



Filling the Pews at HTAC (*Here he goes again...*)

Dear Church Family Members and Friends of HTAC, Marlborough,

An Apology & More: Alas, I believe I have miscommunicated my deep concern for the lapsed at HTAC and the unchurched to you. I ask your forgiveness. If at any point my words have come across as, "*fretting about numbers in the pew*," I apologize...***THIS IS NOT MY INTENTION!*** Numbers are *not something*, in and of themselves, that should concern us. We are called to be faithful to God and His Word and that is all. Only God can bring growth within the heart and soul of the person with whom we have shared the Good News.

Having said that, our hearts should pine to see the unchurched, whether lapsed (i.e., missing for two or more Sundays at church) or the unchurched all together, come to know Jesus initially or more fully through Christian fellowship (GR: *koinonia*), Word and Sacrament (GR: *Anamnesis*) in the Mass each Lord's day. If our hearts do not mourn - *truly mourn in Godly love* - over the lapsed and the unchurched, we should ask ourselves why? John 3:16-18, "*For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son [Jesus Christ], that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son [Jesus] into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God*".

Have we forgotten that the world (e.g., our lapsed brothers and sisters and our unchurched family members, neighbors, friends, co-workers, fellow students) are in danger of perishing? Alas, the consequence of sin, which we, not God, introduced into His creation, is death (eternal separation from God). We are all conceived and born out of right relationship with God...For He is righteous, and we are unrighteous; He is holy and we are sinful; He is infinite and we are finite; we introduced sin and death into His creation and yet He offers us life and salvation in His Son Jesus Christ. We cannot - in our brokenness - attain to God, so God came to us in the Person of Jesus Christ - a divine rescue mission (John 3:16-17). God in the Person of Jesus confronted sin, suffering and death Himself in the flesh and was raised in eternal victory over these things that hold us in bondage.

Sin and death are no longer the final words over us in this fallen and broken world. God has something awesome in mind for you and for me. Life and salvation, forgiveness and eternal life are now God's final Word in this world - in His Son Jesus Christ. **JUST TAKE HIS HAND!** At one level it is simple: Place your trust and faith in God revealed in Jesus and His Word, and not in yourself or the things of this world, and you are saved. We enter into Christ Jesus (God's salvation for this fallen and broken world) and His true promise through holy baptism (a gift and work of God) and this new life is realized, nurtured, nourished, expressed, etc, in receiving the Blessed Sacrament of His Body and Blood (ie., the Bread of Life and the Cup of Salvation).

My dear family, friends, members of my church family, etc, I love you, and like God, I cannot imagine eternity without you! Join me, as broken as I am, in trusting Jesus (and not myself or this world) for your life and salvation. "*Just so, I tell you, there is joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repents*" (Luke 15:10).

"And the master said to the servant, 'Go out to the highways and hedges and compel people to come in, that my house may be filled'" (Luke 14:23)

Love you all!

Your Priest,
Fr. Michael†

I AM the RESURRECTION and the LIFE Power over the grave –

God can take what seems like a certain defeat and turn it into a glorious victory. This is why tragedy can be an occasion for God to reveal His glory. If you believe Him, he will show you His glory and do miracles.

John 11 tells the story of Lazarus. When Mary and Martha sent a message that their brother Lazarus was sick, Jesus said, "It is for God's glory so that God's Son may be glorified through it." Later he told the disciples "Lazarus is dead, and for your sake I am glad I was not there, so that you may believe."

When Martha saw Him, she said, "If you had been here, my brother would not have died." Have you ever lived in that "if only" stage, thinking, "If only things were different?" It's easy to focus on the past. Jesus said to her "Your brother will rise again." Martha answered, "I know he will rise again in the resurrection at the last day." It sounded so religious: she was acknowledging that Lazarus would rise on the last day. Yet Jesus is absolutely able to do abundantly above all that you ask or think – not – "if only," and not just at the last day – but now!

God's name is **I AM**. It's like an unfinished sentence where you fill in the blank to meet your every need: I AM healer, I AM deliverer, I AM victory, I AM provision. Whether you need healing, emotional support or financial breakthrough. He is the answer!

Jesus told Martha, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die: and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Then He asked, "Do you believe this?" Like Martha, we should answer, "Yes Lord."

As Jesus saw Mary and the others weeping, He was deeply moved in His spirit and wept. He felt human compassion and sensed the grief of people not recognizing that He is the resurrection and nothing is impossible with Him.

