



## Welcome to Trinity Church

Whether you have worshiped here for years or are visiting our Episcopal Church for the first time, we are glad you are with us. We invite all to enter fully into worship and to explore the variety of learning, small group, and service opportunities that are part of our life together. To learn more, visit [trinitychurchboston.org](http://trinitychurchboston.org) and click on **For Newcomers** or contact Mark Kharas, at [mkharas@trinitychurchboston.org](mailto:mkharas@trinitychurchboston.org), 617-536-0944 x360. We hope to know you better in the time ahead.

## Today

Fifth Sunday in Lent

### Welcome To Dean June Osborne: Guest Preacher & Forum Speaker

Sun., April 2 • Guest Preacher: 9 & 11:15 a.m. • Forum Speaker: 10:15 a.m.

Today we welcome as Guest Preacher in our morning services an important leader in the Church of England today, **the Very Rev. June Osborne**, Dean of Salisbury Cathedral. Dean Osborne has been a significant voice in the Church of England addressing major issues, among them the ordination of women and controversies over consecrating gay and lesbian bishops. The London Times attributed to Dean Osborne's speech in the Church's Synod the "swinging of the General Synod vote in favor of female priests."

Dean Osborne presides over one of England's most cherished places of worship. With its narrow, graceful spire, the tallest in England, rising from the vivid green lawn of the cloister, author and travel writer Bill Bryson declares that "there is no doubt in my mind that Salisbury Cathedral is the single most beautiful structure in England and the close around it the most beautiful space."



### Chat with a Vestry Member

Today, 10:15-11 a.m., Angel Room • 12:15-1 p.m., Parish House LL-A • 7:10-7:50 p.m., Commons  
Join a few members of the Vestry for coffee and informal conversation about what's currently going on in the parish. They value the chance to hear your questions and ideas. Parishioners have discussed the capital campaign, offered ideas for more opportunities for parish fellowship, engagement in liturgy, and using our kitchen more to serve the community. If you can't meet today, Vestry members would be happy to hear from you any Sunday—just look for name buttons with the word "Vestry."

### Help Choose the Topic for the Bonnyman Symposium 2017

Sun., April 2, 10:15 a.m. & 12:15 p.m., Commons • **Deadline:** Mon., April 3, 5 p.m.

The planning team of the Anne Berry Bonnyman Symposium wants your input on identifying a topic that resonates most with the parish — to be the featured subject of our symposium this Fall. The Symposium's mission is to give Trinity a platform for addressing systemic racism in our church and community. Stop by our table at coffee hour, or take the survey online at: [bit.ly/BonnymanSurvey](http://bit.ly/BonnymanSurvey)

## New to Trinity?

### 4 Fast Ways To Get Connected

1. **Meet a clergy person** after the 9 & 11:15 a.m. services in front of the Baptistry (front-right side of the church).
2. **Stop by the Welcome Desk** in the Narthex (by the front doors) on Sunday mornings.
3. **Look for a Welcome Minister** wearing a green button before or after any service.
4. **Join us for Simple Supper** in the Commons after the 6 p.m. service.

We look forward to getting to know you!

#### Children's Homily and Childcare offered at 9 & 11:15 a.m.

Childcare is available for infants and pre-schoolers in the Nursery located on the second floor of the Parish House in Tapestry Hall. Children in K-5th grades worship with their families; they leave before the sermon for the Children's Homily and return at the Peace.

## This Week

### To Move or Not to Move? Discussion for Seniors

Tues., April 4, 4:30 – 6:30 pm, Sherrill House, 135 S. Huntington Ave., Boston

Wondering about senior living options? Sherrill House will host an informative discussion on: the pros and cons of staying at home, deciding where to move before a crisis hits, and communicating with adult children during this time. The speaker will be Emily Saltz, LICSW, CMC, author of *To Move or Not to Move: Preparing for the Future*. This event is free and open to the public, but seating is limited. **Please register** by emailing sborgeson@sherrillhouse.org or by calling 617-731-2400 x3073.

