



The Red Door

Trinity Episcopal Church · 320 West Main St. · Danville, KY 40422

March 2010

Lenten Reflections: Reconciliation and Rebirth

Lent has a long history. This period of reconciliation and preparation for rebirth stems from ancient Christian practice: forty days of fasting and prayer leading up to Easter morning. I started my own Lent early this year, as soon as I found that I would be coming among you as Interim Rector for a season. Those two words carry a heavy burden, and I wanted to be prepared.

Interim is from the Latin inter, meaning between or among and is a period of time between one period and another. Interim periods are characterized by transition from one state to another, and so they are all about change. Few of us like changes unless they constitute a recovery of something we believe we have lost. But God is about the business of transforming us into what we are meant to become. And so interim periods are like Lent. We take steps to be especially attentive to the movement of God's spirit within and among us. Our baptismal covenant invites us to respect the dignity of every person – even those with whom we differ – and to seek and serve Christ in all persons.

Rector is from the Latin rector, governor, and from regere, to rule. Jesus reminded his disciples that he who would be great among them would be servant of all. And so it is with your rector, vestry, and other leaders in the church. While you may not always appreciate how your rector chooses to serve you, he or she does so from what they regard as best. I am painfully aware that my presence here follows some deep disappointment about your relationship with your previous rector and that you have exchanged the imperfections of one rector for those of another. But God is in the business of healing wounds, however deep, and empowering those who trust in him to be agents of reconciliation and peace. Hence I pray for the grace to rule as the servant of Christ, so encouraging all and building up the body of Christ for ministry.

Blessings,
The Rev. Phillip R. Haug,
Interim Rector

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Monday – Thursday

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Reminders

- ❖ If you have an emergency, such as a hospital stay, please call the church office immediately at 236-3374.
- ❖ Please send updated directory information to the office. This includes mailing address, phone numbers, email, children, birthdays, and anniversaries.



Christian Education: Classes for Youth and Adults—Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

Adult Class Topics:

March 14: The Qu'ran: What It is and Why Quoting It Can Be Problematic

March 21: Who's who in Islam: From Ayatollahs to Whirling Dervishes

March 28: Religious Hierarchy: Who Makes the Rules in Islam

April 4: Women in Islam: Marriage, Divorce, Polygamy, and that Veil thing

April 11: Jihad and Fundamentalism: Not the same

April 18: Theft and Adultery in Islam: Reflections on Disney's *Aladdin*

April 25: An American Muslim Reaction to September 11th

May 2: Why the Misconceptions Persist: Separating the Reality from the Murky Mythology

Financial Report

	<u>January 2010</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Total Income	23,215	13,866
Total Expenses	<u>25,585</u>	<u>20,238</u>
Net Income	-2,370	-6,372

January was a relatively good month for Trinity from a financial perspective. Some members have caught up on 2009 pledges and giving for 2010 for combined pledges and non-pledge offerings is up over budget. Giving toward the building fund was also good. Income and expense were both skewed as significant gifts for a school in Haiti passed through the church. That total was in excess of \$5,000. The first 4 ½ month of the year will be a challenge as we pay our interim rector and complete our settlement with Father Rob. For those of you who have been able to increase pledges or who have returned after an absence, we offer our heartfelt thanks. —Jeff Thornton

Holy Conversations

On March 15, 2010 the vestry will be meeting with a Diocesan facilitator to help us begin the "Holy Conversations" program. As Bishop Sauls stated during his visit to Trinity in January, we will begin to have "Holy Conversations" to assist us in our procedure of obtaining a new Rector. We will tentatively begin having the parish "Holy Conversations" in mid-April. Please participate in this program! Watch for announcements in upcoming bulletins for the dates and times of these "Holy Conversations."

Lenten Supper & Program

The **ECW have a Lenten soup and salad supper each Wednesday night** between now and Easter, beginning at 6 pm. We need 2 soups (one with meat, one without), salad and bread. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church if you plan to attend. (We need to know how many to plan for). If you can provide one of the dishes, indicate that also.

