

Apostles Striving to Follow the Life and Teachings of Jesus Christ
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Sunday, April 8, 2018 trinityhartford.org 860-527-8133 office@trinityhartford.org

Sunday, April 8 Second Sunday of Easter

- 8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist – Church
- 9:00 A.M. Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
- 9:00 A.M. Brotherhood of St. Andrew Monthly Meeting – Library
- 9:00 A.M. “Undie Sunday” Clothing Drive – Goodwin Hall
(See separate article)
- 10:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist – Church
- 11:30 A.M. “Undie Sunday” Clothing Drive – Goodwin Hall
- 11:30 A.M. Christian Formation for All Ages (See Next Column)
- 11:30 A.M. Acolyte Leadership Meeting – Vestry
- 6:00 P.M. Narcotics Anonymous – Huntington Hall

Monday, April 9

- Trinity Academy – Spring Break All Week
- 5:45 P.M. Choir School Board Workshop -- Library

Tuesday, April 10

- 11:00 A.M. Red Hatters’ Luncheon – Kitchen/Library
- 5:30 P.M. Chorister rehearsal – Choir Room
- 6:30 P.M. George Beach Eucharist – Offsite
- 7:00 P.M. Outreach Team Meeting -- Library

Wednesday, April 11

- 11:00 A.M. Staff Meeting – Rector’s Office
- 7:00 P.M. Property Team Meeting – Conference Room
- 7:30 P.M. Alcoholics Anonymous – Huntington Hall

Thursday, April 12

- 11:00 A.M. Al-Anon – Outreach Room
- 12:00 P.M. Holy Eucharist – Chapel
(Enter the Church from Sigourney Street)
- 5:30 P.M. Executive Committee Meeting – Library
- 5:30 P.M. Chorister rehearsal – Choir Room
- 7:00 P.M. Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
- 8:00 P.M. Alcoholics Anonymous – Huntington Hall

Friday, April 13

- 7:00 P.M. Narcotics Anonymous – Goodwin Hall
- 7:00 P.M. AA Big Book Meeting – Huntington Hall

Saturday, April 14

- 9:45 A.M. Brotherhood of St. Andrew State Assembly Meeting – Church/Library/Kitchen
- 10:00 A.M. Alcoholics Anonymous – Huntington Hall

Sunday, April 15 Third Sunday of Easter

- 8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist – Church
- 9:00 A.M. Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
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**Schedule of Sunday
Christian Formation Programs**

CHILDCARE for children under age 3 is offered
In the nursery during 10:00 a.m. services.

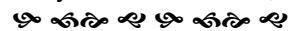


CHURCH SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN

Beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Children ages 3 – 3rd Grade:

Godly Play – Classroom 3, 2nd floor



JOURNEY TO ADULTHOOD SESSIONS

Rite-13 (grades 6 & 7) – Youth Room, 2nd fl.

J2A (grades 8 & 9) – Classroom 5, 2nd floor



COFFEE HOUR CONVERSATIONS

Today: Coffee and Fellowship

Next Week, April 15– “Electronic Angels
and Demons” -- Christian Life in a
Smartphone World”—Presented by
Mark MacGougan

Today – CVSO to Present

“Celebrating Jewish Composers”

The Connecticut Valley Symphony Orchestra will offer its concert, “**Celebrating Jewish Composers,**” at Congregation Beth Israel **today at 3:00 p.m.** Beth Israel is located at 701 Farmington Avenue, West Hartford. Tickets will be available at the door: \$15 (\$12 students & seniors).

Please Wear Your Nametag!

While God surely knows us each by name, the same cannot be said for our visitors and even, truth be told, some of the folks we see every week at Trinity. Please pick yours up in Goodwin Hall or at the Sigourney Street entrance and wear it proudly each week so Trinity Church will be one place where everybody knows your name. Don’t have a nametag? Just fill out a temporary stick-on one and then leave it in the basket on the nametag table in Goodwin Hall; a permanent nametag will be created for you.

Let Us Pray

In our Parish Cycle of Prayer, we pray for K Taw Doh, Lah Ku Paw, and Sarah Paw Doh; Frank and Liz Kirkpatrick; Ann Knapp; and those who serve as members of the Journey to Adulthood participants and leaders. In our diocese we pray for St. Andrew's, Kent; Emmanuel, Killingworth; Trinity, Lime Rock; St. Michael's, Litchfield; and ECCT Joint Leadership members of the Mission Council, Missionary Society, Standing Committee, Commission on Ministry and Donations & Bequests. In the Anglican Cycle, we pray for St. Andrew's, Kent; Emmanuel, Killingworth; Trinity, Lime Rock; St. Michael's, Litchfield; and ECCT Joint Leadership members of the Mission Council, Missionary Society, Standing Committee, Commission on Ministry and Donations & Bequests. We pray for Michael our Presiding Bishop, for Ian and Laura, our Diocesan Bishops and for all bishops, priests, and deacons. We pray for the safety of all those serving in the armed forces and for their families. We pray for the residents and staff of the George Beach Apartments in Hartford.

