

TRINITY CHURCH

"Disciples Making Disciples"



Jesus said, "Young man, I say to you, rise!" The dead man sat up and began to speak, and Jesus gave him to his mother.

The Rev. Dr. Cn. Christopher A. Brown, *Rector* The Rev. Lora A. Smith, *Deacon*
Mrs. Rebecca M. MacKellar, *Music Director* Miss Sally Elliott, *Warden*
Mr. Richard Hunter, *Warden* The Rt. Rev. William Love, *Bishop of Albany*

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are bonded together in a covenant relationship with Jesus Christ, the Lord of our lives. We seek to grow as disciples of Jesus by worship, study, prayer, and service so that we may love God and one another and bring the Good News of Christ to those beyond our parish family.

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Welcome to Trinity Church. All baptized persons who believe in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are welcome to receive Communion. Those who do not wish to receive communion are invited to receive a blessing at the altar rail. We invite you to make Trinity your spiritual home. Please join us for coffee and fellowship immediately after the Eucharist in the Parish Hall. Newcomers are urged to sign the Guest Book at the rear of the church.

Finding your way: Our service follows the order in *red The Book of Common Prayer*. The bulletin gives page numbers. The Bible readings are in the *black Pew Bibles*; page numbers are in the bulletin and will be announced by the readers.

Hymns are found in the *blue Hymnal 1982*. Hymn numbers preceded by an "S" are at the beginning of the hymnal in the "Service Music" section. Hymn numbers preceded by a "C" are from the *green Celebration Hymnal!*

During the service there is **childcare** in the nursery, and **Sunday School** for grade school children. **Restrooms** are on either side of the hall leading into the Parish Hall.

Intercessions: Please pray for...

The ill, the troubled and those in need: Carla Ingram, Pat Irwin, Nancy, Paul Kellam, Kevin, Ruth Kyle, Cindy Talcott, Derek, Peter Wickman, Naomi Balukjian, Bob & Helen Barstow, Betty Crossman, Judy, Ellie Potvin, Mia, Ridge Thorbahn, Ron & Nancy, David Kirkpatrick, Ramiz, Aaron Howell, Dana, and others known to us. *(To remain on this list, please renew in writing before the first week of each month.)*

Pray for: Rowan, Archbishop; Kathryn, Presiding Bishop; William and Daniel, our Bishops.

For the mission of the Church: for Helping Hands of Potsdam; *In the Anglican Communion*, for the Province of Owerri, Nigeria; *In the Diocese of Albany*, for the upcoming Diocesan Convention; *In the St. Lawrence Deanery*, for Christ Church, Morristown, for its people and clergy; Christopher, our rector, and Lora, our deacon. For St. John's Church, Moira, in Northern Ireland, its people & clergy, Roderic & Joanne.

Pray for: Barack, our President; David, our Governor; and Ron, our Mayor.

For the World: For the safety of U.S. military personnel overseas and civilians and non-combatants in areas of violent conflict. For success in the effort to seal the blown out oil well in the Gulf of Mexico, and for the protection and recovery of the damaged ecosystem.

For those celebrating birthdays, anniversaries & special occasions: Bob & Laura Moore (6); Elizabeth "Lizzie" Smith (10); Toby & JoAnn Zenger (12).

For our graduates: Chantal Rainville, Jacqueline A. Lasmann, Cassandra L. Jones, Daniel Smith.

Please remember these concerns in your daily prayers during the coming week.

Next Sunday's readings: 1 Kings 17:17-24; Psalm 30:1-6, 12-13; Galatians 1:11-24; Luke 7:11-17.

Healing prayers are offered to those who would like to partake (in the back of the church near the baptismal font) *today*.

Flowers on the altar today are given to the Glory of God by the Trinity Altar Guild.

The Anthem today is given by the choir in thanksgiving for the life of Al Balukjian.

Coffee Hour Hosts: Today – Pat & Dick Irwin; June 13 – Ann & Dick Bitely; June 20 – Parish Picnic; June 27 – Jr. Daughters of the King.

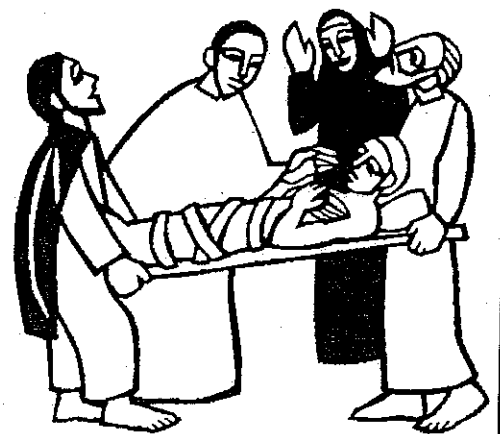
Sunday Morning Bible Study: Fr. Christopher continues a study of the Gospel of Luke, and its account the uniqueness of Christ and what he has done on our behalf. Join us!

