



# THE TRINITY TRUMPET

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
Longview, Texas

**JULY 2021**  
**TRINITYPARISH.ORG**

Loving God and others, we invite, welcome and embrace all people through worship, fellowship, and service.

## **Next Steps Forward in Mission: Changes coming this Summer and Early Fall**

I am thrilled to announce that the Rev. Dr. Andrew Armond, along with Patty and their children (Thomas, Marie, and Charlotte) have arrived in Longview. Fr. Andrew's first day with us will be July 1. His first Sunday will be July 4. The Fourth of July Cookout at the Trinity Outreach Center will be a first opportunity for many of us to get to know Fr. Andrew and his family. (See the flyer with more information in this edition of the *Trumpet*. Thanks to Judy and Wiley Thomas who are organizing this event.) On July 4, Fr. Andrew will celebrate the Eucharist at both services, and we will have a choir to help lead our hymns and patriotic music. He will be the preacher on July 11.

**The youth and children's Christian formation committee**, chaired by Daphne Scott, is going to help introduce Fr. Andrew to our families with youth and children and to the Trinity School of Texas and other schools. We are planning to have a reopened nursery and in person Christian formation opportunities for youth and children who are ready to participate in the fall.

By fall, barring any unforeseen reversals, we expect the following elements will return to our **worship**: Gospel processions, the common cup, use of the Altar rail, passing the plate, and oblations. We will continue to find ways to respect the social distancing needs of those who need or want more precautions, but we should be back more or less to where we were. There are no longer any restrictions on food preparation, except extra care washing and sanitizing hands.

**The fellowship committee**, chaired by Shirley Griffin, will be hosting a more formal reception for the Armond family this fall. Fellowship has a complete schedule of parish-wide events organized, beginning with the resumption of coffee hour on Sunday, July 11. Adult forum will resume that Sunday. A complete calendar of fellowship events will be published in the August *Trumpet*.

**The adult Christian formation committee**, chaired by Gary Whitwell, is taking the lead in programming for adults on Sunday and Wednesdays.

**Senior Men's fellowship** will resume meeting in person soon. The likely date of their first meeting, which is held in the parish hall, is Tuesday, July 20 at 6 pm. For more information, please contact Harry Barth or me.

**The outreach committee**, chaired by Jan Barth, is hosting an open meeting on Wednesday, July 14 at 6 pm to plan for outreach now that most of our Covid-19 protocols are relaxed. After this meeting, regular Wednesday night fellowship and adult formation meetings will resume at 6 pm on Wednesdays.

**The evangelism and congregational development committee**, chaired by Wiley Thomas, is hosting an *Invite - Welcome - Connect* workshop on July 31st. The workshop will be led by Mary MacGregor, former congregational development officer for the Diocese of Texas, with two other trained facilitators. Participation is open to all members of Trinity. Please contact Wiley or me if you are interested. A contingent from St. Michael's will also be present. *Invite - Welcome - Connect* is a program initially developed at the Episcopal Seminary of the Southwest in Austin. It is now coordinated through the University of the South in Sewanee, Tennessee.

It is an exciting time to be at Trinity. Please continue to pray for the renewal of our church, our brothers and sisters in other Longview-area congregations, and the Church throughout the world.

Peace,

Fr. Bill+  
903-399-1190

## TRINITY CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. Bill Carroll, Rector  
The Reverend Dr. Andrew Armond, Assistant Rector  
Dr. James Douglas "Doug" Stump, TST Head of School  
Tim Baker, Parish Administrator  
Bill Bane, Director of Music Ministries  
Jacqui Baker, Director of Children's Ministries  
Leno Mancilla, Property Manager  
Trudy Godsey, Endowment Board President

## VESTRY

Wiley Thomas, Senior Warden  
Robert Maly, Junior Warden  
Brandt Thorson, Treasurer  
TBA, Clerk of the Vestry

Class of 2021

Steve Lindsey, Dinah Rushing, Wiley Thomas, Tricha Wilcox

Class of 2022

Kathy Gray, John Hall, Robert Maly, Alan Robertson

Class of 2023

Jan Barth, Shirley Griffin, Trey Smith, Sallie Tullberg

## MISSION OF THE MONTH



### Kilgore College - Longview Student Food Pantry

For Kilgore College students struggling to pay for tuition and books, it's sometimes hard to put food on the table. A new program launched in 2017 aims to address that issue. Campus officials have set up a food pantry within the Duvall Student Center for students who are struggling.

The College and University Food Bank Alliance, which focuses on promoting campus programs to alleviate food insecurity and hunger at universities in the United States, said post-secondary enrollment patterns show more and more "nontraditional" students on college campuses. Many students now are supporting families and working full time while attending college. These students are often food insecure or one missed paycheck away from being food insecure.

