



# THE TRINITY TRUMPET

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
Longview, Texas

FEBRUARY 2023  
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Loving God and others, we invite, welcome and embrace all people through worship, fellowship, and service.



## Wondrous Love: Lent and Spiritual Renewal

*What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul!  
What wondrous love is this, O my soul!  
What wondrous love is this  
That caused the Lord of bliss  
To lay aside his crown for my soul?* (Hymn 439)

This old, Appalachian hymn speaks to what Lent is all about. Lent is a season to rediscover Jesus and his love, repent of our sins, and re-engage with the fellowship of Christ's Body, the Church. Here at Trinity, we invite the whole People of God to "prepare with joy for the Paschal feast." (BCP, p. 379).

This year, Lent begins on **February 22 with the solemn liturgy of Ash Wednesday**. We will have services at 12:15 PM and 6:00 PM, with the Imposition of Ashes and Holy Eucharist. The **pancake supper** will be on Tuesday, February 21 at the Hollandsworth Commons at the Trinity School of Texas. Please contact the church office or Fr. Bill if you need directions. (903-399-1190, Fr. Bill's cell).

**On Wednesday nights at 6:00 PM (March 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29 and April 5)**, we will have our potluck supper and Christian formation. With leadership from both our clergy, we will be reading Ruth Burrows' book, *Extravagant Love*, together. The book is a consideration of the self-emptying of Jesus (see Philippians 2) as the foundation for the Christian life of prayer and discipleship. We are going to offer the Stations of the Cross again this year, beginning at 7:30 PM. Everyone is welcome to join us for the meal and discussion, or just for the Stations. Children and youth are welcome to join us in leading these prayers, which will be shared among those present.

**On Sunday mornings at 9:15 AM (February 26, and March 5, 12, 19, and 26)**, Mother Vivian will be leading a Bible study on "Praying with the Psalms." Please take this opportunity to get to know our new Associate Rector and grow in your relationship with God.

It is our deep and heartfelt hope that this holy season of Lent will prepare all of us for the annual celebration of the death and resurrection of the Lord. Holy Week begins with Palm Sunday (April 2) and it finds its fulfillment in the joy of Easter Day (April 9). On Maundy Thursday (4/6), we celebrate the Holy Eucharist with Footwashing at 7:00 PM. On Good Friday (4/7), we celebrate Morning Prayer at 8:00 AM, the Proper Liturgy at 12:00 noon, and Stations of the Cross at 5:00 PM. Easter Sunday worship is at 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM.

*Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

(Liturgy of Palm Sunday, BCP, p. 270)

## TRINITY CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. Bill Carroll, Rector  
The Reverend Vivian Shelby, Associate Rector  
Melissa McCreary, TST Interim Head of School  
Tim Baker, Parish Administrator  
Jeff Richardson, Communication & Connection Minister  
Bill Bane, Director of Music Ministries  
Leno Mancilla, Sexton  
Blake Scott, Endowment Board President

## VESTRY

Sallie Tullberg, Senior Warden  
Robert Maly, Junior Warden  
Brandt Thorson, Treasurer

Class of 2023

Jan Barth, Shirley Griffin, Sallie Tullberg, Julia English

Class of 2024

Alyce Sparks, Kathy Tate, Brandt Thorson, Ava Welge

## MISSION OF THE MONTH



Newgate Mission exists to feed the people of God in mind, body and spirit. All of their ministries and services aim to meet the basic needs of our human condition, especially those affected by poverty. Newgate United Methodist Mission of Longview, Inc. began in 1990. While Newgate is a mission of the United Methodist denomination, it opens its doors to cross all denominational lines as we all participate together in God's mission. They also seek to collaborate with local community agencies who share their passion to love and serve our community. We are honored to support the work of this great ministry this month.

### 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](mailto:frbill@trinityparish.org)**

He will be glad to receive phone calls up to 10:00 PM 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.

### Flower Vases Needed



The flower delivery ministry is in need of vases for delivering weekly flowers to homebound and sick members. If you have glass vases or coffee rounds that you would like to donate, please bring them to the front office.



### Children's Church

Children's Church meets weekly during the 10:30 AM worship service. Children are dismissed after the Children's Ministry Moment and return before communion. For more information about Children's Church, Please contact Fr. Bill at [frbill@trinityparish.org](mailto:frbill@trinityparish.org)

We have a fully staffed nursery available for infants - 3 years from 9:00 AM to Noon on Sundays. The nursery is located in the former Flanagan Room in the hallway behind the nave.



