

# GENESIS



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## From The Interim Rector

By The Reverend Edward O. Miller, Jr.

Dear friends,

Join us on Sunday, May 12, at 10:30 to welcome the Right Reverend Edwin F. Gulick for a service of Baptism and Confirmation as we support those being baptized and confirmed. Bishop Gulick is well known to us through his role as Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Virginia and through his long-time family ties to this area and to Trinity Church. Bishop Gulick's great-grandfather lived across the street in what is now the church-owned Gulick House. His great-grandfather practiced medicine there, and his grandfather was raised there. Currently a Visiting Bishop, he assists Bishop Goff with visitations twice a month.



It is our good fortune that Trinity Church has been chosen for one of his visitations. While Confirmation has a long and varied history, the central actions of confirmation have always been the laying on of hands and a prayer said by the bishop. Princess Elizabeth, who would become Queen Elizabeth I, was baptized and confirmed when she was three days old. During Elizabeth's lifetime, however, confirmation was separated from baptism because it was associated with the age of reason. Confirmation became a moment for strengthening for Christian service those Christians who had already been given new birth in Baptism. A number of scholars have developed the following rationale for the connection between baptism and confirmation: "In baptism the Holy Spirit operates from outside to convey pardon and new birth; in confirmation the gift of the indwelling Spirit is bestowed."

From late 13th century through the 1970s, Communion was limited to those who were confirmed. In the 1979 Book of Common Prayer, that practice changed as the Church returned to its Christian roots by viewing baptism as the primary basis for entrance into the Christian life with all of its privileges and responsibilities. Confirmation, however, continues to be a central part of the regular renewal of faith.

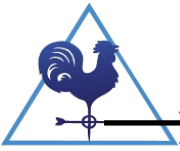
Over the years, I have found the role of the congregation especially important for two reasons. The first is that those being baptized or confirmed value the support of the people who join with them in worship. The second is that the renewal of our own baptismal vows strengthens us for service in the world.

I hope you will come on May 12.

Faithfully,

The Reverend Edward O. Miller, Jr.

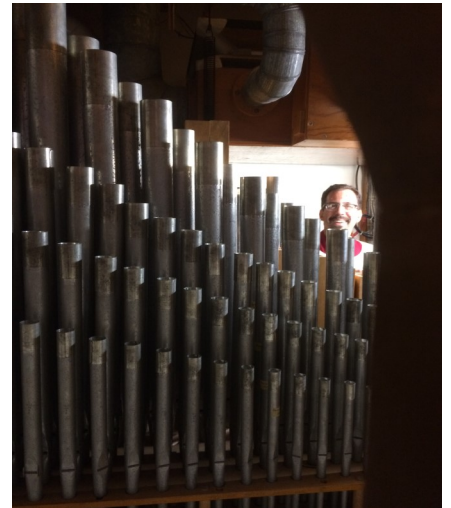
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Thoughts about Easter 2019 and beyond



What an amazing experience it was to look back, from the front of the church, and see a “full house”! And not just full of you and me, but of children, grandchildren, friends, relatives and others we haven’t yet met.

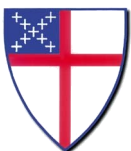


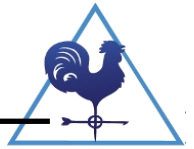
What a wonderful experience it was to hear our organist, benefitting from a multi-year “tonal refinishing” of the organ, made possible by a grant from the Lambert Foundation and matching contributions from nearly two dozen parishioners, as he performed Louis Vierne’s Carillon de Westminster and the Toccata from Charles-Marie Widor’s Fifth Organ Symphony.



What a beautiful experience it was to have an exhibit of ancient works and contemporary art, curated by the collector of the ancient works and the artist of the contemporary art, to help worshipers and other visitors better “feel” the passage of the days of Holy Week and the services that accompanied them.

And, what fun it was to see children searching for Easter eggs, helped along by our volunteers, our Rector, by families and friends, and even by a “life-size” Easter bunny.





It's not too late to pledge, so if you haven't yet indicated your intent to contribute to Trinity this year, please consider doing so now. There are pledge cards in the back of the church, but you can communicate in any way that's convenient, including using the form available on Trinity's website <https://trinityuppper ville.org>.

This year's Easter at Trinity, from dawn to dusk, showed everyone present what a thriving church actually looks like. We are now within reach of achieving our Stewardship goal for 2019, and we are confident that next month's Genesis will report that pledges have actually exceeded that goal.