### Lenten Noonday Prayer

Tues., Weds., Fri., 12:10 p.m., Chapel • Thurs., Holy Eucharist and Healing, 12:10 p.m., Chapel  
Weekdays this Lent, join us for 30 minutes of prayer in the new Chapel. On Tuesdays, please enter through Parish House reception at 206 Clarendon Street.

### Palms, Passion & New Life: A Retreat to Prepare for Holy Week and Easter

Sat., April 8, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Glastonbury Abbey; **Register by Mon., April 3**

Join Bill Rich and fellow parishioners—and some of the key characters of the Holy Week stories—to prepare for the spiritual roller coaster journey from Palm Sunday through Easter. The day will include retreat addresses, times for silent meditation on the grounds of a beautiful monastic retreat center, conversation, lunch, and prayer. **To register, please contact** Ami Bailey, abailey@trinitychurchboston.org, or 617-536-0944 x305. Registrations are due by April 3.

## Stewardship

### Thank You for Your Commitment to Our Church!

Thank you to the more than 700 households who have generously pledged \$2.875M to support Trinity's life and ministries in 2017! Thank you, too, to the 45% of households who increased their pledge this year! Because of you, we are able to meet this revised goal! If you haven't pledged yet, please do: every pledge helps to build the life of our church. For more information or if you still need to pledge, visit [trinitychurchboston.org/2017-annual-pledge](http://trinitychurchboston.org/2017-annual-pledge)

**Contact:** Hailey Robison, hrobison@trinitychurchboston.org, 617-536-0944



## Volunteer Opportunities

### Sign Up for the Walk for Hunger Team and Bake Sale

Sun., April 2, 10:15 a.m. - 1 p.m., Commons

Sign up for the Walk for Hunger Bake Sale (Sunday April 30) and/or to be part of Trinity's team that takes the Walk (Sunday May 7)!

**Bake Sale:** You can bake and/or volunteer. See or **contact** Carol Walker at 617-846-3608 or [carwalker@comcast.net](mailto:carwalker@comcast.net).

**Walk for Hunger:** You can walk, donate and/or volunteer. Team Trinity Walk Team page: [support.projectbread.org/goto/trinitychurchboston](http://support.projectbread.org/goto/trinitychurchboston). See or **contact** Chris DeVany at 617-308-8070, [cdevany@ppi.w.com](mailto:cdevany@ppi.w.com)

### Help Make the Church Shine!

Sat., April 8, 9-11 a.m., Church

Polish the brass, dust the pew racks, and prepare the church for Holy Week services. The "Robert Treat Paine Society" gathers on the second Saturday of each month (except August) to take care of the small touches that make Trinity truly shine. All are welcome — no heavy lifting involved! **Contact:** Dave Walker, [18davewalker@gmail.com](mailto:18davewalker@gmail.com)

### Bring a Dessert for Vigil Reception

Sat., April 15, immediately following Easter Vigil service, Commons

Celebrate Easter by bringing your favorite dessert to Trinity's annual Easter Vigil dessert reception. For questions or to sign up to bring a dessert, contact Paige Lull, [PLull@PlymouthRock.com](mailto:PLull@PlymouthRock.com)

## Looking Ahead

### Holy Week at Trinity Church

**Palm Sunday** • April 9 • Services at 9 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 6 p.m., 8 p.m.

**Holy Tuesday** • April 11 • Holy Eucharist at 12:10 p.m.

**Holy Wednesday** • April 12 • Holy Eucharist at 12:10 p.m.

**Maundy Thursday** • April 13 • Supper, Footwashing & Communion at 6 p.m.  
Families Welcome.

**Good Friday** • April 14 • The Passion Liturgy at 12-3 p.m.

**Children's Service** • April 14 • 12-3 p.m. in the Forum

**Good Friday Concert** • April 14 • La Farge Ensemble, 5:30 p.m., Church

**Easter Vigil** • April 15 • Service begins at 8 p.m.

**Easter Day** • April 16 • Services at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 12 p.m., 6 p.m.

### Free Guided Tours During Holy Week

Palm Sun., April 9, 12:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. • Tues., April 11 - Thurs., April 13, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Easter Day, April 16, 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

