

Trinity Tidings

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The Newsletter of Trinity Episcopal Church



Why Show Up for the Annual Meeting?

In today's world, survey upon survey shows that people do not want to be a part of organized groups if they are not transparent. People want to know, "What's going on?" "Who's doing what?" "Why do we bother with this project or that?" "Where is my money going?" "Can't I have a say in who's involved in leadership?"

The annual meeting of a church community is a prime way to be transparent. The Vestry of Trinity church seeks this, as does your Rector. Yet, even more, we seek to demonstrate that the health and vibrancy of Trinity Church depends not merely on clergy or a small group of leaders. Everyone plays a vital role.

So, even though there are lots of meetings in our busy lives, the Annual Meeting is one not to be missed. At the Annual Meeting we will share reports (some in writing, some verbally) on who's doing what, why they are doing it, what it costs, and why it matters. Also, you, members of Trinity, have a voice in electing persons to the Trinity Vestry. Ten amazing people have offered themselves for service on the Vestry. There are five available seats. The Rector or even a select group of the Vestry does not choose these five persons. You choose them! Nominations can even be made from the floor (but

be sure the person you want to nominate is eligible).

Please come on November 23 at 10:15 a.m., in the church, to take part. We will provide travel cups with lids so you can bring your coffee in the church! When the meeting is over we will move right into a very abbreviated Eucharist with the hopes that the whole morning will conclude at about the same time as it usually does.

Remember, in the Episcopal Church, those eligible to vote at the Annual Meeting are all active, baptized members, sixteen years old or above, who give of their time, talent and treasure to Trinity Church. We do not publish a list of who among us fits in this category or not. We rely on your honest participation.

I look forward to seeing you at the Annual Meeting!

By Grace,

Scott



Wonderful Wednesday

Music • Food • Fun • Study

Wednesdays bring many engaging activities at Trinity. This is one opportunity where all aspects of our mission are lived out: **Explore Faith, Embrace Community, Expect a Difference.**

Come to any part of the evening that works for you or your family. The evening begins with Choir rehearsals and a brief Contemplative Eucharist in the Chapel. Through November 19th, Dinner will be served and there will be a nursery, study hall for children and youth. Look at the schedule below.

Wednesday evenings will be one of the evenings you don't have to cook!

- 5:00 Alleluia Choir (ages
- 5:00 - 7:00 **Nursery Open
- 5:15 - 5:45 Contemplative Eucharist (Chapel)
- 5:30 - 6:30 **Dinner Served (in Tuton Hall)
- 5:30 - 6:15 Jubilate Choir (ages)
- 6:15 - 7:00 **Adult Study (see below)
- 6:15 - 7:00 **Youth Study Hall (Youth Room)
- 6:15 - 7:00 **Children Study Hall (Godly Play 2 room)
- 7:00 Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- ** last night for these activities is November 19

Adult Study

led by Scott White

From Genesis to Revelation: A Comprehensive Look at the Bible. One of the most common reasons people shy away from studying the bible is that at first glance it seems so overwhelming. The bible contains many books written over many thousands of centuries. In this study we will step back to look at the overall makeup of the Holy Scripture. We will look at the different themes of the scripture including the different types of literature used. The Holy text of God is indeed, "living and active," as the author of one book of the bible puts it. Yet, it is not inaccessible.



Vestry Elections • See page 2.



Vestry Nominees for the Class of 2017

Spencer Atwater

Spencer Atwater was raised in Atlanta, GA. He graduated from the Westminster Schools and Washington and Lee University. He received his medical degree from the Medical College of Georgia followed by his internship in internal medicine at the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN. He served two years as a captain in the USAF Medical Corps in Blytheville, AK from 1971-1973.. Following this he completed his residency in pediatrics and his fellowship in allergy and immunology at the Mayo Clinic. He and his family moved to Asheville in 1977 when he then began his own private practice in allergy.

