



Trinity's E-Notes for March 7, 2010

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Snow Emergency Reminder: Occasionally inclement weather presents a danger and obstacle to conducting worship safely. In such instances we may elect to cancel Sunday services and activities. We communicate cancellations in three ways: (1) by phone to persons whose name and telephone number is recorded in our parish directory; (2) by email to all those who regularly receive E-Notes; and (3) by answering machine message on the church's main telephone number at 703/920-7077. **Please call the church office to make sure services are being held before venturing out.**

****Please make sure that all requests for E-Notes are in by Wednesday at 9 AM****

Lessons for March 7

[Exodus 3:1-15](#)

[Psalm 63:1-8](#)

[1 Corinthians 10:1-13](#)

[Luke 13:1-9](#)

If you wish to read the lessons online, go to The Lectionary Page at www.io.com/~kellywp. (If link does not work, try re-typing or copying it into your browser)

Lay Schedule for March 7

	<u>8:00 am</u>	<u>10:30 am</u>
Acolytes		Diego Lauron, Crucifer Mimi Tackie, Server
LEMs	Cindy McLaughlin	
Lectors	Quinton Bowman	Evelyn Reindorf, Mimi Tackie
Ushers	Quinton Bowman	Walter Johnson, Sedge Moss
Greeter		Rosalynne Cameron
Counters	Roye Lowry, Robert Russ	
Altar Guild	Barbara Field, Cathy Langstaff	
Coffee Hour	The Kasischke Family	

Special Prayer List

Please refer to Sunday bulletin and Tidings for complete list of prayer concerns and thanksgivings.

Reminder – Office hours for Trinity Church are Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Trinity Tidings for March/April now available – The most recent issue of *Tidings* will be posted to the website on Friday morning and/or available at the back of the church on Sunday, March 7. Kudos to Beth Lofgren for her excellent work in spearheading this ministry. The next *Tidings* deadline is April 15.

Calendar for Week of March 7

Sunday, March 7

8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I
9:30 am Faith Trek education for all
10:30 am Morning Prayer II
12:00 pm Community Forum – Parish Hall (Annual Council and Facility Use Report)
12:30 pm Mothers' Union Meeting (Rector's Office)
7:00 pm Seventh Day Adventist Worship (Church)
7:30 pm Alcoholics Anonymous (Parish Hall)/Al-anon (Memorial Room)

Third Sunday in Lent

Monday, March 8

6:15 pm Jazzercise (Parish Hall)
7:00 pm Golf Tournament Planning Meeting (Memorial Room)

Tuesday, March 9

6:30 pm Region III Lenten Study at Trinity Church

Wednesday, March 10

10:00 am Staff Meeting (Rector's Office)
12:00 pm Music Ministry Meeting (Rector's Office)
6:15 pm Jazzercise (Parish Hall)
7:00 pm TSEL Board Meeting (Memorial Room)

Thursday, March 11

6:30 pm Bell Choir (Church)
7:15 pm Al-Anon (Green Classroom)
7:30 pm Choir Practice

Friday, March 12

7:30 pm Old Time Radio Club (Parish Hall)

Saturday, March 13

8:00 – 9:00 am Jazzercise (Parish Hall)
9:30 am Seventh-Day Adventist Bible Study (Parish Hall)
10:00 am Youth "Art for Life" Class (Worm Room)
5:00 pm Seventh Day Adventist Worship (Church)

Sunday, March 14

8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I
9:30 am Faith Trek education for all
10:30 am Holy Eucharist Rite II
12:00 pm Seminarian's Lay Committee (Memorial Room)
7:00 pm Seventh Day Adventist Worship (Church)
7:30 pm Alcoholics Anonymous (Parish Hall)/Al-anon (Memorial Room)

Fourth Sunday in Lent **Daylight Savings Begins**

Community Forum – Sunday, March 7 – Please join us after the 10:30 am service for a Community Forum where parish leaders will report on our Annual Council meeting and have opportunity to provide any additional input on our facility use study. We will meet in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