Trinity Church is designated as "one of the ten most important buildings in America" by the American Institute of Architects and taking a tour of Trinity Church is a wonderful opportunity to come to a deeper understanding of the architecture, history and spirit of this National Historic Landmark building. We invite visitors and friends to join us for free guided tours during Holy Week. Expert volunteers will offer these one-hour tours of the church interior on Palm Sunday through Easter Day. For more info, please contact Visitors Services at 617-536-0944 x204 or visit [trinitychurchboston.org/tours](http://trinitychurchboston.org/tours)

### Maundy Thursday: Supper of the Lamb

Thurs., April 13, 6 p.m., Undercroft & Church

Mark your calendars for Maundy Thursday! This year the liturgy of the word happens downstairs at a lamb stew dinner. Experience the remembrance of the Passover and the last supper in a family-style atmosphere for a new experience of the story.

### Tribute Book for Sam Lloyd

Sundays starting April 23, during morning coffee hours and after the 6 p.m. service, Commons Do you have a favorite photo or story of Sam's ministry, or its meaning to your life? All are invited to share a favorite memory, photo, or message of gratitude, and all entries will be compiled into a Memory Book that will be presented to Sam upon his retirement on Trinity Sunday, June 11. More details about other ways to submit your entries to be shared soon.

### Easter Flower Donations Now Accepted

Remember a loved one, celebrate a milestone, or give thanks for blessings with a donation to the Easter Flower Fund. The suggested donation is \$30 for the first name, and \$10 for each additional name, although any amount is appreciated.

**Names must be received by Monday, April 3, to be printed in Easter worship service leaflets.**

To make a donation online, go to [bit.ly/TrinityAltarFlowers](http://bit.ly/TrinityAltarFlowers)

1. Fill out the online form as appropriate, including the names you would like printed in the bulletin.
2. Under 'Choose a Designation for Your Donation' select Easter Flowers.
3. Enter your payment details and click 'Give'. You will receive a confirmation email.

**To donate by check payable to Trinity Church**, return this form to:

Trinity Easter Flowers, 206 Clarendon Street, Boston, MA 02116

In honor / thanksgiving / memory of (circle one): \_\_\_\_\_

Donor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

**Questions? Contact:**

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who walk at night stumble, because the light is not in them." After saying this, he told them, "Our friend Lazarus has fallen asleep, but I am going there to awaken him." The disciples said to him, "Lord, if he has fallen asleep, he will be all right." Jesus, however, had been speaking about his death, but they thought that he was referring merely to sleep. Then Jesus told them plainly, "Lazarus is dead. For your sake I am glad I was not there, so that you may believe. But let us go to him." Thomas, who was called the Twin, said to his fellow disciples, "Let us also go, that we may die with him."

When Jesus arrived, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb four days. Now Bethany was near Jerusalem, some two miles away, and many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to console them about their brother. When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, while Mary stayed at home. Martha said to Jesus, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that God will give you whatever you ask of him." Jesus said to her, "Your brother will rise again." Martha said to him, "I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day." Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?" She said to him, "Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world."

When she had said this, she went back and called her sister Mary, and told her privately, "The Teacher is here and is calling for you." And when she heard it, she got up quickly and went to him. Now Jesus had not yet come to the village, but was still at the place where Martha had met him. The Jews who were with her in the house, consoling her, saw Mary get up quickly and go out. They followed her because they thought that she was going to the tomb to weep there. When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

Many of the Jews therefore, who had come with Mary and had seen what Jesus did, believed in him.

Do you have information for *TrinityEvents* or for the website?  
Send your events, listings, and plans to [trinityevents@trinitychurchboston.org](mailto:trinityevents@trinitychurchboston.org).

**Reminder**

Please secure your valuables and do not leave personal items unattended.



