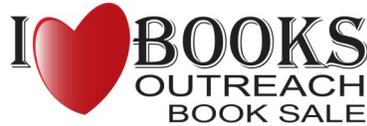




TRINITY TALK

October 2021

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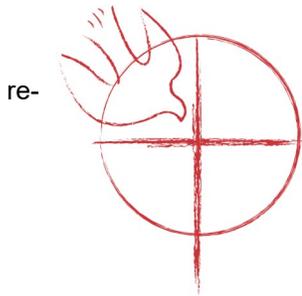


THANK YOU, TRINITY BOOK LOVERS!

Your Outreach team is delighted to report that the September Book and Bake Sale took in \$1283.00, an all-time record for Outreach Book Sales! Thanks to the generosity of many shoppers, these funds will go to the carefully vetted non-profit programs serving those in need in our local area.

We are definitely "people of the book(s)!"

Stewardship & Annual Pledges for 2022



This past year has continued to bring change and uncertainty into our lives. At Trinity we have responded with flexibility, patience, and a good sense of humor! Underneath that has been a commitment to each other, to Trinity Orange, and to the ministries we are so dedicated to support. This way of being and living influenced the selection of our Stewardship theme for 2022.

"Faithful and Strong" summarizes who each of us are as individuals and as a community of faith. All of us at Trinity have continued to worship together and support each other as brothers and sisters in Christ. This has not been an easy year and our shared faith has most certainly helped, shared in person and via Zoom.

1 Corinthians 16:13 tells us to, "Keep alert, stand firm in your faith, be courageous, be strong." And very important is verse 14 that follows, "Let all that you do be done in love."

Being firm in our faith, courageous in times of uncertainty, strong in times of doubt and fear, and acting in love, define the life of one dedicated to God. Being a follower of Jesus, indwelling in and with Christ, guides us. As we pray about our individual financial support of Trinity, please know how important you are in helping all of us live the life we are called to in Paul's letter to the early believers in Corinth.

In gratitude for your faithful presence and financial support we will be having a celebration on Sunday November 7. Please plan on staying for breakfast after the 9AM worship service to celebrate Trinity "Faithful and Strong".

SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday October 03, 2021

9:00am In Person Eucharist and Zoom Service

Drive Through Communion 11:30am - 12pm Church Parking Lot

Sunday October 10, 2021

9:00am In Person Eucharist and Zoom Service

Drive Through Communion 11:30am - 12pm Church Parking Lot



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

WORSHIP AND GIVING AND SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

- 10/03 Mike and Kim Donaldson
- 10/05 Rich and Dawn Heim
- 10/16 Brian and Becky Messenger
- 10/25 Pat and Ann Walker

09/05	68 in-person, 29 Zoom, 8 drive through communion	\$ 5,077
09/12	66 in-person, 32 Zoom, 10 drive through communion	\$ 20,593
09/19	80 in-person, 24 Zoom, 5 drive through communion	
09/26	84 in-person, 27 Zoom, 5 drive through communion	\$ 9,821



Daylight savings ends Sunday November 7th at 2am. Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour on Saturday November 6th before you go to bed. Be on time for church!

***Carpe Vinum!**

*Translation: "Seize the Wine!"

After a very long wait, Outreach is hosting an annual Fall event, Carpe Vinum! (Translation: "Seize the Wine!"). On Saturday, October 23, at 5:30 pm, we will be hosting a wine tasting event featuring a variety of selections from Wilson Creek Winery. In addition to tastings, the event will include fun and games, a wine pull, silent and live auctions, good food and best of all...great fellowship. And no worries...There are other options for those who prefer something other than the taste of the grape! Among the auction items will be a Hawaii timeshare, lunch with the clergy, and the exclusive use of the best parking spot in the Trinity lot for an entire year!

Your participation helps us fulfill the Outreach mission: Supporting local non-profit organizations that help those in need. Your attendance will help us meet our 2021 goals.

Tickets (\$20) will go on sale following the 9:00am church service on October 3, 10, and 17. Be sure to get your tickets, mark your calendars, and join us on the 23rd where you will Carpe Vinum!



Please mark your calendars now for our 2021 Blessing of the Animals. To help us celebrate and bless these creatures that snag our hearts, on **Saturday, October 9th** we and our animals will gather on the back lawn at 5:30 pm for a service that includes individual blessings for each of our pets. You do not need to be accompanied by an animal to attend! Make this a must-do event for you, your family, and friends.

Flu season is almost upon us, and during this continuing pandemic it is more important than ever to receive your flu vaccination. Please join your Trinity Faith Community Nurses on **Sunday, October 10, 2021 from 9:00am – 12:00noon** to receive your FREE flu shot. Through the generosity of the Hoag Faith Community Nurse Program we are able to hold this very important clinic for our parishioners, family members, and friends. For the first time this year we will also have the high dose vaccine for those sixty-five and older! Quantities are limited so vaccinations will be given to adults and children age 9 and older on a first come basis while supplies last. If you have any questions please contact Ann Walker at 714-496-0571.

From our Rector

.....*The Very Rev. Jeannie Martz*

Faithful and Strong!

As you can see from this month's cover article from Trinity's Stewardship Commission, "Faithful and Strong" is the theme for our 2022 Stewardship campaign.