We ask your prayers for Peg Andrian; Georges Annan-Kingsley; Mavis Bennett; Dianne Bowens-Waller; Walton Brown Foster and family; Edie Brunelle; Ginny Catanzaro; Gloria Cheyney and the Cheyney family; Sandi Cone; Margaret Daniel; Robin D'Oyen; John Doyle; Lori Eckhardt; Tom Furrer; Althea Francis; Nigel Francis; Kristin Garcia-Williams; Jane Harris; Clyde and JoEllen Jansing; Louise Krippenstapel and family; Dwight Lee; Carlene Lewis; Fred Margeson; Owen Margeson; Antoinette McCrary; Judy Miller; Helen Moore; Margaret Moore; Valentina Moore; Paul Nelson; Al Pereira; Jim and Mary Register; Jon Reik; John Robinson; Carolyn Rogers; Casey, Kate, Elizabeth, and Margaret Rousseau; Ruth Rose; Jo-Ann Sadosky; Al Shuckra; Frances Sloan; Hellen Strassner; Lindsey Tengatenga; Joe Troiano; Alice Turcotte; Peter Vreeland; Marshall Weaver; Chris Weber; Trudi White-Campbell; George Weinstock (husband of Erica Weinstock); Amy Williams; Deborah and Shakeem Williams; Pam Williams; those affected by violence, natural disasters, and immigration policies; those who suffer from physical and mental ailments, and all those indirectly effected by those conditions; Patty and son Michael (with new kidney) (family of Edie Brunelle); Ellen Shea (friend of Edie Brunelle); Joanne Barr & family, Nadine Jordan (Carla Griffith); Fred Tetreault (friend of Boo Morton and Suzanne Blancaflor); Shaylee Sadosky (granddaughter of Jo-Ann Sadosky); Don Ghostlaw (friend of Jon Reik); Joseph Dellapuca and Sandra Lock (friends of Percy Williamson); Margaret Packe, Charlie Diamond (friends of Gloria Cheyney); David and James Register (son and grandson of Jim & Mary Register); Patricia Patton, John, Debi, and Ben Irby (brother sister in-law and nephew of Mary Register); Sam, Ben, Rachel and Jeffrey Parsons (son, daughter in-law and grandchildren of Tom and Enid Oberholtzer); Tony Rivera, Anna Vreeland, Kenneth Vreeland, Shirley Gibson, Tanya Kopec, Doris Jean (family of Peter Vreeland); Albert, Tracy, Ramona, and Adrienne (friends of Fr. Don), and for those who mourn for loved ones.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. We pray for the repose of the souls of Hartford's homicide victims. We pray for George Krippenstapel; Carrie Ann Cote; and for those who will die this week, that they may meet their Lord in faith and hope.

"Undie Sunday"

New Socks and Underwear for Those in Need - April 8 and 15

On Sundays April 8 and 15, Outreach ministry members will be accepting donations of new socks and underwear for men and women in need in our community. The collection will be distributed at the Church by the Pond event on April 21.

- New socks: please select white cotton socks, as these are most useful to anyone with diabetes.

- New underwear, bras and undershirts: articles made of cotton will be much appreciated.

Please plan to participate with us, however you are able. If you would like to help coordinate our periodic clothing collections for those in need, please contact Penny Pearson, pennypearson@comcast.net.

Yoga & Meditation at Camp Washington

Grace & Glory: A Gentle Spirit Yoga & Meditation Series with Sheryl Bassford Fatse
6 Week Series (April 12, 19, & 26; May 3, 10 & 17; 7:00-8:15 p.m.)

"Open your heart to all the joy and beauty that is within you." Be surrounded in a supportive environment – quiet the mind – cultivate inner awareness, self-compassion, and non-judgment. Classes will include centering breath work, gentle postures, deep relaxation, and yoga nidra (guided) meditation. This series is especially supportive of those moving through change or growth – accessible to all. Bring a mat, cozy blanket, and journal. **Cost: \$150. Register at: campwashington.org, or by phone: 860-567-9623.**

Brotherhood of St. Andrew April Events



The Trinity Church delegation of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew is proud to announce that the **Brotherhood's State Assembly will hold its meeting at Trinity Church on Saturday, April 14.**

Trinity Church will follow this by hosting all members of the Brotherhood at our 10:00 am service on **Sunday, April 15.**

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew is a worldwide ministry to inspire, empower, and equip men of all ages to fulfill the Great Commission through the threefold disciplines of prayer, study, and service. For more information contact John Robinson at 860-224-9492 or at jkarie23@yahoo.com.

