



Pentecost 2018

FIRST HALF OF THE SEASON

SUNDAY, MAY 20 – SUNDAY, AUGUST 26

Activities and Schedule for the Season

Almighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.



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Childcare Information

Sundays, May 20 – August 26, except July 29:

- Nursery care (ages 0-3) available all morning
- TCT classes (ages 4 and up) available at 10 AM
- Children’s Church (ages 4 to 2nd grade) at the 10:45 service

Sundays, May 27 and July 29:

- Nursery care (ages 0-3) available during the 9:30 service
- Children’s Church (ages 4 to 2nd grade) at the 9:30 service

Services During Pentecost

** = nursery care available (ages 0-3)*

Sunday, May 20	8:30 AM* 10 AM* 10:45 AM*	Pentecost Sunday TCT for all ages Pentecost Sunday (with CC)
Wednesday, May 23	6:30 PM*	Confirmation Service Casual reception to follow
Sunday, May 27	9:30 AM* 10 AM* 11 AM	Trinity Sunday (with CC) Single Service (No TCT) Potluck Lunch
Sundays June 3 – July 22	8:30 AM* 10 AM* 10:45 AM*	2 nd – 9 th Sundays after Pent. TCT for all ages 2 nd – 9 th Sun. after Pent. (w/ CC)

Sunday, July 29	9:30 AM*	10 th Sunday after Pent. (with CC) Single Service (No TCT)
	11 AM	Potluck Lunch
Sundays	8:30 AM*	11 th – 14 th Sundays after Pent.
August 5 – August 26	10 AM*	TCT for all ages
	10:45 AM*	11 th – 14 th Sun. after Pent. (w/ CC)

Services and Teaching Information

Services in Pentecost

Pentecost Sunday

May 20 – 8:30 & 10:45 AM Services



The Season of Easter ends with Pentecost Sunday, where we celebrate the indwelling of the Holy Spirit. This is a festive day, which includes hearing part of Acts 2 read in multiple languages, recalling the day the Spirit filled the apostles with his fullness.

Confirmations

Wednesday, May 23 – 6:30 PM

Put 23 May on your calendar! At ‘Confirmation,’ youth baptized as children and anyone of adult age have the opportunity proclaim and renew their Faith, asking for the Holy Spirit to fill them even more for vocation and ministry in all of life. We will have at least 5 Confirmations on Wednesday, 23 May. Please plan now to support our church family at this powerful service led by Bishop Ken. There will be a casual reception after the service.

Trinity Sunday

May 27 – 9:30 AM Singe Service

The Sunday after Pentecost is Trinity Sunday, which celebrates the Holy Trinity. Since our church is named for the Holy Trinity, this is one of our Feast days! We will have a single service at 9:30 AM followed by a potluck lunch in honor of the occasion.

Sermon Series

For the first half of the summer, we will be preaching on the Lectionary each week. Beginning in July, we will have an extended series focusing on Paul's letter to the Ephesians, which will take us through September.

Teaching, Community, and Fellowship

Adult TCT

During the summer, our Adult TCT classes will be continuing. We will have visits from Life Network, Tri-Lakes Cares, and we will have other classes as well. Keep an eye on the Happenings for information as we move through the season!

Parish Groups

Holy Trinity's Parish Groups are neighborhood based small groups that meet in homes throughout the city for regular fellowship, prayer, and scripture reading. These small communities within the larger body of the church are one of the primary ways that Holy Trinity seeks to know and care for one another from Monday to Saturday in hopes that we would be a church where no one suffers or celebrates alone. Most of our Parish Groups are on a hiatus over the summer, but we will be ramping up to launch again in the Fall. In the meantime, if you have any questions about Parish Groups and how to get involved, please contact Ben Holsteen at holytrinitymcp@gmail.com

Youth TCT

Youth TCT will continue throughout the summer! We'll use Bible study, activities and engaging movie clips linked to our Bible lessons to gain a deeper understanding of God's Word. Multi-week themes will include No Fear, Putting God First, and Prayer

