



# Trinity Episcopal Church

November 30, 2025: The First Sunday of Advent - 10am Choral Eucharist

## Welcome to Our Parish

We are glad to have you with us for our worship today, to share in the inclusive, ever-abundant love of God. If you would like to learn more about life here at Trinity, please fill out a **Welcome Card** found in the pew racks in front of you; join us for refreshments after the service; and visit our **website** at [trinitysb.org](http://trinitysb.org).

For an explanation of why worship at Trinity looks and sounds like it does, scan the QR code for our **Guide to the Episcopal Liturgy**.



**Open Communion.** Whatever tradition you come from, and wherever you are on your journey of faith, you are welcome at our communion table. You will find simple directions on how to participate in the Holy Communion section of the program. Gluten-free wafers are available—just ask when the bread is presented to you.

**Prayer Ministers.** During communion at the 10am service, two prayer ministers are available at the back of the church to pray. The three of you will pray together in a circle and you will be offered anointing with oil.

**Children.** On Sundays, Trinity offers religious formation for our children (ages 3 to 12) through the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program. It takes place as early as 9am in the church school building behind the sanctuary. Children are brought into the church during the offertory hymn to join us for communion at the 10am service.

**Nursery and Toddler Care** is from 9:45am to the end of the 10am service on Sundays in the nursery upstairs. During the offertory hymn, you are welcome to gather your child from the nursery to join you for communion in the church.

**Trinity's Youth Group** (grades 7-12) meets weekly during the school year for fellowship and reflection.

**Our ushers** are always glad to be of assistance, including answering questions, providing hearing loops as needed, and giving directions to the church school building, the nursery, and other on-site facilities.

**Hearing Loop** installed in the sanctuary.



## An Advent Blessing

God, we long for peace,  
but we have already drawn our blades.  
We are at war with each other,  
and within ourselves.

Our world—the evidence of our folly—on full display.  
We waste away in quarries dug by our own hands.

Oh, Jesus, come to us.  
Come suddenly, into the center of our deepest need.  
Come swiftly into the chaos of our conflict and  
distress.

Establish the peaceful order of your rule, not ours.  
Your kingdom, not ours.  
Reign with sovereignty in our hearts,  
which refuse correction.  
Reign with power over all that is ungovernable.  
Reign with mercy over our communities, our  
neighborhoods, and our nation.

Blessed are we who look to you, Jesus,  
to be the change we cannot enact.  
Come, prince of peace, to our bleeding world.