Church by the Pond, April 21

Trinity's next opportunity to participate in this outreach ministry is on **Saturday, April 21**. Church by the Pond is part of Trinity's ongoing commitment to community service as well as in support of the *Ecclesia Ministry* and *Church Street Eats* programs coordinated by Christ Church Cathedral.

- At 12:30 p.m. we will prepare bag lunches in the Trinity kitchen and the library (please enter through the outside door to the kitchen).
- At 1:45 p.m. we will bring those lunches to Bushnell Park, where we'll participate in the Eucharist service by the pond at 2:00 p.m.
- We will distribute our lunches and clothing items following the Eucharist, and complete our afternoon by 3:15 p.m.

Women Together, April 24th

Women Together, an informal book discussion and fellowship group for women from Trinity, St. John's, and St. James's and friends, will begin a new 4-week series on **April 24th**. This series will feature the Gospel of John and *The Only Necessary Thing: Living a Prayerful Life* by Henri Nouwen. Women Together meets on Tuesdays from 3 to 4:15 p.m. in the Reception Room at St. John's, 679 Farmington Avenue in West Hartford. New members are always welcome! For more information, contact Linda MacGougan or Anne Rapkin.

Financial Peace in One Evening???

Potluck Seminar

April 25, 5:30 p.m.

If you missed the two 2017 sessions of Financial Peace University, join fellow parishioners on Wednesday, April 25 at 5:30 p.m. in the Trinity Library for a potluck supper, followed by a live stream of "Smart Money" by Dave Ramsey. "You'll leave with a clear vision for your family's financial future. Smart Money will give you Dave Ramsey's 7-step proven plan for dumping debt and building wealth." **Please sign up for this free event in Goodwin Hall.** Gather at 5:30 p.m., program at 6:45 p.m. The live stream is set to conclude at 9:45 p.m.

Grounds Workday, April 28

Spring is here and the Property Team has scheduled a grounds workday for **Saturday, April 28**, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m. Please plan to join others as we spruce up the church's plantings and gardens. Bring your work gloves and a rake if you can. Peter Green, from the Property Team, will be on hand to direct activities.

"Shoot for the Stars"

Trinity Academy Excellence Gala

You are invited to the Annual Trinity Academy Benefit Gala at the Delamar Hotel in West Hartford on **Saturday, April 28, beginning at 6:00 p.m.** Enjoy cocktails, dinner, a silent auction, and entertainment while helping to support Trinity Academy. Individual tickets are \$150 and a table of 10 is \$1,400. For more information, tickets, or if you are interested in becoming an event sponsor, donor, or donating an auction item, please visit www.trinityday.org or call 860-251-8337.

Heads Up! Hartford

Fundraiser, May 5

Heads Up! Hartford will celebrate its 15th year with Energize! 2018 Fundraising Benefit & Raffle, to be held on **Saturday, May 5**, at St. Thomas Seminary in Bloomfield from **6:00-9:00 p.m.** There will be a selection of drink tastings along with food pairings. All funds will go to directly support the camp. Many Trinity youth have attended HUH camp and found it to be beneficial and rewarding to provide volunteer services to the Hartford community. To purchase tickets go to bit.ly/HUHEnergize2018. Ticket cost is \$40 per person or \$75 per couple. **Buy your ticket before April 15 and you will be automatically entered to win a special thank you gift valued at \$100.**

Please come for as much of this time as you can. Friends and families are always welcome!

Save The Date: Saturday, May 5



35th Annual Foodshare Walk Against Hunger is the Loaves & Fishes' major fundraiser, and has become more important as fewer funds have become available for food programs. Please help aid in this effort by joining the **Trinity Team** with team leader: Debbie Hamer (860-216-3881). More information to come!

Trinity Book (Lovers) Group

All are invited to join with fellow Trinity book lovers for dessert and a discussion of *Lab Girl* by geobiologist Hope Jahren. *Lab Girl* is her revelatory treatise on plant life—but it is also a celebration of the lifelong curiosity, humility, and passion that drive every scientist.

Described as "warm, luminous, compulsively readable," *Lab Girl* has garnered numerous prizes. The Trinity Book Group will meet to discuss *Lab Girl* on **Friday, May 11th, from 7:00-9:00 pm** at the home of Helen Hart in West Hartford. Let her know you plan to attend by contacting her at 860-985-5234 or helenbuellhart@gmail.com. All are welcome!

Note: The book is available in print form and as a downloadable e-book from many local library branches, as well as in stock at all area Barnes & Noble stores.