Spencer married Mern Richards in 1970 at St Paul's Episcopal Church in Augusta, GA. They have four children-Whitney, John, Sara and Tom. Spencer was confirmed at St Luke's Episcopal in Rochester, MN, in 1975. After moving to Asheville he and his family joined All Souls Episcopal in 1978. They were active members there raising their four children in the church. After a period of inactivity, Spencer and Mern felt the need for a change in churches. In 2011, much to their delight, they revisited Trinity finding the welcome, the positive energy and spirituality that they were seeking. Both became active members with Mern serving on the Flower Guild and Spencer as an usher. Newcomer's classes and several adult education classes followed.

Spencer brings the experience not only a physician, but also of a successful developer of a group allergy practice. In 1992 he and his partner, David Brown, founded Allergy Partners. This group grew into the largest allergy practice in the United States with currently 103 allergists. Spencer served as chairman of the board and chief medical officer. Though this process, he learned much about the dynamics of groups and the importance of building consensus. It is this skill that he feels will be of help to Trinity and the Vestry should he be elected. He also has planned to retire from medical practice in June 2015 leaving him the time and energy to devote to Trinity.

Courtney Blossman

A member of the Episcopal Church since the age of 13, she was confirmed while attending All



Saints' Episcopal School in Vicksburg, MS. She served as a member of the vestry at St. John's in Ocean Springs, MS for two terms, as well as the alter guild.

A resident of Asheville since 2014 she has found Trinity Church to be a strong and vibrant community. She currently is holding board positions on the Asheville Museum of Art, Southern Appalachian Highlands Conservancy, and the UNCA Foundation Board.

In her home state of Mississippi she was founder and board president of the Walter Anderson Museum of Art and served on other art, conservation and educational boards.

She is a member of the International Women's Forum, Mississippi Chapter, a professional organization for women in business.

At Trinity she is pleased to serve on the Outreach Committee and the Trinity Flower Guild.

She was married for 32 years to John R. Blossman and has three children and 9 grandchildren. All nine grandchildren live in the state of North Carolina!

Elizabeth Boulter

Elizabeth was born in Greenville, South Carolina but spent most of her growing-up years in Burnsville, North Carolina. As a child she attended and made music in a variety of churches of different denominations, having a Mom who grew up a Baptist and a Dad who grew up a Lutheran. She and her husband Rich began attending church at Trinity in 1995 and have been here ever since. Both her children, 17-year-old Isaac and 14-year-old Rachel, have been coming to Trinity their whole lives, beginning in the nursery and going through the Godly Play classes, Rite in the Middle, and are now enjoying taking part in Trinity's youth program. They have been active as acolytes for many years and Elizabeth has occasionally helped with the acolyte program.

Elizabeth was confirmed here at Trinity at the same time that Isaac was, in the spring of 2011. Over the years she has made music on a regular basis for



Trinity's services, playing the recorder and singing. She has been a lay reader, and has been a regular participant in the Parents in Conversation Sunday school class.

She is in her twenty-fifth year of teaching music in the North Carolina public schools, having pursued that profession since graduating from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1990. She and her family make their home on 19 acres in the mountains of western Yancey County.

Andrew Craig

Andrew spent his formative years in Black Mountain, attending public schools and graduating from Charles D. Owen High School. He then hurried out of town to attend Oak Ridge Military Institute and, in due course, Andrew graduated from what is now High Point University with a degree in English and history.

After three years in Germany with the US Army, Andrew taught high school history for a year and then completed his MA in history at UNC-Greensboro, while serving as assistant principal of a Guilford County school, after which he moved to Bowling Green State University in Ohio, where he eventually received his Ph.D. in history.

In September of 1984, Andrew and Jackie returned to Asheville to live and work in the area where they both grew up. They were married at St. John's in the Wilderness Episcopal Church in August 1986, and have been "regular" Episcopalians since, having now "found our place" at Trinity.

