



The Weekly Grail

January 25, 2009



SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED IMMEDIATELY. Jody Link and Leslie Hutt have stepped down as a Sunday School Teachers for the 10:15 am Sunday School Hour. We extend our deepest thanks and out profound gratitude to them for their long tenure as Sunday School Teachers. If you are interested in teaching our young people, please contact Fr. Bill or Linda Trussell as soon as you can at 601-544-5551.

**Sunday, January 25
ANNUAL PARISH MEETING**

ONE SERVICE: 9:30 A.M.
PARISH MEETING AT 10:30
NO SUNDAY SCHOOL, 10:15 a.m.
NO RECTOR'S FORUM, 9:15 a.m.
POT LUCK LUNCH AFTER THE MEETING
IN THE PARISH HALL

Salad	Adams to Brinkley
Vegetables	Browning to Cox
Casseroles	Crain to Halliwell
Bread	Hamilton to McIntire
Meat	McKay to Puckett, Jim
Desert	Puckett, Tom, to Zaninelli

Hattiesburg Concert Band Concert at the Saenger Theater – FREE Admission. Oboe Soloist, Wayne Miller; Guest Conductor, Sammy Barr, 3:00 p.m.

EYC, 5:00 p.m.

Monday, January 26

EFM, 8:45 a.m.

NO Finance Commission Meeting

Tuesday, January 27

Centering Prayer, 2:00 p.m.

Bible Study, 5:15 p.m.

Wednesday, January 28

Holy Eucharist & Healing, 9:30 a.m.

Bible Study, 10:30 a.m.

Staff Meeting, 4:00 p.m.

NO Vestry Meeting

Micro-Industry Mission, 5:30 p.m.

Adult Choir, 6:00 p.m.

Friday, January 30

Movie Night for 5 to 10 year olds, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 1

Holy Eucharist, 8:00 a.m.

Coffee Hour, 8:30 a.m.

Choir Rehearsal, 9:15 a.m.

Rector's Forum, 9:15 a.m., "Hymnody, Part 3"

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL, 10:15 a.m.

Holy Eucharist, 10:30 a.m.

Coffee Hour, 11:30 a.m.

NO EYC, 5:00 p.m.

Future Events/Announcements

On February 6-8 Trinity will be hosting Youth Council. Youth Council is a two night lock in event with youth from around the Diocese who come together to worship, fellowship, and have fun. In the past, Youth Council has been held at Ascension, but this year is Trinity's premier. With that, comes the need for volunteers to provide food and adult supervision. If you are interested in helping please contact Andrew Bird at ajrbird@gmail.com, or the Linda Trussell in the Office at 601-544-5551.

Usher Coordinator Needed for the 10:30 am service. We need someone to volunteer to organize and coordinate the ushers for the 10:30 am service. Duties involve making a schedule of usher volunteers to serve as ushers for the 10:30 services a month in advance. If you are interested in this ministry, please call Fr. Bill or Linda Trussell at 601-329-3538 as soon as possible.

On Sunday, February 8, the Sunday service will be at the Convention Center at 10:00 a.m. There will be no services at Trinity on Sunday, Feb 8. Please plan to attend services at the Convention Center on 2/8.

**Chair needed for the
Christian Education Commission**

If you are interested, please call Fr. Bill or Linda at the Church Office (601-544-5551).

We need a chair of the Christian Education Commission. The duties include convening meetings of the Commission and writing a yearly report of Commission activities/actions to the vestry. The responsibility of the Commission is to facilitate the work of Sunday School, Adult Christian Education, and to assist the EYC director in planning and executing programs for children and youth. . If you are interested in this ministry, please call either Fr. Bill or Linda Trussell at 601-544-5551.

Trinity Episcopal Church Parish Emergency Relief Fund has been set up to help parishioners with special needs. If you would like to contribute to this fund, please make checks payable to Trinity Emergency Relief Fund. Use the envelopes provided in the pews to designate that the contribution is for The Parish Relief Fund. **Please do not put anyone's name on the memo line of your check. The contribution is not tax deductible if there is a name on the check.**

Please consider helping Eddie Hendrix who had a bone marrow transplant this Thursday, 1/22. Eddie is a 12 year old boy with leukemia, and his family has elected to attend Trinity. His mother cannot work while he undergoes treatment. The family needs financial support for food, utilities, etc. If you wish to donate to this cause, please make checks payable to the Trinity Emergency Relief Fund. Use the envelopes provided in the pews to designate that the contribution is for Eddie Hendrix. **Please do not put his name on the memo line of your check. The contribution is not tax deductible if his name is on the check.**

Also, the Hendrix family is in need of a car to transport Eddie to Jackson for treatment. If you have a reliable one you can donate, please contact Fr. Bill.

Jody Burnett's Purse. If you are interested in helping Jody Burnett during his last semester in seminary, you can make a donation to Trinity Church. Appropriately mark the envelopes that are provided in the pews and put them in the collection basket or mail them to the church. **Jody would like to acknowledge your gifts, so we will provide him with names and addresses but not amounts.** If you have any questions, please feel free to call the church office (601-544-5551).

Radical abundance: a theology of sustainability, sponsored by the Diocese, February 18-20, 2009. Trinity

Institute, in partnership with host-site The Center for Formation & Mission of The Episcopal Diocese of Mississippi, present a post-webcast "Radical abundance: a theology of sustainability. Featured speakers include Majora Carter, Timothy J. Gorringer, David C. Korten, Nestor O. Miguez, and Sister Miriam Theresa MacGillis. Through keynote speeches and panel and small group discussions, this three-day conference will consider radical ideas about abundance, sustainability, and well-being. For registration information, please visit our website at www.dioms.org, News and Events, Diocesan Events. You may also contact The Rev. Debo Dykes at debo@dioms.org

Lenten Quiet Day with Bishop Gray: a journey of rest and contemplation, sponsored by the Diocese, February 26, March 5, & March 12. Through the reading of scripture, prayer, questions, meditations and sharing, Bishop Duncan M. Gray will lead participants in a Lenten journey of rest and contemplation. You will discover encouragement, spiritual meaning, and guidance on a journey that will stir your longing for God and a grounding of faith and of life. For registration information, please visit our website at www.dioms.org, News and Events, Diocesan Events. You may also contact The Rev. Debo Dykes at debo@dioms.org.

Healthy Congregations, sponsored by the Diocese, February 13 & 14. How can a congregation recognize and address anxiety before that anxiety fuels destructive conflict within the faith community? What can church leaders do to become more aware of their own emotional reactivity, and the way that their presence influences the ebb and flow of anxiety within a congregation? Congregational leaders will find help with such questions at the Healthy Congregations workshop provided by the Center for Formation and Mission of the Diocese of Mississippi. The workshop will be presented by The Rev. Chip Davis and will be held at St. Andrew's Cathedral in Jackson, MS. For registration information, please visit our website at www.dioms.org, News and Events, Diocesan Events. You may also contact The Rev. Debo Dykes at debo@dioms.org.

Open Dates for 2009 Altar Flower Sponsorships:

Jan: 25	July: 12, 26
Feb: 1	Aug: 30
June: 28	Sept: 6, 13, 20
	Oct: 11, 18, 25
	Nov: 8, 15

Nursery workers are needed on Sunday February 8 at the Convention Center for the closing ceremony of the 182 Annual Council. If you are interested in helping in the nursery that morning, please call the church office (601-544-5551).