Wednesday Evening Lenten Program: An informative and stimulating Lenten program on **Wednesdays, Feb. 24th – Mar. 24th with a light supper at 6:00 p.m. followed by the program at 6:45.** The evening concludes by 8:00 p.m. with selections from Evening Prayer. The topics and speakers for the remaining Wednesday evenings are as follows:

March 10, Milton Scarborough "Other Religions—Transformative Praxis."

March 17, Keith Dunn, "The Discipline of Denial"

March 24, Lee Jefferson, "Why is Easter a Moveable Feast?: The Origins of the Liturgical Calendar."

LENTEN MITE BOX PROJECT

The Society of St. Margaret, an Order of Episcopal nuns, has had schools and a convent in Haiti for many years. The money raised from our Mite Boxes this year will be used to provide back packs for individuals and duffel bags for families filled with personal care items and food for people displaced by the earthquake. Please take a Mite Box home and put money into it regularly that you and your family would have spent on something you've given up for Lent. Please pray daily for the people of Haiti and those helping them. The Ingathering will be on Easter Sunday. After the money is raised we will have a "stuff the back packs/duffel bags party" and send our gifts to Haiti via Agape Flights in Florida. The Sisters have used Agape Flights for many years. –Jane Brantley

Bake for Haiti

The **2nd – 5th Grade Sunday School class** will have a **Bake for Haiti party** at the **Church** on **Friday, March 12th from 5:30 – 8:30 p.m.** The youth will spend the evening baking treats to sell on **Saturday, March 13th** at **Kroger** from **9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** The money collected will benefit the people of Haiti through the Sisters of St. Margaret, a society of Episcopal nuns who have been in Haiti since 1927.
–Kathy Ault

Upcoming Baptisms on Easter Sunday

Easter Sunday is the traditional service for baptisms. There will be two that your Rector knows of. Should you know of, or be, someone wishing to be received into the body of Christ in baptism, please contact the Rector at your earliest convenience.

Intercessory Prayers

Each Sunday prayers are offered for a variety of intentions, among them prayers for the special needs and concerns of the congregation. A sheet in the narthex has a place where anyone coming into the church may add a name. This practice clearly reflects the notion that the Prayers of the People are the prayers of the people.

What is not so easily known, however, is when a name may be taken off the list. As of the end of February, the list had grown to twenty one and counting. The vestry and the Rector have considered several options: leave things as they are, return to a practice where only names entered each Sunday are read, put a default sunset clause of two Sundays on any entry, seek a more pastorally sensitive way to review the list, and others.

Happily, there are many treasures in the church. Those who pray with regularity and intentionality are among them. Just because a name is not on the Sunday list does not mean that there are not those who pray for them. The Daughters of the King, among others, have a ministry of prayer that reaches far and wide. So do young mothers. Who can raise a child without prayer?

And so, the Rector has asked Judy Robertson, Mary Lou Garland, and Kathy Ault for help: both to pray for those on the list, and to review the list for concerns that have yet to come to a conclusion.

Please continue to write in names for special needs and concerns on the sheet in the narthex. The office will ordinarily add those names to the list for two succeeding Sundays. That period may be lengthened or shortened on a case by case basis by the Rector in consultation with Judy Robertson, Mary Lou Garland, or Kathy Ault. Keep us in your prayers as we pray for you.

Phillip Haug
Interim Rector

Low Country Boil

How good is your trivia? We will be having our second annual trivia contest at the Annual Low Country Boil. It will be held on Saturday, April 24th, beginning at 6:00 p.m. It's a good time for fellowship and inviting friends. The cost is \$10 per person or \$25 per family. –Greg Smith

Trinity Housekeeping

We are missing several white tablecloths from the parish hall and a bunch of kitchen towels. Please check your laundry rooms for stowaways!

