

Trinity Episcopal Church

Parish Prayers

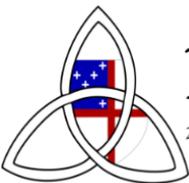
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We are a people of prayer.

Prayer is an opportunity to join our brothers and sisters, to bear one another's burden and fulfill the law of Christ.

This month we invite your prayers for those who have, large burdens and little hope.



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We pray for Trinity Episcopal Church: Almighty and ever living God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, hear our prayers for this parish family. Strengthen the faithful, arouse the careless, and restore the penitent. Grant us all things necessary for our common life and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within your holy Church: through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*



We pray for Lent:

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: Mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and grace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*



We pray for Our Country: Almighty God, who hast given us this good land for our heritage: We humbly beseech thee that we may always prove ourselves a people mindful of the favor and glad to do thy will. Bless our land with honorable industry, sound learning, and pure manners. Save us from violence, discord, and confusion, from pride and arrogance, and from every evil way. Defending our liberties, and fashion into one united people, the multitudes brought hither out of many kindreds and tongues. Endue with the spirit of wisdom those to whom in thy Name we entrust the authority of government, that there may be justice and peace at home, and that, through obedience to thy law, we may show forth thy praise among the nations of the earth. In the time of prosperity, fill our hearts with thankfulness, and in the day of trouble, suffer not our trust in thee to fail; all which we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*



We pray for Those in the Armed Forces of Our Country.

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*



We pray for the State of West Virginia: Almighty and most merciful God, we give thanks for the majestic beauty that you have bestowed on the state of West Virginia. In the wonderful mountains, rivers, and forests, we see a reflection of your infinite goodness. Help us to be good stewards of the gifts you have given to us. Help us to continue to build the Church through our ministries in this beautiful state. May our participation be a sign of our thankfulness and enable us to serve the needs of all who call our Mountain State Home. We ask this in your name, Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*



We pray for those who are celebrating a birthday: O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Colin Banks 3/2, John Partington 3/3, Mary Newcomb 3/3, Steward Remaly 3/6, Susan Etherington 3/9, Cathy Ruley 3/9, Lisa Poland 3/10, George Whetzel 3/15, Andrew Felton 3/17, Jessica Gibson 3/20, Wendy Remaly 3/22, Coty Graff 3/22, Ann Hill 3/23, Leslie Jones 3/25, Jeremiah Gitlin 3/28, Nicole Taggart 3/29, Tiffany Arnett 3/29, Issie Seibert 3/30, Chip Hensell 3/30 and Leoma Mermelstein 3/31.

We pray for those who have asked for our prayers: Heavenly Father, giver of life and health: Comfort and relieve your sick servants who have asked for our prayers and give your power of healing to those who minister to their needs, that they may be strengthened in their weakness and have confidence in your loving care; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Family: Tom Myers, Michael & Sherri Frye, Wayne Chapman, Tom Keesecker, Diane Langhorne, Peter & Arlene Leitzke, John Lorenz, Jana Klaasse, Don Parkinson, Luis & Gloria Rios, Betty Russell, Angela Sholough, Shirley Schwork, David Tucker, Woody Wagoner, and Jody Wandell.

Friends: Julian Barajas, Debra Concannon, Beverly Evers, Frank & Teddi Matan, Miller Babies, Joshua Miller, Joseph Miller, Loretta Minghini, Larry Penrose, Isabelle Place, Holly Pike, Erin Risenweber, Erich Sonnenburg, Joseph Sorrentino, Sarah E. Steptoe, Carolyn Stewart, Jake Talley, Liz Trurrow, Ray & Lorraine Wharton, Grinley Woods, and Brynlee Woods.



We pray for those who have lost loved ones. Father of all, we pray to you for the people we have lost, and for all those whom we love but see no longer, especially **John Overington**. Grant them eternal rest. Let light perpetual shine upon them. Surround their Family and Friends with your love, that they may not be overwhelmed by their loss, but have confidence in your goodness, and strength to meet the days to come, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Prayer Cycle for March

March 1st

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Churches of Nippon Sei Ko Kai.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Diocesan Reading Camp Programs

Altar Flowers: Don Parkinson in Memory of Donald & Louise Parkinson

Bread & Wine: Leslie Jones in Memory of Husband, David Jones & in Thanksgiving for family and Friends and Parents and by Cathy Ruley & Gerry Thrasher in Thanksgiving for Trinity's Tech Team.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: The Kears, Kesesecker, and Kent Families.

March 8th

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Churches of Jerusalem & The Middle East.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Diocesan Committees and Councils

Altar Flowers: Renee Karos in Memory of Husband, George Karos

Bread & Wine: Leslie Jones in Memory of Husband, David Jones & in Thanksgiving for family and Friends and Parents and by Cathy Ruley & Gerry Thrasher in Thanksgiving for Trinity's Tech Team.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: The Kirby-Smith, Klaasse, and Klein Families.

March 15th

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Churches of the Kenya.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Diocesan Canons, Archdeacons, and Deans

Altar Flowers: Gigi Zimmerman in Memory of Parents, June & Buddy Zimmerman

Bread & Wine: Leslie Jones in Memory of Husband, David Jones & in Thanksgiving for family and Friends and Parents and by Cathy Ruley & Gerry Thrasher in Thanksgiving for Trinity's Tech Team.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: The Leitzke, Lewin and Lorenz Families.

March 22nd

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Churches of Korea.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Diocesan Clergy, Clergy Spouses & Family.

Altar Flowers: Barbara Huyett in Memory of Parent, Ruby Lee & Marvin Browning.

Bread & Wine: Leslie Jones in Memory of Husband, David Jones & in Thanksgiving for family and Friends and Parents and by Cathy Ruley & Gerry Thrasher in Thanksgiving for Trinity's Tech Team.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: The Maxwell, McGrann, & Mermelstein Families.

March 29th

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Churches of Melanesia.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: All Christians who face Persecution.

Altar Flowers: Greg Janes in Memory of Vicki Janes, Allen & Louise Janes, Kay & Ed Stout and William & Daisy Jean Butcher.

Bread & Wine: Leslie Jones in Memory of Husband, David Jones & in Thanksgiving for family and Friends and Parents and by Cathy Ruley & Gerry Thrasher in Thanksgiving for Trinity's Tech Team.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: The Miller, Mucklow, and Myers Families.