Youth Group

Small Groups

Holy Trinity's Youth ministry meets regularly in small discipleship groups throughout the week for middle school and high school girls and boys. **Our small groups are on break over the Summer, but will return in the fall!** In the meantime, if you (or your child) are between the ages of 12 -18 (6th-12th grade) and would be interested in participating in Holy Trinity's Youth Ministry, please contact our Minister of Church Programs, Ben Holsteen, at holytrinitymcp@gmail.com

Parents of Youth: Summer Reading Group

Are you a parent who is at a loss as to how to help your kids establish a healthy relationship with technology with appropriate boundaries? Do you maybe struggle with knowing where those boundaries yourself? If these are questions that you are wrestling with now or will be facing into before too long, join Ben Holsteen for a summer reading group of *The Tech-Wise Family* by Andy Crouch. This is a helpful guide to navigating these issues and a worthwhile exploration for families with kids growing up in a hyper-connected world. For more info contact Ben Holsteen at holytrinitymcp@gmail.com.

Children and Families

Children's TCT

Early elementary TCT will continue following along through David C Cook's 'Bible in Life,' which will take the kids through the story of Easter dealing with topics like Jesus is Alive!, Jesus Loves Us!, and will begin May by entering into learning about God's amazing creation through studying the book of Genesis!

For upper elementary TCT, the kids will continue along with Faith Inkubators' study of the Apostle's Creed, which will dive into the foundations of the Christian faith and how it changes our daily lives! Having already gone through the lessons Jesus the Savior, Jesus the Redeemer, Jesus the Lord, and the Forgiveness of Sins, the study will finish out with the following lessons: God the Creator, God the Provider, God the Preserver, The Holy Spirit, Church and Saints, Resurrection and Eternal Life.

Children's Church

In Children's Church the students will experience the power of Jesus' resurrection and ministry among His people through topics of Doubting Thomas, Jesus Eats Some Fish, The Good Shepherd, Jesus the True Vine, and Friends!

Vacation Bible School

VBS this year will be July 16-20. We are using Group's "Shipwrecked" curriculum.

Registration forms are in the entryway, or you can register online with the link in the

Happenings! If you or your teenager are

interested in volunteering to help, let Jonathon

know as soon as possible at holytrinitychildmin@gmail.com and he will put you to work!



Rwanda Sub-Parishes

In the Easter Season look to learn about, and how to support, Nyagatovu sub-parishes. Nyagatovu, our sister parish, has 4 sub-parishes led by lay "Catechists." Each one is unique and each one needs prayer and support, especially for Catechist theological and pastoral training. More to come!

Youth Suicide Prevention 5K Run

Saturday, June 16

On 16 June, The Ascent (a local church) will host a 2nd Annual 5K Run to raise money to donate to local schools for Youth Suicide Prevention. They are very open to making this a community effort and will

need volunteers on the day. Please put 16 June on your calendar to help with this still-vital need. The first run had approximately 300 people and raised \$20,000.00 for 5 different schools to fund a youth suicide prevention program.



Also, look for more ways to be involved in Youth Suicide Prevention. Pastor Matt will be sharing soon.

Other Activities

Newcomers Lunch

Sunday, July 8 – 1 PM

If you are a visitor, new attender, or anyone who wants a chance to talk with Pastor Matt and other leaders to learn about Holy Trinity, this is a great way to do it! This lunch is Q&A driven, and is an opportunity to learn who we are and what we do here at Holy Trinity.

Membership Class

Sunday, July 8 – 3-6 PM

The Membership Class goes into the theology and history of Holy Trinity and of Anglicanism in general. This is a more comprehensive class on our collective and foundational beliefs, for a deeper understanding what membership at HTAC is all about. This class, along with meeting the other membership requirements allows, but does not require, you to sign a Membership Covenant.

So seeking membership or not, this is an excellent class for learning more about HTAC and is highly recommended for anyone wanting a deeper understanding of our church, along with those wanting to qualify for voting in the annual meeting in January each year.