He came to the tomb and said, "Take away the stone." Martha reminded Him that Lazarus had been dead four days, but Jesus said, "Did I not tell you that if you believe, you will see the glory of God?" He prayed, then called in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" Imagine the scene as the dead man emerged from the tomb!

Jesus is able to heal the sick, raise the dead, and provide for every need. You don't have to wait for the Second Coming to have a hope and a future. He says, "**I am the resurrection and the life, he who believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die.**"

Submitted by: Joan C. Balk

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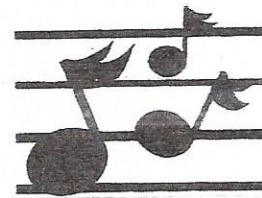
ANNUAL MEETING OF HOLY TRINITY ANGLICAN CHURCH

Our Annual Meeting was held on Sunday, February 11th in the Fellowship Hall. Many of our members were present to enjoy a potluck lunch followed by the meeting. At the meeting, the new Parish Council was voted into office (see list at the end of this newsletter). Mike Kenyon volunteered to be our lay delegate at Synod. Tanya Bottini, the Treasurer, reviewed the budget for 2018, and reported on the work carried out in the buildings. Mike Kenyon gave a report on Stewardship and reminded everyone of the fact that stewardship is part of worship. If you need the Annual Report please contact Richard Bostock, the Clerk, at richard.bostock@umassmemorial.org.

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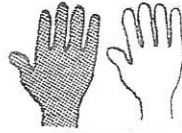
Collect for Good Shepherd Sunday (Easter 4)

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of thy people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calleth us each by name, and follow where he doth lead; who, with thee and the Holy Spirit, liveth and reigneth, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



CONTEMPORARY CHRISTIAN MUSIC

We are blessed to have Judi Pinkerton offer Contemporary Christian Music prior to the Mass once a month. Those people who particularly appreciate CCM can attend at 9:30 on those Sundays and have their spirits lifted and enriched by such music in preparation for the Mass at 10:00 a.m. Judi will be with us on April 22 and May 13. Please welcome Judi and thank her for her willingness to serve the Lord through her gift of music.



HEALING SERVICE - Everyone welcome!

A Healing Service is held the third Saturday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the main church sanctuary. The service begins with a Bible passage on healing with a brief reflection continuing with confession and the litany of Healing, followed by individual anointing and private confidential prayer. Healing prayer request cards may be given to Dcn Rhonda for prayer when you or the person you are praying for are unable to attend. They will be lifted up in prayer at the appropriate time during the service. Cards may be found at the back of the church. For further information or questions regarding the service, please contact Dcn Rhonda: 508-517-9805 or email 'cottonfamily@verizon.net'.

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND MAKE WORSHIP YOUR FIRST PRIORITY

In addition to worship on the Lord's Day, please mark your calendars with the following dates and times in 2018 and 2019::

2018

Please plan to attend one of the following Masses in honour of the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ:

- Christmas Eve Solemn High Mass: 7:00 p.m., December 24
- Christmas Day Said Mass w/ Carols: 10:00 a.m., December 25

2019

Please plan to attend one of the following Ash Wednesday Masses marking the beginning of Lent:

- Ash Wednesday Said Mass: 11:30 a.m., March 6
- Ash Wednesday Solemn High Mass: 7:00 p.m., March 6

Please join us for the following special Service as we follow the Way of the Cross:

- Outside Stations of the Cross (weather permitting): 7:00 p.m., April 12

Persons are strongly encouraged to attend the Sacred Triduum; the zenith of Christian worship:

- Maundy Thursday Solemn High Mass: 7:00 p.m., April 18
- Good Friday Solemn High Liturgy: 7:00 p.m., April 19
- Solemn High Mass for the Great Vigil of the Resurrection: 7:00 p.m., April 20
- A Said Mass with Easter Hymns will also be offered on Easter Morning at 10:00 a.m., April 21

ALTAR FLOWERS and SANCTUARY LAMP

If you would like to commemorate a loved one by donating the cost of the altar flowers, or Sanctuary Lamp, please contact Tanya Bottini (508-877-8736, email JBottini1@verizon.net) for details and to sign up for a particular Sunday. You are welcome to donate in memory, in thanksgiving, or in honor of one or more people. The Holy Eucharist will also be offered for your intention. Thank you!

