



## The Church Year: Participating in God's Story of Salvation!

On December 2, 2018, the First Sunday in Advent, we begin the Christian liturgical year anew. The Christian year consists of: **1)** Advent (with a focus on the Second Coming of our Lord Jesus Christ in Glory to judge the living and the dead - please see Matthew 25:31-46); **2)** Christmas (with a focus on the Lord's first coming, not only as the Babe born in Bethlehem, but as the Lord and Saviour of the whole world - please see Genesis 3:15; Luke 2:4-21 and John 3:16-17); **3)** Epiphany (God's revelation of His Son Jesus Christ as fully God and fully Man; i.e., Emmanuel - God with us - please see Isaiah 60:1; John 1:1-18; Ephesians 3:3; Colossians 2:2-3; Matthew 2:1ff); **4)** Lent and Holy Week (entering into the baptism, ministry, suffering and passion of our dear Lord for the sins of the whole world - see Isaiah 53:1-12; 1 Peter 2:24); **5)** Easter/Resurrection and Ascension (see references below); **6)** Pentecost (see references below) and **7)** several Principal and Lesser Feast Days proclaiming the Good News of Jesus and His presence with His Church until the end of the time.

The Christian liturgical year enables us, by the Holy Spirit and grace of God, to enter into God's story of salvation through: **1)** the gathering of the Christian community (*Greek, ecclesia*); **2)** the proclamation of the Word within the fellowship of the gathered community (*Greek, ecclesia, koinonia*) and **3)** the celebration of Sacrament(s) (*Greek, ecclesia, koinonia and anamnesis*). We are actually participants in God's story of salvation through the Mass - Christian worship on the Lord's Day (see Justin Martyr's description of early Christian worship on the Lord's Day as he experienced it during his life time beginning sometime in the Apostolic Age). Through the Eucharist (the Mass) we participate in God's story of: the creation; the fall of humanity (i.e., the introduction of sin, suffering and death into God's first creation); the promise of redemption (see Genesis 3:15); the covenant/promise to Abraham (Genesis 15:1-6); the incarnation - life - baptism and ministry - death - resurrection - and ascension of Jesus Christ our Lord and the fulfillment of the covenant made to Abraham (John 8:56); the gift of the Holy Spirit (Acts. 2:1-11); the second coming of Jesus and the fulfillment of all things. We are not simply giving thanks for salvation history when we gather as God's people to celebrate the Holy Eucharist in the Mass on the Lord's Day (or during the week), we are actual participants in God's story of salvation, the story of our redemption!

Anglicans believe that divine worship transcends that which is earthly and ordinary. The Mass is something heavenly and extraordinary; a meeting place between God and man, the Creator and his creation, a place where the infinite and the finite, the eternal and the temporal meet. *"Then Jacob awoke from his sleep and said, "Surely the LORD is in this place, and I did not know it...How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven" (Genesis 28:16).*

Robert E. Webber wrote: *"Although worship dramatizes an event that happened long ago, it brings that event into the present [Greek, anamnesis] by the power of the Holy Spirit. In each worship experience, I am present in the actual event... On Christmas I am present at the birth of Christ; on Epiphany I am there at the presentation of Christ; on Maundy Thursday I am present at the Last Supper; on Good Friday I am taken to the cross and put into the tomb; on Easter I stand at the empty tomb; and on Pentecost Sunday I receive the Holy Spirit."* Robert E. Webber, (*Worship Is a Verb: Celebrating God's Mighty Deeds of Salvation* Peabody, MA: Hendrickson Publishing, 1992), 119-120.

This concept (*anamnesis*) was something understood by God's people the Jews long before the coming of Jesus. That is, God invites us into his story as participants. Through sacramental worship (i.e., gathering, Word and Sacrament), the past becomes a present reality enabling the believer to share in God's story and the benefits thereof!