~ by Kate Bowler

# Ministers of Today's Liturgy

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## 8am Service

**Preacher:** The Rev. Elizabeth Molitors, Rector

**Presider:** The Rev. Christine Purcell

**Deacon:** The Rev. John Draper

**Director of Music:** Thomas Joyce

**Harpsichord Assistant:** Patrick Lindley

**Lay Eucharistic Minister:** Nollie Lei Dawson

**Reader:** Michael Neal Arnold

**Intercessor:** Bob Burtness

**Acolyte:** Michael Neal Arnold

**Ushers:** Anita Ferguson

## 9am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

**Catechists:** Stephanie Perez, Mary Gibson, Theo Patterson

**Volunteers:** Leslie Meadowcroft-Schipper, Alex Nizet, Libby Yardi, Shawn Carey

**Director of Children and Youth:** Theo Patterson

## 9am Nursery

## 10am Service

**Preacher:** The Rev. Elizabeth Molitors, Rector

**Presider:** The Rev. Anne Howard, Associate Rector

**Deacon:** The Rev. John Draper

**Director of Music:** Thomas Joyce

**Conducting Assistant:** Grace Wenzel

**Organ Assistant:** Joel Lefever

**Harpsichord Assistant:** Patrick Lindley

**The Trinity Choir**

**Prayer Ministers:** Jay Casbon, Caryl Ann Casbon

**Acolytes:** Georg Rice,

**Readers:** Jeannie Christensen, Andrew Siegel

**Intercessor:** Mel Sahyun

**Lay Eucharistic Ministers:** Anna Kokotovic, Dodie Little

**Audio Guild:** Mark Nelson

**Stream Team:** Austin Miller

**Ushers:** Steve Gibson, Stephen Humphreys, Kathleen Rogers

**Greeters:** Nancy and Ted Myers,

**Welcome Table:** Caryl Ann Casbon, Susan Zink

**Altar Guild:** Sarah McCarter, Melissa Moriarty, Nollie Lei Dawson

**Coffee Hour Helpers:** Isao Sugano, John Spence

# Remember in Your Prayers

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Veronica, Men of Lompoc prison, people of Ukraine, Israel and Palestine, undocumented immigrants, Randy Howard, Nina Zimmer, Ryley, Katie Troy, Susan Zink, Maya and Rowen, the Bergquist family, Kate Kelly, Leslie Campbell, Nancy Siris-Rawls, Griffin Arnold, Valerie and Andrew Arnold, Phylene Wiggins, James and Patricia Wright, Marie Schoeff, Megan, Mica Basilici, Brett Evans, John Spence, Ana Orozco, Aaron, Wendy, Robert F Adams, Chris Teasley, Megan, Dylan, Ned, Paul D. and Caitlin D., Emmie and the Hoffman family, Ken Sorgman.

## Those with Long Term Illness:

Rachel Roitman, Judy Boyd, Ellen Sherman, Stephanie Campbell, Royal Claydon, Greg Hawkins, Carolyn Roberts, Michael Wilds, Karen Myers, Johnny Mac, Karen McKenzie, Joan W., Cindy Sprague, the Rt. Rev. William Smalley, Rick Huyett, Ada A., Tim, Molly Ferro, Jane G., Gloria C., Barbara Winslow, Gail Lanonette, Kathy Floyd, Vera Grigorian, Scott Smallwood, Joaquin and Jan, Quinn Sellars, Jane Arnold, Billy Jones, Gina B., Nadine Wilcox, Jane Ramshaw, Travis Stockstill, Virginia Burris, Kathy and Steve Stuck, Bruce Freeman, Rev. Mary Atwood.

## For the Departed:

All victims of gun violence, Earl & Maryon, Christian Garvin, Matthew Bergquist, Jane Goodall, Jaclyn Henretig, Charles Lean, Jacob Risley, Dave Wyman, Latif, Jack Carey, Marilyn, Murphy-Houseman, Linda D., Zdenka Garciacelay.

## In the Armed Services:

Craig and Catherine Christ, Michael C. Fish, David Dees, Frederick Johnston, Nicole A. Dennis, Kyle Ray, John Whitney, Sean Dunbar, Nicholas Hoegh Guldberg, Ryan Carey, Ben Wilson, Hannah Vadnais.

## Postulant for Holy Orders (diaconate):

Phylene Wiggins

## Pastoral Care:

*If you would like names added to the prayer list, please contact the office. Names will be removed after 90 days. If you would like to receive communion at home, are going into the hospital or are otherwise in need of pastoral care, and would like to pray with or be visited by clergy, please email [office@trinitysb.org](mailto:office@trinitysb.org) or call 805-965-7419.*

## Advent Wreath Lighting:

8am: Lucy Bell & Sarah Fenstermaker

10am: Leneta & Loren Wiebe

## Prelude

Advent Harpsichord Meditation

Patrick Lindley

## Processional Hymn 59

Hark! a thrilling voice is sounding

## Opening Acclamation

Presider Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People **You come to your people and set them free.**

## The Lighting of the Advent Wreath

### For the first Sunday of Advent - HOPE

The poet Emily Dickinson wrote:

*"Hope is the thing with feathers  
that perches in the soul."*

The psalmist declared:

*"I put my hope in you all day long."*

Hope is more than wishful thinking. Hope is the Spirit of God dwelling within us, reminding us we are never alone. Hope is our active commitment to be God's faithful people, whether we walk an easy path or face fiery trials.

When we light the candle of Hope, we embrace God's presence among us, yesterday and today and always.

## Kyrie Eleison:

*Sung by the choir*

George Malcolm (1917-1997)

*Kyrie eleison* (Κύριε ἐλέησον)

Lord, have mercy.

*Christe eleison* (Χριστέ ἐλέησον)

Christ, have mercy.

*Kyrie eleison* (Κύριε ἐλέησον)

Lord, have mercy.