JUNE'S TABLE

June's Table, Holy Trinity Anglican Church's Saturday evening free meal program, has been up and running since November 4, 2017. We serve meals to the needy, sheltered, and homeless in our community, the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month. We are blessed to be able to use the recently updated kitchen and fellowship hall in Holy Trinity's Outreach Center for this service. We have been serving about 50 meals each time (including take-out meals for family members of our guests), to 15-30 appreciative guests. Our prayerful vision for this ministry is to join with three or more organizations or churches, to fill the remaining Saturdays of each month. When this vision is fulfilled, God willing, our guests will have the opportunity for a free meal **every** Saturday evening. Stay tuned!

As members and friends of Holy Trinity, there are many opportunities to participate, and we need your help! We are looking for volunteers for the following:

- Purchasing food (reimbursement is available) and preparing menu items for the meals. An example menu is: meatballs in sauce, served in sub rolls; tossed salad; fruit; vegetable; dessert.
- Six-eight people to set the tables for the meal, help greet the guests, serve the meal, and help with food clean-up
- Getting the word out to the community: local advertising; bilingual flyers; distribution of flyers, (other suggestions welcomed!)
- Making seasonal table decorations

We begin preparations at 4:00 pm on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month, and serve the meal from 5-6 pm, with clean-up following.

If you have any questions, or would like to help, please contact Emily Morse, 978-808-8608, or Deacon Suzy Kenyon, 508-654-4497.

Thanks, and blessings,
Emily and Deacon Suzy

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From our People's Warden

- **The coat drive** was a great success this year! I want to thank everyone who showed up every week to lend a hand. Also those who made donations of coats, hats, socks, etc. It was a great time for fellowship and always nice to meet with our neighbors.
- **The Food Pantry** will not open on Wednesdays for the near future. If someone is in need they can call me, Kathleen Demers at 774 249-5780. Otherwise it is still open on Sundays during fellowship. Please remember to pick up something while food shopping and put in the bin provided inside the of the front doors of the church.
- **Volunteer Opportunities with Hospice:** Constellation Hospice is looking for volunteers and will train anyone interested. The patients are at the Reservoir Rehabilitation on Bolton Street in Marlborough. They only ask for a few hours a week, at your convenience. For more information, please contact me.
- **Parishioners needing rides:** Some of our parishioners have a need for rides to doctors' appointments or to do errands. If you have some free time during the week and are able to help, please speak to me.

As always, remember to pray for one another. We are one big family.
Thank you!
Kathleen Demers, People's Warden

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SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP

If you would like to help with providing food for our fellowship time following church on Sunday morning, please contact Joan Balk at 508-835-2085 or jcbalk@aol.com. We desperately need more people on the team!

MEN'S GROUP

All men are invited to join us for breakfast at 9:00 a.m. followed by discussion. We meet at church on the fourth Saturday of the month. Thus, our upcoming meetings are April 28 and May 26 (this date may change). For more information, please contact Dan Morse at 978-808-0901, or dwmorse@live.com.

Sons of the Holy Cross

On Saturday, March 24, Bishop Harvey addressed the men of our church family and some visitors over breakfast regarding *The Sons of the Holy Cross* (a diocesan order committed to the Faith and Order of the undivided Catholic Church under the authority of the Bible as God's Word). I was greatly blessed (as were others present) by the Bishop's address that morning and I was even more blessed by the initial level of interest in this important ministry. I truly believe, alas, that men have - over the past several years - fallen away from their Godly position within the greater and local Church, the family and within our culture. This has left a great vacuum. The one true man is exemplified in the Person of Jesus Christ (He, and He alone, is our model of what it means to be a true man - i.e, a man of God); one who loves his heavenly Father, humbly submits to the Word of God (the Holy Scriptures) and who sets an example of both servant ministry and servant leadership within the church, the family and within our culture.

On **Saturday, April 28**, beginning at **10:30 a.m.** (following the regular monthly Men's Breakfast) we will hold our initial discernment meeting of *The Sons of the Holy Cross*. All men, inside and outside the parish family, are invited to attend. Please feel strongly encouraged and welcomed to invite your male family members, friends, co-workers, etc. Attendance doe ***not*** mean that you must become an actual member of *The Sons of the Holy Cross*. This is a time of discernment for those who attend.

