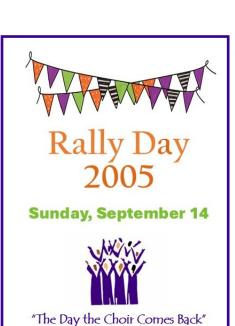


From Rev. Haydie

As I said last month: **it takes a village.** September is a traditional time to celebrate the wide range of ministries that keep us running, as well as those that help us reach out to surrounding communities. These ministries happen because **you** make them happen! Yes, some of our shared life at Trinity depends on the cooks and readers and musicians you see every Sunday, but other parts depend on people you may rarely see at all—people who show up faithfully to blow leaves off the patio, or help with My Brother's Table, or take on a rummage sale. We're grateful for all of you.

And what a blessing it was to begin this season with an award recognizing **Our Gathering Place**, Trinity's after-school Program for high school students. Representatives of the Idaho Episcopal Foundation joined us on our Back-to-School Sunday in



Hotdogs | Ice Cream | Games

August to present OGP with their Excellence in Mission Award and a \$500 check.

We're very grateful to IEF Executive Director Amy Hoppock and board member Sue Reents for making the long trip from Boise. We're just sorry that OGP Director Sherry Shay and assistant Chalee Christensen couldn't be there! Their work is an everyday blessing to the students who visit OGP... and to our village.

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I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord." Psalm 105

2025 Vestry

Miffy Lane

Senior Warden

Monica Eckert

Junior Warden

Susan Goslee

Clerk

Ruta Casabianca

Timothy Cole

Rosa Hill-Alford

Diane Nelson

Kathy Venemon

Angela Young

Members

Miffy's Message

Idaho State University is reaching out to all the churches in the area. They realize the importance of church in the lives of some students and how important that is for student success. Ruta Casabianca and I attended a meeting with a wide variety of faith leaders on August 7th. We heard from President Wagner, the Dean of Students, the student body president and the alumni director. Each of the speakers was focused on student success and stressed the important role that churches play in the lives of their students.

President Wagner's main message was how the University continues to support diversity, identity, tutoring, etc. by serving all students through the expanded Student Success Center. Some offices were mandated by the State of Idaho to close, so ISU added continued support in those areas to the Student Success Center. The Dean of Students focused on student mental health, including suicide prevention. He urged church leaders to assist students with mental health issues in contacting his office. The ISU Care Team will help those students with whatever it takes to get them back on a track toward success. The student body president focused on inclusion by getting students involved in clubs, participating in campus activities, and local events. He gave examples of how much happier and successful students become when they are not isolated.

All four speakers wanted the faith leaders to know that their encouragement of student church members was important to student success. Trinity does not have a large population of university students, unlike larger churches in town. One thing we can do is support Benny's Pantry. It is the food pantry on campus for students and staff who need food, storage bags, toiletries, baby food, diapers, laundry pods, and toilet paper. They do get some food from the Idaho Food Bank but rely on food and cash donations from the community. Our 5th Sunday open plate offering went to Benny's Pantry. Trinity has always welcomed ISU students and will continue to do so with your help.

Looking ahead...

Bishop Jos will be joining us on October 26. Wondering about being confirmed or received into The Episcopal Church? If so, please talk to Rev. Haydie now.

Tending God's House

Looking around our worship space, we're grateful for our predecessors' gifts of our little stone church, our organ, our windows... our candlesticks and altar linens and so much more. But we're also grateful to those current congregants whose dedication maintains our building and adapts it to our changing needs. This fall, we particularly notice...

- The amazing new cabinet in our sacristy. Built by Mike Beer with Tim Cole's help, this cabinet was designed by Geoffrey Friedley for the Trinity and Alleluia Choirs as well as the Altar Guild. It was funded by a 2023 Rose Grant from our Diocese and brought in (see picture) just last week. Please come look at it after it's secured to the wall!
- The pews being gradually restored throughout the church. Many thanks to the generosity of Kristin Johnson and Steve Wilding and to the skill of In the Woods' Tim Zikratch.
- Our aging front doors, now finally to be replaced. After a multiyear search, former Junior Warden Richard Creason has found a contractor able to replicate the original design and is himself overseeing the project. This project is made possible by a \$5,000 grant from the Idaho Heritage Trust and by a generous bequest from the late Kathy Brennan.
- The newly stretched church carpet. That's one trip hazard, gone! Many thanks to everyone who made the work possible by helping move the chancel furniture, and to Miffy Lane for overseeing the job..