Andrew spent the majority of his career in public and private education, mainly as an administrator. Jackie is the owner of Appalachian Crafts Center and Appalachian Crafts Too at the Renaissance Hotel, where Andrew currently works and otherwise assist Jackie.

Andrew and Jackie serve on the Board of Asheville Sister Cities, where Andrew will again become President in January. Andrew was also the President of the founding board of Art Space Charter School, served for many years on the Bele Chere board, and is a past member of a number of other community organizations.

In their spare time, Andrew and Jackie ride bikes in Florida and Virginia, and travel. Andrew formally worked as a part-time raft guide on the French



Broad and Pigeon Rivers and with Jackie has rafted the major rivers of the Southeast.

Andrew would be delighted and honored to serve on the Vestry of Trinity, having found a welcoming, supportive and generous church community of Christians.

Jan Dockendorf

Jan Dockendorf, a native Texan and life long Episcopalian, moved to Asheville in 2012 from Los Angeles with her husband, Bill, upon his retirement. Jan has a BS degree in nursing from the University of Texas.



After working as a registered nurse in intensive care in Texas, she went into medical sales, and moved to California. She became a stay at home mom with the birth of their son, Jay, who is now 26 years old. While raising their son, Jan volunteered in many roles at both school and church functions.

Jan was very active at St. Matthew's Episcopal Parish in Pacific Palisades, California, serving on the Altar Guild for many years as well as various ministries throughout the 35 years of living there.

Jan and her husband were thrilled to discover Trinity upon moving to Asheville. They found Trinity to be welcoming and spiritually nourishing. Jan joined the Tuesday Women's Bible Study group and has found it a great way to meet other ladies and integrate into church life.

In her leisure time, Jan enjoys golf, bridge, Mah Jong, and reading. She would be honored to serve on the vestry.

Will Gentry

I am a cradle Episcopalian and was raised in Murray, Kentucky where I was an active member of St. John's Episcopal Church. I have fond memories serving as an acolyte, being involved with the youth group and attending summer church camps in Leitchfield, Kentucky. I had a unique relationship with our Bishop David Reed who would mail me all of his name tags from national and international Episcopal Church and ministry events that he attended. This started after taking a liking to his regalia and name tag at



church as a young boy.

After graduating high school, I moved to Baton Rouge, Louisiana where I received a Bachelors and Masters in Civil Engineering at LSU. I progressed from a staff engineer to regional manager of corporate engineering firms in Shreveport and Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Dallas, Texas, and Baltimore, Maryland.

I moved to Asheville, North Carolina in August 2007 after an amazing vacation here ready to make my way back south. Shortly after being in town I joined Trinity Episcopal Church. Despite, a very positive experience in the Episcopal Church growing up, I was inactive throughout college and my early adult years. I am happy to have found a church family that is caring, friendly, and supportive to growth with-in the Christian faith.

I am the proud dad of Siena and Gavin Gentry who were both baptized at Trinity. I enjoy cooking breakfast in the mornings for Trinity members, assisting with the Adam's Ribs and Eve's Dessert and my involvement with Family Friday events.

I founded Gentry Geotechnical Engineering in February 2013 where I provide geotechnical engineering services throughout Asheville and Western North Carolina. I am a licensed professional engineer in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Maryland and Louisiana with a licensed engineering firm in North Carolina. My community involvement includes Past President of the local chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers and current President of the local chapter of the LSU Alumni Association.

I am an avid mountain biker who can be lost or found on Pisgah National Forest trails most weekends. I also am an avid LSU fan, enjoy travelling and spending time loving, teaching, encouraging and learning from my children.

John Hoskins

John is a native of Asheville and is a cradle Episcopalian who was baptized and confirmed by Rev. Jack Tuton at Trinity. He served as an acolyte for five years and had a very short singing career with the choir. John's service of choice is the 8:00am service. Trinity has always provided the warmth, friendship and spiritual support he needed during some of life's challenges, such as the death of loved ones or major illness. John has served on the



Vestry in years past and would be honored to do so again.

