

# Trinity Times

A newsletter for the members and friends of Trinity Episcopal Church

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## Last Pentecost - November, 2023

### November Highlights


Sunday worship is at 10 a.m. followed by coffee hour at 11. Please be silent after the bell rings before worship begins.

Saturday, November 4 - Fall back - Daylight savings time ends. Enjoy that extra hour of sleep!

Sunday, November 5 - 10 a.m. - All Saints' Day Observance - Holy Eucharist and Renewal of Baptismal Vows.

Sunday, November 29 - 10 a.m. - Last Sunday of Pentecost, Christ the King. Vestry meets.

### The Carol Reed Memorial Mitten Tree/Outreach -

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 **YOU CAN HELP**  
this year we're doing something a bit different. We've had some difficulty finding takers for hats, scarves and mittens, so the vestry discussed making our food donations more intentional for those in need, especially around the holidays. Here are some suggestions for the best foods to donate - obviously be sure to check the dates on items and look for low sodium items:

- canned tuna, salmon, chicken
- cooking oil - canola or olive
- unsweetened applesauce, dried and canned fruit
- canned vegetables

- Peanut and other nut butters
- Rolled oats, whole grain cereals
- Powdered milk
- Canned soup, tomatoes and sauce
- Honey, brown sugar
- Chicken or beef stock
- Toilet paper, feminine products, diapers

Consider what kinds of products don't need added ingredients, i.e., you can't use Hamburger Helper if you have no hamburger, but you can make a casserole with noodles, cream of mushroom soup, and tuna. Share your own suggestions at Announcements or coffee hour. Our collection will start December 5.

**Looking ahead - December** will be busy and we have decisions to make, both personally and corporately.

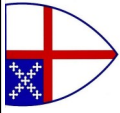
**Pledge Sunday** is the 10th, when we prayerfully consider how we will each share our time, talent and treasure in 2024. The new church year begins on the **First Sunday of Advent on the 5th**, our service music changes to reflect this time of quiet expectation, and we'll need to make some decisions about how to handle Advent IV and Christmas Eve, both on the same day this year. And, we'll look at the future leadership of our parish - it's time to pass the baton. (see last month's newsletter). Remember, *we* are the church.



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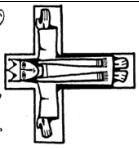
November at Trinity  
Last Pentecost

*To seek and serve Christ in all people*



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## Last Pentecost

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>Trinity Cycle of Prayer</i> 11/5 Kim, Chuck, and Logan Cornell. 11/12 Molly Fagnon &amp; Bryan Drake. 11/19 David and Shelly Fish. 11/26 Charles and Virginia Ford.</p> <p><i>Kajo Keji:</i> 11/5 St. John Mundi Parish. 11/12 Jondale Parish; St. Peter Keriwa Parish. 11/19 St. Matthew Lori Parish; Romogi-Richard Earl High School. 11/26 St. Mark Rodo Parish.</p>	<p><i>Diocese of Bethlehem:</i> 11/5 St. Luke's, Scranton, The Rev. Rebecca Barnes. Diocesan ECW. 11/12 St. Alban's, Sinking Spring, The Rev. Michelle Moyer. 11/19 Christ Church, Stroudsburg, The Rev. Bruce Gow. Standing Committee. 11/26 St. Stephen's Pro-Cathedral, The Rev. Timothy Alleman; Holy Cross, Wilkes-Barre.</p>	<p><b>1 All Saints Day</b> AA Intergruop, 5 pm AA 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>2 All Souls Day</b> <i>Heather Martin Lake</i></p>	<p><b>3</b></p>	<p><b>4</b> <b>Fall Back!</b> <b>Daylight Savings Time Ends Tonight</b></p> 	<p><i>Anglicans Around the World: 11/5 The Anglican Church of Mexico, Archbishop Enrique Treviño Cruz. 11/12 The Anglican Church of Mozambique and Angola, Bishop Carlos Simao Matsinhe. 11/19 The Church of the Province of Myanmar, Archbishop Stephen Than Myint Oo. 11/26 The Church of Nigeria, Archbishop Henry C. Ndukuba.</i></p>
<p><b>5 All Saints Sunday</b> 10:00 Holy Eucharist II And Renewal of Baptismal Vows 11:00 Coffee Hour</p> 	<p><b>6</b> AA 7 and 8:00 pm</p>	<p><b>7 Election Day</b></p>	<p><b>8</b> AA 7:30 pm <i>Blake Draper</i> <i>Everett Forbes</i></p>	<p><b>9</b> <i>Matthew Hollywood</i></p>	<p><b>10</b></p>	<p><b>11</b></p>
<p><b>12 Pentecost 24 P-27</b> 10:00 Holy Eucharist II 11:00 Coffee Hour</p>	<p><b>13</b> AA 7 and 8:00 pm</p>	<p><b>14</b></p>	<p><b>15</b> AA 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>16</b></p>	<p><b>17</b></p>	<p><b>18</b></p>
<p><b>19 Pentecost 25 P-28</b> 10:00 Holy Eucharist II 11:00 Coffee Hour</p>	<p><b>20</b> AA 7 and 8:00 pm</p>	<p><b>21</b></p>	<p><b>22</b> AA 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>23 Thanksgiving Day</b> </p>	<p><b>24</b> <i>Kent Stanley</i></p>	<p><b>25</b></p>
<p><b>26 Last Pentecost - Christ the King (P-29)</b> 10:00 Holy Eucharist II 11 Coffee Hour *Vestry Meets*</p> 	<p><b>27</b> AA 7 and 8:00 pm <i>Elizabeth Maneval</i></p>	<p><b>28</b> <i>Alex Mentzel</i></p>	<p><b>29</b> AA 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>30 Saint Andrew The Apostle</b></p>	<p><b>December 10 is Stewardship Sunday.</b> December's newsletter will include a pledge card. You can mail it or place in the offering plate on that day. <i>Time - Talent - Treasure</i></p>	