar and begin the season of Advent. These are the four weeks we set aside every year to prepare our hearts to once

again hear the story of how love came to dwell among us through the birth of Jesus on that cold dark night in an out of the way place to two scared and almost forgotten would-be parents. It is a story I not only never tire of hearing, but as I grow older, anticipate hearing as a necessary balm for my soul. It is a story passed down from generation to generation infused with the hope-filled expectation and imagination of a new world, a new way, a new reality. And this year, ...

EVENTS

#AdventWord



Deepen your experience of Advent by participating in a collaborative online Advent calendar, combining reflections, prayer, and images. A single word from the Sunday Lectionary readings has been chosen for each day of the season of Advent. A daily meditation (in English

and Spanish) and visual image inspired by this word is shared via email, with an invitation to share your personal reflections and photos via social media. These images are shared ...

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Sunday, December 4 immediately following our 10am Eucharist at Trinity @ 316. Our pre-lit trees, wreaths, garlands and other decor are staged on the first floor awaiting many hands to help adorn our sacred space for Christmas. We have big jobs and little jobs to fit everyone's capabilities. Please join us for a wonderful

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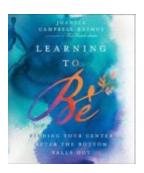
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Anglicans raise voices at COP27

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Pajama drive brings Northwestern Pennsylvania community together to help children in need

[Episcopal News Service] There's a good way to tell it's November in Oil City, Pennsylvania: Sarah Margherio has 437 sets of pajamas gift-wrapped in a bedroom of her home, and [...]

Bishop issues pastoral letter on deadly mass shooting at Walmart in Southern Virginia

[Episcopal News Service] A gunman opened fire at a Walmart in Chesapeake, Virginia, late Nov. 22, killing six and wounding four, before shooting and killing himself. Chesapeake is just south [...]

Shannon Duckworth consecrated as bishop of Louisiana

[Diocese of Louisiana] The doors of Christ Church Cathedral opened, and the celebration began the way any true Louisiana celebration should – to the sound of a jazz band playing [...]

Archbishop of Canterbury meets prime minister of Mozambique and victims of conflict

[Archbishop of Canterbury] Archbishop of Canterbury Justin Welby began a visit to Mozambique this past weekend in which he will meet with people displaced by the conflict that has forced [...]

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Jolly is the first woman to be elected a bishop in the Episcopal Diocese of Ohio. She was one of three nominees. The other nominees were the Rev. Dr. Elaine Ellis Thomas and the Rev. Diana L. Wilcox, both from the Diocese of Newark.



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