



Trinity Events

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2017

HIGHLIGHTS

Anti-Racism Team Book Discussion: *Small Great Things*

Today, 12:15-2 pm, Ferris Library

The Anti-Racism Team hosts a discussion using Jodi Picoult's compelling page-turner novel *Small Great Things* as a jumping off place to discuss the very current issues of race and particularly the issues that have surfaced since Charlottesville. This story, the characters, and the dilemmas of color, equity, civility and the future of our common life are very real. Please come, even if you haven't read the book. But if you start you won't be able to stop! **Contact** lindatrum@gmail.com, 781-871-6084

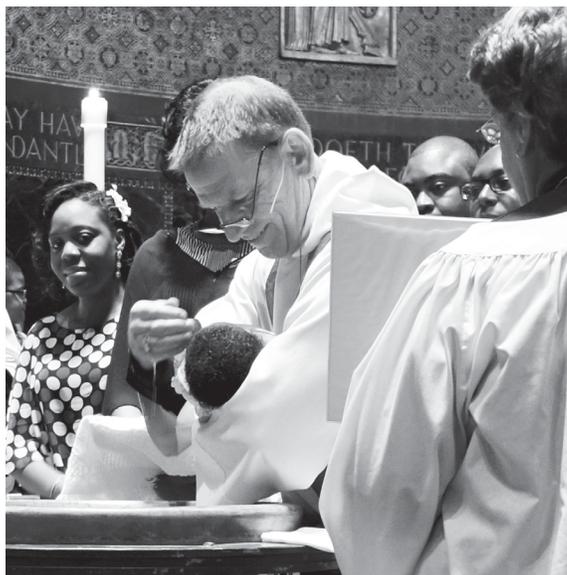
Fauré Requiem & Reception for All Souls

Today, 6 pm, Church & Undercroft

The Trinity Choirs perform the Gabriel Fauré *Requiem* during the evening Holy Eucharist service on All Saints' Sunday to remember all the faithful departed. Free-will offering. Please join us for a reception in the Undercroft afterwards. **Note:** No Simple Supper, Sacred Silence, or Compline today.

God is at Work at Trinity: Show Up, Step Up, and Look Up

In these weeks of Stewardship Season, we are talking about how God is at work in our lives and through Trinity Church. During this extraordinary time in our common life, it is important for us to discern and commit to God's vision for us. Our 2018 annual pledging goal of 775 households committing \$3M will fund all the ways in which our church will show up, step up, and look up in 2018. To make your pledge, visit: trinitychurchboston.org/2018-annual-pledge, stop by the Stewardship Table, or fill out a pledge card at the entrances to the church. **Contact** Adam Dawkins, adawkins@trinitychurchboston.org, 617-536-0944.



At the 9 am service today we welcome six new Christians into our life together, as well as renew our own baptismal vows.



Children's Homily and Childcare offered at 9 & 11:15 am. 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 may leave before the sermon for the Children's Homily and return at the Peace.

NEW TO TRINITY?

1. Meet a clergy person after the 9 & 11:15 am 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 a reception in the Commons after the 6 pm *Requiem* service.

4 Fast Ways to Get Connected

We look forward to getting to know you!

Join Compass

Sun., 11/12, 10:15 am, Angel Room

Join us for this introduction to Trinity. Compass is an opportunity to ask questions about the Parish, meet fellow parishioners, and learn how to get involved in our common life. **For all newcomers questions, contact** Mark Kharas, mkharas@trinitychurchboston.org, 617-536-0944 x360

THIS WEEK

The Conversation Project: A Discussion About End-of-Life Care Weds., 11/8, 11:30 am, Forum; Lunch served; Please RSVP

What matters to you most when you think about the end of your life? Have you yet had a conversation with your loved ones about a time each of us will live into? Join the Hardy Perennials and QuickSilvers for lunch with the Rev. Rosemary Lloyd of The Conversation Project. For more information about the Conversation Project visit theconversationproject.org; to join us for lunch please RSVP to Mark Kharas, mkharas@trinitychurchboston.org or by phone at 617-536-0944, x360.

Memorial Service for the Rev. Margaret "Peggy" Guinness Thurs., 11/ 9, 11 am, Christ Church, Zero Garden St., Cambridge

All are welcome to a Celebration of Life and Holy Eucharist in remembrance of the Rev. Peggy Guinness, the first woman to serve as a priest at Trinity Church (1987-1991). Peggy was loved and admired for her warmth, compassion for all, pastoral care, insightful sermons and faithful service.

