

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **SUNDAY, JUNE 24, 2018**

#### ***Adult Forum — TODAY @ 9:15 AM***

Our weekly adult forum meets in Brooks Hall between our morning services throughout much of the year, offering a time of fellowship, as well as a chance to exchange information or engage in deeper reflection. Typically, we've taken a vacation during the summer months, but not yet!!

The weekly forum is usually on summer vacation by this time of the year, but this is not a usual year it seems. The legislative body of The Episcopal Church is our triennial General Convention, a bicameral body of two houses: the House of Deputies and the House of Bishops. Terry Rahmsdorff and Jed Holdorph are two of the "deputies" to the 79<sup>th</sup> General Convention, formally convening on July 5, in Austin, Texas. They'll offer a preview of this year's General Convention this morning.

Next week, Marianne Borg and Jed Holdorph invite everyone to join them for an informal conversation about this past weekend's seminar, "Seeing Jesus Through a 21<sup>st</sup> Century Lens." If you attended, please join the conversation. Even if you didn't, it should be a good discussion!!

#### ***A Liturgical "Staycation" — TODAY @ 10:15 AM***

Our later service meets in St. Helens for a change of venue during the summer months.

And we're also experiencing a change in our liturgical forms. The liturgy we're using this summer is adapted from *Enriching Our Worship*, a form approved for trial use in The Episcopal Church. We are thereby reminded that liturgical renewal is an ongoing process for the whole of our Church and we are encouraged to be aware of the deliberations that will continue this summer in Austin, Texas.

#### ***The Episcopal Church Welcomes YOU***

A special thank you to everyone who came out to take part in this past weekend's Central Oregon Pride Festival. It's such a good witness to our call to welcome others as children of one God. We all are privileged to continue that ministry every Sunday.

Particularly in the summer we schedule greeters to make sure nobody is lost (or discouraged by a locked red door). If you can smile, you're qualified to be a Sunday morning greeter. There are only a few slots left. Sign up today!

#### ***A Blessing for Barbara Mayo — TODAY @ 10:15 AM***

We'll offer a prayer for Barbara Reynolds Mayo during our later service today. She's taking part in a medical, construction and education mission through the Methodist Church in Kenya. Barbara will travel with 6 members of Transfiguration/Sisters and others from Oregon and Indiana.

Their work will be in the mountain villages of Maua and Meru at the local hospital with a deworming project; building a small home for children whose parents have died from AIDS or malaria; taking medical help to more remote villages; and building a school room able to withstand dust storms. They will worship in area churches and go on safari from Masaai Mara.

This trip satisfies two of Barbara's lifelong dreams: 1) as a young girl, to go to Africa and see the animals; and 2) as an older girl, to go on a mission trip. We give thanks for her heart and offer our prayers for the work of her hands.

### **Commitments to Nonviolence — Wednesday @ noon**

One more opportunity this season to make a vow or promise of nonviolence will be offered on June 27<sup>th</sup> at the Wednesday noon Eucharist. Those who have been in discernment are invited to come forward to offer a promise/vow on that day. If you plan to participate, please contact Betsy Lamb @ [felamb38@gmail.com](mailto:felamb38@gmail.com) before June 20<sup>th</sup>. (She can also answer questions, if interested.)

### **Ascension School Camps are coming soon!**

The theme for camp season 2018 is “Building Compassion” with a focus on self-compassion, connections and reaching outside ourselves. There are camps for children preschool-age through high school! Check the bulletin board in Brooks Hall for information about all the camps!

Contact Gaye Lawson @ 541-389-8166 for information or go to [www.coveascensionschool.com](http://www.coveascensionschool.com).

### **Momentos Latinos: A Prayer/Meditation for Compassionate Action**

You who are the Breathing-Spirit of all life, help me remain conscious that all who are gathering at our national borders bear Your Image in them, on them. Help the children and the parents who gather there to be nurtured by each other's breathing as by Your Own.

### **Christmas in July**

Mark your calendars for the afternoon of July 21<sup>st</sup>. Santa Claus will interrupt his summer vacation to join the people of Trinity for a pre-Christmas celebration. This fundraiser for Cove/COPY and Condega should be especially fun for children. Also, we are still looking for donated Christmas decorations. If you have Christmas decorations to donate for the Christmas in July party contact Rick Negus @ [negus@bendbroadband.com](mailto:negus@bendbroadband.com) or 541-480-4229.

Carolyn Richardson will be baking her magnificent pecan, peanut butter and apple pies for this fundraiser. For a minimum donation of \$18 you can purchase one of these pies. PREORDER a pie by contacting Carolyn @ 808-292-4707 or [cerich2003@yahoo.com](mailto:cerich2003@yahoo.com).

### **Trinity Men's Breakfast**

There will be NO Men's Breakfast in June. The next breakfast will be on Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup>.

## **CALENDAR**

This following list of events is not comprehensive. To add your meeting or event to our calendar, please contact the parish office by phone (541) 382-5542, or email - [ministry@trinitybend.org](mailto:ministry@trinitybend.org).

6/24		8 AM	Holy Eucharist: Rite I
		9:15 AM	Adult Forum: <i>General Convention Preview</i>
		10:15 AM	Holy Eucharist: <i>Enriching Our Worship (St. Helens)</i>
		11:30 AM	Coffee Hour ( <i>Brooks Hall, Trinity</i> )
6/27	Wednesday	12 PM	Noon Eucharist ... with a Vow of Nonviolence
7/1	Sunday	8 AM	Holy Eucharist: Rite II
		9:15 AM	Adult Forum: <i>Discussion with Marianne Borg</i>
		10:15 AM	Holy Eucharist: <i>Enriching Our Worship (In St. Helens)</i>
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