He graduated from St. Lawrence University with a BS in Biology. He spent most of his twenties exploring numerous diverse jobs and experiencing life. He then found his niche and graduated from UNC-Chapel Hill School of Dentistry in 1987. Moving back to Asheville, John set up a successful private care practice. His Health and Wellness Centered Practice focuses on giving patients a beautiful, functional, and comfortable smile. He is a life-long learner and continues to enjoy the challenges of private practice.

John is married to Laura Webb, who owns Webb Investment Services. They live in beautiful Chunn's Cove with their two spoiled dogs, Clem and Bella. John and Laura both enjoy the outdoors and are regular hikers. John is an avid bicyclist and motorcyclist and loves to explore our great state.

John Rose

John moved to Asheville in 1990 and is a partner in the law firm Goosmann Rose Colvard & Cramer where he practices commercial, industrial and residential real estate transactions. John was Baptized and Confirmed at St. Stephens Episcopal in Goldsboro, North Carolina and has been a member at Trinity since 2000.

John is a former member of the Board of Directors of WCQS and is a current member of the Board of Trustees of the Episcopal Diocese of Western North Carolina, a current member of the Board of Governors at Biltmore Forest Country Club and is active in the Brigade of Guards. John is married to Jill Westmoreland Rose and they have one daughter, McLain.



Bonnie Scothorn

Bonnie, her husband Doug and their two children Reid and Rebecca, moved to Asheville in 2006 from Dallas, Texas and transferred their membership to Trinity in early 2007. Originally, from Greensboro, NC and a member of the United



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Adult Education for November & December

God in the Short Story

November 2, 9, and 16

led by Lynne Diehl

Redwood Chapel

Using a book entitled, *GOD: Stories*, edited by Michael Curtis, Lynne will focus not only on discovering God acting in the lives of characters in short stories, but also on reading a short story to understand it more fully, what to look for, and how to go under the surface of the story for greater understanding and enjoyment of the author's gift.



The three stories to be studied are:

Nov. 2 Alice Munro's "Pictures of the Ice"

Nov. 9 Andre Dubus' "A Father's Story"

Nov. 16 Elizabeth Spencer's "A Christian Education"

This class will require pre-registering by contacting Ken Wilson in the church office (ken@trinityasheville.org), purchasing the book (either on one's own or from the church office) and reading the story before class, preferably twice.

Lynne Diehl has been a parishioner at Trinity for many years. She received her BA and Master's degrees in English from UNC-Chapel Hill. She taught literature in Hagerstown, MD, Harrisburg, PA and Bermuda, and currently teaches at the College for Seniors at UNC-Asheville.

She enjoys yoga, walking an hour a day (most days!), bridge, crossword puzzles, travel, afternoon naps, movies, live theater, going out for dinner, and three book groups.

The Word for Today

September 14-December 21

led by the Rector, the Associate Rector and many others

Conference Room

If you've ever wondered why we read what we do each Sunday, it's based on the New Revised Common Lectionary, an amazing three-year cycle of Scripture lessons used by Christian denominations around the world. While it doesn't cover the whole



Bible, it is shaped by the festivals and seasons of our liturgical year, and it allows us to hear the Gospel writers give their special perspectives on the stories of Jesus from beginning to end.

Sunday by Sunday, we'll make this journey through the lectionary, using a format that will make it easy to drop into class and not feel as though you've missed anything. Please join us as we take an in-depth look at the lessons we hear in church that day and share questions and lively discussion.

Parents in Conversation

Nov 2, 9, 16 • Dec 7, 14

led by Sally Spiegel and Company

Clark Room

P.I.C. is where the vow you took at your children's baptism: "I will with God's help" is spoken through your fellow brothers and sisters in Christ. PIC discussions are led by a rotating team of Trinitarian peers who consider hot topics and current events as they relate to families, explore our own Christian formation through invigorating conversation, or examine one of the day's readings as it relates to us today.