Thank you. Thank you. Thank you.  
Hurst Groves  
Chair, Stewardship Committee





A critical part of our search for a new rector involves input from our parish community. Our committee has compiled a profile survey from which we hope to glean what our congregation is looking for in a new rector.

**WE CANNOT DO THIS WITHOUT YOUR HELP!**

A survey has been mailed to every congregant age 13 and older. We encourage everyone to fill out the survey. There are two ways to complete the survey:

1. You can complete and return the survey in the stamped envelope we provided.
2. You may instead opt to complete the survey online using the link below.

If for some reason you or someone you know has been overlooked and consider Trinity to be your or their church home, **WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!**

Additional hard copies of the survey are available in the church office. The link to the online survey is <https://trinityupperville.org/survey>.

Surveys are due back no later than May 15, 2019.

Please let us know if we may help you obtain, fill out or return the survey.

**YOUR PARTICIPATION IS CRITICAL!**

Thank you

The Discernment Committee





## May is S.O.M.E Month!

Join us on May 17 at 7:30AM to cook.  
Join us on May 18 at 8:30AM to deliver and serve the meal at  
So Others May Eat in Washington, DC.

Participants are reminded to please contact Ann MacLeod at 540-592-3313 if you wish to join us in any capacity . We have 8 spots for cooks and 10 seats on the van for servers.

## Recognition Sunday

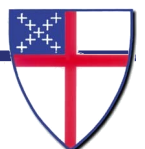
On May 19, we will recognize and thank the many volunteers who help make possible our worship, fellowship after worship, and Christian Education for children and youth. Please join us at 8:00 or 10:30 am.



## Meeting Schedule



May 2, 9, 16, 23 - Hunt Country Stable Tour 5:30pm  
May 6 - Parish Life 6:00pm  
May 6, 13, 20, 27 - Healing Ministry 2:30pm  
May 8 - Worship 4:00pm  
May 14 - Finance 6:15pm  
May 20 - Vestry 6:30pm





## 60th Hunt Country Stable Tour

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Hunt Country Stable Tour 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

May is here and we are off to the races with our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. There is so much exciting news to tell you all.

First we want to thank our line up of farms for this year.

**CHESTNUT RUN FARM**

**ORANGE HILL FARM**

**CHILLY BLEAK FARM**

**OAK SPRING GARDEN FOUNDATION**

**GUM TREE FARM**

**POPLAR GRANGE FARM**

**HICKORY HOUSE FARM**

**SALAMANDER RESORT & SPA EQUESTRIAN CENTER**

**MARE CENTER**

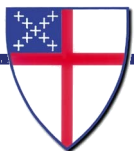
**ST. BRIDE'S FARM**

**MIDDLEBURG TRAINING CENTER BANBURY CROSS POLO**

This year we also have some exciting events lined up. Horses will run Saturday morning at the track, the Piedmont Foxhounds will visit our church, event and show jumping will be demonstrated at farms as well as ranch riding and a K-9 off leash show for tour goers.



Chilly Bleak American Pharoah Filly





For our anniversary our courtyard will be bustling with activities. We will have a Memorial Day Concert by the Cathedral Brass on Sunday, a petting zoo on Saturday and wildlife and animal rescue booths on display. Don't forget the Thrift Shop will also be open all weekend.

Tickets are selling fast. If you know of friends and family who will want to attend, see Betsy in the office or go online to buy your tickets now.

We still need volunteers for the farms. It's a great day to join with friends in raising funds for God's mission of outreach. Sign up in Cox hall or see Jim Gemmer.

We are now taking orders for 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration belts and dog collars and leashes. Order yours in the office now.

It's going to be a glorious celebration! We hope to see you all there.

Kat



*Hunt Country*  
**STABLE TOUR**

60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Hunt Country Stable Tour  
Belts and Dog Collars and Leads  
Order Now!

I would like to reserve mine now! I understand that I will pay for my merchandise upon receipt in the church office and that net proceeds support Outreach.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Belts \$35.00  
\_\_\_ 42" \_\_\_ 40" \_\_\_ 38" \_\_\_ 36" \_\_\_ 34"

Dog Collars \$20.00  
\_\_\_ S(14"-18") \_\_\_ M(18"-22") \_\_\_ L(22"-26") \_\_\_ XL(26"-30")

Dog Lead (20.00)

Collar with Lead \$35.00

Key Fob \$10.00  
\_\_\_ Green Trim \_\_\_ Tan Trim

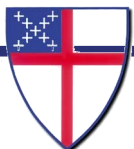




# Easter Highlights



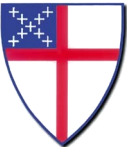
## SUNRISE SERVICE - MORNING HAS BROKEN







**10:30 EASTER SERVICE  
&  
FELLOWSHIP**





## Thrift Shop Boutique Sale May 25 & 26 10:00am-5:00pm

### Golden Rooster Thrift Shop

During the Stable Tour, the Thrift Shop holds a Boutique Sale. The sale is for higher end items such as nice clothing and accessories. If you have items you would like to donate to the boutique sale, please bring them to the church office, and label them "Boutique Sale".

