

# TRINITY TOPICS

## WEEKLY NEWS

TRINITY@316 IN-PERSON SUNDAYS @10:00am  
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VESTRY VOICES -Jamie Paul



I was raised in a pretty conservative United Methodist church growing up. I went to a couple different churches when I left home to attend college and never felt comfortable or accepted or fit in when I attended any of those churches. The churches I encountered growing up and in college sure wouldn't have been marching in gay pride marches, hanging the BLM or pride flag on the front of their buildings or be a place a homeless person would go to in order to seek hope.

I had given up on church until a friend told me about MCC in the early 2000's and told me Toledo had a church and that was when I first discovered how progressive and diverse Trinity was. Trinity was kind enough to let them meet in their chapel. I have worked downtown almost my entire working life out of college and have always loved the beauty of the Trinity building.... [Read More](#)



## Upcoming Events

### Interim Rector: Rev. Dr. Stephen H. Applegate



We are pleased to announce that Bishop Anne Jolly, with the consent of the Wardens and Vestry, has appointed the Reverend Dr. Stephen H. Applegate to be our Interim Rector beginning October 1, 2023. His tenure will continue for 18 months or shortly before the arrival of Trinity's next rector. In addition to his specialized role as an intentional interim, Stephen will be responsible for all the typical duties of a parish rector: worship, preaching, pastoral care, and leading the staff. Read more by clicking on image.

### AED Saves Lives



September 24 After this Sunday's service Parishioner Scott Dibling will be meeting with any parishioners who wish to be trained on the proper use of the AED. This will take place on the first floor near the parking garage entrance in our Living Room.

### Food Pantry



September 26 - Trinity Episcopal Church and Food For Thought offer a monthly food pantry! Residential proof is not a requirement. All are welcome and wanted! If you are interested in volunteering please sign up! If you need food please come! Click image for more info.

### Choir is in Full Swing!



September 28 - Our regular rehearsals are now in full swing. We meet Thursdays, 7:00-8:30pm in the Choir Room on the first floor. ALL ARE WELCOME AND WANTED! Can't read music? No problem. Want to sing and make some more friends? Love music? Can carry a tune? We Want You!

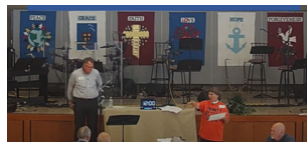
### Nova Ensemble Choral Performance



OCTOBER 8th at 3pm - Come enjoy an afternoon of early music. If you're a choral nerd, this concert is for you! It's the sort of music built for our sanctuary. Plus, your Director of Music and the Arts, Chelsie

Cree, can be found on stage! Admission is free. All are welcome and wanted!

### **Multi-faith Coalition to Reduce Gun Violence**



October 8 - As a follow-up to its first forum at Olivet Church in July, a multifaith group from Toledo and the surrounding area will gather to develop strategies for people of faith to help reduce gun violence in our communities. Featuring information about and speakers from: -

The Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement - Ohio Gun Legislation Expert from Moms Demand Action Click on image for more information.

### **Men's Bible Study**



October 14th- Men's Bible Study the 2nd Saturday of the month. We will gather in-person at Rick's City Diner 533 Monroe St. All men in the Trinity community and their guests are welcome!

### **TSN Lunch Team**



October 19th- On the third Thursday of each month, Trinity prepares and delivers lunch to the vendors of our community partner, Toledo Streets Newspaper (TSN). We will need your help next on Thursday, August 17 when we will gather at 9:00am upstairs in My Brother's Place to prepare the meal! At 10:00, we'll head over to the TSN offices to deliver the meal and spend some time with the vendors. Click the

image to join our team!!!

### **Bishop Anne B. Jolly will celebrate with us October 29th – Save the Date**



October 29 Bishop's Visitation: Time for Baptism, Confirmation, and Reception On Sunday, October 29, the Rt. Rev. Anne Jolly, will be coming to Trinity for her previously scheduled visitation. As part of her visit, she will be offering baptism (for all ages), confirmation, reception, and reaffirmation. We will be arranging a series of classes soon. If you are interested in learning more about baptism, confirmation, reception, or reaffirmation please click the image and read more.

### **Trinity@Home**



Calling Participants for Trinity@Home! Trinity@Home needs YOU! Come volunteer to record prayers and other parts of our online service. Interested in participating? Email Chelsie and we'll get you started! Click on image for more.

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