



## THE WEEKLY WINDOW

OF TRINITY THE HEART OF MIDTOWN

September 10, 2023 – Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Year A

Trinity Episcopal Church | [www.trinitymidtown.org](http://www.trinitymidtown.org)  
1015 Holman @ Main | 713-528-4100

### Sunday In-Person Services

8:00 am and 12:30 pm (Chapel)

10:30 am (Historic Church)



# Aloha

### Aloha Sunday: Sunday, September 10th

Join us on Sunday, September 10th, for services and in the Fellowship Hall at 11:45am for our ministry fair! There will be tables for the various ministries set up and volunteers ready to answer questions or help you sign up to get more involved here at Trinity! Each ministry will provide light snacks and we encourage you to come dressed in Hawaiian attire. We will also be taking a special collection in the Fellowship Hall for the relief efforts in Lahaina to help the recovery efforts after the tragic fires.



### Yoga at Trinity – Returns Monday, September 11th

We are excited for the return of Yoga at Trinity beginning September 11th! The class is accessible for all levels. Please wear comfortable clothes, bring your own mat, and water. Saba will be teaching again on Mondays at noon (except 9/25 and 11/6) and the 3rd Sunday of the month at 2pm. Classes in Atrium 2. See you there!

### Community Voices for Public Education: Saturday, September 16th

Ben and Saba Blanding invite you to join them at their home (backyard) for a Community Voices in Public Education meeting on Saturday, Sept. 16th from 8:30–10:30am to share about the TEA takeover of HISD. They will have donuts and coffee, program is from 9–10am. Please email Saba for additional information if you would like to attend [skblanding@gmail.com](mailto:skblanding@gmail.com). Address: 6608 Rockbridge Lane, Houston TX 77023–4020.

### Taste of Trinity: Saturday, September 23rd

Mark your calendars: Our fall kickoff for all groups will be a dinner at Fellowship Hall on Saturday, September 23rd, at 6:30 p.m. We will still have at least one dinner group and one brunch group. If we have enough participants, we may divide into multiple groups, still offering at least one for mealtime options. You can sign up on Aloha Sunday!

### Blood Drive: September 24th

We are partnering again with the Gulf Coast Blood Center for a fall blood drive. **We still need at least 5 people to sign up in the Fellowship Hall or online for us to host the blood drive. Please sign up if you will be here and would like to donate.** Blood donations are critical to saving lives, we encourage you to register this weekend. You can also RSVP [here](#).

### Episcopal Way Class: October 7th

The Episcopal Way is a class designed to give you a deeper understanding of the Episcopal Church and help you find your place in the life of our church. These classes are free open to everyone; people new to the Episcopal Church are especially encouraged to attend. After completing the course, you will be ready to be Baptized, Confirmed, or Received into the Episcopal Church on the date of the next bishop visit: October 22nd. Please RSVP to attend [here](#).

### Save the Date

October 8th – Blessing of the Animals

October 22nd – Bishop's Visit/Annual Giving Kick-Off and Four Choirs Evensong

### THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

#### Sunday, September 10th 2023

Aloha Sunday!

7:30am – 1:30pm Nursery Open

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I (Chapel)

9:00 am Sunday Meditations (Zoom)

10:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Church)

10:45 am Children's Chapel

11:45 am Ministry Fair (Fellowship Hall)

12:30 pm Holy Eucharist, Rite III (Chapel)

8:00 pm Compline (Facebook)

#### Monday, September 11th, 2023

12:00 pm Yoga w/Saba (Atrium 2)

5:30 pm Evening Prayer

#### Tuesday, September 12th, 2023

11:00 am Women's Circle (Masterson)

5:00 pm Pastoral Care Team (Zoom)

5:30 pm Evening Prayer

6:00 pm Property Committee (Zoom)

6:30pm Finance Committee (Zoom)

#### Wednesday, September 13th, 2023

10:00 am Staff Meeting

12:15 pm Good Times AA meeting Y. Rm

5:30 pm Evening Prayer

6:00 pm Healing Service (Zoom)

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

#### Thursday, September 14th, 2023

9:00am Staff Meeting – Fall programs

12:15 pm Good Times AA meeting Y. Rm

5:30 pm Evening Prayer

#### Friday, September 15th, 2023

12:15 pm Good Times AA meeting Y. Rm

5:30 pm Evening Prayer

#### Saturday, September 16th, 2023

Our Weekly Zoom links can be found at

<https://www.trinitymidtown.org/zoom-withus>



## PRAYERS

Our custom is to read aloud each week the names of those who request our prayers. We also remember in our Prayer Chain and Bulletin those who desire prayers. Please email to keep us informed. For information or comments about prayer names, please contact the Reverend Hannah Atkins Romero. If you would like to participate as a member of the prayer chain, please contact Norma Cooper.

Allegra, Gareth, Kazi, Aurora, Jimmie, Tom, Jill, Stephen, Emily, Van, Dick, Theresa (Fobbs), Victims of Violence, Ric, Barbara, Sylvia, Joyce, Bob, Cristine, David, Robert, Susan, Cindy, Patty, Dana, Samantha, Emilia, Gaby, Florence, Rick, Charles, Harrison, Kathy, Erma, Henry, Theresa (McLellan), Alton, Pete, Mary, Chris, Gloria, and Mirabel.

### For the faithful departed:

Darcy Casavant, Barbara Ehrhard, Tony Martinez, Mildred Demochak, victims of the Maui wildfires and all victims of gun violence.

**Rev. Hannah E. Atkins Romero, Rector**  
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\*Please note we will never ask you for money or gifts via email. Scams are circulating again, so please be aware and cautious.

## Altar Flowers and Coffee Hour

If you would like to make a flower dedication, you can sign up at [www.trinitymidtown.org/flower-ministry/](http://www.trinitymidtown.org/flower-ministry/).

**The next available dates: October 22nd and 29th.**

Sign-ups for coffee hour hosts are available, please sign up online to volunteer [here](#) or scan QR code below. For questions or further information please click [here](#) to contact Jamie Chambers

**Next available dates: October 1st, 15th, and 29th.**



*Happy Birthday!*

Christian Bearup, Libby Tsubai, Damon Hensman, Jimmie McCoy, Wendy Wentland, Donna Cloteaux, Kristyn Fielder, Billie Duncan

### Office Hours

Tuesday–Thursday 9 am – 4 pm  
Friday 9 am – 1 pm

If you have building concerns please email [frontoffice@trinitymidtown.org](mailto:frontoffice@trinitymidtown.org). Thanks!



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