If we understand and believe this, we will strive to be present on the Lord's Day for Mass and perhaps during the week. To share in the Mass (i.e., the gathering, Word and Sacrament) is to share in Him and His story of salvation. God's story becomes our story. We will also mourn when persons are absent on the Lord's Day and long to bring the Word and Sacrament to the sick and homebound.

**A Second Century Description of Christian Worship on the Lord's Day (The Mass)**

*"...For all that we receive we bless the Maker of all things through his Son \*Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit. And on the day which is called the Sun's Day [the Lord's Day] there is an assembly of all who live in the city, towns or the country; and the memoirs of the apostles and the writings of the prophets are read [the Readings], as much as time permits. When the reader has finished, the Celebrant gives a discourse [Sermon], admonishing us and exhorting us to imitate these excellent examples. Then we all rise together and offer prayer [Prayers of the People]; bread is brought and wine and water; and the Celebrant offers up prayers and thanksgiving [in Greek, "eucharist"] and the people assent with "Amen." Then follows the distribution of the Eucharistic gifts and the partaking of them by all; and they are sent to the absent by the hands of the deacons... We hold our common assembly on the Sun's Day because it is the first day on which God put to flight darkness and chaos and made the world; and on this day \*Jesus Christ our Saviour rose from the dead... He appeared to his Apostles and Disciples and taught them these things, which we have handed on to you" (Justin Martyr, 150 AD).*

**New Year Resolution (beginning Advent 1):** It is my sincere hope that all of us will be present on every Sunday morning (if at all possible) for worship and partake in the story of God's salvation and the benefits thereof offered through the gathering of His people (that is, you and me), His holy Word and His life-giving Sacraments.

Happy New Year on Advent 1!!!  
Fr. Michael+

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**CHRISTMAS SERVICES**

Monday, December 24, Christmas Eve:  
Tuesday, December 25, Christmas Day:  
Sunday, December 30, Holy Name:

4:00 p.m.  
7:00 p.m.  
10:00 a.m.  
10:00 a.m.

Spanish speaking Mass  
Solemn High Mass  
Said Mass with Carols  
Solemn High Mass with Lessons and Carols



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**CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL FLOWERS**

The season of Advent is just beginning in preparation for the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ. Christmas is a time for remembering our loved ones and those we hold dear. Our memorial flowers and greens at the Christmas services are a way of showing our remembrance. As in the past, a form is included on the back page of this newsletter that can be filled out by anyone desiring to contribute towards the Christmas flowers. The deadline for the names to be in the Christmas bulletin is **Sunday, December 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018.**

The poinsettias will be delivered to our shut-ins and anyone in the hospital. If there is someone to whom you wish a plant to be delivered or would prefer to personally, please say on the form or call Tanya at 508-877-8736.

Contributions IN ANY AMOUNT are most welcome. Those that are received not only defray the cost of the Christmas memorial flowers, but also help with the expenses incurred by the Altar Guild in the purchasing of candles, communion wafers, wine, etc. Your check should be made out to Holy Trinity Anglican Church, noting "Christmas flowers" on the memo line. Please give your payment to Tanya Bottini, or place it in the offering plate marked "Flower Fund". If mailing, please send directly to: Mrs. Tanya Bottini, Treasurer, Holy Trinity Anglican Church, 60 Gibbon Street, Marlborough, MA 01752.



## **THE NAMES OF GOD**

Fr. Michael has asked Todd Murphy, a postulant for holy orders in our diocese sponsored by HTAC, to offer an adult Christian Education course studying the most important names of God revealed in sacred scripture. The study will progress chronologically through the canon (i.e., the books of the Bible) so as to demonstrate how divine revelation unfolds within the canon of Scripture and throughout salvation history. There is a total of 27 names for God from Genesis 1 to the end of the New Testament. This Class will meet on **Sundays from 12 Noon - 1:00 p.m.** in the church. **The course will begin on Sunday, December 2.**

For each name Todd Murphy, who is well versed in Hebrew and the ancient texts, will deal with the Hebrew name for God, and its Greek or Aramaic equivalent. He will take an in-depth look at the use of these names in their respective contexts which will give us much more meat on which to ruminate. The discussion should be stimulating.