Sally Spiegel is a long-time member of Trinity and is the mother of Ava and Gage. She leads Sally Spiegel, Inc. - Renovation Management and Design, a design and contracting firm in Asheville. The daughter of a priest, Sally has always been active in the Episcopal Church and, in our diocese, has served on the Commission on Ministry, the Standing Committee and is currently a member of the Executive Council



Annual Meeting

November 23

10:15, In The Church Nave

Adult formation programs will not meet as we gather for the election of vestry members and diocesan convention delegates. We will also hear reports from the Wardens and chairs of vestry teams and committees. This is your opportunity to take part in the governance of Trinity Church and to be informed about all aspects of our life and ministry.



The meeting will begin at 10:15 and when it is over we will begin a very abbreviated form of our regular 10:45 a.m. service. The whole morning should end when our 10:45 service usually ends.

The Glorious Impossible Images of Advent, Christmas & Epiphany in Art and Poetry

Nov. 30, Dec. 7, 14, & 21

led by Jennine Hough and the Rev. Carol Hubbard

Conference Room

On the first Sunday of Advent, November 30, Jennine Hough will share her personal passion for images of the Annunciation in art history. She finds the mystical and spiritual aspect of Luke's description inspiring and, in addition, is fascinated with the stylistic developments as this image is interpreted by a multitude of well-known artists. This discussion will lead into presentations on the Nativity on December 7 and the Adoration of the Magi on December 14.

On December 21, Carol Hubbard will share the poetry of Luci Shaw, who reflects on aspects of the Biblical account of the annunciation and birth of Jesus in her collection entitled, *Accompanied by Angels*.

Jennine Hough, a North Carolina native, received her undergraduate degree in art from The University of North Carolina and her Masters in Fine Arts with a minor in art history from The University of North Carolina at Greensboro. Jennine lived, taught, and painted in Atlanta for 23 years and in Aspen for 12 years. She moved to Asheville in 2011 and has taught at Blue Ridge Community College and currently is teaching art history at Montreat College. She continues to paint in her garage studio in Asheville.





Intergenerational Advent Wreath-Making

November 30 Advent I

Tuton Hall

Join other Trinity parishioners of all ages in opening the season of Advent by making an Advent wreath. Lighting Advent candles each week and saying prayers is a wonderful way to mark the four weeks leading up to Christmas. All materials will be provided for a ten dollar donation per family.

Music

“Music at Trinity” Concert Series

The Asheville-Buncombe Youth Orchestra performed Sunday October 19 as part of our Concert series.

Our next concert will feature our own Isaac Boulter in a piano concert on November 23. A concert for Christ the King Sunday! Isaac, age 18, is a senior at Mountain Heritage High School in Burnsville, NC. He is a piano student of Corinne Sneller, and has learned piano by the Suzuki method with her since he was five years old. Isaac completed the seventh and final Suzuki book in 2012 at age fourteen and since then has continued to prepare and perform piano recitals in Burnsville. This will be his first recital at his life-long church home, Trinity. As well as the piano, Isaac plays the trumpet in his high school band, in the Asheville-Buncombe Youth Orchestra,

and has played in the brass choir at Trinity. Isaac is also a singer, having twice auditioned and been accepted into the NC State Honors Choir. His other interests include soccer, mountain biking, hiking, and reading.



Our Steinway is Renewed!

Trinity’s majestic Steinway piano was given by Betty and Lottie Lutrell “to the glory of God and in memory of Alvin Mason Lothrop.” The instrument, once played by Paderewski, is a rare model C, the second largest piano made at the time by Steinway. This historic instrument was restored in 1990 by Frank Fisher and in 2014 further restoration was completed by John Foy.

Our antiphonal organ is back in action!