## Collect of the Day

adapted from *Prayers for an Inclusive Church*

Presider God be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray. Holy Thief, stealing away our false securities and idle vanity: awaken us from the dull sleep that clings to empty fear and vacant routine; unfold on us the time of crisis when love of truth floods a thirsty world; through Jesus Christ, the one who is to come.  
**Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

## First Lesson

**Isaiah 2:1-5**

The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

In days to come  
the mountain of the LORD's house

shall be established as the highest of the mountains,  
and shall be raised above the hills;  
all the nations shall stream to it.

Many peoples shall come and say,  
'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,  
to the house of the God of Jacob;  
that he may teach us his ways  
and that we may walk in his paths.'

For out of Zion shall go forth instruction,  
and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.

He shall judge between the nations,  
and shall arbitrate for many peoples;  
they shall beat their swords into ploughshares,  
and their spears into pruning-hooks  
nation shall not lift up sword against nation,  
neither shall they learn war any more.

O house of Jacob,  
come, let us walk  
in the light of the LORD!

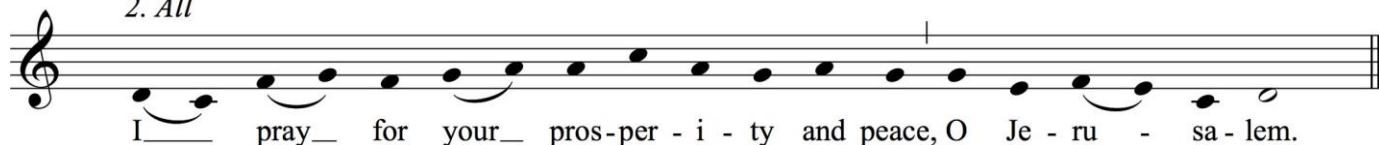
Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.  
People **Thanks be to God**

# **Psalm 122**

*All are invited to sing the ANTIPHON*

Plainsong Psalter, Tone I.7

1. Cantor, then All  
2. All



## ANTIPHON

I was glad when they said to me, \*  
"Let us go to the house of the Lord."

Now our feet are standing \*  
within your gates, O Jerusalem.

Jerusalem is built as a city \*  
that is at unity with itself;

To which the tribes go up,  
the tribes of the Lord, \*  
the assembly of Israel,  
to praise the Name of the Lord.

For there are the thrones of judgment, \*  
the thrones of the house of David.

Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: \*  
"May they prosper who love you.

Peace be within your walls \*  
and quietness within your towers.

For my brethren and companions' sake, \*  
I pray for your prosperity.

Because of the house of the Lord our God, \*  
I will seek to do you good."

## ANTIPHON

## Second Lesson

**Romans 13:11-14**

You know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

Reader      Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.  
People      **Thanks be to God**

## Gospel Acclamation

Antiphon based on *Veni, veni, Emmanuel*  
Arranged by Stephen Pishner; Adapt. by Thomas Joyce  
Words from Psalm 25

*Cantor, then All*

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul. To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

*Cantor:* Lord, make me know your ways. Lord, teach me your paths. Make me walk in your truth, for you are God my Savior.

*All repeat the Refrain*

## The Holy Gospel

**Matthew 24:36-44**

Deacon      The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.  
People      **Glory to you, O Christ.**

Jesus said to the disciples, "But about that day and hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man. Then two will be in the field; one will be taken and one will be left. Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken and one will be left. Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour."

Deacon      The Gospel of the Lord.  
People      **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please be seated.*

## Sermon

Rev. Elizabeth Molitors

*[Allow for a few moments of silence]*

*All who are able, please stand.*

## Affirmation of Faith

Sister Joan Chittister, OSB

**We believe in God who made us all,  
and whose divinity infuses life with the sacred.  
We believe in the multiple revelations of God,  
alive in every human heart, expressed in every culture,  
found in all the wisdoms of the world.  
We believe in Jesus, the Christ, who leads us to the fullness of humanity,  
to what we are meant to become.  
Through Christ, we become new people,  
called beyond the consequences of our brokenness,  
lifted to the fullness of life.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the breath of God on earth,  
who keeps the Christ vision present to souls yet in darkness,  
gives light to hearts now blind, infuses energy into spirits yet weary, isolated,  
searching and confused.**

**We believe in God who is life. Amen.**

## Prayers of the People

adapted from *Feasting on the Word*

In hope, let us offer our prayers and thanksgivings and all that we long for, to God.

