THE WEEKLY WINDOW
OF TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH, MIDTOWN

May 3, 2026, Fifth Sunday of Easter (Year A)
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Regular Sunday Schedule:
Holy Eucharist
8 am in Chapel (Contemplative)
10:30 am in Church (Traditional)
12:30 pm in Chapel (Jazz/Gospel)
Weekdays: Evening Prayer 5:30 pm

New website launches May 4th

The new and improved website launches on May the 4th. We have listened to your suggestions and incorporated them into a more intuitive and pleasant site.
Thank you to Parish Administrator Ryan Mire, John Merullo, Andréa Shiloh, and Jeanne Sommerfeld for all their work on it.

Noonday Concert – May 5th

Our Noonday Concert Series continues with a performance of American composer Ben Johnston's 10th String Quartet. This work is described as "An exceptionally rare work to hear performed that explored the world of 'extended just intonation' and features the tune 'Londonderry Air' hidden in the final movement, as well as a journey through the history of music." The Trinity Quartet includes: John Fawcett (Violin 1), Paul Mortilla (Violin 2), Felix Veser (Viola), Ben Rodriguez (Violoncello). Paul Mortilla is Trinity's Choirmaster. Ben Rodriguez has been a guest cellist at Trinity and guest singer in Trinity Choir many times.

Houston Sinfonietta Concert– May 8th

Houston Sinfonietta Presents Tribulations: A Concert for Crises and Struggle. This chamber ensemble, under the direction of our own Paul Mortilla, presents this concert which includes works by two local Asian American immigrant composers: "When You Die, You Float" by Victor Cui and "First Name, Last Name" by our own Tian Qin. Also on the program are works by Schoenberg and Messiaen. Tickets are available here:

LOTS Spring Luncheon – May 12th

The Annual Spring Luncheon Fundraiser for Lord of the Streets Mission will be held on Tuesday, May 12th, at 11:30 am at the Junior League of Houston, 1811 Briar Oaks Lane. The featured speaker will be our Rector, the Reverend Hannah Atkins Romero. More information may be found by scanning this QR Code, at which you will also be able to purchase tickets.

Episco Trivia – May 16th

The Episcopal Youth Community will host the Second Annual Episco Trivia night on Saturday, May 16th, at 5:30 pm. Come and show off your knowledge of the Episcopal Church, the Bible, and all things Anglican. There is a suggested donation of $10 per person or $25 per group of three or more. RSVP at the following QR code:

Evening Prayer Volunteers Needed

We offer food and prayer to up to 60 people every weekday through our Evening Prayer ministry. Greeters welcome people into the service. Officiants (who must be Trinity members) lead it. All help in distributing food and water. Contact Christian Bearup at christianbearup@gmail.com

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Sunday, May 3, 2026
7:30 am – 1:30 pm Nursery Open
8:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I (Chapel)
9:00 am Meditations (Masterson/Zoom)
9:30 am Education Hour
11:00 am Bob's Blues Mass (Church)
12:15 pm Coffee Hour (FH)
8:00 pm Completas (Facebook)

Monday, May 4, 2026
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Tuesday, May 5, 2026
9:15 am Morning Prayer in Spanish (Chapel)
10:00 am Sandwich Makers (FH)
12:00 pm Noonday Concert (Church)
1:00 pm Listening Post
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Wednesday, May 6, 2026
12:15 pm Good Times AA (Youth Room)
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)
6:00 pm Healing Service (Zoom)
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (Room 218)
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Thursday, May 7, 2026
12:00 pm Migration with Dignity (Zoom)
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Friday, May 8, 2026
12:15 pm Good Times AA (Youth Room)
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)
7:30 pm Houston Sinfonietta (Church)

Saturday, May 9, 2026
9:30 am Tots and Rents (Offsite)

Sandwich Makers meet Tuesday, May 5th at 10 am in Fellowship Hall.

This Week's Adult Forum:

Stations of the Light: Smith Room at 9:30 am

Meeting This Week:

Sandwich Makers: Tuesday at 10 am in Fellowship Hall

Tots and Rents: Saturday at 9:30 am at Colonial Park, 4130 Byron St.

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 Rector. If you would like to participate as a member of the prayer chain, please contact Norma Cooper.

We pray for:Edith, Christopher, Jonathan, Jim, Kathleen, Kenzo, Joyce, Frazer, Elizabeth, Anita, Anadeli, Jane, Gentry, Diane, Katie, Dalia, Garrett, Dave, MiMi, Catherine, Lohmeyer Family, Kaitlin, Kaydence, Sarah, Scott, Erma, Theresa, Vanessa, Franklin, Simón, Linda, Daniel
Allegra, Gareth, Kazi, Aurora, Jimmie, Tom, Patty, Emily, Dick, Barbara, Sylvia, Joyce, David, Robert, Dana, Carolyn, Rick, Harrison, Ric, Daniel, Norma, Margaret, Marcie, Yvonne, Steve, Beryl, Amanda, Mary, Marcy, Aaron, Charles, Mary, Kilmar, Charles, Ed, Susan, Diamond, Kensington, Christina, Juan, Benjamin, Willie, Eugenia, Juana, Winnie, Richard, Muriel, Toni, Kenneth, Jesse, Jan, John, Carla, Bob, Ken, Brian, Randy, Gabby, Cooper, Marianne, all victims of violence

For the faithful departed: The Reverend Murray Powell, Fred Nichols, Michael Harrison, the victims of war and famine in Ukraine, Sudan, Iran, and Palestine, victims of shootings in Shreveport and Baton Rouge, victims of violence in all U.S. Cities, and all victims of gun violence

For our seminarian: Barrett Hess

In Thanksgiving for the Birth of Dominic Ernesto Hess Marino

Altar Flowers and Coffee Hour

If you would like to make a flower dedication, you can sign up here:

The next available Sundays for dedications will be May 24, 31; June 7

Signups for coffee hour hosts are available, please sign up online to volunteer by scanning this QR code.

For questions or further information please contact Jamie Chambers: jamielynnchambers@hotmail.com or call/text at 832-370-7155 .

The next available dates are May 17, 24; June 7

Jacob Davidson, Kathryn Laurance, Saba Blanding, Faith Fossett, Ross Wilderman, Mary Whisenhunt, Shelby Bradley, Amanda Gonzalez

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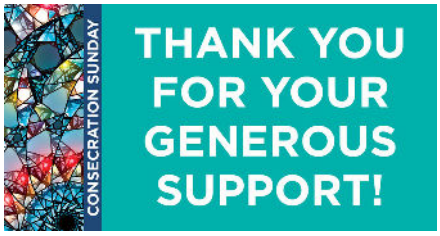
For those who are unable to give monetarily, or have given online, we have made reusable wooden coins available so that all might participate in the spiritual practice of giving and contributing in a visibly inclusive way

Thank you for making and wearing a name tag every Sunday.

Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday 9 am – 3 pm
Friday 9 am – 1 pm
If you have building concerns please email parishadministrator@trinitymidtown.org.



Thank you to all who have given so generously! It is never too late.
www.trinitymidtown.org/give.