Antiphonal pipes have been re-installed, after having been cleaned and revoiced by Daniel Angerstein. The instrument is now strong and beautiful, better serving our congregational singing, as well as expanding the possibilities for

organ repertoire. The 4 rank instrument was purchased from Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church, Durham, in 1995.



December musical events will include Pastyme at 7:00 on Friday, December 5 and our full traditional Lessons and Carols Service on Sunday, December 14 at 5:30. Save these dates!

Sunday, November 23 beginning at 10:15 a.m. in the church



Trinity Kids



Godly Play Spoken Here!

Our Godly Play classes, which includes Rite in the Middle, are off to a great start! Attendance has been steady and it has been amazing to see and hear how much the children are retaining from the stories they are hearing, and more importantly, what they are “wondering” about afterwards!



Godly Play Open House

Sunday, Nov. 9th from 9:30-10:30 am

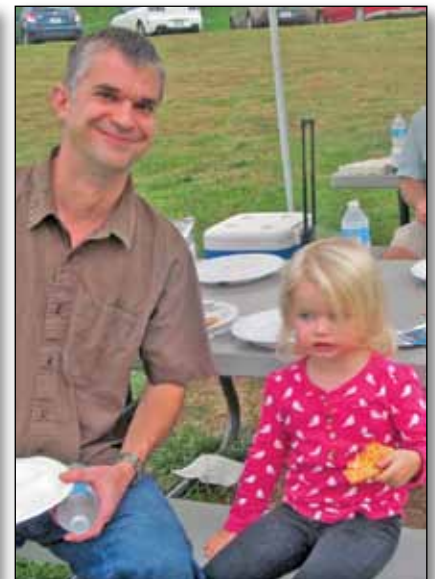
Come to Sunday School with your child on the Nov. 9th to experience a Godly Play classroom the way your child does! Hopefully, you will come away with a greater appreciation for why we do things the way we do them and how they work to encourage your child's innate spirituality.



Family Friday at Eliada Corn Maze

Over 30 folks came to Eliada Corn Maze for our first Family Friday offering of the new Sunday School year! Family Friday is for families with elementary age and younger children to get together socially and build friendships among other families at Trinity.

We rode in hay wagons, shot corn cannons, slipped down the slides and wandered the mazes! A great time in a beautiful setting for a worthy cause!



Youth News

November EYC Calendar

November 2nd - Lunch and Bowling at Sky Lanes after 10:45 am service until 2:30 pm

November 9th - "Movie at Trinity" and lunch after 10:45 am service until 2:30 pm

November 14th -16th - 2014 Episcopal Fall Youth Conference at Kanuga

For grades 6-12

Theme: "God in your World"

Cost: \$97.00

Register online: www.diocesewnc.org/Youth/
online-registration

Leaving Trinity parking lot at 4:15 pm on 11/14 and returning by 2:00 pm on 9/16

November 16th - "3rd Sunday" at 10:45 am in Chapel for grades 6-12 No EYC

November 23rd - Lunch and cooking for Room in the Inn after the 10:45 am service until 3:00 pm

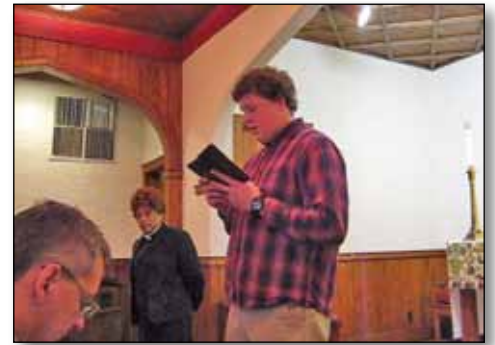
November 30th - Lunch and making beds for Room in the Inn after the 10:45 am service until 2:00 pm

EYC is for grades 6-12 every Sunday, unless otherwise notified. For more information, please contact Debbie Cox at 253-9361 or debbie@trinityasheville.org.