**We ask all to kindly refrain from photography or any manner of recording during worship. Thank you.**

**Parking Discounts Available at Parish House Front Desk**

Discounted parishioner parking at the **500 Boylston Street Garage** and the **100 Clarendon Street Garage** is available. For details, please see the Parish House Front Desk, located by the Clarendon Street Entrance.

## Collect of the Day

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## Reading

Ezekiel 37:1-14

The hand of the Lord came upon me, and he brought me out by the spirit of the Lord and set me down in the middle of a valley; it was full of bones. He led me all around them; there were very many lying in the valley, and they were very dry. He said to me, "Mortal, can these bones live?" I answered, "O Lord God, you know." Then he said to me, "Prophecy to these bones, and say to them: O dry bones, hear the word of the Lord. Thus says the Lord God to these bones: I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. I will lay sinews on you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live; and you shall know that I am the Lord."

So I prophesied as I had been commanded; and as I prophesied, suddenly there was a noise, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. I looked, and there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them; but there was no breath in them. Then he said to me, "Prophecy to the breath, prophesy, mortal, and say to the breath: Thus says the Lord God: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live." I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood on their feet, a vast multitude.

Then he said to me, "Mortal, these bones are the whole house of Israel. They say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are cut off completely.' Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord God: I am going to open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people; and I will bring you back to the land of Israel. And you shall know that I am the Lord, when I open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people. I will put my spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you on your own soil; then you shall know that I, the Lord, have spoken and will act," says the Lord.

## Reading

Romans 8:6-11

To set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace. For this reason the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God; it does not submit to God's law—indeed it cannot, and those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

But you are not in the flesh; you are in the Spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. But if Christ is in you, though the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also through his Spirit that dwells in you.

## Reading

John 11:1-45

Now a certain man was ill, Lazarus of Bethany, the village of Mary and her sister Martha. Mary was the one who anointed the Lord with perfume and wiped his feet with her hair; her brother Lazarus was ill. So the sisters sent a message to Jesus, "Lord, he whom you love is ill." But when Jesus heard it, he said, "This illness does not lead to death; rather it is for God's glory, so that the Son of God may be glorified through it." Accordingly, though Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus, after having heard that Lazarus was ill, he stayed two days longer in the place where he was.

Then after this he said to the disciples, "Let us go to Judea again." The disciples said to him, "Rabbi, the Jews were just now trying to stone you, and are you going there again?" Jesus answered, "Are there not twelve hours of daylight? Those who walk during the day do not stumble, because they see the light of this world. But those

## Hours & Information

### Sunday Services at Trinity

- 7:45 a.m. Simple, quiet Holy Eucharist  
9 a.m. Community Holy Eucharist with youth Choristers & Choir  
11:15 a.m. Traditional Morning Prayer with Choir; Holy Eucharist first Sundays  
6 p.m. Come as you are Holy Eucharist; with Choir  
7:15 p.m. Sacred Silence: Contemplative Prayer  
8 p.m. Compline: Choral music, candlelight, plainsong, silence, peace

### Weekday Services at Trinity

- 12:10 p.m. **Tues., Weds., Fri.** Daily Prayer in the Chapel  
5:45 p.m. **Weds.** Choral Evensong with the Trinity Choristers  
12:10 p.m. **Thurs.** Midday Eucharist with Healing in the Chapel

### Church (*last admittance 15 minutes before closing*)

Sun. 7:30 a.m.-8 p.m. • Weds. through Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m • Closed Mon. & Tues.

### Church Open for Touring

Sun. 12:15 p.m.-4:30 p.m. • Weds. through Sat. 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. • Closed Mon. & Tues.

### Parish House

Sun. 7:30 a.m.-8 p.m. • Mon., Fri. & Sat. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Tues., Weds. & Thurs. 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m

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Trinity Church in the City of Boston is a congregation of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts and welcomes and honors everyone. In accordance with our baptismal covenant, we affirm the inherent worth and dignity of every person. We strive to include all persons without regard to sexual orientation, race, nationality, gender, family configuration, ethnic background, economic circumstances, difference in ability, culture, or age. Our love and acceptance of each other embody our commitment to unity with God and each other in Christ.

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