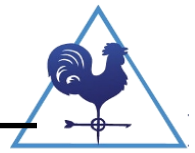
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### Hunt Country Stable Tour Memorabilia Items for Sale

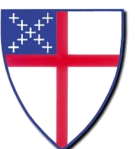
Don't miss out on the amazing items on sale during our 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration. Notice our newest items, belts, dog collars, leads and key fobs. Order yours in the office now.





	June 2	June 9	June 16	June 23	June 30
<b>Altar Guild</b>	<b>June 2 to June 26 Jolly deGive, Natalie Epstein Patty Jarvis, June 30, Walta Warren, Elizabeth Courts, Bunny Shick, Shannon Stimson</b>				
<b>Flower Guild</b>	Valerie Dove Beth Gibbens Susan Grayson Kelly Johnson Lynn Wiley Joan Eliot	Stephanie Bates Sarah Ellison Brooke Myatt Nicky Perry LeighO Wood Sheila Harrell	Gina Hammond Jane Kates Pat Sharp Edie Smart	June Hambrick Jessica Diday Margaret Hilliard Jason Labrador Janet Noland Marissa Hasser Ashley Hambrick Elizabeth Thomas	Louise Crane Barbara Sharp Jimmy Hatcher Maria Eldredge Tracey Schmitt Lintott
<b>Memorial Flowers</b>	Betty Randolph	Sheryl & Louis Mazzatenta			Dan Haney
<b>8:00 a.m. Service: Holy Eucharist Rite 1</b>					
<b>Chalice</b>	Lewis Martin	Ellen Hall	Carol Miller	Walta Warren	Jeff Millington
<b>Lector</b>	Cheri Martin	Greg Ellison	Jeff Millington	Carol Miller	Walta Warren
<b>Ushers</b>	Debbie Gerbich Jeff Millington	Robert Bonnie John Miller	Holly & Chuck Bimba	Sarah & Greg Ellison	Barbara duPont Duke deFrane
<b>Healing Ministry</b>	Cheri Martin Walta Warren				
<b>Coffee Hour</b>				Ann MacLeod	
<b>10:30 a.m. Service: Holy Eucharist Rite 2</b>					
<b>Chalice</b>	Ken Knapp Ed Moore	Johanna Jackson Randy Mullett	Arch Randolph Sheryl Mazzatenta	Barbara Augenblick Ginny Fluet	Gina Hammond Ed Moore
<b>Lectors</b>	Gray Coyner Randy Mullett	Jessica Diday Stephanie Reynolds	Ashley Hambrick Samantha Whitesides	Penelope Yungblut Ray Ewing	Paul Coyer John MacDonnell
<b>Ushers</b>	Jim Gemmer Bunny Shick	The Benefield Family	Louise Crane Cary Crane	Henry Chapman Jim Hoecker	Penelope Yungblut Ray Ewing
<b>Healing Ministers</b>	Jerry Eisley Ginny Fluet	Joe Fluet Michael Scholes		Sheryl Mazzatenta Stephanie Knapp	Ginny Fluet Melissa Neal
<b>Ambassadors</b>	Sandy Diday	Steve Billingsley	Walt Hasser	Ed Moore	Kyle Crosen
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	The Randolph Family	Cemetery Comm.	Parish Llife		

**If you are unable to serve on your scheduled day, please find someone to trade with.  
Please remember to notify the church office of any changes. Thank you.**





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The Rt. Rev. Robert Ihloff  
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**Important Upcoming Dates**

**May 12** - The Right Reverend Edwin Gulick celebrates Confirmation & Baptism at the 10:30 service

**May 16** - 7:30am SOME Cook; **May 17** - 8:30am SOME Serve

**May 18** - 8:00am Men's Breakfast

**May 19** - Ministry Recognition at 8:00am & 10:30am service

**May 25 & 26** - 60th Hunt Country Stable Tour 10:00am - 5:00pm

**May 26** 5:00pm Volunteer Dinner

**May 27** - Church Office Closed

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