8 Core Stories of the Bible – Sinai Covenant – Rev. Kim & Rev. Amy,

Facilitators. The Bible contains hundreds of stories, thousands of names. How does a person begin to understand and remember it all? *Crossings* is a unique Bible overview that explores ancient stories in which we can begin to see how God continues to act, here and now. **This Sunday, March 7,** we explore the Davidic Rule and ask how the stories of the Davidic dynasty create hope for leadership and community that can endure experiences of disappointment and exile. For preparation, read 2 Samuel 7:4-16, 2 Kings 17 and 25; and Zechariah 8:3-13. **This class continues through Lent, Sundays in the Memorial Room at 9:30 am.**

Whale...er Wheel of Jonah - Why did Jonah run away from God? What did he do while he was in the belly of the big fish? This Sunday Explorers (K-3) will play Wheel of Jonah to test and reinforce their knowledge of the story. Pilgrims(4th-5th) will begin a 3-week rotation on "The Sequence of Holy Week" using the *Life of Christ* computer software. **Faith Trek Kids** Sunday March 7 at 9:30.

In the news: Student Suspended for Facebook Posting **What are the rules?** The problem, as Jesus saw it, was that the rules were getting in the way of doing what God really wants (there were more than 600 rules in Jesus' day!). Explore this current news in light of Sunday's gospel. **Faith Trek Youth** Sunday March 7 at 9:30.

Youth Group Sandwich Ministry Beginning this Sunday, March 7 --and the first Sunday of every month through June,--the Youth Group will begin helping the Sandwich Ministry team. The team begins work right after the 10:30 service. At least three youth are needed to help make sandwiches and fill the lunch bags.

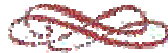
Region III Weekly Lenten Series continues Tuesday, March 9, at Trinity. Please join us in welcoming other members of Region III churches for the third session of the Lenten Study, entitled *Mind, Matter, and Mystery*. This week's speaker will be Dr. Elisabeth Kimball of Virginia Theological Seminary, speaking on the topic "Soul Searching." A light soup and supper meal will be served at 6:30 pm with the program for adults starting at 7:30. The evening ends with a service of *Compline* at 8:30 pm. To request nursery care for children, you must contact Trinity in advance at 703-920-7077.

Trinity hosts the Region III Weekly Lenten Series on Tuesday, March 9 and we need people to bring soup and bread for supper. Please sign up on the flip chart in the Narthex this Sunday or contact our hospitality coordinator, Julia Deonarine, if you can contribute to the meal and/or setup and cleanup.

What on earth are you going to do with your old cell phone? That's the question being asked by The Charitable Recycling Program, a group that collects old cell phones for refurbishment and redistribution to help support the communications infrastructure in countries like Haiti. Beginning this Sunday, we join their efforts by asking you to bring in your old cell phone and leave it in one of the collection boxes found either in the Narthex or Parish Hall. Phones too outdated will be responsibly recycled.

Help donate funds to help offset the cost of our lillies and other spring plants. The plants are sent to those parishioners who are homebound or have had a significant occasion in the last year. You can find the form in this issue of Tidings and in the bulletins during Lent. Donations of any amount are welcome. Please be sure to print legibly how you would like to be acknowledged in the Easter bulletin. We need all forms and checks by Palm Sunday.

Blizzard 2009/2010 Pictures Did you break out your camera and take a picture of that lump in the street disguised as your car, or of your backyard (or yourself) covered in snow? We would like to put together a collage of snow pictures from the recent blizzards. Pictures may be published in Tidings or displayed on bulletin boards around the church. If you have some good snow pictures, please email them to webadmin@tecarl.org or you can give Beth Lofgren hard copy pictures after services.



Parking Restrictions on South Wayne Street continue in effect. Between 9am and 4pm, Monday through Friday, the first three spaces from Columbia Pike cannot be used for parking. If you require accessible parking beside the building, please call ahead before coming.

Parking Restrictions for BM Smith Garage. Renovations on the BM Smith Garage have begun. Trinity members and building users who have enjoyed weeknight and weekend parking privileges in the past may continue to park on the **UPPER LEVEL** of this garage **ONLY**. Since everyone will have to use the upper level parking for the next 5-6 months, parking may be tight. Please use extra caution in parking your vehicle or feel free to find on-street parking if parking on the upper level does not work for you. We are very thankful for the ongoing generosity of the BM Smith enterprise as they continue to support our faith community in this special way.