In October, EYC went to Celtic Service, Hiking at Graveyard Fields, and Compete in the Asheville Deanery Quidditch Tournament.

Please join us for our next "3rd Sunday" in the Chapel at 10:45 am on November 16th!

No middle school or high school Sunday School on November 23rd or 30th due to annual meeting and advent wreath making.



Above: Henry Chandler reads the scripture for Third Sunday - a service for youth

Below: EYC on a bike



Eliada Corn Maze



More Bob Berry Originals!

A great thanks to Bob Berry, who has made so many wonderful furniture pieces for our children's classrooms! He's done it again with new shelving for Godly Play 1 and Rite in the Middle, as well as a new desert box for some of our stories that take place in the desert! Bob, you are simply the best!



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Sundays at Trinity

8:00 am: Holy Eucharist

9:00: Breakfast

9:30: Nursery Opens

9:30: Education & Formation for All Ages

10:45 am : Holy Eucharist

12:15 pm: Coffee Hour

5:30 pm: Celtic Service with Eucharist

Church of the Advocate

Sundays: 1:30 p.m.

Our Vision Statement:

"Trinity Church is a nurturing Christian community providing opportunities for worship, spiritual growth and commitment in a supportive and open atmosphere."



The Reverend Dr. R. Scott White.....Rector
 The Reverend Carol Hubbard..... Associate Rector
 The Reverend Peggy Buchanan Deacon
 Dillon Manly..... Financial Assistant
 Ken WilsonAdministrative Assistant
 Sharon Carleton Boone Music Ministry
 Debbie Cox Fellowship & Youth Ministries
 Beth Chestnut Children & Family Ministries
 Paul Dismukes..... Building Engineer
 Glenn Childes Sexton

VESTRY

| Class of 2014 | Class of 2015 | Class of 2016 |
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| Bob Carr | Sally Cochran | Hope Byrd |
| Chris Dismukes | Catherine Metzger | Vince Childress |
| Carole Hilderbran | David Pheil | Todd Cross |
| Chris Kamm | Adrian Vassallo | High Garst |
| Tina McGuire | Charlie Waddell | Sandy Grant |

Carole Hilderbran Senior Warden
 Chris Kam Junior Warden
 Jeff Covington Treasurer
 Katie Chappell Clerk

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Methodist Church, Bonnie joined the Episcopal church as a teenager.

Reid and Rebecca are cradle Episcopalians and were raised as active members of an Episcopal Church in Dallas and at Trinity. Bonnie is currently in her 7th year of teaching Godly Play 1 to the youngest members of Trinity and became a certified Godly Play teacher this past summer. While at Trinity, Bonnie has participated in the women's bible study, attended women's retreats, and has been a member of the Daughter's of the King. Bonnie is currently serving Trinity as a lay eucharistic minister where she visits home bound parishioners. This September, Bonnie started her first year in Education for Ministry (EFM). Bonnie feels honored for opportunity further to support and serve Trinity.

Tucker Veach

I was born and raised in Asheville; baptized at All Souls; and attended what was then Asheville Country Day School through the 8th grade. After

college I came back to Asheville and worked for 3 years as a reporter at the Hendersonville Times News before heading off to law school. I worked in Houston, TX for four years out of law school (attending Christ Church Cathedral), ten years in Washington, DC (mostly going to an early service in the bowels of the National Cathedral), and three years in Nashville, TN (Christ Church Cathedral). My wife Barbara and I moved back to Asheville around 2000. We have three boys, James (18, now in his first year at the University of Edinburgh) and David and Trainer (13). I served on the vestry at All Souls, and would be honored to do so at Trinity.



The Rector or even a select group of the Vestry does not choose these five persons. You choose them!

Candidates to Diocesan Convention 2016



Lisa Wheeler



Gay Coleman

Volunteers needed for November breakfast and Wonderful Wednesdays. Please contact Debbie Cox at 253-9361 or debbie@trinityasheville.org.