



THE WEEKLY WINDOW

OF TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH, MIDTOWN

October 11, 2026, 20th Sunday After Pentecost (Proper 23, Year A)

Trinity Episcopal Church | www.trinitymidtown.org

1015 Holman @ Main | 713-528-4100

Sunday Schedule:

Holy Eucharist

8 am (Contemplative)

10:30 am (Traditional)

12:30 pm (Jazz/Gospel)

Weekdays: Evening Prayer 5:30 pm

Animal Blessing – October 11th

Our annual Animal Blessing service will be held today, from 4 pm to 6 pm on the Francis Street Lawn. Please bring your pets on a leash or in a carrier.

Migration With Dignity Coalition Prayer Circle – October 13th

The Migration with Dignity Coalition offers an evening of prayer and song for healing, support, and commitment to action, Tuesday, October 13th at 6 pm. It will be hosted by Christ Church Cathedral, 1117 Texas Avenue, held in Reynolds Hall. Childcare is provided. Refreshments will be served.

Free parking is available at the Cathedral Garage, 511 San Jacinto Street. RSVP with the QR Code:



Property Mission Statement Workshop – October 17th

Trinity is partnering with the national nonprofit Partners for Sacred Places to host a Property Mission Statement Workshop on Saturday, October 17th, from 9 am to 2 pm. Building on prior community Asset-Mapping and Design Charrette events, this workshop invites parishioners to collaborate in small groups to help determine how the church's land and facilities can be used to serve both the parish and the surrounding community and to create a preliminary mission statement. For more information, contact Senior Warden Elisabeth Tsubai at tsubaie@yahoo.com. RSVP at the QR code:



Family Halloween Piano Concert – October 17th

Join pianist Christine Greenwood for a free program packed with spooky classical piano pieces and some favorite pop Halloween hits on Saturday, October 17th, at 7 pm. The grand finale features an exciting medley of the most quintessential classical Halloween music. Since the concert is under an hour, it's the perfect length for all ages.

Meet and Greet – October 18th

There will be a Meet and Greet with the Rector at 12 noon on Sunday, October 18th, in the Masterson Room. If you are new or new-ish to Trinity and have not yet had a chance to attend a Meet and Greet, please feel free to grab some goodies from Coffee Hour and head to the Masterson Room for some conversation. It will last about 25 minutes. Get acquainted with our clergy and make some new friends! For more information, please inquire at rector@trinitymidtown.org

Trinity News

Festival of Faiths

Trinity Parishioners joined with people from many other faith traditions on Sunday, October 4th, for the Festival of Faiths, hosted by the Ismaili Center. Trinity hosted a dialogue table for discussion. We had two clergy and six volunteers attend. We also had a special performance by the Trinity Jazz Ensemble.

Meeting This Week

Adult Forum : Today at 9:30 am in Smith Room – Parables

Yoga: Tuesday at 10 am in Atrium II

Women's Circle: Tuesday at 11 am in Masterson Room

20s and 30s (Return): Thursday at 7 pm at Empire Cafe, 1732 Westheimer Road



Prayers

Our custom is to read aloud the names of those who request our prayers weekly. We also remember in our Prayer Chain and here those who desire prayers. Please email to keep us informed. For information or comments about 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: Jonathan, Jim, Kathleen, Elizabeth, Anita, Diane, Clyde, Arthur, Christina, Gina, Tricia, Ian, Blanca, Libby, Linda, Alejandra, Randy, Stan, Samantha, Beatriz, Bob

Allegra, Gareth, Kazi, Aurora, Tom, Patty, Emily, Barbara, Carolyn, Sylvia, Joyce, David, Robert, Rick, Susan, Kensington, Christina, Juan, Shirley, Ken, Randy, Bob, Edith, Lilian, Vanessa, Franklin, Neil, Anadeli, Gentry, Benjamin, Dalia, Jimmie, Joanne, Ron, Nia, Gina, Tricia, Amy, Vivian, Erma, Ken, Linda, John, Mary, Susan, Ian, All victims of violence

For the faithful departed: Larry Jaeger, Laura Montes, Dick White, the victims of earthquakes in Venezuela, Japan, Colombia, and Indonesia; the victims of wildfires in Canada and Europe; the victims of the floods in Nepal; the victims of war and famine in Ukraine, Sudan, Lebanon, Iran, and Palestine, and all victims of gun violence.

For our seminarian: Barrett Hess

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.

Mark Goza,
Karen Roach

Happy Birthday!

This Week at Trinity

Sunday, October 11, 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
10:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Church)
11:45 am Coffee Hour (FH)
12:30 pm Jazz/Gospel Eucharist (Chapel)
4:00 pm Animal Blessing (Francis Lawn)
8:00 pm Completas (Facebook)

Monday, October 12, 2026

5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Tuesday, October 13, 2026

10:00 am Yoga (Atrium II)
11:00 am Women's Circle (Masterson)
1:00 pm Listening Post
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Wednesday, October 14, 2026

10:30 am Staff Meeting (Smith)
12:15 pm Good Times AA (Youth Rm)
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)
6:00 pm Healing Service (Zoom)
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (Room 218)

Thursday, October 15, 2026

5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)
7:00 pm 20s and 30s (Offsiite)

Friday, October 16, 2026

12:15 pm Good Times AA (Youth Rm)
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Saturday, October 17, 2026

9:00 am Mission Statement Wkshp (FH)
7:00 pm Halloween Concert (Church)



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