# Trinity Times

### A newsletter for the members and friends of Trinity Episcopal Church

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#### **Lent - March, 2023**

#### March Highlights

Holy Eucharist I, Sundays at 10 a.m.

**Wednesday, March 1 - Chrism Mass,** Cathedral Church of the Nativity, Bethlehem, 11 a.m. Renewal of Ordination vows and blessing of oils. All welcome.

**Saturday, March 11 -** Set your clock forward 1 hour when you head to bed. At 2 a.m. Sunday morning, it instantly becomes 3 a.m.

Sunday, March 26 - The Fifth Sunday in Lent - Holy Eucharist I. \*\*Vestry meets\*\*

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**Vestry News**: The 2023 vestry met on February 26. Along with reviewing current projects and our financial status, they elected our delegate and alternate to Diocesan Convention, which takes place October 13 and 14 at Centennial Conference Center, Center Valley, just south of Bethlehem. Our delegate will be Loyd Moreno; Doug Plank is the alternate. Anyone may attend convention; this is the first in-person convention since 2019 and should be a great event.

The vestry would like help finishing some long-time projects. Maybe you're the person who can do one of these:

- ♣ A video inventory of the church and its furnishings
- Updating the Memorial book, notating donations of items and funds
- ♣ Outreach Coordinator to organize how Trinity can help those in need

There are so many ways we can all take part in the life of the church - some ideas are: lector, greeter, coffee hour host, St. Julian Society (prayer ministry), altar guild, gardening, music offerings, visiting shut-ins, offering rides to and from church, arranging flowers - or maybe you see someplace that you might contribute. Let the vestry or Barbara know, please!

While March is fairly quiet liturgically, it is St. Patrick's Day on the 17th. It was the last ice age that kept snakes out of Ireland, but the legend that it was Patrick lives on. We give thanks that he brought Christianity to the Emerald Isle.

(Patrick of Ireland, Bishop and Missionary, 461)



St. Patrick driving the snakes out of Ireland.



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Sunday	Monda	y Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Schwartzberg. 3/12 Marcella and Walt Chaykosky. 3/19 Kim, Chuck,  Kajo Ke		Kajo Keji: 3/5 St. Peter Leikor Parish. 3/12 Wojira Parish. 3/19 St. John Lukura Parish. 3/26 Kajo Keji Christian College & St. James Wudu Parish.	1 Chrism Mass Cathedral, 11 am Intergroup 5/AA 7:30	2 AA 7 pm Katie Moreno	3  Loyd Moreno	4 Greg Lake
5 Lent 2	6	7	8	9	10	11
10 - Holy Eucharist I 11 - Coffee Hour	AA 7 and 8 pm	,	AA 7:30 pm	AA 7 pm		DST Spring Forward
Trula Hollywood	Evelyn Johnson		Bonnie Bailey		Jack Forbes Gage Streeter	
12 Lent 3 10 - Holy Eucharist I 11 - Coffee Hour (Don't be late - set your clock forward one hour)	13 AA 7 and 8 pm  Keith Hollywood Barbara Caum Jill Kormanik	14	15 AA 7:30 pm	<b>16</b> AA 7 pm	17	18  Judy Phillips
19 Lent 4 10 - Holy Eucharist I 11 - Coffee Hour	20 St. Joseph AA 7 and 8 pm First Day of Spring	21  Rick Bubniak	<b>22</b> AA 7:30 pm	23 AA 7 pm	24	25 The Annunciation  Jeff Johnson
26 Lent 5 10 - Holy Eucharist I 11 - Coffee Hour **Vestry Meets**	27 AA 7 and 8 pm	28  Mary Beth Paul	<b>29</b> AA 7:30 pm	30 AA 7 pm	31	
		Becky Fiorello	Joe & Laura Cama	Daye Moreno		

Anglicans Around the World 3/5 The Anglican Church of Korea, Bishop Peter Kyongho Lee. 3/12 The Anglican Church of Melanesia, Bishop Enrique Treviño Cruz. 3/19 The Anglican Church of Mexico, Bishop Enrique Treviño Cruz. 3/26 The Church of the Province of Myanmar, Archbishop Stephen Than Myint Oo.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer 3/5 Epiphany, Glenburn; St. Peter's, Tunkhannock, The Rev. Lou Divis. 3/12 St. Clement's and St. Peter's, Wilkes-Barre. 3/19 St. Gabriel's, Douglassville, The Rev. Andrew VanBuren. 3/26 St. James's, Drifton.



Palm Sunday is April 2

Easter is April 9



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