Memorial Service for George Packard

Sun., 11/12, 6:30 pm, Hancock Church, Lexington

All are welcome to attend the memorial service for George Packard, father of Daniel and Annie Packard and former husband of Louise Packard. George's strong spirit, joy for living, and love for his children have been a source of great inspiration to many.

NEXT WEEKEND

3rd Annual Anne Berry Bonnyman Symposium: "Is Inequality Bad for Our Health?"

How does systemic racism contribute to health disparities, and what can we do about it?

Keynote and Workshops: Very few seats left!

Sat., 11/11, 8:30 am-1 pm, Trinity Church, RSVP Required

The Symposium will begin with an address by State Rep. Jeffrey Sánchez, Chair of MA House Ways & Means Committee, and will be followed by breakout sessions on related topics including racism as trauma, violence as a public health issue, access to care, and the role of spirituality in changing the status quo. For more info, **contact** Simone John, sjohn@trinitychurchboston.org, or RSVP via the event page at bit.ly/2017ABB

Forum: Scientific racism, embodiment & fighting for health equity: Black Health Matters

Sun., 11/12, 10:15 am-11 am, Trinity Church

Dr. Nancy Krieger, Professor of Social Epidemiology at the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, will present during the Forum as part of the third annual Anne Berry Bonnyman Symposium themed "Is Inequality Bad for Our Health?" One of the most highly cited researchers in her field, Dr. Krieger has been a faculty member at Harvard for 22 years and a powerful, persuasive advocate for social justice and public health.

Guest Preacher: Bishop Dwayne Royster

Sun., 11/12, 9 and 11:15 am services

Bishop Royster, Pastor of the Faith United Church of Christ in Washington, D.C. and Political Director of People Improving Communities through Organizing (PICO) will offer the sermon as part of the Bonnyman Symposium. Bishop Royster has served in Pastoral ministry for the past 20 years in a variety of positions and denominations in the United Methodist Church, The Menonite Church and the Baptist Church Traditions.

Folk Music Singing Workshop: Northern Harmony

Sun., 11/12, 1 - 2:30 pm, St. Andrew's Hall (Trinity Church)

Northern Harmony, the unique world music choir based in Vermont, will teach a selection of South African songs and dances, contemporary American shape-note songs, and songs from Georgia and the Balkans. In their teaching they pay close attention to the distinctive authentic vocal timbres and body language associated with the various singing traditions. Followed by a concert in the Trinity Sanctuary at 3 pm.

Suggested donation for the workshop: \$15.

For more info: villageharmony.org

Northern Harmony Concert

Sun., 11/12, 3 pm, Church

Featuring Trinity staff singers **Sophie Michaux** and **Adam Simon**, Northern Harmony is particularly renowned for its command of varied world ethnic singing styles and variety of repertoire. There will be a free-will offering.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

We invite you to share your God-given gifts with the parish, the city, and beyond, by participating in one of Trinity's many ministries. You may find that lives—including your own—will be changed for the better. For a full list and calendar of opportunities, please visit trinitychurchboston.org/serve

Outreach Volunteer Orientation

Sat., 11/18, 1 pm-4 pm, Forum

Are you a member of an outreach ministry? If so, join us for Outreach Volunteer Orientation, a 3-hour introduction to the concepts and values that underpin our outreach work, like building relationships across differences, understanding restorative practices, and more. If you have questions in the meantime, **direct them to** Simone John, sjohn@trinitychurchboston.org.

Pine Street Inn Feeding Team

Tues., 11/21, 4:30 pm, 444 Harrison Ave., Boston

Join us on the third Tuesday of each month to serve dinner at the Women's Inn and the Men's Inn. **Contact** Matthew VanWinkle, mvanwinkle88@gmail.com, 617-304-0627

LOOKING AHEAD

Candlelight Carols Benefit Tickets Available

Sat., 12/16, 4 pm & 7 pm (free-will offering);

Sun., 12/17, 4 pm (ticketed benefit)

Tickets to the annual benefit concert are now available for purchase online. A beloved Boston tradition since 1909, Candlelight Carols celebrates the coming birth of Christ through carols and anthems, by candlelight, offered by the Choirs of Trinity Church. As always, there will be two other chances to experience Candlelight Carols for free. Visit bit.ly/candlelightcarols to learn more.

Handel's Messiah Sun., 12/10, 3 pm, Church

Don't miss this annual tradition and Boston's only performance of Handel's masterpiece in a sacred setting. The Trinity Choirs and orchestra will perform George Frideric Handel's *Messiah* (Advent and Christmas portions and Hallelujah chorus); and Bach's Cantata 140, *Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme*.

Statement of Affirmation

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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