



## Winter 2017



### Aid For Friends

**Thursday, January 12, 9:30 a.m.**

Prepare and package meals for those in need. It involves contributing cooked items at home and then assembling food trays in the Trinity kitchen. A great chance for outreach and fellowship; please call Cathy Dafrico at 215.348.8835 if you have any questions.



### Annual Meeting & Brunch

**Sunday, January 29**

**9:00 a.m. Worship**

**10:30 a.m. Annual Meeting & Brunch**

In keeping with the canons and bylaws of the church, Trinity will convene the annual meeting of the parish. The purpose of which is to report on the state of the church, to elect persons to serve on the vestry, and to give opportunity for those in attendance to raise matters of importance to the parish. We hope you will join us for brunch followed by the business meeting.



### Trinity Music Concerts

**Dryden Ensemble - Saturday, February 11, 7:30 p.m.**

#### ***Le Medicin & La Musique***

Featuring medical and musical curiosities from the French Baroque, including Marais's musical depiction of a bladder stone operation, narrated by actor Paul Hecht. Tickets: \$25 (season tickets also available online), \$10 Students. Tickets may be purchased online, by mail, or at the door. For more information, visit [drydenensemble.org](http://drydenensemble.org), 609.466.8541, [drydenensemble@gmail.com](mailto:drydenensemble@gmail.com).

## Trinity Music Concerts (continued)

### **Concordia Concert - Sunday, February 26, 3:00 p.m.**

Concordia Chamber Players will present the charming String Quartet No. 2 of Phillip Glass, composed as incidental music for the dramatization of Samuel Beckett's prose poem, "Company". They will also tackle the G minor String Quartet of Claude Debussy, the only quartet he composed and one of the staples of the repertoire. This concert closes with Dvorak's String Quartet in Eb Major composed right after he finished his famous American String Quartet. Tickets: \$25 (\$20 per concert if Season Subscription is purchased online), \$10 Students, Free for children 10 and under with adult. Tickets may be purchased online, by mail, or at the door. For more information, visit [concordiplayers.org](http://concordiplayers.org).



## Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

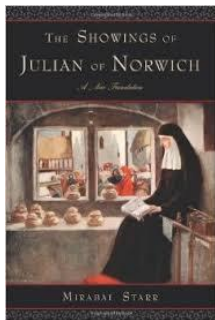
Come celebrate the end of the season of Epiphany with a traditional pancake supper. \$4.00 per person or \$10.00 per family. Shrove Tuesday (also known as Mardi Gras, Fat Tuesday or pancake day) is the day preceding Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent. Pancakes are associated with the day preceding Lent because they were a way to use up rich foods, such as eggs, milk and sugar, before the fasting season of the 40 days of Lent.



## Ash Wednesday Services

### **Wednesday, March 1**

Imposition of Ashes & Holy Eucharist services will be held at 8:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.



## Lenten Day of Reflection: All Shall Be Well

### **Saturday, April 8, 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.**

We shall study *The Showings of Julian of Norwich: A New Translation* by Mirabai Starr. While there are other translations of "The Showings", this is the translation we shall be using. It is available on Amazon and Kindle. Dame Julian was a fourteenth Christian anchoress in England. At age thirty and a half and at the brink of death, the Lord God granted Dame Julian many revelations (showings) of God's nurturing and sustaining love. She

contemplated and prayed upon these showings before writing them twenty years later. In a time marked by war, famine, plague, and unrest, her book was the first book in the English language known to have been written by a woman. It remains one of the greatest theological works in the English language. She writes about what she sees and what is shown to her. Her theology leads us into a contemplative awareness. While she calls herself an unlettered person, she is taken seriously as a mystical systematic theologian in her own right.

## Lenten Day of Reflection: All Shall Be Well (continued)

Professor Frederick C. Bauerschmidt, Loyola College, Maryland, writes: "She teaches that life is painful, but can be borne with grace. She teaches that we will never find rest in the things of this world - whether material goods, goals, friends, or family - but that we can love them and love God through them if we can see them with God's own eyes. Julian teaches that even if we never achieve 'wellness' in this life, still 'all shall be well.' We are drawn to her because we are drawn to the truth about ourselves, our world, and God."

The Day of Reflection will be led by Ginny Sheay. Please let Ginny know if you wish her to purchase the book by Mirabai Starr through Amazon. The paperback book costs \$19.00 (new).



### Knitting Ministry

Good news! Janet Gill is delighted to announce that three new names have been added to the Knitting Ministry. Carol Frazier will be knitting squares as she enjoys the Florida sunshine. Barrie Summers and Laura Huestis have volunteered to put squares together to make afghans. A warm welcome to our new members and thank you!



### Trinity Tidings Spring Newsletter Submissions Deadline

The next *Trinity Tidings* will be the spring issue containing material for March, April and May. The deadline for submissions is Wednesday, February 1. Please send all submissions, including photos, to Stacie Fuchs at [communications@trinitysolebury.org](mailto:communications@trinitysolebury.org).

To be added or removed from the mailing list, please email Sarah Doyle at [sdoyle@trinitysolebury.org](mailto:sdoyle@trinitysolebury.org).

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