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS IMPORTANT STUDY AND PLEASE SUPPORT OUR NEW POSTULANT FOR HOLY ORDERS!**

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## **MACO (*Marked As Christ's Own*)**

This new Christian discipleship group for high school age teens meets most Sundays from 12 Noon - 1:00 p.m. in the Meeting Room of the Church Office (directly behind the church). What is MACO? MACO stands for "*Marked as Christ's Own.*" It is a group of high school teenagers who will meet to study the bible or discuss Christian literacy and how to apply the content in their own lives. All high school age teens are most welcome to join us; both members and non-members of HTAC. The daily life of a teen only gets harder in this secular world. Some have no solitude, no comforter, no place to struggle with questions of faith. MACO will be such a place: a place to explore and grow in faith. Do you know a high school teen who may be interested? If so or if you have any questions, please e-mail Sarah McKinnon at: [sarah.dancer.2004@gmail.com](mailto:sarah.dancer.2004@gmail.com)

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## **Wyldlife & Young Life**

Young Life is a world-class – and worldwide – organization for adolescents, middle-school age through high school. It is a non-denominational ministry whose mission is to reach the unchurched teenager. However, many church young people, attracted by the fun and relevance of Young Life, have benefitted as well. It is not intended to be competition for a church's youth group. Young Life seeks to lead teens into a living, life-changing and personal relationship with Jesus Christ through Christian witness and the transforming power of God's Word. There are local events, summer camps, training and much, much more. There are now two groups, Young Life for high school age people (grade 9-12) and Wyldlife for middle school kids (grade 5-8). If you know of any young people who may be interested, please speak with Fr. Michael. Upcoming meetings are scheduled for:

- Saturday, December 1, 6:00 p.m. Wyldlife & 7:00 p.m. Young Life
- Saturday, December 15, 7:00 p.m. Young Life

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## **CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD**

In this program the children encounter God through developmentally appropriate presentations, centers, and prayer with a strong focus on Scripture, liturgy, and the whole of sacred history. The program helps the children develop a personal relationship with the Lord. Classes are held on Sundays from 12:00 noon (following fellowship time) until 1:00 p.m.

If you would like to know more about the amazing education program for children, please speak to Diana Newton Wood, Jennie O'Leary or Monica Walker.

**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*

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**BIBLE STUDY**

Fr. Michael leads Bible Study at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesdays. This is held in the meeting room of the Admin Building. All welcome!

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**Spanish Speaking Mass**

*Mision Anglicana de San Antonio*, a new mission planted by Holy Trinity, will offer a Mass in Spanish every Sunday at 4:00 PM at Holy Trinity, beginning Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, Advent 1. We are excited to be able to offer this service to our neighbors and beyond. Please do spread the word and support this wonderful effort.

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**JUNE'S TABLE - UPDATE**

June's Table is now open every Saturday of each month! Holy Trinity continues to serve the meal the first Saturday. Other organizations cover the remaining Saturdays of the month. This enables us to feed the needy in our community EVERY Saturday. Thanks be to God!

Our greatest prayer now is for you to join us! **We are in need of help each month**, especially to purchase and prepare food for the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday meals. HTAC will reimburse you for your expenses!! We have a great group of volunteers (thanks to all of you), but could use additional hands – with the food, and with serving. We have a great time – come and see!

