



Summer Happenings

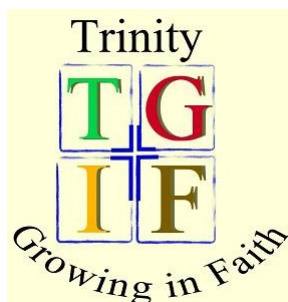
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Our Mission

*We are here to:
Worship God,
Walk with Jesus,
Change lives,
and Serve the
community, through the
power of the Holy Spirit.*



Welcome to Trinity



We welcome all visitors and new comers who have come to join us as we pray and give thanks, praise and worship, and learn about the word of God here at Trinity.

Feel free to meet us after the service for lemonade on the hill.



WILLOWCREEK LEADERSHIP SUMMIT -- Aug. 5-6th

Team Preparation Info

This summer there are 25 people from Trinity attending the annual Leadership Summit being held in Richmond Hill. Those attending the Summit are reminded that we will meet ahead of time THIS Tuesday August 3rd at 7:15 pm to organize rides and to prepare ourselves so that the event can have maximum benefit. We will play a clip from one of last year's addresses by Gary Hamel. After the conference, we will meet for lunch on Sunday August 8th after worship to share key learnings and action steps. Please put these dates in your calendar. Go to the Summit web site at <http://www.growingleadership.com/2010/index.asp> to see video clips of all the speakers and for other preparation resources.

** for the two days of the Summit please bring a bag lunch; we have arranged a special lunch room for our team which will give us a chance to share impressions.

** we attend the Summit at the Richmond Hill Chinese Community Church located at 9670 Bayview Ave in Richmond Hill. Please be there by 9:15 a.m. for registration. Drive time from Barrie is about one hour. Coffee and light refreshments will be provided. There will be an extensive resource centre. Each day concludes about 6 pm.

GENERAL SYNOD -- Anglican Church of Canada

Every three years delegates meet from across the country to set policy and direction for the Anglican Church of Canada. General Synod met last month in Halifax. It was anticipated that, despite the teaching of the Bible, same sex blessings would be permitted. This would have caused a crisis within our denomination and in our relations with the rest of the Anglican Communion. Due to warnings from the Archbishop of Canterbury and pressure from world Anglican leaders General Synod refrained from any changes to policy at this time. Several Dioceses in Canada (Niagara and Vancouver) are already permitting same sex blessings in some fashion and it remains to be seen if other Dioceses choose to take action on their own. It is unclear here in the Diocese of Toronto what comes next.

** For an excellent summary and commentary on General Synod please see the latest edition of The Anglican Planet newspaper; copies are in the tower walk. Most of the articles in the Anglican Planet are also available online.

** Some of you attend Episcopal (Anglican) churches when you are the USA. They have shown no such restraint and the Archbishop of Canterbury has removed their delegates from some key international committees.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK

SUNDAY - Aug. 1 "Pentecost 10"

8:00 a.m. - Quiet Communion
 10:00 a.m. - Family Communion
 Nursery in Undercroft (ages 0 - 4 yr.)

MONDAY

7:15 p.m. - Study in Upper Rm.
 "Success God's Way"

TUESDAY

3:00 p.m. - Wardens' Meeting
 7:15 p.m. - Summit Study

WEDNESDAY

7:30 a.m. - Men's Breakfast at Candyland Café
 10:30 a.m. - Holy Communion Service
 7:30 p.m. - "Family Life Study" at the Hill's Home

THURSDAY

Willow Creek Summit

FRIDAY

Willow Creek Summit - Office Closed

SUNDAY - Aug. 8 "Pentecost 11"

8:00 a.m. - Quiet Communion
 10:00 a.m. - Family Communion
 Nursery in Undercroft (ages 0 - 4 yr.)
 12:00 p.m. - Summit Study & Lunch, Aud.

BITS AND PIECES

*Congregation attending Trinity last Week, July 25th, was:
 8:00 a.m. = 39, 10:00 a.m. = 93, for a total of 132,
 including 7 children & teachers.

CHOSEN SOLDIER -- THANK YOU LETTER

Greetings from Afghanistan Trinity Anglican Church,
 My name is Audra Bowers and I received your wonderful package packed with love yesterday... which is actually great timing because today is my Birthday! So it was an unexpected birthday surprise :) Your letter and package brought a smile to my face and warmth to my heart to know that random Canadians I have never meet care about and believe in me. Our wonderful country never ceases to amaze me. Your support and encouragement mean a lot to the soldiers in Afghanistan, so on behalf of my squadron (who I will share my goodies with) and my fellow Canadian Forces members THANK YOU!

I am from Edmonton, AB and work with the Tank Squadron called the Lord Strathcona's Horse (Royal Canadians) they are a great bunch of guys and I enjoy working with them very much. It is like I have 75 brothers looking out for me :) I recently experienced the death of 2 of my grandparents within a month of each other and that was hard to deal with being so far away from my family during this time. So I was lucky to have such good friends to encourage me through the hard times.

The Tim Hortons coffee is much appreciated! Your chosen soldier program is a wonderful undertaking. Keep up the great work! I have included a few pictures of myself and

some of my fellow colleagues in the Battle Group Orderly Room and a new friend I made while out at a Patrol Base recently for a month!

Cheers, Audra



Chosen Soldier recipient Pte. A. Bowers shares her package from Trinity Church with the rest of her tank battalion troop on Canada Day. They are most appreciative of the goodies, of the kindness and of the prayers.

SECURITY

Presently, security at Trinity is being tightened. The Wardens request that all key-holders bring and use their own signed-out keys. Unattended rooms need to be locked. These apply 24/7. If you require keys, request through Wardens: if you no longer need keys, return to Walter Shaver.

Thank-you for your help.

Walter Marshall Beth Heale
 Rector's Warden People's Warden



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