

Announcement Sheet Deadline: Wednesday, 12 noon, for Saturday publication

Announcements for the Second Sunday in Lent

March 1, 2026

Childcare is available, 9am-12noon; 6 months to 4 years old.

8 and 10:30am services are **livestreamed and **recorded** on our [Trinity YouTube channel](#)**



TODAY

8:00am Holy Eucharist, Rite One – Traditional language, spoken service (no music)

9:15am Adult Forum – Facilitated discussion of the day's Scriptures (Cleaves Room)

9:30am Middle School – In the multipurpose room, through the main office

10:00am K-5 Sunday School – In the TCDN Crickets room (upstairs to the right, past the office)

10:30am Holy Eucharist, Rite Two – Contemporary language, with choir, chant & hymns

11:30am "Take Ten"

12:30pm, Book Discussion: "Everyone Who is Gone is Here" – At Swarthmore Presbyterian Church, hosted by First Place Swarthmore

THE WEEK AHEAD: (March 2 – March 7)

Morning Prayer online: Monday-Friday, 8am – Join fellow parishioners via Zoom for Morning Prayer, using Rite Two from the 1979 *Episcopal Book of Common Prayer*. See the website for the link or for more information contact the office.

Monday

- + **Sanctuary Yoga** with certified instructor Mary Thompson. All are welcome, all donations support local organizations and Trinity's ministries.
- + **Centering Prayer, 7:30pm** – This longstanding prayer group meets online and engages in meditative prayer, teaching, and community...the basics of Centering Prayer. For information, contact the office.

Tuesday

- + **Evening Prayer, 5:30pm** – Sanctuary Chancel (see below)
- + **The Little Group (AA), 8pm** – Cleaves Room

Wednesday

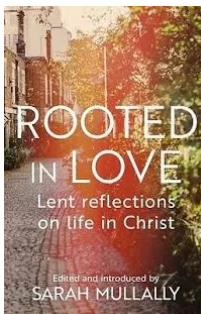
- + **Holy Eucharist, 12 noon** – In the chancel (behind the altar), with group reflections on the readings
- + **Book Club, 2pm** – in Cleaves or on Zoom
- + **Lenten Supper and Discussion, 6:30-8pm** – See below
- + **Taizé Worship, 7:30pm**

Thursday

- + **Thrift Shop** receives donations from 8:30 to 11am.
- + **Sanctuary Yoga, 1pm** – with certified instructor Mary Thompson. All are welcome, all donations support local organizations and Trinity's ministries.

Friday, Thrift Shop Sale, 8:30am-1pm

NEWS AND OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS



LENTEN WEDNESDAYS SUPPER AND DISCUSSION, *Rooted in Love*, 6:30-8:00 P.M., Feb. 25-Mar. 25 – Please join us on Wednesdays in Lent as we discuss selections from *Rooted in Love: Lent Reflections on Life in Christ*, a collection of 40 meditations by the newly appointed Archbishop of Canterbury, The Rt. Rev'd and Rt. Hon. Dame Sarah Mullally. We have three copies left! The subsidized cost to church members is \$15. **This will be a simple potluck supper.** [Sign up here to contribute to dinner.](#)

Book Discussion, 3/1, 12:30pm (Chapel, Swarthmore Presbyterian Church) – This discussion of Jonathan Blitzer's *Everyone Who is Gone is Here* is to prepare volunteers and potential volunteers to support the refugee services of First Place Swarthmore. Part of Trinity's Outreach and Advocacy work in collaboration with others, the event will be convened and facilitated by Rev. Sarah Cooper Searight, who leads outreach for Swarthmore Presbyterian Church.

Taizé Service (3/4, 7:30pm) - These services are based on those of the Taizé community in France, started during WWII as a place for people to live monastically with a daily practice of meditative prayer. The 40-minute service consists of simple chants, two Scripture readings, & 8-10 minutes of sitting in silence for meditation/prayer. It is a time to pause & attend to God's presence and offer of Peace. The chants are simple & easy, & the time of silence together is a gracious gift. All are welcome to be part of this peaceful, reflective time of waiting on God's presence.

Trinity Book Club (3/4) selected *Table for Two* by Amor Towles and will meet on March 4th at 2pm to discuss the book. Please note April's Book Club meeting will be April 8.

