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Trinit-E News



Our Mission

*In and through Christ, to
restore people to unity
with God and each other
(2 Cor. 5:14-21)*

Good Friday at Lawrence Park





01 Avery Broussard
03 Carley Webster
05 Tammy Cheramie
06 Lauren Sanders
10 Peggy Coats
13 Ed White
15 Ben Mauro
18 Gordon Jones
19 Charlotte Bell Sutton
23 Joshua Jones
24 Elizabeth Hughes Landry
24 Rebecca Kinchen
25 Mary Bell Salmon
26 Astrid Walsh
29 Audrey Lodrigue



09--Sarah and Brady Broussard
13—David and Jane Webster
19—Debi and Roger Busbice
28—Jason and Elizabeth Webster

Three Day Pause

It was a beautiful spring day, and a sense of peace stayed with me as I left the church the Monday morning after Easter. I paused for a moment on the top of the steps leading up to the avenue, now crowded with people rushing to their jobs. Sitting inside her usual place inside a small archway was the old flower lady. At her feet corsages and boutonnieres were spread out on a newspaper. The flower lady was smiling, her wrinkled face alive with joy. I started down the stairs, and then on an impulse turned and picked out a flower.

As I put it in my lapel, I said, "You look happy this morning."

"Why not? Everything is good."

She was dressed so shabbily and seemed so very old that her reply startled me. "No troubles?" I responded.

"You can't reach my age and not have troubles," she replied. "Only it's like Jesus and Good Friday." She paused for a moment.

"Yes?" I prompted.

"Well, when Jesus was crucified on Good Friday, that was the worst day for the whole world. And when I get troubles, I remember that. And then I think what happened only three days later—Easter and our Lord arising. So when I get troubles, I've learned to wait three days—and somehow everything gets all right again."

And she smiled goodbye. Her thoughts still follow me whenever I think I have troubles, "Give God a chance to help—wait three days."

--Paul Barnes, Milwaukee, WI



MINISTRY SCHEDULE April 2018

	April 1 Easter	April 8	April 15	April 22	April 29	May 6
Celebrant/ Officiant	Fr. Lindsay	Fr. Travers	Fr. Lindsay	Fr. Lindsay	Fr. Travers	Fr. Travers
Preacher	"	"	"	"	"	"
Server	Tim C	Joshua J	Tim C	Austin B	Sean Dennis	Joshua J
Chalice	Tim C Charles P	Mary H	Tim C	Lisa P	Judy W	Mary H
Lector	Elizabeth B	Mary H	Judy W	Charles P	Mary H	Elizabeth B
Intercessor	Elizabeth B	Judy W	Judy W	Charles P	Dez K	Elizabeth B
Greeters	Drew M Peggy C	Clare C Peggy C	Drew M Ben M	Clare C Peggy C	Peggy C Drew M	Peggy C Clare C
Altar Guild	Mary H	Cathy B	Judy W Jennie R	Jane W		Mary H
Vestry on Duty	Judy W	David W	Sam J	Mary H	Drew M	Doyle D

Please Pray For: Ellen, Nancy, Astrid, Cathy and Barry, Jeanette, Kay and Mike, Jane and David, Bridgette, Robi and Doug, Cameron, Chips, Charlotte, Roy, Norma, Elizabeth and Irving, Lonnie, George, for all Christians who are persecuted around the world, for all First Responders in our area, those serving in the Armed Forces of the United States of America, our partners in mission at the Deaneries of Copan and Maya in Honduras and our sister parish Cristo Salvador; and our prayer partners in the Anglican Diocese of Tohoku, Japan; and the Anglican Diocese of Lango, Uganda.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Easter Sunday, 9:30 Holy Eucharist with flowering of the cross Fr. Lindsay	2	3 5:00 Choir Practice	4 8 pm Alcoholics Anonymous	5	6 6 pm Alcoholics Anonymous	7
8 9:30 Holy Eucharist, Pot Luck Luncheon Fr. Travers	9	10 5:00 Choir Practice	11 Vestry meeting 6 pm 8 pm Alcoholics Anonymous	12	13 6 pm Alcoholics Anonymous	14
15 9:30 Holy Eucharist Fr. Lindsay	16	17 5:00 Choir Practice	18 8 pm Alcoholics Anonymous	19	20 6 pm Alcoholics Anonymous	21
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29 9:30 Holy Eucharist Fr. Travers	30					



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Sunday Services
9:30 AM

Our Vision

Recognizing that we are all one in Christ, Trinity Episcopal Church is an embracing family, growing spiritually, and joyfully serving the community; a home that comforts the spirit; a place where people's gifts for ministry are identified, nourished, and shared; and place of learning where disciples are formed.

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MORNING PRAYER

Give me the strength to meet each day
With quiet will.
Give me the faith to know Thou art
My Shepherd still.
Give me the light to find my way
When shadows fall.
Be Thou my steady, guiding star,
Father of all.

The Kindness Method

A man was walking in the countryside with his grandson when they came across a small land turtle. The boy picked up his find, examined it, and tried to pry open the shell with a stick. The turtle promptly pulled in its head.

"That will never get you anywhere," the grandfather remarked. "Let me show you."

The returned to the house, and the man put the turtle on the warm hearth. A few minutes later, the turtle stuck out its head and feet and started crawling toward the boy.

"Never try to force a fellow into anything," was the grandfather's observation. "Just warm him up with a little kindness, and he'll respond."

--Christopher News Notes