Merciful God, you call us to goodness and lead us on right paths. You encourage us with signs of your coming and urge us to keep watch, that we might greet you with heads raised high when you come to restore all of creation. Watching and waiting, we pray for this world that needs your saving power.

For nations at war, in your mercy, **God, save us.**

For all who suffer from violence, in the streets or in their homes, in your mercy,  
**God, save us.**

For all who live in worry or fear, in your mercy, **God, save us.**

For those who have forgotten the ways of righteousness, in your mercy, **God, save us.**

For those who have never heard of your rescuing love, in your mercy, **God, save us.**

For all those who have lost hope, or never had it at all, in your mercy, **God, save us.**

We pray, too, for all your faithful people in the world, that we may increase in compassion for you and all creation, and work in confidence toward peace and justice. In your mercy, **God, save us.**

We pray for all who are oppressed or lonely or hurting; for all those in need of your tender care, remembering those on our parish prayer list, and others we now name, either silently or aloud:

*[Pause to offer names]*

In your mercy, **God, save us.**

We pray for those we love, but see no longer, entrusting their souls to your care:

*[Pause to offer names]*

In your mercy, **God, save us.**

*The presider adds a concluding Collect:*

God of grace, make us ready and eager for the coming of your just future, when you will bring everlasting peace and renew the face of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Savior. **Amen.**

## **Confession**

Deacon We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins:

People **God of all mercy,  
we confess that we have sinned against you,  
opposing your will in our lives.  
We have denied your goodness in each other,  
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.  
We repent of the evil that enslaves us,  
the evil we have done,  
and the evil done on our behalf.  
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us  
through our Savior Jesus Christ,  
that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.**

Presider Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## **The Peace**

Presider The peace of Christ be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

*Please be seated.*

## **Announcements**



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## Offertory Anthem

Kate Wallace

With every passing day as sunlight disappears  
The dusk descends and prayers ascend  
For strength to calm our fears

Uncertain is this time when rancor seems to  
reign  
And illness leaves within its wake  
Such sadness, grief and pain

Yet soon a star will shine - look up, keep watch  
and wait  
Then hear within a newborn's cry  
The love that conquers hate


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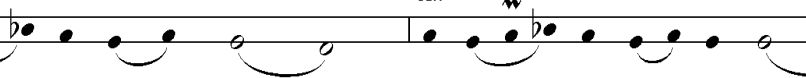
- poem by Tom Mousin, adapt. Kate Wallace


## Offertory Hymn 66

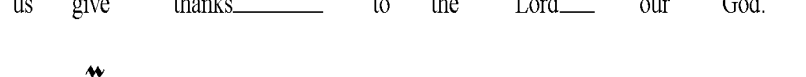
Come, thou long-expected Jesus

adapted from *Prayers for an Inclusive Church*


*Presider* May God be with you. *All* And also with you.


*Presider* Lift up your hearts. *All* We lift them to the Lord.


*Presider* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.


*All* It is right to give God thanks and praise.



**Presider** Holy are you, God of Jesse, for the branch of our salvation is rooted in you. To Abraham you promised to raise up a people bound to you in love, and through the household of David you brought life greater than our imagining in a child of grace, Jesus our Savior. Though we deny your love for us and seek to limit the reach of your mercy to others, you beckon us to repentance, opening our eyes to new life, and encouraging us to join your family of faith. In your Son's death we see the depth of our sin; yet in his resurrection we see the extent of your grace. You bless us beyond reckoning, for you welcome us into the company of prophets and apostles and saints, on earth and in heaven, with whom forever we sing your praise:

**Sanctus** *All are invited to sing*

Sanctus from *Deutsche Messe* - Franz Schubert  
1982 Hymnal - S 130, arr. Richard Proulx

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,\_\_\_ Ho - ly,  
 ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,\_\_\_ hea - ven and earth are  
 full,\_\_\_ full\_\_\_ of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high -  
 est. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Blest is the one who comes\_\_\_  
 in the name of the Lord.\_\_\_\_\_ Ho - san - na in the  
 high - est. Ho san - na in the high - est.