Youth Sunday (3/8) – Mark your calendar for our next Youth Sunday on March. 8! [Sign up here](#). *PLEASE NOTE: Our Youth Sunday Service in April will be the 9:15 service on Easter morning, April 5.*

Trinity Thrift Shop accepts donations on Thurs., 8:30 to 11:30am. Upcoming sale days are **March 6 & 20.**

28th Annual CRC Streams Cleanup (3/21, 9am -11:30am) Jean Steinke will be Trinity's point of contact for a group to go together that day. Please email Jean jeansteinke@me.com if you are interested.

Sanctuary Yoga donations received in February will support local organizations addressing period poverty.

Youth Choir meets every Tuesday in the Choir Room from 4:30-5:15pm. All kids from 2nd grade to 8th grade are welcome to join. For any questions, please contact Jared: music@trinity-swarthmore.org.

Trinity House News

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Our contractor is working on the "punch list" of final things noted in our walk-through. It looks great! Stay tuned for a tour date. Additional, outdoor drainage project will follow as weather allows.



PRAYERS AND THANKSGIVINGS THIS WEEK

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God in loving memory of James S. Taylor, Jr. by Kathy Taylor.

We give thanks and pray

...In the Anglican Communion, for The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean ...In the Episcopal Church, for our Presiding Bishop, Sean; our diocesan Bishop, Daniel; and for the Diocesan Center: Clergy & Lay Employees

...for parish families of the week: David & Michele HERR, Cole & Logan; Barbara HIBBEN, Natalee & Nathan HILL, Ezra & Liam; Linda HOWARD; Ann HUBBEN; Corey & Dianne HULL, Brent & Charlotte; Tom IZBICKI & Margaret SCHAUS

...for those celebrating their birthdays: Geoffrey Englebach, Amara Okechukwu, Nina Okechukwu, Randy Williamson, Helena Adams, Nancy Adams, Sam Palmer

We ask God's healing and comfort for Nino Compabasso, Patrice, Carole Kunigonis, Maryrae Kunigonis, the family of Mike Kunigonis, John & Julie Donnelley, David Clemmer, Millie Seeds, the Lieberman family, Jessica Egan, Rosemary John Flammer, Christine, Barb, Elizabeth McLaughlin, Kathy Wakefield, Andrea Peterson, Curt Hoganson, Moriah, Patrick McFarland, Carol, Davena Buckner, Delora Buckner, Jennifer Frescoln, Margaret Enos, Bob Kennedy, Jennifer Keer, Morgan Gallito, Dickson, Pui Hung Lau, Kathleen Zorelli, Patrick, Bernadette, Ashely Seraphin, Margaret Dietzmann, Darlene Day, Judith Cadigan, Ed, Bill & Ruth Ziegler, Mary S, Alan Collins, Williamson/Dyson family, Linda, Cindee, Pamela, Mike, Emily Nussdorfer, Vicki, Lori, Gene, Tom, Pam, Anselm, Gale, David, Roberta, John, Elizabeth, Zita Munro, Ann Kane, Alan, John Haas, Jill, Joan, Ron, Cindy, Davis, Janice, Jeffrey, Dorothy Bevan, Neil T., A.E. & family, Deidre Sheehan, Evan Sheehan, Lucy Romasco, Megan, Beverly D., Savannah Junge, Suzanne Keer, Andy Gallito, Jackie, Damien Brown, Bill, Kevin Hogan, the Ball family...

We pray for those who are homebound (*not already named above*): Ellen Belk, Eunice Gary, Alma Keech, Sue Kramer, Robert St. George, and Mel Sutherland

...for others named to us: the Custer family, Bill, Kathy, Nina, Rosemary, Valerie, Erica Epstein, Christine Kellett, Marcy Holquist, Carolyn Wall, Mary, Jeanne Wagner, Carol Pugh, Kevin, Janet Goldstein, William & Susan Hicks, Katie Egan, & Lucy Messick

...and for those who have died: Catherine Custer (Burial on March 21, 2pm), Ethan Ball

Front image: *Nicodemus Visiting Jesus*, by Henry Ossawa Tanner. 1899. Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts.

Source: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Christ_in_the_Desert

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