Several unidentified dishes are on display in the parish hall on the sideboard. Most were left behind after a potluck dinner. Please check them out and claim your own. Anything unclaimed will be sold in the ABC Sale in April. –Linda Taylor

Kroger Card Update

THANKS to all who help to make the Kroger Card program a success during 2009. Twenty-five parish families regularly reloaded their card throughout the year, netting over **\$3149 for Trinity programs!**

Many thanks to J.P. & Jane Brantley, Mary Lou & Phil Garland, Bill & Gloria Gill, Linda & Terry Taylor, Susan Nimocks, Ben & Julie Nelson, Yancey & Carol Clark, Thad & Jane Overmyer, Carla Liverman, Sue Jackson, Brenda & Bobby Webster, Gene & Marjorie Pflughaupt, Lois Anderson, Buddy & Elaine Edwards, Jeff & Karen Thornton, Dave & Carol Seidel, Kathy Ault, Margaret Gardiner, Virginia May, Charles & Ann Ferguson, Cindy Arnold, Greg & Barbara Smith, George & Lisa Arnold, Kandy & Dan Stroup. If you shop at Kroger and do not have a card purchased from Trinity, please see Kandy Stroup or stop by the church office to buy one for \$5.00. **Each time you reload it, 4% of the proceeds are sent to Trinity.** Keep those dividends coming

ABC Sale

The ECW will hold the annual **ABC (Absolutely Beautiful Clutter) sale on April 17**. As you do your spring-cleaning, save us your usable cast-offs. We can accept any household items, office equipment, toys, baby things, athletic equipment, tools, jewelry, yard and garden equipment, etc. **NO CLOTHING PLEASE**. Please price your items ahead of time. Contributions can be stored in the church basement underneath the Fireside Room until the sale. Profits will benefit Trinity and a selected outreach program.

CATHEDRAL DOMAIN 2010 SUMMER CAMP BROCHURES ARE HERE!

Camps are planned for children who have completed grades 1 through 12. A new Adventure/Mission Camp has been added for Girls and Boys grades 7-12 and new co-ed camp sessions for grades 3-4 and 5-6 have been scheduled in addition to the regular camp sessions. Brochures are available in the Narthex or the Church Office. **Camp scholarships are available!** Register soon! Please see Jane Brantley if you have any questions.

114TH CONVENTION OF THE DIOCESE OF LEXINGTON

Time and again, I found myself wishing that all of our Trinity brothers and sisters could be experiencing the convention. The room was electrically charged with the energy and commitment and the love of Christ as Bishop Saul challenged each parish in our diocese to fill the greatest needs in each of our communities. We'll be hearing much more about this in the near future.

We were inspired by the words and conversation with our wonderful Presiding Bishop, by reports from UTO, St. Agnes House, the Cathedral Domain, our work in Haiti and Kenya, and so many more, including stories from parishes such as St Paul's in Newport. They were without a priest for 8 years. They were down to 20 members. But they saw the need to start a food pantry and start feeding hungry families each week. They now serve hundreds each week, and have just received a UTO grant to renovate their kitchen so they can serve hot meals.

We, who were your deputies (Elaine H., Jane B. Virginia B., and Lois A.) as well as Fr. Haug, truly appreciate the opportunity to represent Trinity and look forward to sharing more with you.

Habitat For Humanity To Build Two Homes in 2010

Habitat is appreciative of the money donated last December from the Alternative Gift Fair. Thank you to all you donated and signed the work sheet. This sheet will be in the parish hall and we welcome anyone, all skill levels, to participate.

The Ecumenical Build House will be for Ramona Singleton and her 3 year old son, Ian. Their home will be on Duncan Hill. Ramona found a house plan last year that she thought was ideal for her family. The Construction Manager, Jim Fischer, Bob Apple, President of the local chapter and I met with her in January. Jim determined that this plan fit the criteria for a Habitat home. She is very excited that her house will be started this spring, as weather permits. We are attempting to get workers from each church in the county and city to provide labor for this project.