**Presider** Anointing God, your Spirit rested upon your Son with wisdom and understanding, counsel and might, knowledge and fear. In Christ you have anointed your future out of our past, your kingdom out of our plans, and your salvation out of our despair. As your Spirit rested upon him, send down that same anointing Spirit upon us and upon these gifts of bread and wine that they may be for us the body and blood of Jesus Christ; who, at supper with his disciples, took bread, gave you thanks, broke the bread and gave it to them saying, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me." After supper, he took the cup. Again he gave you thanks, and gave it to his disciples saying, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you

and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.”

Great is the mystery of faith:

People: **Christ has died.  
Christ is risen.  
Christ will come again.**

Astonishing God, your prophet Isaiah envisioned a day when the wolf and lamb would lie down together, and the leopard with the kid, and a little child would lead them. Astonish us anew by your gentle ways of peace. Shape your church to live from faith, and not from fear. Make your future present through the lives of those who show us how to love our enemies. Hasten the day when the earth will be full of the knowledge of you, and your fullness will be all in all, and all creation from the depths of the sea to the heights of the mountains will know the peace to which your Son shall lead. Awaken that dawn when we are surrounded with everlasting praise to you: creator, redeemer, and sustainer, ever one God. **AMEN.**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

And now let us pray together, in the words Jesus gave his disciples:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

## Fraction Anthem

*All are invited to sing*

Agnus Dei from *Deutsche Messe* - Franz Schubert  
1982 Hymnal - S 164, arr. Richard Proulx



Je-sus, Lamb of God: have mer-cy on us. Je-sus, bear-er of our sins: have  
mer-cy on us. Je-sus re-deem-er, re-deem-er of the world:  
give us your peace, give us your peace.

## The Invitation

**Presider** This is the table of Jesus Christ. It is made ready for those who love him and for those who want to know Christ more. So come, you who have little and you who have much; you who have been here often, and you who have not been here long; you who have tried to follow and you who have failed. Come, because it is God who invites you.

## The Holy Communion

*Whoever you are, and wherever you find yourself on the journey of faith, you are welcome at God's table for communion. Please come forward to receive communion standing in a semi-circle around the altar. You have the option to receive only the bread, or the bread intincted (dipped) into the wine and placed into your hand by the clergy person distributing communion. If you wish to receive only the bread, please say "bread only" as it's your turn to receive. Gluten free wafers are also available.*

*Regardless of whether you're receiving the bread only, or the bread and wine, you will hear the phrases, "the body of Christ, the bread of heaven" and "the blood of Christ, the cup of salvation" as communion is offered to you. As the ushers invite your row forward, please come up the center aisle to receive communion, then return to your seat via the side aisle. If you're unable to leave the pew, please notify an usher and communion will be brought to you. If you do not wish to receive communion, simply cross your arms across your chest; this will signal to the clergy to offer a blessing in lieu of communion.*

## Communion Anthem

## The "O" Antiphons

Peter Hallock (1924-2014)

No. 1: Sapientia (Wisdom)

*O Sapientia, quae ex ore Altissimi prodiisti, attingens a fine usque ad finem, fortiter suaviterque disponens omnia: veni ad docendum nos viam prudentiae.*

O Wisdom, you came forth from the mouth of the Most High, and reach from one end of the earth to another, mightily and sweetly ordering all things: come and teach us the way of prudence.

No. 2: Adonai (Lord of Might)

*O Adonai, et Dux domus Israel, qui Moysi in igne flammae rubi apparuisti, et ei in Sina legem dedisti: veni ad redimendum nos in brachio extento.*

O Adonai, Ruler of the house of Israel, you appeared to Moses in the fire of the burning bush; on Mount Sinai you gave him your law: with outstretched arm come and redeem us.

- The origin of the "O" Antiphons is not known. Manuscripts from the ninth century suggest they may be attributed to St. Gregory the Great. Each presents a name given to Christ in the Old Testament and a petition asking for the fulfillment of a scriptural promise or prophecy. The antiphon texts form the basis for the verses of the beloved Advent hymn, "O come, O come, Emmanuel".