The upcoming dates for service (clean-up following) are:

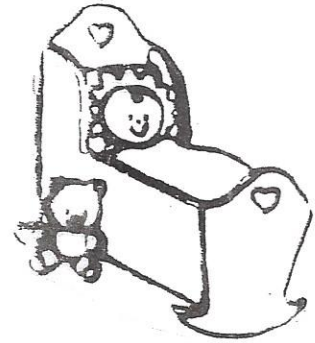
- December 1, 2018, 4-6 pm**
- January 5, 2019, 4-6 pm**

If you have any questions, or are able to volunteer, please contact Emily Morse, 978-808-8608, or Deacon Suzy Kenyon, 508-654-4497. Thanks for your prayers for this mission, and for your help!



## **ANGLICANS FOR LIFE**

### **Encouraging news from the 40 days for life campaign!**



*“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)*

**The 40 days for life campaign** ended November 4. Thank you for your prayers. Official reports from the beginning of the *40 days for life campaign* in 2007 are: We have seen God save 15,235 babies from abortion... close down 99 abortion centers... and helped 186 workers quit the abortion industry and seek work for life. The next campaign begins Ash Wednesday and runs until Palm Sunday (March 6 – April 14, 2019).

**Right to Life Sunday** is January 20<sup>th</sup>. Watch for informational leaflets in the bulletins that day.

**First Concern of Marlborough** (508-305-2493), **Kindred Healthcare** in Marlborough (hospice) (888-796-3741) and **Constellation Hospice** are looking for volunteers. All of these organizations work for Life. They ask for only n hour or more a week at your convenience.

**Playpen for donations:** A playpen is located in the Fellowship Hall for donations of baby items, t-shirts, diapers, clothing sizes 0-3 months through 18 months, etc. Items collected are given to Birthright of Marlborough and First Concern of Clinton.

**The First Concern Banquet** took place Thursday, October 11 at the Regency Hotel in Boxboro. Holy Trinity members filled almost two tables at the Banquet, enjoyed a good meal, and a most interesting program.

**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-Coordinator Kathleen Demers (508-624-7642) and Marjorie Franko (978-369-8192). Thank you!

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### **From our People's Warden**

- The Winter Coat Program begins Monday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> and will continue through the end of February. If you are able to donate new or gently used coats, gloves, scarves, sweaters, etc. for adults or children, please bring them on Sunday or contact Kathleen Demers (508-624-7642). We will be open for people to stop by and pick up needed items, probably Monday mornings and Wednesday afternoons.
- **The Food Pantry** is open on Sundays following church and whenever we are open for the coat program. Please remember those in need when you are food shopping. Vegetables do not seem to move as quickly as tuna fish, canned chicken, baked beans, corned beef, soup and pasta. There is a bin inside the front doors of the church for your donations. Thank you to all those who have continued to support this ministry.
- **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

# December

**Sun, December 2**  
**Advent 1**

8:00 a.m. Said Mass  
9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Solemn High Mass  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

**Sun, December 9**  
**Advent 2**

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

**Sat, December 15**  
**Sun, December 16**  
**Advent 3**

6:30 p.m. Healing Service  
9:00 a.m.. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

**Sun, December 23**  
**Advent 4**

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

**Mon, December 24**  
**Christmas Eve**

4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass  
7:00 p.m. Solemn High Mass

**Tue, December 25**  
**Christmas Day**

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

**Sun, December 30**  
**Holy Name**

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. **Christmas Lessons and Carols**  
Solemn High Mass  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass



# January

**Sun, January 6**  
**Epiphany**

8:00 a.m. Said Mass  
9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Solemn High Mass  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

**Sun, January 13**  
**Baptism of Our Lord**

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Solemn High Mass  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

**Sat, January 19**  
**Sun, January 20**  
**Epiphany 2**

6:30 p.m. Healing Service  
9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