Bobby and Martha Goins and their two grandchildren will receive the other house. This home will be built in Junction City. Jim Fisher and I met with Bobby and Martha in January to choose their house plan. The plan is similar to the Bell house built last year, with modifications to adapt the plan for their specific requirements. They are excited to move the grandchildren from the trailer park to a home.

If you feel you can donate time or money to either of these projects, please contact me. All money donated to the local chapter stays in our county to help people in the Danville-Boyle County area have adequate housing.

Thank you,
Gloria Pittman
Family Support, Finance & Budget Counselor
Danville-Boyle Habitat for Humanity

DIOCESAN SPRING FESTIVAL/ST. GEORGE'S DAY

CATHEDRAL DOMAIN—APRIL 23-24, 2010

COME ONE! COME ALL! Celebrate St. George's Day at our Second Diocesan Spring Festival! The Camps and Conferences Board is organizing the Festival to benefit the Domain and the congregations of the Diocese. Each congregation is encouraged to have a booth at the Festival on Saturday, **April 24 from 10:00am to 3:00pm** to play games, sell crafts, specialty food items, art, face painting, baked goods, etc. The proceeds from each booth will be split 50/50 between the congregation and The Domain. There is no fee for the booth and your congregation may have more than one booth if desired! To reserve a booth, contact Jane Brantley at 859-236-4690 or email her at jjane@bellsouth.net. The **DEADLINE** for Booth Reservations is **April 15**.

A Youth Rally for Grades 7-12 will begin on Friday, April 23, at 7:00pm. Adults and Families may also check in at 7:00pm Friday evening. On Saturday, in addition to the Parish Booths, the Diocesan Youth Community will host carnival games from 10:00am until 3:00pm. There will be a Pig Roast from 12:00 until 2:00pm. A Festive Eucharist will be celebrated at 3:30pm. Dinner will be served in the Dining Hall from 6:00pm to 7:00pm on Saturday evening. Morning Prayer will be read at 10:00am on Sunday, followed by brunch at 11:00am.

Friday overnight lodging at The Domain (including those attending the Youth Rally) includes Saturday breakfast, the Pig Roast and Saturday dinner. Saturday overnight lodging includes the Pig Roast, Saturday dinner, and Sunday brunch. For those not staying overnight, the prices for the Pig Roast and for Saturday dinner are \$5 each for adults and \$3 each for children 10 and under.

Please complete the Diocesan Spring Festival/St. George's Day Reservation Form and mail it to Cindy Sigmon at The Episcopal Diocese of Lexington, 203 East Fourth St. Lexington, KY 40588-0610 to reserve your overnight lodging or to register for the Youth Rally. The deadline for reservations for the Youth Rally and for overnight lodging is April 15. Personal checks, Visa or Mastercard accepted. Please **DO NOT** send cash. A limited number of Tent and RV reservations will be accepted.



Did you know that Sjögren's affects upwards of 4,000,000 Americans and is the 2nd leading autoimmune rheumatic disease in the country? This little known, yet severely disabling, disease can cause dry eyes, dry mouth, and dysfunction of internal organs, including the kidneys, gastrointestinal system, blood vessels, lungs, liver, pancreas, and nervous system. Patients may experience extreme fatigue, joint pain, and have a higher risk of lymphoma. Maria LeRose and her husband, William Herndon have decided to join forces with the Sjögren's Syndrome Foundation by joining Team Sjögren's and running the Nashville Country Music Half-Marathon on April 24th to help raise awareness and funds for the fight against Sjögren's.

They will be joined at the Half-Marathon with many others who support the battle against Sjögren's. Together, they will be raising crucial funds towards life-changing research and educational programs offered by the Sjögren's Syndrome Foundation.

The Sjögren's Syndrome Foundation is a national non-profit organization that was founded 26 years ago to educate patients and their families about living with Sjögren's. Today, they continue their educational mission while also supporting vital research projects that will help make a difference in conquering Sjögren's syndrome. In addition, they help organize over 87 support groups all over the country and coordinate 3 Patient Educational Seminars a year that bring together the best physicians in the world to answer questions and inform about the latest breakthroughs and treatments available.