## Post Communion Prayer

adapted from *Wild Goose Worship*

Presider Let us pray.

People **Jesus Christ, you have put your life into our hands; now we put our lives into yours. Take us, renew and make us. What we have been is past; what we shall be, through you, still awaits us. Lead us on. Take us with you. Amen.**

## Commendation of Eucharistic Visitors

Presider Beloved community, we send our eucharistic visitors to share this Holy Communion with those who could not worship here today.

People **May they carry the prayers of all of us as they take the sacrament of the presence of Christ.**

## The Blessing

adapted from *Prayers for an Inclusive Church*

May the God who brings heaven close to earth  
give truth to our seeing and flame to our longing  
that our hearts might be ready to be born again in love;  
And may the blessing of God, who made us,  
who loves us, and who travels with us, be with you now and always. **Amen.**

## Recessional Hymn 57

Lo! he comes, with clouds descending

## The Dismissal

Deacon As we await our coming Savior, go in the peace of Christ.

People **Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude

Lift Up Your Heads!

Michael Praetorius (1571-1621)/Paul Fey (b.1998)

## Coffee Hour and Wreath Making

*Join us for Coffee Hour and Advent Wreath Making in the Parish and Guild Halls.*

*We are glad to have you with us for our worship today, to share in the inclusive, ever-abundant love of God.  
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Please contact the Trinity office at [office@trinitysb.org](mailto:office@trinitysb.org) or 805-965-7419 with any corrections.



# Trinity Episcopal Church

## Upcoming Events and Announcements

### **Trinity Men's Group – Monday, December 1, 4pm**

The Men's Group meets on the first Monday of each month in the Trinity library. After the meeting, anyone who finds it convenient is welcome to gather at Santa Barbara Public Market to share a meal.

### **Ornament Exchange Party – Friday, December 5, 6-8pm**

Bring a wrapped ornament, valued at no more than \$10 to the Guild Hall, along with an appetizer, snack, dessert, or beverage to share. Sign up at the welcome table or email [office@trinitysb.org](mailto:office@trinitysb.org).

### **Trinity Backstage Holiday Show – Saturday, December 6, 3-5pm**

Join musicians Doug Clegg, Kate Wallace, James McVay and special guests for an afternoon of great music and yummy treats, outdoors on the Labyrinth. Suggested donations of \$20 can be made at the door or online. All ages are welcome.

### **Alternative Christmas Market – Sunday, December 7, 9am-noon**

Trinity parishioners and friends have an opportunity to "justice shop" in the Parish and Guild Halls, and support a wide variety of local and international charitable organizations. Our church school children and youth group members also take an active role in helping raise funds.

### **Compline with Story & Sound – Sunday, December 7, 7-8pm**

An evening of meditative music and storytelling in the Sanctuary with incense, tea, blankets, and candlelight. Our storyteller will be Steve Jacobsen, who has been active in the local community for 33 years as a pastor and interfaith leader. Visit the compline page on the Trinity website for more information.

### **Blue Christmas – Tuesday, December 9, 6-7pm, in the Sanctuary**

A contemplative service of prayer, ritual, meditation, and music to provide healing space for those who experience the Christmas season as a difficult one due to loss, grief, or loneliness.

### **Women's Group: *Women at the Well* – Saturday, December 13, 3-4:30pm**

*Women at the Well* resumes with a new book, Cole Arthur Riley's "This Here Flesh". The group meets monthly in the Trinity Youth Group room (enter from Micheltorena), with an optional dinner at The Natural Café restaurant at 5pm. Newcomers welcome! For more information, contact Carolyn Roberts ([Drcarolynroberts@aol.com](mailto:Drcarolynroberts@aol.com)) or Michelle Grue ([michellengrue@gmail.com](mailto:michellengrue@gmail.com)).

### **Christmas Cookie Walk and Gift Raffle – Sunday, December 14, 9am-12:30pm**

Trinity is hosting our fifth annual Christmas Cookie Walk. Make plans to attend this festive community-wide event and gather homemade Christmas cookies in all shapes and flavors, lovingly made by Trinity parishioners. Orders for pre-packaged gift boxes begin on Nov. 23.

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