The meeting will last **one** hour (at the most) and will include the following:

- Open with the prayer of "*The Sons of the Holy Cross*".
- Offer a Scripture reading addressing the role of men within the church and the family (or the liturgical season) inviting reflection on the Scriptures by those men present.
- Offer a reading from the Church Fathers or English Reformers appropriate to the liturgical season with some thoughts on the content (by Fr. Michael+).
- Open discussion about the formation of a new Chapter in our Church Family.
- Discuss some possible outreach ministry opportunities we could consider as a local chapter.
- Closing prayer.

I hope a number of our men will attend this initial meeting of *The Sons of the Holy Cross*. Is God calling you to step up?

Resurrection Blessings to you and your families!

Fr. Michael+

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WOMEN'S GROUP

In an effort to accommodate more ladies who are not able to meet monthly on a Monday evening, the Women's Group meets approximately every three months on a Saturday. A two-hour time block provides more time for food, fellowship, prayer, a Bible message or discussion, guest speakers and maybe a craft. Come and bring your ideas! Our next meeting will be a Saturday in June from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. The date will be announced soon. Questions call or email Christine McKinnon (508) 330-9568 or Christine.m.mckinnon@gmail.com.

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YARD SALE

Several people have inquired about our next Yard Sale. This is a wonderful time of fellowship and a much-needed fund raising opportunity. However, we need a leader - or leaders - for this endeavor. If you would like to discuss this opportunity, please contact Fr. Michael or Lynne Krebs. There will be plenty of people willing to assist. Thank you!

Weekday and Sunday Worship:

Weekday Masses 11:30 am Wednesdays (*cancelled on May 2nd*)
Please note: we are no longer offering the Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Said Mass or Liturgy of the Pre-sanctified

Healing Service 6:30 pm Third Saturday of the month (April 21 and May 19)

April

Sun, April 1 9:00 am Morning Prayer
Resurrection of Our Lord 10:00 am Holy Eucharist
The Rt. Rev. Donald F. Harvey
Presiding and preaching

Sun, April 8 9:00 am Morning Prayer
Easter 2 10:00 am Holy Eucharist

Sun, April 15 9:00 am. Morning Prayer
Easter 3 10:00 am. Solemn High Mass
Fr. Jess Cantelon, Guest Preacher,
Missionary priest of our diocese to Jerusalem

Sun, April 22 9:00 am. Morning Prayer
Easter 4 **9:30 am** **Contemporary Christian Music**
Good Shepherd Sunday 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Sun, April 29 9:00 am Morning Prayer
Easter 5 10:00 am Holy Eucharist



May

Sun, May 6 8:00 a.m. Said Mass
Beth El Sunday 9:00 am Morning Prayer
Easter 6 10:00 am Solemn High Mass

Sun, May 13 9:00 am Morning Prayer
Ascension Sunday **9:30 am** **Contemporary Christian Music**
10:00 am Solemn High Mass

Sun, May 20 9:00 am Morning Prayer
Pentecost 10:00 am Solemn High Mass

Sun, May 27 9:00 am Morning Prayer
Trinity Sunday 10:00 am Holy Eucharist



What happens and when...

Second Saturday Volunteer Days	April 14 and May 12		
Week of Fasting	Monday, April 16 – Saturday, April 21 Monday, May 14 – Saturday, May 19		
Day of Prayer	Saturday, April 21	6 am – 6 pm	
	Saturday, May 19	6 am – 6 pm	
Christian Education:	Sundays	12:00 noon	Christian Education
	Wednesdays	10:00 am	Bible Study (<i>cancelled on May 2nd</i>)
Prayer Walks	Wednesdays	12:00 noon	Lincoln Street Neighborhood
Prayer Ministry	Meets with Fr. Michael one Wednesday a month at 7:00 pm		
Church Growth and Discipleship Group:			
	Thursday, April 5	9:00 am	
	Thursday, May 17	9:00 am	
June's Table:	Saturday, April 7 & 21	5:00 pm (set up at 4:00 pm)	
	Saturday, May 5 & 19	5:00 pm (set up at 4:00 pm)	
Men's Breakfast	Saturday, April 28	9:00 am	
	Saturday, May 26	9:00 am (this date may change)	
Women's Group	Saturday in June, date TBD	10:00 am	
Parish Council	Thursday, April 5	7:00 pm	
	Thursday, May tbd	7:00 pm	

Deadline for June/July "Messenger": Sunday, May 20.