Please consider supporting this effort by making a tax-deductible donation. You can donate on-line using your credit or debit card by visiting our website at: www.firstgiving.com/mariawilliam. You may also make a check out to the Sjögren's Syndrome Foundation and give it to Maria (in the choir loft) by April 1st, 2010, so that she and William will achieve their fundraising goal of \$5,200. Check their website often for fundraising and training updates. —Maria LeRose

2010 DIOCESAN SPRING FESTIVAL/ST. GEORGE'S DAY RESERVATIONS

NAME: (Please print!): _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: (h) _____ (cell) _____

EMAIL: _____

<u>NIGHT</u>	<u>NUMBER OF PERSONS</u>	<u>TOTAL \$</u>
_____ FRIDAY:	_____ \$35 Cabin (per adult)	\$ _____
	_____ \$55 Conference Center (per adult)	\$ _____
	_____ \$30 Youth Rally(Grades 7-12) (per youth)	\$ _____
	_____ \$15 Tent (limited)	\$ _____
	_____ \$25 RV (limited)	\$ _____
_____ SATURDAY:	_____ \$45 Cabin (per adult)	\$ _____
	_____ \$65 Conference Center (per adult)	\$ _____
	_____ \$15 Tent (limited)	\$ _____
	_____ \$25 RV (limited)	\$ _____
_____ FRI-SAT:	_____ \$75 Cabin (per adult)	\$ _____
	_____ \$100 Conference Center (per adult)	\$ _____
	_____ \$25 Tent (limited)	\$ _____
	_____ \$40 RV (limited)	\$ _____
GRAND TOTAL DUE:		\$ _____

Please MAIL this Reservation Form and your personal check payable to The Cathedral Domain for the GRAND TOTAL DUE to Cindy Sigmon, The Episcopal Diocese of Lexington, P.O. Box 610, Lexington, KY 40588-0610. Reservation Form and Payment are due by APRIL 15, 2010.

To pay by credit card (Visa or Master Card), please complete the following:

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Security Code: _____

Name on Credit Card: _____

A note to Trinity

To the Trinity Family,

Thank you for your recent expressions of sympathy, but it was your loving acceptance of our mother that is most appreciated. Fr. Slocum, the DOK, the Transporters, and everyone who shared their Christian love made my mother's time Danville so much more home-like.

Peace to you all, Rusty Ellis.

Congratulations and welcome to Confirmands:

On his January 10 visitation, The Rt. Rev. Stacy Sauls administered the rite of confirmation for Jan Sheffield, Todd Davis, and Brenna McDonald. Pictured are Jan, Fr. Steve, and Bishop Sauls.



March Birthdays

Julie Nelson: 7th
Mary Thompson: 7th
Erin Avery: 9th
Mary Lou Garland: 11th
Melissa Bibb: 12th
Jennifer Brummett-Martin: 12th
Bill Cox: 12th
Francois Botha: 18th
Abe Goodwin: 18th
Jack Stone: 19th
Alex Dunn: 20th
Page Weddle: 20th
Tom Peters: 21st
Jay MacNeal: 23rd
Kaylee Whitsell: 24th
Susan Ferguson: 26th
Thad Overmyer: 26th
Amanda Goodwin: 26th
Chirsty Whitsell: 26th



April Birthdays

Judy Robertson: 2nd
Steve Martin: 4th
Bea Stone: 4th
Sofie Farmer: 5th
Mary Scott Bugg: 8th
Buddy Edwards: 8th
Anna Gooch: 9th
Katherine Nelson: 9th
Kathleen E. Seitzinger: 12th
Michael Overmyer: 12th
Anne Wilson: 12th
Lisa Cushing: 15th
Margaret Gardiner: 16th
Joe Hammonds: 16th
Vicki Bell: 17th
Brian Farmer: 19th
Jeff Cooper: 20th
Sam Nelson: 23rd
Cully Bell: 24th
Eli Gooch: 24th
Jim Martin: 25th
Hannah Skurka: 29th
Sue Jackson: 29th
Gene Pflughaupt: 29th