We are proud to help in this effort. The January loose plate offering will go to help purchase food and other necessary living supplies for Kilgore College students in need. To learn more about this program, or to donate food or money directly, please call the office of Financial Aid at (903) 983-8211.



### At Home Sports VBS



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Check out this easily adaptable VBS for home or neighborhood at:

[bit.ly/trinitysportsclubvbs](https://bit.ly/trinitysportsclubvbs)

meets each Sunday at 9:15 a.m.! If you want to be a part of this fantastic group, let Jacqui know and she'll send you a link.

### Christian Formation

Weekly materials are emailed to parents to assist them in leading their families in Christian Formation. If you would like to receive the weekly emails, let Jacqui know at [jbaker@trinityparish.org](mailto:jbaker@trinityparish.org)



### Kids' Bible Activity Bag

*"Kids' Bible Activity Bags" are at the back of the Nave. Please take the bag and contents home with you each week as a gift.*



Is posted weekly to the Children's Ministry Facebook page and the Trinity website. You can find it here: [Facebook.com/TrinityEpiscopalChildren](https://Facebook.com/TrinityEpiscopalChildren) or [trinityparish.org/childrens-ministry](https://trinityparish.org/childrens-ministry)

# HAPPENINGS IN JULY

## JULY 4th WORSHIP AND PICNIC

Cookout at the Trinity Outreach Center  
Immediately following 10:30 AM Service  
Welcome for Rev. Andrew and Patty Armond & kids

## DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

Monday, July 12 • 5:30 PM • Parish Hall

## MEETING OF THE VESTRY

Tuesday, July 13 • 6:00 PM • Parish Hall

## LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday Mornings at  
7:00 AM  
Silvery Grizzly and  
Zoom Meeting  
To join the study, please  
email Fr. Bill at  
frbill@trinityparish.org for  
info about how to log in.

## WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday Evenings at  
6:00 PM  
Zoom Meeting  
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email Fr. Bill at  
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## WEDNESDAY HOLY EUCHARIST

12:15 PM Wednesdays

**Need transportation to a local scheduled medical appointment?**  
The Daughters of the King would like to help!  
Please call Trinity Episcopal Church at (903) 753-3366

# July

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

Melissa Crawford (7/07)	Myra Smith (7/21)
Lindsay Mraz (7/10)	Dorothy Conrad (7/22)
Mary Guttery (7/11)	Dan Stroup (7/26)
Betty Horaney (7/13)	Nathan Collins (7/27)
Tricha Wilcox (7/14)	Steve Lindsey (7/29)
Chase Barbe (7/15)	Kirsten Phillips (7/30)
Marilyn Lewis (7/19)	David Alexander (7/31)
Lindi Wiley (7/19)	Jack Mann, Jr (7/31)
Susie French (7/21)	Christine Prior (7/31)

Bill and Patsy Charles (7/03)  
Charles and Margaret Miller (7/07)  
George and Marie Piler (7/11)  
Harry and Jan Barth (7/15)  
James and Barbara Crittenden (7/21)  
Dickens and Kate Wilkinson (7/22)

## Pastoral Care Needs?

Please call Fr. Bill Carroll with any Pastoral Care needs. As well, please keep him informed of any pastoral issues that he may need to know about. You can reach him at any time:

**Cell Phone - call or text (903) 399-1190 - Email: frbill@trinityparish.org**

He will be glad to receive phone calls up to 10 p.m. for general issues and at any time for an emergency. Please use your discretion for items that can wait until normal business hours. But, please err on the side of calling or texting for any issues you feel need his urgent attention.



Trinity School of Texas is a 2-year-old through 12th grade private school that successfully prepares students for college and beyond in a joyful, spiritual environment.

## Enrolling for the 2021-2022 school year

903.753.0612  
Cissy Abernathy, Director of Admission  
www.trinityschooloftexas.com



## Accepted.

TST students were invited to attend over 75 colleges and universities nationwide this year alone.

Congratulations to our college-bound Class of 2021! These students earned over \$7 million in scholarships. We know you will succeed!




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**Sunday, July 4 following 10:30 Worship**



*You're  
Invited!*



Join us for hamburgers and all the fixin's as we celebrate the birth of our country and our great freedoms. This year, we rejoice in the opportunity to be together following the pandemic, and to welcome our new Assistant Rector Dr. Andrew Armond and his wife Patty, and children Thomas, Marie, and Charlotte.

**Trinity Outreach Center - Sunday, July 4th**  
**Immediately following the 10:30 AM Service**