SECOND SATURDAY

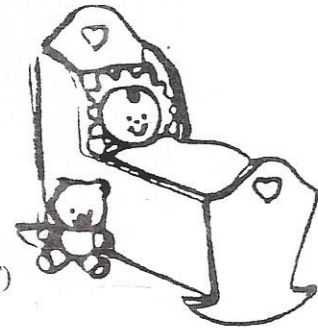
There are always many tasks needing our attention. Please join us for maintenance, cleaning and other fix-it jobs. Upcoming Second Saturday work mornings are April 14 and May 12. For more information, please contact Tanya Bottini on 508-877-8736. Thank you!

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOOD PANTRY

"For I was hungry and you gave Me food" (St. Matthew 25:35a).
You are invited to contribute to the Food Pantry on any given Sunday. Please place your offering in the box provided in the Narthax. When shopping, please remember the hungry. Thank you and God Bless You!
Also, if you are in need of food, please visit our Food Pantry located in our Fellowship Hall, or speak with Fr. Michael or Kathleen Demers.



ANGLICANS FOR LIFE



"You saw me before I was born. Every day of my life was recorded in Your book. Every moment was laid out before a single day had passed" (Psalm 139:16, NLT)

- **Thank you** to all those who prayed for the sanctity of life during the *40 Days for Life* spring campaign which concluded on March 25th.
- We continue to collect baby items for **Birthright of Marlborough/ Hudson and First Concern**.
- As in the past we will be handing out **baby bottles** for your spare change on May 13th. This is a fund raiser to support First Concern Pregnancy Resource Center. It runs from Mother's Day through June 17th, Father's Day. Feel free to visit their website: firstconcern.org.
- We would like to thank everyone who has continued to support us in this very important ministry. Feel free to drop off diapers, tee shirts, clothing (newborn through 18 months) or baby toiletries on any given Sunday.

Anglicans for Life is an international Pro-Life Ministry within the Anglican Communion, upholding and proclaiming the sanctity of all human life from conception to natural death. Our local Chapter seeks to raise awareness regarding alternatives to abortion...Let us help you! If you are being called to help with this vital ministry, or if you would like to have information on how we can help, please speak to our co-Coordinators Kathleen Demers (508-624-7642) and Marjorie Franko (978-369-8192). Thank you!

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

This wonderful program allows children to encounter God through developmentally appropriate presentations, centers, and prayer with a strong focus on Scripture, liturgy, and the whole of sacred history. This helps the children develop a personal relationship with the Lord. For more information, please speak with Diana Newton Wood, Jennie O'Leary or Monica Walker.

THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI: THE REVEREND (FR.) LAWRENCE BAUSCH, PRESIDENT OF FORWARD IN FAITH, NORTH AMERICA TO PREACH & TEACH

Jesus said, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever. And the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh" (John 6:51).

The Right Reverend Charles F. Masters, our Diocesan Bishop, has given his episcopal blessing and permission for, The Reverend (Fr.) Lawrence Bausch, President of Forward in Faith, North America (FiFNA) to visit, preach and teach at Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Marlborough, MA in Celebration of the Feast of Corpus Christi (please see the schedule below and please encourage persons to attend).

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HTAC = Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Marlborough, MA

ANiC = The Diocese of the Anglican Network in Canada (and New England)

ACNA = The Province of the Anglican Church in North America

GAFCON = The Global Anglican Futures Conference (a global fellowship of biblical, orthodox Anglicans)

FiFNA = Forward in Faith, North America (upholding Catholic Faith and Order within North America)

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Saturday, June 2, 2018

Part I: The Catholicity of Anglicanism (Is Anglicanism Truly Catholic?)

- **6:30 p.m. (Presenter):** The Reverend (Fr.) Lawrence Bausch, President of Forward in Faith, North America (FiFNA); a founding organization of the ACNA and an ongoing witness to Catholic Faith and Order within North America.

- **6:30 p.m. (Address):** *The Principle of the English Reformers...To return the Church in England to the Faith and Order of the Undivided Catholic Church (with an emphasis on the first five centuries) under the authority and primacy of God's holy Word and to pass on the same, unimpaired and unadulterated, to each subsequent generation.*
 - **7:30 p.m. - 7:50 p.m.** Questions & Answers
- *10 Minute Break**

Part II: Solemn Choral Evensong

- **8:00 p.m.:** Solemn Choral Evensong (Eve of the Feast of Corpus Christi)
- **Officiant:** The Venerable (Fr.) Michael J. McKinnon
- **Homily:** The Reverend (Fr.) Lawrence Bausch

Sunday, June 3:

