

Trinity Times

A newsletter for the members and friends of Trinity Episcopal Church

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Pentecost - August - 2006

Dear Friends,

I was asked to write a sort of farewell message. This isn't farewell since I will be Trula's Assistant, and, like a bad penny, will occasionally turn up. The only way I can write a sort of farewell is to begin at the beginning.

I arrived here at Trinity in late October of 1990 and so have been here for almost sixteen years.

I really didn't know what my ministry would be and was even ready to preside over the closing of the church if necessary. I wasn't here long before I realized that Trinity served a vital function, by supplying a church home for people looking for a small church where everybody (well, almost everybody) pulled together and ministered to one another and for the most part didn't have their own agendas.

It appeared to me that God was calling me to teach and model what Christian ministry is all about. I have

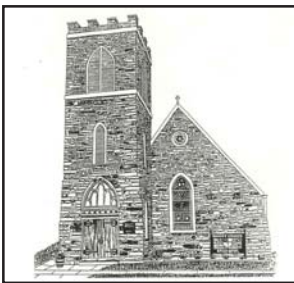
preached and taught about ministry until I'm sure many of you were tired of it. But in the words of the Indian chief sidekick of Clint Eastwood in *The Outlaw Josey Wales*, I "endeavored to persevere." My ministry here in a formal way is and has been by choice become less and less active. I believe we have, with the concurrence of the diocese, listened to the leading of the Holy Spirit in selecting Trula to be our priest.

I have been humbled by your love, care, concern and support in the aftermath of my heart attacks and subsequent by-pass surgery. Your support, love, care and concern for me in my ongoing recovery from alcohol abuse have been literally life-saving for me. There are no words that can convey my tremendous gratitude to you for your ministry to me.

Thank you! See you around the church and perhaps elsewhere.

Love, Ned

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August at Trinity



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>God willing, The Right Reverend Paul Victor Marshall, VIII Bishop of Bethlehem, will ordain the Reverend Trula Louise Hollywood to the sacred order of Priests on August 15, 2006, The Feast of St. Mary the Virgin, Mother of our Lord Jesus Christ, at Church of the Redeemer, Sayre, at 7 p.m. R.S.V.P. by August 1.</p>		1	2	3	4	5
<p>6 The Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ 9:00 Holy Eucharist I 10:00 Coffee Hour</p>	<p>7 <i>Kim Davenport Barbara Barry Shirley Huminik</i></p>	8	9	10 <i>Carolyn Hooper</i>	11 <i>Wendy Murray</i>	12 <i>Kathe Maneval Ray & Nancy Bresett</i>
<p>13 Pentecost 10 - Proper 14 9:00 Holy Eucharist I 10:00 Coffee Hour</p>	14	<p>15 St. Mary the Virgin 7:00 The Ordination of the Rev. Trula Louise Hollywood, Church of the Redeemer</p>	16 <i>Ed Caum Roman Coston</i>	17	18 <i>Charles & Ginny Ford</i>	19
<p>20 Pentecost 11 - Proper 15 9:00 Holy Eucharist II 10:00 Coffee Hour ----Vestry Meets -----</p>	21 <i>Jan & Janice Beck</i>	22	23 <i>Mary Duddie James Edward Caum Michael Maneval</i>	<p>24 St. Bartholomew the Apostle</p>	25 <i>Ned Caum</i>	26 <i>Kim and Jeff Davenport</i>
<p>27 Pentecost 12 - Proper 16 9:00 Holy Eucharist II 10:00 Coffee Hour</p>	28 <i>Kevin Hooper</i>	29	30	31 <i>Sean Barry</i>	<p>Vacationing? Visit the Episcopal Church there and bring back a bulletin to share with us. Bring your houseguests to church.</p>	

Diocesan Prayer Cycle 8/6 Episcopal Housing for the Elderly of Allentown, Reading and the Slate Belt; *8/13* The board and manager of Kirby Episcopal House; *8/20* Trinity, Easton, Andrew Gerns; *8/27* Trinity, Mt. Pocono, Ginny Rex Day

Anglicans Around the World 8/6 The Episcopal Church of Rwanda; *8/13* The Scottish Episcopal Church; *8/20* The Church of the Province of South East Asia; *8/27* The Church of South India

Kajo Keji
 The Congregations at
8/6 Lema;
8/13 Lorudang;
8/20 Mangaloti
8/27 Sokare

Trinity Prayer Cycle
8/6 Joe, Laura, Peter and Tim Cama; Rachel and Peter Cama-Lekx; *8/13* The Caums: Fr. Ned, Barbara, Alan, Doris; *8/20* Ian, Kathleen and Audrey Clare; *8/27* Joe, Stacey, Roman, Derek, Brandon and Parker Coston