Vestry: The final vestry meeting of the spring is held on Tuesday, June 8th at 7:00 P.M. in the Parish Hall.

Parish Picnic: Our picnic will be held **Sunday, June 20th** following the service. Everyone in the parish is invited. The church will provide meat, drinks, water balloons and games. Parishioners are asked to bring lawn chairs, side dishes, snacks and desserts.

Youth Choir meets today after the service at 12:15 P.M. in the Chapel.

He touched," it says, "the beir and said, 'young man I say unto thee, arise.'" How was not a word enough for raising him who was lying there? What is so difficult to it or past accomplishment? What is more powerful than the Word of God? Why then did he not work the miracle by only a crowd but also touched the beir? It was, my beloved, that you might learn that the holy body of Christ is productive for the salvation of man. The flesh of the almighty Word is the body of life and was clothed with his might. Consider that iron when brought into contact with fire produces the effect of fire and fulfills its functions. The flesh of Christ also has the power of giving life and annihilates the influence of death and corruption because it is the flesh of the Word, who gives life to all.



—Cyril of Alexandria, 375-444



NEW SUMMER HOURS FOR JULY AND AUGUST



*Starting July 4th, our time changes to 9:30 A.M. for Holy Eucharist.
Adult Bible Study begins at 8:00 A.M.*

Sunday, July 4th is also our Outdoor Service at 9:30 A.M.,
weather permitting. Help would be appreciated to set up for this service.

Watering Schedule: Many volunteers are needed from June to September to water and weed the perennial flower beds and boxes. Please see Janice Musselman or call at 265-6045 if you are willing to help. You can always pray for rain on your scheduled day!

Outreach: Helping Hands has requested Trinity's items for the months of June: *boxed macaroni & cheese, and dish soap*. Please place the items for Helping Hands in the container under the shelf in the Chapel hallway. Your donations are greatly appreciated.

Projects Committee meets on Wednesday, June 16th at 7:00 P.M. in the Parish Hall.

Peru Trip: Amelia Brown is still accepting donations for her mission trip to Peru. She will be leaving on July 19th with a group of young people and adults from the Diocese of Albany (including Bishop Love, his wife Karen, and their teenage daughter, Katie). They will work closely with the Mudge family, full-time missionaries to Peru from the diocese to whom Trinity has committed regular support.

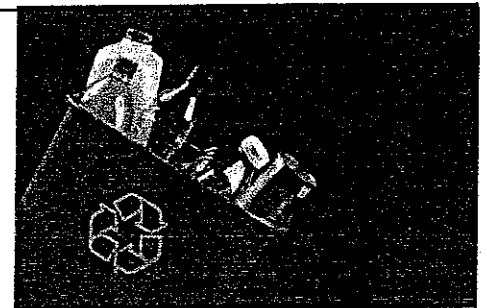
SUPPORT TRINITY CHURCH'S MISSION TRIPS AT CJ'S RECYCLING CENTER IN POTSDAM

When you bring in your bottles and cans for recycling please tell the cashier *before* they start counting or you can just leave your bottles and they will do it later.

*A key point was to tell them
BEFORE YOU RECYCLE that it is for:*

"TRINITY CHURCH MISSION TRIPS"

They will record on the sheet taped to the window the credit due for your recycling. They will give us a check to be used toward our ongoing mission trips.



Fiscal Update: Trinity has been richly blessed in recent years with the ability to financially support a wide range of missions, ministries and programs. In recent months, however, overall income from giving has fallen behind projected amounts based on pledges. The church has responded in several ways, most notably by delaying some checks. The Vestry wishes the congregation to be aware of the current problem with our cash flow, and would like to encourage people to stay current with their pledges to the extent that they are able.