- **8:00 a.m.:** Said Mass, The Reverend (Fr.) Lawrence Bausch, Preacher (*Feast of Corpus Christi*)
- **9:00 a.m.:** Morning Prayer
- **10:00 a.m.:** Solemn High Mass, The Reverend (Fr.) Lawrence Bausch, Preacher (*Feast of Corpus Christi*)
- **11:30 a.m.:** Fellowship/Coffee Hour
- **12 Noon:** Adult Christian Education, "*What is FiFNA and What Does It Have to Offer within Our North American Province and Anglicanism*", The Reverend (Fr.) Lawrence Bausch, Presenter

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FAMILY NEWS

Many congratulations to Tanya Bottini who has been awarded the Bishop Donald F. Harvey Award for Christian Ministry. In addition to her duties as the church Treasurer (a big job in itself) Tanya spends many hours each week overseeing the buildings and grounds. Much of what she does isn't apparent to others, but is essential to the maintenance of our church home. Bishop Donald Harvey presented the Award to Tanya when he was with us at Easter. Well deserved!

Rest in peace! Our dear Lizette Grady passed to be with Our Lord a few weeks ago. Lizette was a much loved member of our church family and will be sorely missed. The church was full of family and friends for her funeral on March 24th. We send our love and sympathy to Linda and all Lizette's family.

Our condolences also go to the family of George Whipps who died in February. George attended Holy Trinity several years ago with his wife, Polly. His funeral was held February 23rd in Athol.

Happy birthday:

April: Judith Richards – 9th; Tanya Bottini – 15th; Joan Fallon – 16th; Dan Morse – 16th; Verna Peterson – 19th; Sarah McKinnon – 23rd; Fr. Bob Cummins – 25th; Ronald DeSantis – 25th; Dustin Hassard – 27th; Emily Morse – 27th; Renee Beausoleil – 29th.

May: Rylee Cashen – 8th; Michael McGinnis – 13th; Brian O'Leary – 14th; Fr. Bruce Thayer – 17th; Kendall Cotton – 22nd; Nicholas Cotton – 23rd; Mary Carroll – 29th; Steve Walker – 29th.

Happy Anniversary:

Elizabeth and Michael McGinnis on April 4th; Kathleen and Bob Demers on April 6th;
Diane and Charles Place on April 30th.

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A Collect for Ascension Day:

O Almighty God, whose blessed Son our Savior Jesus Christ ascended far above all heavens that he might fill all things: Mercifully give us faith to perceive that, according to his promise, he abideth with his Church on earth, even unto the end of the ages; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2018



Monday, July 23 – Friday, July 27

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Sponsored by Holy Trinity Anglican Church and First United Methodist Church

This year's VBS is *Rolling River Rampage*, a week of fun and learning about the Word of God! Please encourage your children (and your friends' children) to sign up early. There will be a cut-off date for registrations. We do have a limit on the number of students we are able to accept. Registration forms are now available so please let me know if you need one (or more).

Watch for our "giving option" in the Fellowship Hall that should appear soon. There will be slips of paper on it indicating those items needed for VBS and that you can provide for us. If you prefer to donate money, that is always welcome, to purchase supplies or to provide scholarships.

We are very grateful to those people who have already expressed an interest in helping this year, but more are always needed. Please consider assisting in any one of many areas: helping in the classrooms; purchasing needed supplies; inviting children to attend; etc. etc... and most important praying for leaders, helpers, students.

Please, please give this very important ministry your prayerful consideration and contact me with any questions.

Thank you,

Monica Walker (508-272-6900) or walkermonica@comcast.net

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Notes of Note:

- **Week of Fasting and Day of Prayer:** Our upcoming Weeks of Fasting and Day of Prayer on behalf of our Church Family are as follows:
 - *Week of Fasting:* Monday, April 16 – Saturday, April 21; Monday, May 14 – Saturday, May 19.
 - *Day of Prayer:* Saturday April 21; and Saturday, May 19.
- **Special Collection for the Rector's Discretionary Fund** will be Sunday, May 13.
- **Special Collection for the Non-Stipendiary Clergy Fund** will be Sunday, June 10.
- **Weekly Prayer Walk:** Most Wednesdays at 12:00 noon, Archdeacon Michael and Deacon Suzy are walking through the French Hill Neighborhood. Please speak with one of them if you would like to join them, or bake bread for the gift bags.
- **The Prayer Ministry** is for Christians dedicated to praying and fasting (health permitting) on a regular basis for our Rector and church family. If you would like to discern being a part of this Ministry please contact Fr. Michael. If you have a prayer request please email Emily Morse at emmorse@comcast.net or call or text Emily on 978-808-8608.
- **Parish Council meetings:** Any member of the parish is welcome to observe any regular Parish Council meeting. The dates are printed in this newsletter and the calendar on the Sunday Bulletin.
- **Amazon Smile:** We are now a member of Amazon Smile, which you can reach via our website - just go there and click on the logo. If you are asked for a charity, put in Holy Trinity Anglican Church, or pick it from the list. Amazon Smile donates 0.5% of any qualifying purchase to us, so, for all your future Amazon purchases, use our link, rather than going directly to Amazon.com. Thanks!