## Bach's Lunch

FREE FRIDAY CONCERT SERIES

Featuring

Jessica Ogilvie, Flautist

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH

12:20 - 1:00 pm

Parish Hall will open at 11:30 AM  
Please bring a sack lunch  
Iced Tea and Water will be provided

## February Parish Events

### SERVICE OF COMPLINE

Sunday, February 5 • 8:30 PM • Nave

### DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

Monday, February 13 • 5:30 PM • Parish Hall

### SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER

Tuesday, February 21 • 5:30 - 7:00 PM  
Hollandsworth Commons

### ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES

Imposition of Ashes with Holy Communion  
Wednesday, February 22 • 12:15 & 6:00 PM

### WEEKLY

#### LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday Mornings at 7:00 AM • Silver Grizzly

#### SPIRITUALITY GROUP

Tuesdays afternoons at 2:00 PM • Guild Hall

#### CROCHET GROUP

Wednesday Mornings at 10:00 AM • Guild Hall

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday Evenings at 6:00 PM • Parish Hall

#### MID-WEEK HOLY EUCHARIST

Wednesdays at 12:15 PM

# FEBRUARY

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

Daphne Scott (2/02)  
Mike Lewis (2/03)  
Patricia Florence (2/04)  
Alyce Sparks (2/04)  
Bobby Carney (2/05)  
Janice Matteson (2/08)  
John Robbins (2/10)  
Jan Barth (2/11)  
Gail Wilks (2/12)  
Harry Barth (2/12)  
Mike Abernathy (2/16)

David Maly (2/18)  
Sallie Tullberg (2/19)  
Kelly Braswell (2/22)  
Nancy Elswick (2/23)  
Jennifer Jackson (2/23)  
Margaret Partin (2/23)  
Loretta Lloyd (2/24)  
Tom Devon (2/25)  
Michelle Gish (2/26)  
James Crittenden (2/27)

David and Brenda Alexander (2/05)  
Sammy and Cherisa York (2/12)  
Ed and Bonnie Rast (2/16)  
Wiley and Judy Thomas (2/20)  
Tom and Arlene Devon (2/23)

## COMPLINE

Sunday,  
February 5th  
8:30 PM



Trinity  
Episcopal  
Church  
LONGVIEW, TX

*Be present, O merciful God, and protect us through the hours of this night, so that we may rest in your eternal changelessness.*

Accepting Applications for  
the 2023-2024 School Year!

Your child will be  
known, loved, and prepared

 TRINITY  
SCHOOL  
of TEXAS

*Schedule a Tour!*  
903.753.0612



# Trinity Service Calendar

## February 2023 – Lectionary Year A

<b>Date</b>	<b>February 5</b> Epiphany 5	<b>February 12</b> Epiphany 6	<b>February 19</b> Epiphany Last	<b>February 26</b> Lent 1
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Reading</b> <b>Psalm</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Reading</b> <b>Gospel</b>	Isaiah 58:1-12 Psalm 112:1-10 1 Corinthians 2:1-16 Matthew 5:13-20	Deuteronomy 30:15-20 Psalm 119:1-8 1 Corinthians 3:1-9 Matthew 5:21-37	Exodus 24:12-18 Psalm 2 2 Peter 1:16-21 Matthew 17:1-9	Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7 Psalm 32 Romans 5:12-19 Matthew 4:1-11
<b>Altar Team</b>	Collins Team	Snell Team	Sticher Team	Matteson Team
<b>Verger</b>	L. Leath	D. Rushing	S. Brice	S. Tullberg
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	Gina Peters	Dorothy Skeans	K. Frith/P. Shappell	Marie Piler
<b>Flower Delivery</b>	Karen Frith	Karen Frith	P. & B. Charles	B. & J. Crittendon
<b>8:00 AM Service</b>				
<b>Ushers</b>	Maly Team	Michaels Team	L. Abernathey B. Alexander	Charles Team
<b>Lay Readers</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Reader</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Reader</b>	J. Welge	M. Abernathey	B. Keese	G. Rushing
<b>L. E. M.</b>	J. Welge	M. Abernathey	B. Charles	G. Rushing
<b>10:30 AM Service</b>				
<b>Ushers</b>	Kuna Team	Howard Team	Crittendon Team	Tate Team
<b>Acolytes</b>	Team 3	Team 1	Team 2	Team 3
<b>Lay Readers</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Reader</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Reader</b>	C. Prior S. York	J. McAtee T. English	J. Wilkinson M. Wilkinson	R. Kuna C. Prior
<b>L. E. M.</b>	S. York J. Sloan	J. Sawyer J. Hart	A. Robertson J. Sloan	S. York J. Sawyer

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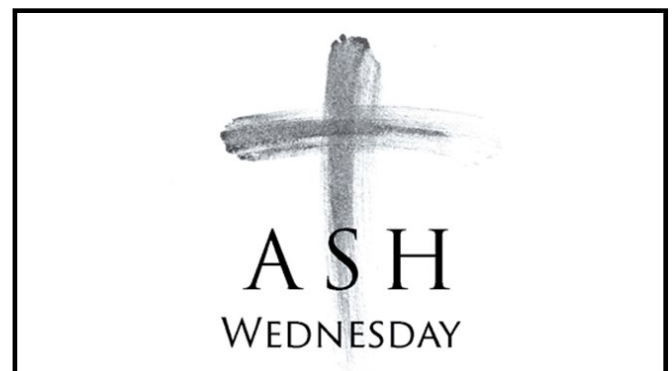
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**SHROVE  
TUESDAY  
PANCAKE SUPPER**

**Tuesday, February 21st**  
**5:30 PM - 7:00 PM**  
**Hollandsworth Commons -**  
**Trinity School of Texas**

**A free-will offering will be taken at the door. Please invite your friends!**



**ASH  
WEDNESDAY**

**FEBRUARY 22ND**

**Imposition of Ashes with Holy  
Communion**

**12:15 PM & 6:00 PM**