Our campaign will be introduced from the pulpit this coming Sunday and will continue for the next five weeks, culminating on Sunday, November 7 with a very special Celebration Breakfast in the parish hall/patio area after the 9 a.m. service.

In addition to being Faithful and Strong in stewardship, on Nov. 7 we will also be celebrating All Saints' Sunday and the Faithful and Strong saints in our hearts who have gone before us into God's greater glory. We'll read the names of our loved ones and light candles of remembrance, faith, and strength for all of us.

Following the service – and we hope everyone who's worshiped online will come to Trinity and join us for breakfast as well – we'll gather together in celebration to give thanks to God for our saints, for our community, and for the generous stewardship of this congregation, always ready to give back to God first. As so many of us have learned in our lives, when we give to God first, there's always enough – even when we didn't think there would be!

Another reason to celebrate? Someone else will be doing the cooking! (Individually wrapped breakfast burritos from Troy's just might be on the menu...talk about God's abundance!)

With our elderly and inefficient HVAC system FINALLY replaced and with the project to make the Bride's Room bathroom ADA compliant fully underwritten, one might legitimately ask about how our 2022 funds will be used. What does Trinity need money for?

Because the funding of our Outreach projects and grants is completely independent of the parish operating budget, I can legitimately say that Trinity needs money for the maintenance of Trinity, enabling us to continue our ministries of worship and hospitality, as well as to support the ministries and outreach of the Diocese.

As with any organization, the biggest part of our annual budget – and Treasurer Jack Reynolds has done a wonderful job of keeping our budgets lean through the years – has to do with the people factor: salaries, benefits, and health insurance. Close behind is the physical plant – our beautiful campus whose oldest sections, the classroom wing and the original portions of the parish hall, are now approximately 45 years old.

Sun damage to wood, water damage to stucco, aging plumbing fixtures, and windows that need to be replaced for reasons of both energy efficiency and security – these are just a few of the items on the Property Commission's Major Projects List. Also on the list – possible improvements to the ventilation and temperature control in the Choir Room, which houses the large mounted rack of equipment for the sound system.

Our Vestries have been very diligent and aware of their fiduciary responsibilities in recent years, following good business practices in obtaining multiple bids from vendors and service

providers, and thoroughly discussing the approval of expenditures. They've been doing a great job!

All these ministries, projects, and discussions would be academic, of course, were it not for the amazing generosity, powerful faith, and mutual concern and dedication of each and every member of this congregation. Thank you!

Coming out of 2020, coming through 2021, and heading into 2022, we are Faithful Stewards – and we are Trinity Strong!





Hey Rebels:

Hope you can join me at the 2021 DSAOC "Virtual Buddy Walk" on October 24.

Yes, the DSAOC Buddy Walk will be Virtual again this year.

But, the truth is that last year's Virtual Buddy Walk was a lot of fun.

Rebecca's Rebels Buddy Walk was not exactly Virtual but a small group of devoted Rebels met at RR Home Base, had lunch, fellowship, made posters and then walked out to Katella Avenue promoting Down Syndrome Awareness and Acceptance to a chorus of horns and cheering. We had a great time.

So this year we are going to do it again. Come and join our team remotely or not and support Rebecca and DSAOC.

Just copy the link and follow the prompts: <https://www.classy.org/team/372605>

As to our typical Fun-draiser's, they are still up in the air. Make sure to stay connected at my Facebook pages for more info on upcoming events: <https://www.facebook.com/Rebeccasrebels> (Rebel Headquarters) or <https://www.facebook.com/rebecca.mattson.1> (My personal page)

As always, thank you so much for the support you all have given me over the years. My Trinity family means so much to me and my family

Trinity Strong!

Rebecca Mattson and the whole Mattson Family.



Looking for a good old fashioned milk shake? Look no further, as our October Parish Dine Out takes us to Ruby's Diner and Streamliner Lounge at the train depot in Orange. Enjoy yummy burgers, delicious sandwiches, and refreshing salads. Join our fellowship anytime on THURSDAY OCTOBER 28. Hours are from 11:30AM—8:30PM. Be sure to take your flyer so that Trinity Outreach gets credit. Help them make their 2021 goal. Flyers will be available in the back of the church, beginning Sunday October 17.



We have moved Youth Group meetings to Sunday afternoons from 4 to 5:30PM. We're hoping this will work better with busy schedules of school, homework, sports and other commitments. All students in 6th grade through high school are invited to join in the fun! We meet in the youth center for hanging out, games, snacks, Bible study and prayer. If you have any questions, please contact Rev. Annie at: annie@trinityorange.com or 949-300-8434.

10/03	Dean Gavello	10/19	Paul Weddell
10/06	Heidi Crabbs	10/22	Lauralee Barrow
10/06	Nancy Whiting-Scott	10/23	Dan Patterson
10/07	Rev. Annie Calhoun		Catherine de Strakosch
10/09	Pat Branstetter	10/24	Ray Waterson
	Jim Hansen	10/28	Pam Kibby
10/13	Kim Donaldson	10/29	Carl Watson
10/16	Bill Miller		Jim Wood
10/17	Kristi Hubbard		

YEAH! MESSY CHURCH RETURNS!