Ruth Kyle has been relocated to a lovely nursing facility just 3-4 minutes from their daughter, Kerry's house. Ruth has a room to herself (for now), a view of a lovely courtyard and tree right next to her window, is doing well in therapy, and is visited every day. Her phone number is: 914-528-2000 ext 2163. She's often at therapy, but can usually be reached around 12-1 and after 6 P.M. The address is:

Ruth Kyle - #9B
North Westchester Restorative Therapy and Nursing Center
3550 Lexington Avenue
Mohegan Lake, NY 10547

Prayers of the People: *THE END OF EACH MONTH* the prayers for the ill, the troubled and those in need will have all names cleared from the list. *If you would like to include names for this list, please make the request in writing. Please fill out a form located in each of the pews and on the back table in the church in the basket and place it in the offering plate, take it to the church office or by E-mail to trinitypotdam@verizon.net.* Thank you!

Trinity Guild: The women of Trinity Guild invite anyone who would like to come to our next "Pampered Chef" party on Saturday, June 19th from 10:00-12:00 P.M. in the Parish Hall. You may also bring a friend or relative with you that does not go to Trinity Church. Ordering can also be done online. Sarah Elliott can be contacted for more information at 265-9540. Proceeds will go to the Trinity Guild's new kneelers project to benefit Trinity Church. Please join us!

Thanks to Trinity Guild for the donation of towels to the Trinity kitchen.

COMMUNITY SUPPER

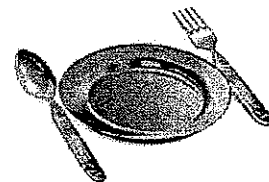
(2nd & 4th Thursdays of each month)

Thursday, June 10, 2010, 5:00 – 6:30 P.M.

Come & bring your family and friends!

Donations accepted,

...but not expected



Prayers Before & After Worship

See also *The Book of Common Prayer* pages 64-68 and 833-834.



BEFORE WORSHIP

Quiet our minds, O God, and gladden our hearts; that, as we come together to worship you, we may be open to your presence and find that this place is the very gate of heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O Almighty God, who pours out on all who desire it the spirit of grace and of supplication: Deliver us, when we draw near to you, from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we may worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Almighty God, from whom every good prayer comes: Give us the spirit to praise you and thank you and call upon your Name, that our heart may be warmed within us and our minds enlightened. Grant that we may worship you now in beauty, truth, and love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

AFTER WORSHIP

Grant, we beseech you, Almighty God, that the words which we have heard this day with our outward ears, may, through your grace, be so grafted inwardly in our hearts, that they may bring forth in us the fruit of good living, to the honor and praise of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

We thank you, Lord, for opening our ears to your Word and our eyes to your glory. We thank you for the good news of a redeemed creation and the vision of a new mankind. Send us forth in the power of your Spirit to live our lives in your world according to this revelation of your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Biblical Reflections on Stewardship

I Corinthians 4:1-2, 9:16-17, Ephesians 3:2-3

Anyone who has spent much time in churches has heard about something called “stewardship.” It is easy to get the impression that “stewardship” is just a fancy way to talk about fund-raising. And despite the biblical language that goes with it, talk of stewardship seems to many people to be little more than a way of motivating people to give more so that the church can carry on its work.

Stewardship does have everything to do with how we allocate our financial resources. But what makes it stewardship rather than financial management or fundraising is the motivation behind it – “the reason why.” This “reason why” concerns not just how we deal with money, but also with all that God has placed in our care.

The Apostle Paul was not shy when it comes to speaking about money; a careful reading of his letters (especially 2 Corinthians 7-8) reveals that Paul was engaged in a major fundraising effort to provide relief for the impoverished Christian communities in Palestine. But when Paul speaks of being “a steward,” his focus extends beyond the allocation of finances to his stewardship of “the mysteries of God.”

This is how one should regard us, as servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God. Moreover, it is required of stewards that they be found trustworthy. (I Corinthians 4:1-2)

A few chapters later, Paul speaks of his “stewardship of the Gospel”:

Necessity is laid upon me. Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel! For if I do this of my own will, I have a reward, but if not of my own will, I am still entrusted with a stewardship. (1 Corinthians 9:16-17)

In a similar vein, in his letter to the Ephesians, Paul refers to his “Stewardship of God’s grace”:

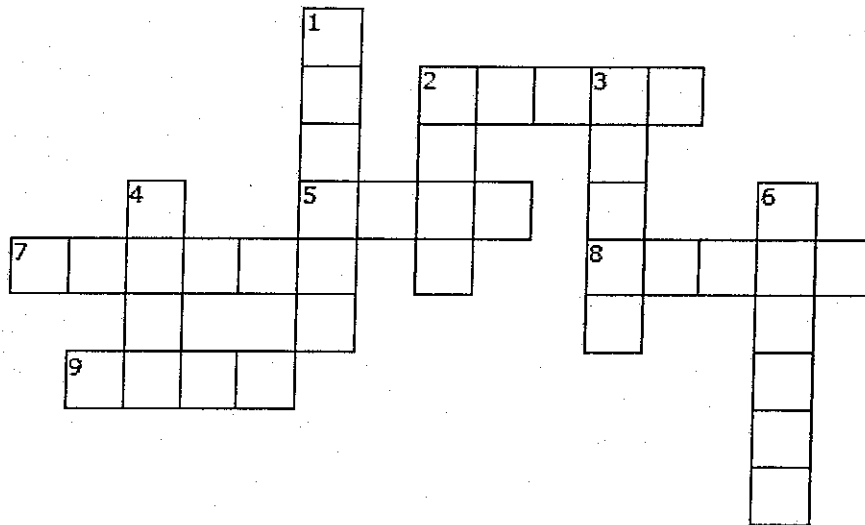
You have heard of the stewardship of God’s grace that was given to me for you, how the mystery was made known to me by revelation. (Ephesians 3:2-3)

A steward is a person who holds something in trust on behalf of the true owner, and sees that it is put to the purpose for which it was intended by the owner himself. The principle holds true whether we are speaking of the spiritual gifts given in the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, or the material blessings that have come to us in God’s overarching providence. It all comes from God; it all is intended for the extension of God’s Kingdom.

For Kids:

Life Restored!

The dead man sat up and began to speak,
and Jesus gave him to his mother.



ACROSS

2. To come in contact with something or someone
5. To give assistance to; aid
7. To express approval, commendation, or admiration
8. A woman whose husband has died and who has not married again
9. Not alive

DOWN

1. The female parent
2. To use the voice, or to have a conversation with someone
3. a large group of people who have gathered together
4. An opening in a fence for entrance or exit
6. A long box in which a corpse is buried

gate
dead

mother
widow

touch
coffin

talk
help

praise
crowd

This Week at Trinity

June 6-12, 2010



Sunday

June 6, 2009 – 2 PENTECOST

9:00 A.M. Luke Bible Study, Overcroft
10:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist, Sunday School, Nursery Care
12:15 P.M. Youth Choir, Chapel

Monday

June 7, 2010

CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED

5:30 P.M. First Place meeting, Baptist Church

Tuesday

June 8, 2010

Wednesday

June 9, 2009

CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED FROM 12-1:00 P.M.

7:00 A.M. Men's Bible Study, Overcroft
12:00 P.M. Healing Eucharist, Chapel
1:30 P.M. Renovaré I, Overcroft
5:00 P.M. Missions/Outreach Meeting, Overcroft

Thursday

June 10, 2010—Fr. Christopher Away

Friday

June 11, 2010

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

9:30 A.M. Community Women's Bible Study, Parish Hall
2:00 P.M. Convention, Camp of the Woods, Speculator, NY

Saturday

June 12, 2010

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Convention, Camp of the Woods, Speculator, NY
9:00-10:00 P.M. Overeaters Anonymous, Chapel

Mon.-Sat. 12:00 P.M. Alcoholics Anonymous; **Sunday** at 7 P.M., Parish Hall

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS are from *10:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. Tuesday through Thursday*. The weekly service bulletin announcements should be submitted *in writing* to Judy Herman **no later than 12 Noon on Tuesday** prior to the Sunday on which they are intended to appear. All email requests can be sent to trinitypotdam@verizon.net or jchsec@gmail.com.



The Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 6, 2010

Holy Eucharist: Rite II, 10:30 A.M.



Prelude: *Selected Piano Duets*
Processional Hymn 48

Georges Bizet (1838-1875)
Es flog ein kleins Waldvögelein

The Word of God

Opening Acclamation		page 355
<i>Gloria in Excelsis</i>	Hymn S 278	Mathias
The Collect		insert
The First Reading: 1 Kings 17:17-24		insert
Psalm 30:1-6, 12-13		insert
The Second Reading: Galatians 1:11-24		insert
Gospel Hymn 567 vv. 1 & 2		<i>St. Matthew</i>
The Gospel: Luke 7:11-17		insert
Gospel Hymn 567 v. 3		<i>St. Matthew</i>
Sermon	"Medicine of Immortality"	Fr. Brown
The Nicene Creed		page 358
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The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem: <i>Alleluia</i>		Ralph Manuel
Offertory Hymn 448		<i>Deus tuorum militum</i>
The Great Thanksgiving		
The Eucharistic Prayer A		page 361
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