



**TRINITY**  
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**[Worship Services**  
**Trinity Worship Services**  
**Sundays in Person at 10 AM**  
**or**  
**Worship with Trinity at Home**  
National Cathedral Services  
NY Diocese Parish Services  
1200 Main Street, Fishkill, New York

**December 20, 2024**

***Please Join us for Worship***

Please join us for Trinity's regular in person Worship Service each **Sunday at 10 AM**. You are welcome to bring family and friends to this service. **All are welcome!**

***Monday Morning Notes from Bishop Hyed***



**Advent Blessings!**

**Through this season we're sharing reflections from the Order of the Holy Cross in West Park, NY.**

At diocesan convention we began a Year of Purpose together:

- Lives of prayer.
- Communities of renewal.
- Pastoral fabric focused on you (local).

Through the year we'll offer regular prayer practices for both individuals and communities.

*Br. Josias offers this week's reflection.*

"It is almost impossible to imagine how we can rejoice and exult in these times of disaster and anxiety all over the world. We have lost trust in our leaders. To some, the church has ceased to be a place of safety.

"What does joy look like amid all these things?"

"As Christians we are called to articulate the joy of living with and being in the Lord. In the gospel passage, John the Baptised speaks to the crowds about repentance. In great despair of what they had just heard the crowds ask him: What then should we do?"

"Perhaps that is the question we might ask ourselves too."

**Read the whole reflection here.**

Thanks to Br. **Robert Magliula** and the brothers from Holy Cross for their spiritual guidance through this season.

- Our congregations are hosting lessons & carols services as we prepare for Christmas. Send pictures and videos! I'd like to feature services from around the Diocese in next week's email.

Blessings for all our communities through this Advent season.

Grace & Peace,

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### ***Outback Steakhouse: January 5th***

We are now collecting \$20/person and \$13/child for lunch on Jan. 5th. Please pay in cash or check endorsed to Trinity Episcopal Church.  
Thank you!!! Jan and Dave

### ***Church School***

The older children will meet this Saturday on December 21st at 5pm.  
The Littles will meet on Dec. 22nd at 9:50am.

### ***Holiday Concert***

The 26<sup>th</sup> annual Christmas Concert is being held today at 4 p.m. Adult, Children and Hand-bell choirs will perform along with special guest performers. Suggested \$10 free will offering for the Fishkill Food Pantry for attendees.

St. Mary Mother of The Church

26<sup>th</sup>



Annual

# CHRISTMAS CONCERT

*Sunday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>*

~ 4 PM ~

St. Mary's Church ~ Fishkill

Adult, Children & Handbell Choirs

Special Guest Performers

*Come Celebrate Christmas With Us!*

Free-will offering for Fishkill Food Pantry

suggested offering \$10 refreshments following

[www.saintmaryschurch-fishkill.org](http://www.saintmaryschurch-fishkill.org) 106 Jackson Street Fishkill, NY 12524

Call 896-6400 for information

## ***S.D.H.C. Food Pantry***

Please sign up in the parish Hall to help fill and maintain the mini food pantry. Thank you to everyone who is helping in December. Thank you to our congregation for all of the food donations that help to keep our storage room well supplied. With colder days and nights upon us we need to be sure that we will serve our local neighbors who are in need.

## ***Up in Unity***

The music programs are ongoing, see Trinity's calendar for the schedules. Be on the lookout there for upcoming concerts also. Contact Up in Unity, [upinunity@hotmail.com](mailto:upinunity@hotmail.com) or call (845) 372-4791 for more information. Visit their website, [ABOUT | My Site 1 \(upinunity.com\)](http://upinunity.com) to see about these programs.

## ***Prayer List***

Kim, the Dotter family, the Gagliardi family, Beth, Carol, Alex, Pat, Bill, Mary, Jim, June, Pasquale, Elise, Eva, Ingrid, Brigitta, Virgil, the Connelly family, and Brett. Prayer requests can be made to the office or placed in the Alms Basin.

**Please let us know who left the note for prayer list additions (starting with Pasquale above) on the office desk last Sunday.**

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### Serving Schedule

Please let us know if you need any changes to the above serving schedule. Thank you.

### Calendar of Events

## ***Preparing for Sunday***

Click on the icon for a link from our church website to "Preparing for Sunday", an informative page with Lectionary readings, scripture backgrounds, reflection and prayer starters.



### ***Sunday Worship***

***Sunday December 22, 10 AM***

***Worship & Livestream***

### ***Sunday Worship***

***Sunday December 24, 5 PM***

***Worship & Livestream***

### ***Sunday Worship***

***Sunday December 25, 10 AM***

***Worship & Livestream***

### ***Sunday Worship***

***Sunday December 29, 10 AM***

***Worship & Livestream***

### ***Sunday Worship***

***Sunday January 5, 10 AM***

***Worship & Livestream***

### ***Sunday Worship***

**Sunday January 12, 10 AM**  
**Worship & Livestream**

**Sunday Worship**

**Sunday January 19, 10 AM**  
**Worship & Livestream**

**Sunday Worship**

**Sunday January 26, 10 AM**  
**Worship & Livestream**