**Sun, January 27**  
**Epiphany 3**

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
4:00 p.m. Spanish Mass





***What happens and when...***



<b>Weekday Masses</b>	Wednesdays	11:30 am	
<b>Second Saturday Volunteer Days</b>	December 15 and January 12		
<b>Winter Coat Program</b>	Monday mornings and Wednesday afternoons		
<b>Week of Fasting</b>	Monday, December 10 – Saturday, December 15 Monday, January 14 – Saturday, January 19		
<b>Day of Prayer</b>	Saturday, December 15	6 am – 6 pm	
	Saturday, January 19	6 am – 6 pm	
<b>Christian Education:</b>	Sundays	12:00 noon	Christian Education
	Wednesdays	10:00 am	Bible Study
<b>Prayer Walks</b>	Wednesdays	12:00 noon	Lincoln Street Neighborhood
<b>Church Growth and Discipleship Group:</b>			
	Thursday, December 13	9:00 am	
	Thursday, January TBD	9:00 am	
<b>June's Table:</b>	Saturday, December 1	5:00 pm (set up at 4:00 pm)	
	Saturday, January 5	5:00 pm (set up at 4:00 pm)	
<b>Men's Breakfast</b>	Saturday, December 22	9:00 am	
	Saturday, January 26	9:00 am	
<b>Women's Group</b>	Saturday date TBD	10:00 am	
<b>Parish Council</b>	Thursday, December 13	7:00 pm	
	Thursday, January 17	7:00 pm	

**Deadline for Christmas flower requests to be submitted: Sunday, December 16, 2018.**

**Deadline for February/March "Messenger": Sunday, January 20, 2019.**

**Anticipated date for the Annual Meeting of Holy Trinity Anglican Church: Sunday, February 10, 2019.**

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***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. Please welcome Judi and thank her for her willingness to serve the Lord through her gift of music. Watch the E-news or weekly calendar for dates.

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***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.



## 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'.

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## FAMILY NEWS

**Our dear friend and member, Eunice Koontz,** passed away at the end of October. Eunice had been a faithful member of our church family for several years, together with her husband Jim, although ill health had prevented her from attending church in recent months. A Solemn High Requiem Mass was celebrated at Holy Trinity on October 27<sup>th</sup> with many friends and family in attendance. Our condolences and prayers are with Eunice's family and friends at this time.

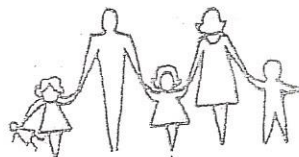
### Happy birthday:

*December:* Jennifer Davis – 8<sup>th</sup>; John Chase Wood IV – 9<sup>th</sup>; Karen Mutalik – 9<sup>th</sup>; Richard Bostock – 12<sup>th</sup>; Alison Cotton – 18<sup>th</sup>; Joan Balk – 19<sup>th</sup>; Charles Place – 26<sup>th</sup>; Lindsay Hassard – 28<sup>th</sup>; John Lindsay – 28<sup>th</sup>.  
*January:* Jennie O'Leary – 1<sup>st</sup>; Ethan Keeler – 4<sup>th</sup>; Martha Ayisi – 8<sup>th</sup>; Sharon Beaulieu – 8<sup>th</sup>; Sandra Cullen – 9<sup>th</sup>; Karen Carlson – 10<sup>th</sup>; Allison Hassard – 15<sup>th</sup>; Maria Kato – 17<sup>th</sup>; Jay O'Leary – 21<sup>st</sup>.

**Happy Anniversary** to Marjorie and Lawrence Franko on December 21<sup>st</sup>.

**Fr. Michael McKinnon** was Ordained a Priest on December 4, 1996.

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## SUCCESSFUL EVENTS!:

**Yard Sale:** Our Yard Sale held in October was very successful. We raised at least \$1,700 – money is still arriving! The weather was kind (on the whole) and we had some wonderful volunteers. Many thanks to everyone who helped in any way. An especial huge thanks to Tanya Bottini who led the effort and continues to deal with the remaining items (if you would like to see what is left, check in with Tanya). Without Tanya's leadership the Yard Sale would not have happened. Thank you!