LET US REJOICE
AND BE GLAD

HOLY TRINITY ANGLICAN CHURCH

The Rt. Rev. Charles “Charlie” F. Masters Bishop
The Rt. Rev. Donald F. Harvey Bishop Emeritus
The Ven. Michael J. McKinnon Archdeacon and Rector

Father Robert Cummins (Harvard, MA) 978-339-3077 (c) or 978-456-2767 (h)
Deacon Patricia Brewin (N. Attleboro, MA) 508-695-0544 (h)
Deacon Rhonda Cotton (Harvard, MA) 508-517-9805 (c) or 978-456-8680 (h)
Deacon Susan Kenyon (Wayland, MA) 508-654-4497 (c) or 508-358-7573 (h)
Deacon Praveen Mutalik (Marlborough, MA) 508-259-0804 (c) or 508-481-0409 (h)

(In the event of a pastoral emergency when Archdeacon Michael is absent, please call one of the above.)

Parish Council: Mike Kenyon 508-358-7573 (Rector’s Warden)
 Kathleen Demers 508-624-7642 (People’s Warden)
 Tanya Bottini 508-877-8736 (Treasurer)
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(For non-pastoral issues in the church during Archdeacon Michael’s absence please contact one of our Wardens)

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Contact Information for Archdeacon Michael and Holy Trinity Anglican Church

- In the event of an emergency, please call Archdeacon Michael any time, day or night, including his day off at 1-508-330-2179.
- **Fr. Michael’s days off are Fridays and Saturdays.**
- Archdeacon Michael’s Cell Phone: 1-508-330-2179 (this is the best way to reach Archdeacon Michael).
- Church Office: 1-508-481-8493
- Archdeacon Michael’s e-mail: bible.catholic.7@gmail.com to be used for less important matters
- Church location: 472 Lincoln Street, Marlborough, MA;
- Church mailing address: 60 Gibbon Street, Marlborough MA
- Church website: www.holytrinitymarlborough.org
- Like Holy Trinity on Facebook: [facebook.com/HTACMass](https://www.facebook.com/HTACMass)
- Our Diocesan Website: www.anglicannetwork.ca
- Our Provincial Website: www.anglicanchurch.net

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Please let us know!

If you, or a family member, is sick or in the hospital,
please inform Fr. Michael or another clergy person.
They will arrange visits, and holy communion if requested.

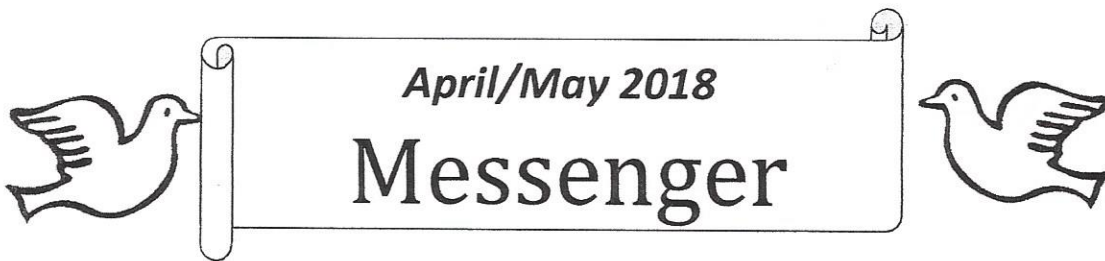
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DEADLINE FOR JUNE/JULY 2018 “MESSENGER”

The deadline for the next issue of this newsletter is **Sunday, May 20, 2018**. Please hand your items to me, or e-mail them to me at walkermonica@comcast.net. Thank you! Monica Walker

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