September

Birthdays

- Martin Frasure
- **Amber Creason Judy Stewart**
- Isaiah Leonard
- 11 John Specht
- 18 Kristen Johnson
- 20 Chris Cole

Anniversaries

3 Kristen Johnson & Steve Wilding

One-Hour Cleanup

Join us at 9am on Saturday, September 13, for an hour of getting the flower beds in shape for fall. Many hands make light work!

Sung Compline shadow | candlelight | prayer reflection | silence | song First Fridays at Trinity 7:00 - 7:30 pm Lift your heart in silent meditation as these ancient night time prayers are sung.

Midterm Care Packages

It's almost time for our fall Midterm Care Packages—our gifts of love and support to ISU students in Pocatello. For \$20, you can send a package filled with homemade treats, study aids, games, and encouragement.

Right now, you can help by spreading the word through your social media contacts or by posting flyers in public places. In October, you'll be able to help by baking homemade treats, by filling the gift bags (on Sunday, Oct 12), and by delivering packages during the following week.

If you are giving money to support the project, allowing us to give the packages to deserving students identified by ISU advisors, simply give your donations to the office marked for "Midterm." As always, you can donate in cash, check or online at the Parish website. If you want your gift delivered to a specific student, staff or faculty member, please fill out the online order form giving us the recipient's contact information.

Kathleen Kangas

First Friday Compline

Join us on First Fridays this fall for a half hour in prayer and reflection as two to three choristers sing and chant the ancient service of Compline in our candlelit church. Originating in the 4th Century, Compline is now a part of Catholic, Anglican, Lutheran, Oriental Orthodox, and Eastern Orthodox traditions. The service includes confession, readings from scripture, and traditional prayers and it serves as a quiet and meditative ending of the day. In monastic traditions it begins the nighttime period of silence and reflection.

PWCC Update

Thank you so much for your generous response for black composition books for the residents at the Pocatello Women's Correctional Center (PWCC). July and August count is at 116, which is an all-time record breaker. The composition books are used for class work, journal writing, and note taking by the residents and they are greatly appreciated. Thanks again for your continued support for this outreach ministry of Trinity.

The Rev. Diane Paulson

Episcopal Church Weavers

The Weavers met on August 16th after a summer break. We talked about Fall events and what we could do to make each of them a success. Kathleen Kangas will decorate the tables at coffee hour for Back-to-School on August 24th, and we agreed to pay for a gift card for supplies and decorations for our one elementary teacher. We also talked about Rally Day on September 14th when the choir returns and we settle in for the fall season. Games and a special coffee hour with hot dogs and ice cream was discussed.

Reverend Haydie reported there is to be a Compline service at 7:00 on September 5th during First Friday Art Walk. We also planned the luncheon to be served after a memorial and graveside service for Douglas Halliwell Brick ,who went missing from the University of Utah in 1973. Remains found in the hills above the U of U in 2024 have been identified as Douglas, son of Donna Brick who was a long-time member of Trinity. The memorial service was held at Trinity on Friday, August 29th.

We completed two projects at the meeting. We put the stickers on bags for the October Mid-term Care Bags. We also made meal bags with the ingredients and recipe for tuna casserole. These were taken to Benny's Pantry for ISU students and staff who are in need of food. The **next meeting will be September 20**th at 11:00 in the parish hall. All are welcome!

Trinity Reads

We'll finish our discussion of Tish Harrison Warren's *Prayer in the Night: For Those Who Work or Watch or Weep* at 7pm on Tuesday, September 9. Then we'll begin our next book, Nadia Bolz-Weber's *Accidental Saints: Finding God in All the Wrong People.* A Lutheran pastor who is both funny and profane (yes, that's a warning!), Bolz-Weber celebrates God's grace in the most messed-up people and places of our lives. Unless something changes, we'll discuss her book on Tuesday, October 7.