**Thanksgiving Dinner:** Once again we offered Thanksgiving Dinner to our members and neighbors. We served about 60 people who all ate well and enjoyed a time of good fellowship. Thank you to everyone who provided food and helped in so many ways. You are much appreciated!

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### A Collect for the Epiphany of our Lord Jesus Christ:

*O God, by the leading of a star thou manifested thine only Son to the peoples of the earth: Lead us, who know thee now by faith, to thy presence, where we may see thy glory fact to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.*



## 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 December 8 and January 12.  
 For more information, please contact Tanya Bottini on 508-877-8736. Thank you!



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## MEN'S GROUP

All men are invited to join us for breakfast at 9:00 a.m. followed by discussion. We meet at church usually on the fourth Saturday of the month. Thus, upcoming meetings are December 22<sup>nd</sup> and January 26<sup>th</sup>. For more information, please contact Dan Morse at 978-808-0901, or [dwmorse@live.com](mailto:dwmorse@live.com).

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## PLEDGE CARDS

If you have not yet returned your pledge card for 2019, please do so ASAP. It is most helpful for our Treasurer to have this information. If you need a card or have questions, please contact Tanya Bottini (508-877-87836).

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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, Dec. 10 – Saturday, Dec. 15; Monday, Jan. 14 – Saturday, Jan. 19.
  - *Day of Prayer:* Saturday December 15; and Saturday, January 19.
- **Next Special Collection for the Rector's Discretionary Fund:** Sunday, January 13, 2019.
- **Special Collection for the Non-Stipendiary Clergy Fund in 2018:** Sunday, December 9.
- **Prayer requests:** please email Emily Morse at [emmorse@comcast.net](mailto: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!
- **Fr. Michael is off every Friday and Saturday.** He will be present for special Services and events in the life of our church family that fall on these days (e.g., neighborhood dinners, stations of the cross in Lent, clergy events, etc.). On these two days, please only call him in the event of an emergency. Thank you.

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## ***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.)*

<b>Parish Council:</b>	Mike Kenyon	508-358-7573 (Rector’s Warden)
	Kathleen Demers	508-624-7642 (People’s Warden)
	Tanya Bottini	508-877-8736 (Treasurer)
	Richard Bostock	508-826-7244 (Clerk)
	Joan Balk	508-835-2085
	Dustin Hassard	
	Lynne Krebs	508-494-2410
	Jay O’Leary	508-624-9705
	Donald Richards	Senior Warden Emeritus

*(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](mailto: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](http://www.holytrinitymarlborough.org)
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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 FEBRUARY/MARCH 2019 “MESSENGER”**

The deadline for the next issue of this newsletter is **Sunday, January 20, 2019**. Please hand your items to me, or e-mail them to me at [walkermonica@comcast.net](mailto:walkermonica@comcast.net). Thank you! Monica Walker





## CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL FLOWERS AND GREENS

Please fill out this form and enclose it with your special Christmas memorial offering. Contributions in any amount are most welcome. The deadline for the names to be included in the Christmas bulletin is **Sunday, December 16<sup>th</sup>**.

Your check should be made out to Holy Trinity Anglican Church, noting "Christmas flowers" on the memo line. Please give your payment to Tanya Bottini, or place it in the offering plate marked "Flower Fund". If mailing, please send to: Mrs Tanya Bottini, Treasurer, Holy Trinity Anglican Church, 60 Gibbon Street, Marlborough, MA 01752.

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## *CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL FLOWERS AND GREENS*

Given in loving memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

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Given in thanksgiving of: \_\_\_\_\_

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Given in living honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

This/these memorial(s) is/are given by: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### **A Collect for the Nativity of Our Lord: Christmas Day**

*O God, who hast caused this holy night to shine with the illumination of the true Light: Grant us, we beseech thee, that as we have known the mystery of that Light upon earth, so may we also perfectly enjoy him in heaven; where with thee and the Holy Spirit he liveth and reigneth, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.*

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