March Wedding Anniversaries

Danny & Amanda Goodwin: 13th



April Wedding Anniversaries

Greg & Barbara Smith: 29th

March 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4 DOK 9:30a.m. & 7p.m.	5	6 Vestry Retreat
7 The Third Sunday in Lent Holy Eucharist (I): 8:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 9:30a.m. Christian Education: 9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Education: 9:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist (II): 10:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 11:30a.m. Bible Study: 5:00 p.m.	8	9	10 Eucharist plus Healing 10a.m. Choir Rehearsal 5p.m. Lenten Supper & Soup 6p.m.	11	12 Bake for Haiti party 5:30 – 8:30	13 Bake sale for Haiti 9am – 1pm
14 The Fourth Sunday in Lent Holy Eucharist (I): 8:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 9:30a.m. Christian Education: 9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Education: 9:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist (II): 10:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 11:30a.m. ECW Meeting: After 10:30 Service Bible Study: 5:00 p.m.	15 Vestry Meeting 4 p.m.	16	17 Eucharist plus Healing 10a.m. Men's Group 11a.m. Choir Rehearsal 5p.m. Lenten Supper & Soup 6p.m.	18	19	20
21 The Fifth Sunday in Lent Holy Eucharist (I): 8:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 9:30a.m. Christian Education: 9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Education: 9:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist (II): 10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour: 11:30 a.m. Bible Study: 5:00 p.m.	22	23	24 Eucharist plus Healing 10a.m. Choir Rehearsal 5p.m. Lenten Supper & Soup 6p.m.	25	26	27
28 The Sunday of The Passion Holy Eucharist (I): 8:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 9:30a.m. Christian Education: 9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Education: 9:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist (II): 10:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 11:30 a.m. Potluck: After 10:30 service Bible Study: 5:00 p.m.	29	30	31 Eucharist plus Healing 10a.m. Choir Rehearsal 5:15p.m.			

Regular Meetings at Trinity

Group	Day of Month	Time
Daughters of the King	1st Thursday	9:30 am & 7:00 pm
Episcopal Church Women	2nd Sunday	after 10:30 service
Vestry	3rd Monday	4:00 pm
Men's Group	3rd Wednesday	11:00 am
Monthly Potluck Lunch	Last Sunday	after 10:30 service

April 2010

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
				1 Maundy Thursday DOK TBA Holy Eucharist with Foot Washing 7 p.m.	2 Good Friday Services: 12 p.m. & 7 p.m.	3 Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Holy Eucharist: 8 p.m.
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Easter Day Holy Eucharist (I): 8:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 9:30a.m. Christian Education: 9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Education: 9:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist (II): 10:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 11:30a.m. Bible Study: 5:00 p.m.			Eucharist plus Healing 10a.m. Choir Rehearsal 5:15p.m.			
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
The Second Sunday of Easter Holy Eucharist (I): 8:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 9:30a.m. Christian Education: 9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Education: 9:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist (II): 10:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 11:30a.m. ECW meeting after 10:30 service Bible Study: 5:00 p.m.			Eucharist plus Healing 10a.m. Choir Rehearsal 5:15p.m.			Annual ABC Sale
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
The Third Sunday of Easter Holy Eucharist (I): 8:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 9:30a.m. Christian Education: 9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Education: 9:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist (II): 10:30a.m. Coffee Hour: 11:30a.m. Bible Study: 5:00 p.m.	Vestry meeting 4p.m.		Morning Prayer 7a.m. Eucharist plus Healing 10a.m. Men's Lunch 11a.m. Choir Rehearsal 5:15p.m.		Diocesan Spring Festival	Diocesan Spring Festival Low Country Boil 6p.m.
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