Loving the Questions

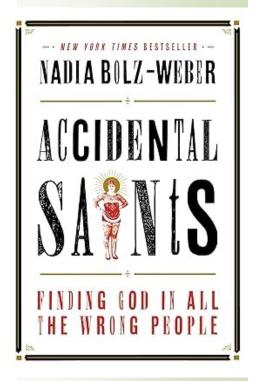
Our planned August conversation ran into scheduling conflicts, so on **Saturday**, **September 20**, **at 10am** we'll be asking: What do we talk about when we talk about the devil... "the adversary..." the existence of evil? How has our tradition understood the presence of evil?

Stewardship Update

As of August 31 Trinity had received

- \$7,423.22 (57%) of its anticipated 2025 open plate offerings.
- \$65,016.05 (66%) of its anticipated 2025 pledge offerings.

Trinity's ministries depend on your generosity. Thank you!



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Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
	Office Closed	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	6
	8:00 AA	8:00 AA		7:00 Choir Practice	8:00 AA	
7 10:00 Morning Prayer	2:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	DAY 11 3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	13
1:30 My Brothers' Table	8:00 AA	7:00 Trinity Reads 8:00 AA		7:00 Choir Practice	8:00 AA	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
10:00 Holy Eucharist 1:30 My Brothers' Table	2:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP 7:00 Choir	3:00 OGP 8:00 AA	10:00 Loving the Questions 11:00 ECW
	8:00 AA	8:00 AA	7:00 Vestry	Practice		
21 10:00 Morning Prayer	Welcome 22 2:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	3:00 OGP	27
1:30 My Brothers' Table	8:00 AA	8:00 AA		7:00 Choir Practice	8:00 AA	
28 10:00 Holy Eucharist Healing & Backpack blessing	29 2:00 OGP	30 3:00 OGP		Church Off Monday, Thur 10:00 am Remote Off	sday, Friday to 2:00pm	
1:30 My Brothers' Table	8:00 AA	8:00 AA	Wedne	esday 9:1		p.m.

		Trinity Episcopal Church Participant Schedule September 2025 10 a.m. Service	urch	
	September 7 The 13th Sunday after Pentecost Morning Prayer	September 14 The 14th Sunday after Pentecost Holy Eucharist	September 21 The 15 th Sunday after Pentecost Holy Eucharist	September 28 The 16 th Sunday after Pentecost Holy Eucharist
Officiant	Joe Crupper	Rev. Haydie LeCorbeiller	Rev. Don Paulson	Rev. Haydie LeCorbeiller
Homilist	Joe Crupper	Rev. Haydie LeCorbeiller	Rev. Don Paulson	Rev. Haydie LeCorbeiller
Eucharistic Minister	I	Joe Crupper Angela Young	Geoffrey Friedley Joe Crupper	Angela Young
Lector 1	Diane Hutchinson	Tom Eckert	Arthur Dolsen	Trent Clegg
Lector 2	Miffy Lane	Catherine Buttrick	Kathy Venemon	Ruta Casabianca
Lector 3 (Gospel)	Anne LoPiccalo	-	-	-
Prayers of the People	ŀ	Diane Hutchinson	Anne LoPiccalo	Miffy Lane
Ushers	Jeffre Miller Ruta Casabianca	Monica Eckert Jeffre Miller	Jeffre Miller Kathy Venemon	Jeffre Miller Rita Haggardt
Altar Guild	Angela Young	Angela Young	Rev. Haydie	Angela Young
Bread	-	Susanne Forrest	-	Susanne Forrest
Audiovisual Team	Kevin Scott	Joe Crupper	Joe Crupper	Kevin Scott
Coffee Hour	Rita Haggardt Sue Frasure	Miffy Lane	Sue Frasure Rita Haggardt	TBD
Vestry On Duty	Timothy Cole	Monica Eckert	Susan Goslee	Rosa Hill-Alford
My Brothers' Table	Catherine Buttrick & Friends	Chubbuck Stake	Knights of Columbus	St. Vincent dePaul

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Priests: The Rev. Donald Paulson Alleluia Choir Director: Geoffrey Friedley

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